

# NEW SIDEWALKS PROGRAM OVERVIEW

October 10, 2024



# BACKGROUND

- Safety and Accessibility
- Health Promotion
- Environmental Sustainability
- Economic and Social Benefits



# POLICY CONTEXT



## Connecting Burnaby – Burnaby Transportation Plan

### GOALS



Access to Transport  
Options and Choice



Safe and Secure  
Mobility



Healthy  
Community



Green  
Mobility



Prosperous  
Community



Connected  
Community

### TARGETS

VISION  
ZERO

MODE  
SPLIT

ZERO  
EMISSIONS

# PRIORITIZATION FRAMEWORK

<b>Pedestrian Demand</b>	<b>Pedestrian Safety and Equity</b>
<b>Transit</b>	<b>Road Classification</b>
<b>Schools</b>	<b>Network Connectivity</b>
<b>Parks, Senior Centres or Civic Facilities</b>	<b>Network Need</b>
<b>Commercial Areas</b>	<b>Equity</b>
<b>Destination Density</b>	<b>Walking Mode Share</b>

- Endorsed by Council in September 2021
- Each factor is scored on a scale of 1 to 10
- Scores are tabulated and assigned to every block segment in the City
- The higher the score, the higher the prioritization need

IRMIN STREET — FROM GRAY AVENUE TO NELSON AVENUE

## NEW SIDEWALKS AND FULL ROAD UPGRADE

You are receiving this notice because your street has been identified as a priority candidate for the installation of sidewalks and a full road upgrade, with construction planned for 2023.

New sidewalks are being constructed throughout Burnaby to improve accessibility and promote walking and rolling as safe, healthy, sustainable modes of transportation. These new sidewalks will help connect our community and reduce automobile travel.

- Full street upgrade with sidewalks, curbs, driveway let-downs, landscaping and trees
- New sidewalks on side without existing sidewalk



### SPECIFICALLY, SIDEWALKS IN THIS AREA WILL:

- › provide improved access to and from Nelson Elementary and Burnaby South Secondary
- › complete missing links between area sidewalks

All construction will take place on City land.

### WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Please complete the online feedback form at: [Burnaby.ca/NewSidewalks](https://Burnaby.ca/NewSidewalks)

To enable the City to finalize project design details, we would like to hear from you by Sunday, September 25, 2022.

We'll review all neighbourhood feedback and work to address any potential concerns.

### PLANNED UPGRADES INCLUDE:

- › new sidewalks
- › full road upgrade to City standard, including curbs and gutters, boulevards with street trees, road paving and drainage improvements
- › wheelchair ramps at all street corners
- › traffic calming features, such as curb bulges, where appropriate
- › upgraded street lights to improve visibility for people using sidewalks and roads
- › new concrete driveway ramps

### Questions?

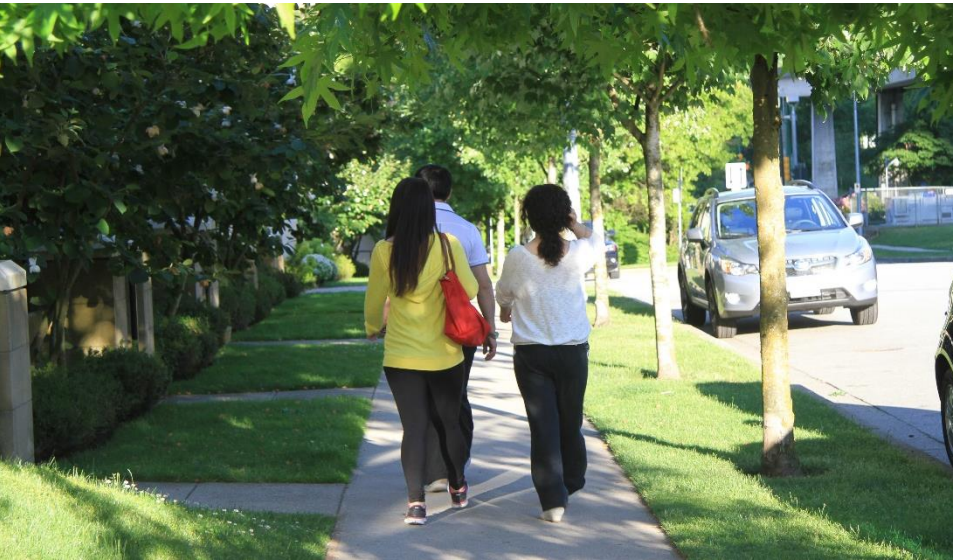
If you have questions about the sidewalk planned for your street: visit [Burnaby.ca/NewSidewalks](https://Burnaby.ca/NewSidewalks); call 604-294-7998; or email [Sidewalks@burnaby.ca](mailto:Sidewalks@burnaby.ca)



# PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

- Planning and Conceptual Phase
- Detailed Design





# DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

New sidewalk projects are planned to include:

- Sidewalks on both sides of the street
- Grassed boulevard spaces with street trees
- Street lighting, signage and drainage improvements
- Curb letdowns at street corners

# Thank you!

Any Questions?