



2021 PROJECTS SUMMARY FOR BUSINESSES

The purpose of this summary is to create awareness among businesses of the projects budgeted for 2021 that have the potential to impact Okotoks businesses, such as design changes, temporary traffic disruptions, increased noise generation, and inconveniences to businesses or their patrons. This list does not include those projects anticipated to have minimal to no effect on business operations. Events will be reported separately.

Project schedules are not finalized at this time. All stakeholders and businesses that are significantly impacted by these projects will be directly engaged on a project-by-project basis. The timing of this engagement will depend on the scope of work for each project, stakeholders' sphere of influence, and project schedule. As schedules are determined, information will be made available on the Okotoks website at <https://www.okotoks.ca/your-government/plans-and-projects/construction-projects>.

PROJECT	2021 PROJECT SCOPE	ANTICIPATED TEMPORARY IMPACTS
Downtown Vitalization	Third Party Utility Relocations (power poles, overhead lines, telecommunications lines)	Rotating lane closures Temporary sidewalk closures Reduced speed limit Service disruptions
Wayfinding Implementation	Limited sign installation in Fall, 2021 is possible; the majority is expected in 2022	Rotating lane closures and reduced speed limit in localized areas during sign installation
Veterans Way Phase C	Elizabeth Street to South Railway St. (pedestrian improvements & paving)	Rotating lane closures and reduced speed limit during pedestrian improvements. Road closure during paving.
Southridge Drive Improvements	<p>Pedestrian Improvements Pason Arena to Southridge Drive, behind commercial buildings; Westmount Road intersection at BMO; Cimarron Boulevard to Canadian Tire</p> <p>Intersection improvements Westmount Road at BMO, SW corner</p> <p>Top lift paving Southbound Southridge Drive from Big Rock Trail to Westridge Drive; Intersection of Southridge Drive and Westridge Drive/ Cimarron Drive; Westland Gate from Southridge Drive to Westland Road; Cimarron Drive from Southridge Drive to Foothills Composite High School driveway</p>	Rotating lane closures Reduced speed limit Temporary sidewalk/pathway closures Landscaping work
Downtown Parking Lot (Location to be determined)	Provincial grant funding requires completion in 2021. Details will be provided on the website as they become available.	Rotating lane closures Reduced speed limit