



About the project

Kingsland Park, located at 7430 5 St. S.W., is a public park nestled in the heart of the southwest community of Kingsland. This former site of Kingsland School was formally designated as park space in 2024, confirming the long-term intent to keep this land in public use.

Since that time, The City has been working through a phased process to understand how the park can best serve both local and city-wide needs.

During the **Discover Phase**, a temporary pop-up park in summer 2024 tested ideas and activated the space. Public engagement in fall 2024 gathered input on how the park is used today and what the community values most.

During the **Explore Phase**, preliminary design concepts were prepared based on feedback received from fall 2024 and shared with the public for further input in April and May 2026. Both concepts included a bookable artificial turf field, along with park amenities that support everyday neighbourhood use.

The project is now in the **Reveal Phase** and the preferred design concept has been shared with the public.



What we heard / What we did

Discover below how your feedback shaped the final park concept.

What we heard	What we did
Respondents wanted a park that offers something for everyone.	The preferred design concept includes inclusive play areas, gathering spaces, recreation amenities and places to relax and connect for children, youth, adults and older adults.
Respondents supported amenities for a variety of ages, interests and abilities.	The project team reviewed additional amenity ideas shared through engagement. Two outdoor fitness areas have been included near the oval walking loop to support active use by teenagers and adults.
There was strong interest in a future community garden.	The preferred design concept identifies space that could support a future community garden. This would require further exploration, including a community-led stewardship and operating model.
Respondents value both active recreation and informal community space.	The preferred design concept balances a bookable artificial turf field with open gathering spaces, play areas, seating, pathways and flexible recreation features that support neighbourhood use throughout the year.
Predictable access to recreation spaces is desired.	Future field operations will include measures to support predictable and equitable community access.
Respondents told us that children's play spaces should be closer together.	Children's play amenities have been brought together into a more connected family area near supporting features such as washrooms, seating and gathering spaces.
More trees, shade and landscaping is desired in the park.	The preferred design concept includes increased tree planting and landscape improvements across the site to create a greener, more comfortable park.
Pathways, walking opportunities and better connections were important to respondents.	The preferred design concept includes an oval walking loop, improved pathway connections, formalized park entrances and proposed crosswalks to improve access to and through the park.
Respondents wanted places to gather, relax and connect with neighbours.	Seating, gathering spaces and a large flexible open area within the walking loop have been included to support picnics, informal recreation, community events and everyday social connection.
Respondents wanted ways to share community information and stay connected.	A community information sign will be incorporated into the park to support sharing information about community events, programs and activities.
Parking was a recurring topic during engagement.	Parking has been incorporated to support the park's expanded amenities. The parking area has been located and sized to make efficient use of the existing parking footprint while limiting impacts on surrounding park space.



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There were questions about access and transportation options.	Bicycle parking will be added throughout the park to provide convenient access to key amenities and support active transportation.
Safety was raised as a concern.	Safety has been considered in the preferred design concept, including the placement of the feature hill, washroom, parking area and high-activity spaces to support visibility, maintenance access and user comfort.
Respondents wanted a park that feels welcoming and comfortable to use.	As the project moves into detailed design, safety, accessibility and operations will continue to inform design refinements so the park can support a welcoming experience for users.