# Forest Grove Neighbourhood Traffic Review

Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 7:00pm - 9:00pm



# Agenda

- 1. Welcome & Introductions
- 2. Traffic Management Presentation Draft Neighbourhood Traffic Plan
- Draft Plan (small group) Discussion Seeking Your Input
- 4. Next Steps Where From Here?
- 5. Question/Answers

## Having a Productive Discussion

- A Chance to Listen to Others and Share Your Ideas
- Respectful
- Orderly Participation
- Limit Repetitive Discussion

## **Outline**

- Neighbourhood Traffic Review (NTR)
   Process
- 2. How We Got Here
- 3. What We Heard
- 4. What We Did
- 5. What We Propose

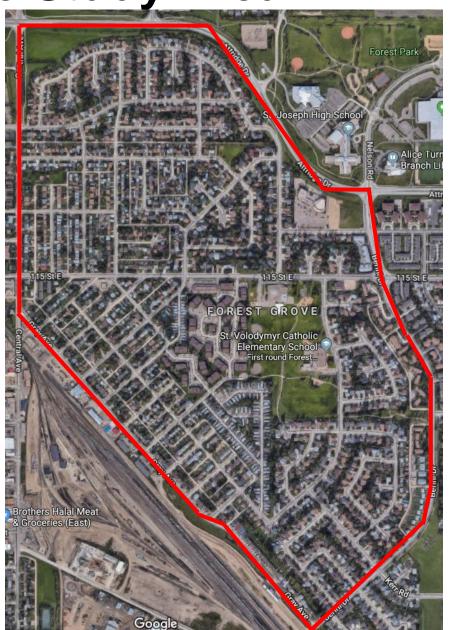
# Neighbourhood Traffic Review Process

- Address neighbourhood traffic issues on local and collector streets:
  - Speeding concerns
  - Short-cutting concerns
  - Pedestrian safety
  - Intersection safety



**Forest Grove Study Area** 

- Study Limits
  - Attridge Drive
  - Berini Drive
  - Gray Avenue
  - Central Avenue





# Neighbourhood Traffic Review Process

Phase 1
Responding to Issues

Phase 2
Neighbourhood
Selection

Phase 3
Plan and
Development
Approval

Phase 4
Permanent
Implementation

We are here



# Neighbourhood Traffic Review Schedule

Stage 1
Identify
Problems

- Winter / Spring 2018
- Public meeting on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018
- Collect input via calls, emails, letters, Facebook

Stage 2

Develop Traffic

Plan

- Summer 2018
- Data collection
- Field observations
- Prepare Traffic Plan

Stage 3
Review and
Approval

- Fall 2018
- Public meeting on November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018
- Collect feedback via calls, emails, etc.
- Prepare report
- Council meeting

Stage 4
Implementation

- Beginning Spring 2019
- Prepare plans
- Installation of Traffic Plan
- Traffic calming measures will be installed temporarily

Stage 5
Evaluation

- 2020 and beyond
- Follow up assessments
- Measures that are deemed effective will be prioritized for permanent installation



### A. Traffic Safety and Delay Concerns

- Berini Drive & 115<sup>th</sup> Street Planning to install traffic signals here in 2019
- Central Avenue & Rossmo Road/Reid Road -Difficult to turn onto Central
- Attridge Drive & Berini Drive Difficult to turn from northbound to westbound (left turn)



- A. Traffic Safety and Delay Concerns (con't)
  - Central Avenue & Gray Avenue Vehicles continue to turn left even though this is a prohibited movement
  - Central Avenue & 115<sup>th</sup> Street Traffic backs up when a vehicle is turning left



### B. Pedestrian Safety Concerns:

- Berini Drive & Rogers Road
- 115<sup>th</sup> Street & Vickies Avenue
- 115<sup>th</sup> Street & Kellough Road
- Rossmo Road/Forest Drive & Spruce Drive



### C. Speeding / Short-cutting Concerns:

- Central Avenue
- Gray Avenue
- Birch Crescent
- Cruise Street

- Berini Drive
- Rossmo Road
- Boyd Street
- Dunlop Street
- Curves on Rossmo Road to Forest Drive transition



#### D. Other Concerns:

 Vehicle delays caused by Central Avenue Railway crossing



## What We Did

- Compiled Information Received:
  - Past Studies
  - Comments from initial meeting
  - Resident responses (phone calls, emails, letters)
  - Comments from online discussions
- Collected Data:
  - Traffic Studies
  - 8 Intersection / Pedestrian counts
  - 10 Traffic volume counts & speed measurements
  - Collision history
- Site Visits / Field Reviews
- Assessed the Issues
- Generated Proposed Recommendations



## What We Propose

- Curb Extensions
- Speed Display Board
- Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon
- Zebra Crosswalk
- Median Island

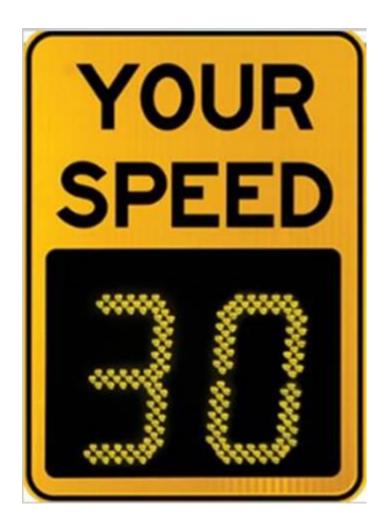


## **Curb Extension**



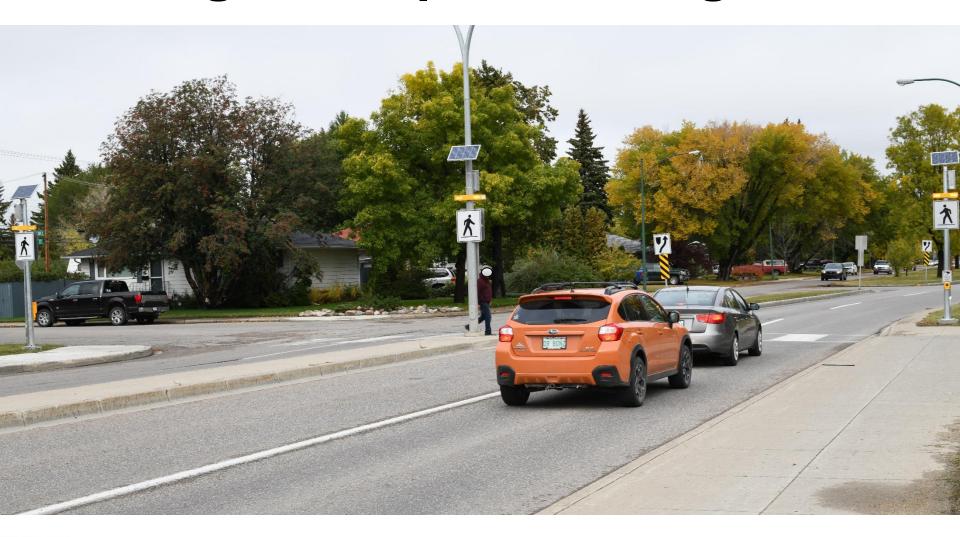


# **Speed Display Board**





## Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon





## **Zebra Crosswalk**





## **Median Island**





# **Small Group Discussions**



# How Did You Hear About the Meeting?

Please take a minute to fill out the evaluation form



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## **Next Steps**

- 1. Send comments no later than November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- Additional public input via the Engage page no later than November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 <a href="https://www.saskatoon.ca/engage/forest-grove">https://www.saskatoon.ca/engage/forest-grove</a>
- 3. Additional consultation if required
- 4. Present traffic plan to City Council as information
- 5. If City Council approval is required, an additional recommendation will be included in the report to City Council
- 6. What if I don't agree?



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