



Executive Summary of Public Realm Discussions on College Drive February – June 2022

The College Corridor Plan team worked with stakeholders, community groups, people who live, work or travel to College Drive and interested people from around Saskatoon to help determine what is important to people about the public realm on College Drive – what it looks like now and what it could potentially look like in the future.

1400 specific comments and suggestions were received from more than 200 individuals and community groups. We looked at feedback for common themes to develop some ideas to move forward and have created an in-depth video of the feedback received that [you can find on YouTube](#).

A quick overview is provided below.

Walking and Rolling Connections:

- We will be doing a transportation analysis to look at potentially redesigning parts of College Drive, looking at pedestrian crossing improvements in particular.
- The potential for a dedicated cycling facility, separate from sidewalks, will also be examined.

Streetscape

- Continuing high-level streetscape design for College Drive, Preston, Wiggins, Bottomley and Cumberland Avenues.
- Putting an emphasis on, where possible, space for pedestrians and cyclists, enhancing trees and plantings, providing a buffer space from traffic and providing areas to sit and rest.

Open Space

- Work with the University of Saskatchewan to look for opportunities to improve open and green spaces on campus along College Drive.
- Work with Meewasin to improve trails and spaces around University Bridge.
- Undergo a transportation analysis on the redesign of University Drive to potentially add usable public space.

Comfort & Character

- Incorporating popular themes and symbols into designs for open space and streetscaping.
- Considering further the ideas about design of buildings and developments during discussions on zoning strategy (in a later phase of the project).
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For more information, or to provide further feedback and comments, please reach out to us at any time at corridorplans@saskatoon.ca. You can also find more information on our engagement website at saskatoon.ca/corridor.
