# CITY OF SASKATOON COUNCIL POLICY 

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## 1. PURPOSE

To provide consistent level of service for Walkway maintenance.
2. DEFINITIONS
2.1 Walkway - a public right-of-way established to facilitate pedestrian movement.
3. WALKWAY CLASSIFICATIONS
3.1 The City of Saskatoon recognizes two walkway classifications:
3.1.1 Primary Walkways - are those walkways that have been identified as the essential walkways and connect right-of-ways to park or trails and include street to street connections if the walkway runs through a park.
3.1.2 Secondary Walkways - are those walkways that provide access between two or more right-of-ways.

## 4. REGULAR MAINTENANCE

4.1 All walkways are to be maintained in accordance with this policy.
4.2 Regular maintenance shall include removal of litter and debris, as well as snow clearing.
4.3 All primary walkways shall be inspected monthly or in response to complaint or vandalism.
4.4 All secondary walkways will be inspected four times a year (spring, summer, fall and winter) or in response to complaint or vandalism.

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4.5 All walkways that exhibit abnormal litter and/or vandalism problems shall be directed to the General Manager of Infrastructure Services in order that more remedial actions can be taken.

## 5. RESPONSIBILITIES

5.1 The Public Works Branch will be responsible for the administration of this policy.
5.2 The General Manager, Infrastructure Services Department will be responsible for recommending updates to the policy.
5.3 City Council will be responsible for reviewing and approving updates to the policy.

