CITY OF SASKATOON COUNCIL POLICY

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1. PURPOSE

To provide consistent level of service for Walkway maintenance.

2. DEFINITIONS

2.1 <u>Walkway</u> - 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. <u>RESPONSIBILITIES</u>

- 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.