

The background is a vibrant teal color with a collage of faint, light-colored icons related to construction and community. These include a truck, a crane, a construction barrier, a person, a house, and a person with a wheelbarrow. On the right side, there is a vertical strip of colorful geometric patterns and shapes, including triangles and stripes in yellow, red, blue, and green. At the top right, there are white and red triangles. At the bottom right, there are stylized human figures in various colors.

# What We Heard North Glenora Alley Renewal

November 30 – December 18, 2020

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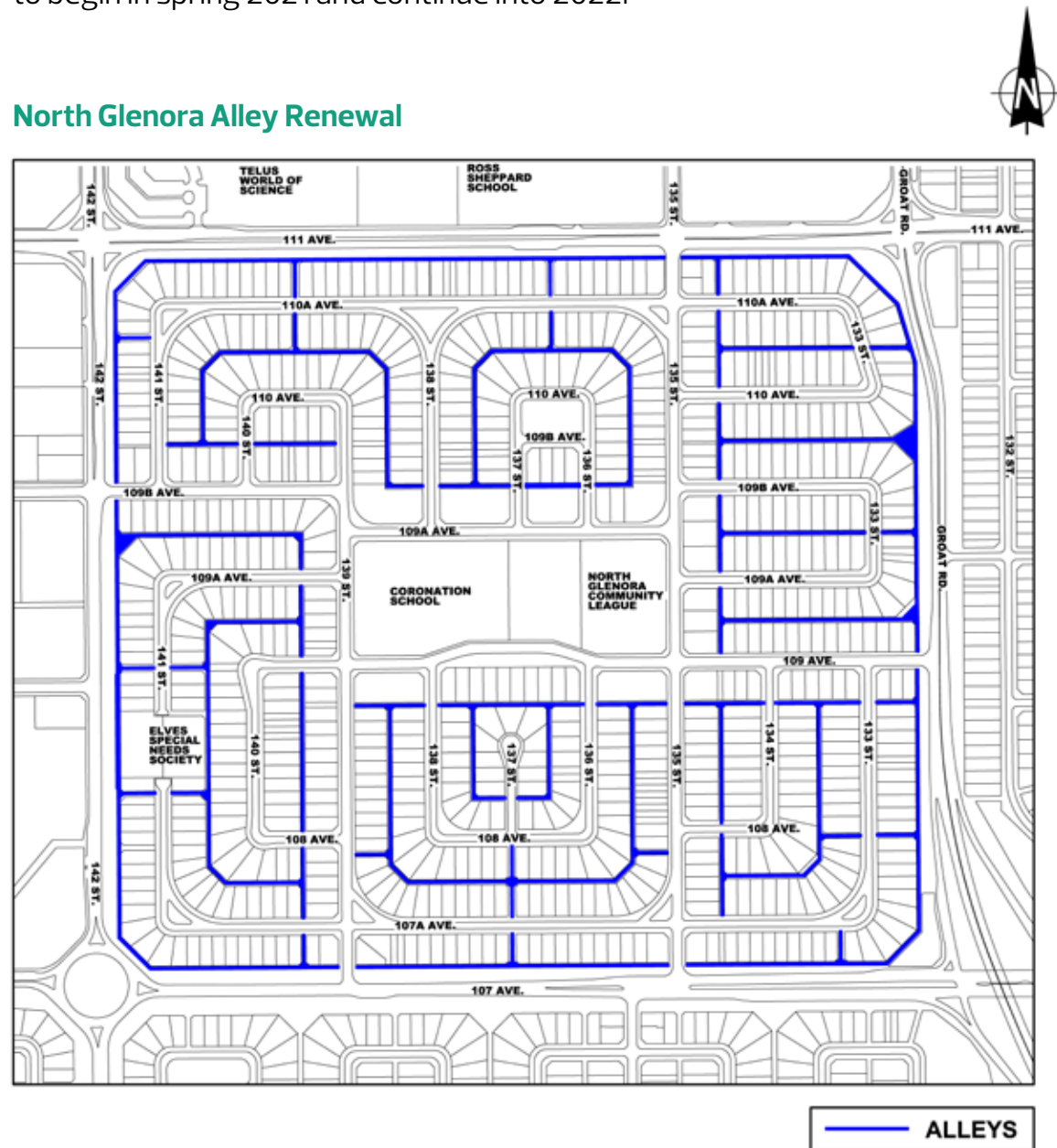
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# Project Background

Alley renewal involves alley reconstruction and repaving, improvements to surface drainage wherever possible and upgrading existing alley lighting to LED fixtures. It also includes the opportunity for a local improvement to add alley lighting if property owners are interested.

North Glenora has been chosen for alley renewal with construction anticipated to begin in spring 2021 and continue into 2022.

## North Glenora Alley Renewal



# What we did and what we asked



From November 30 to December 18, 2020, the public was invited to complete an online survey about North Glenora Alley Renewal. Paper copies were also made available at the North Glenora Community League.

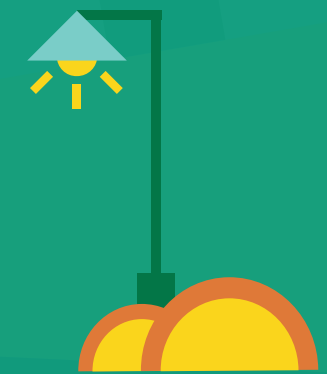
We asked residents to assess alleys in North Glenora as they are today and identify opportunities for improvement.

82 participants



Residents were also given the opportunity to ask the project team questions through an online engagement form.

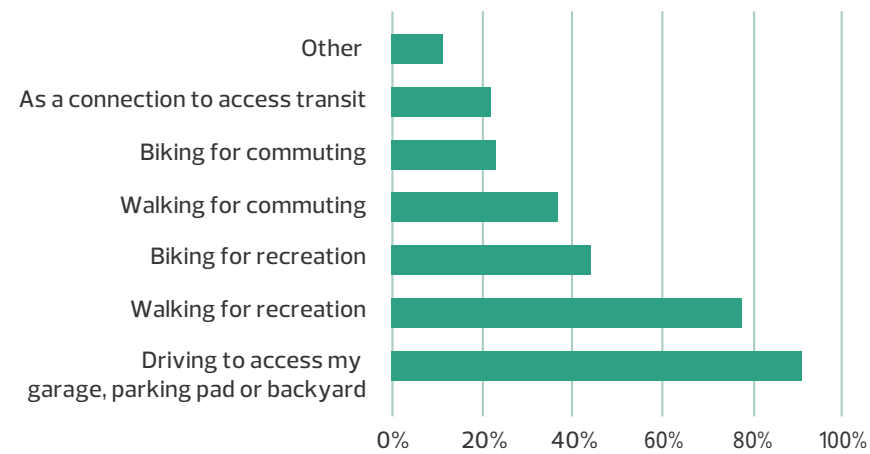
16 submissions  
6 phone calls and emails



# What we heard

Below is a summary of what we heard about the North Glenora Alley Renewal. This feedback will help us to adapt and adjust the alley design for the neighbourhood, as well as create a plan to mitigate impacts of construction.

## How do you currently use your neighbourhood alleys? (Multiple options could be selected):



Other answers shared include recreation activities such as pulling children on sleds or gardening, access to waste and recycle bins and vehicle commuting to main roads.

## The following is a list of the common themes that were pulled from the survey data:

**Drainage issues:** The most common theme involved residents asking for drainage issues in the alleys to be addressed. The majority of participants noted that water pools in many alleys due to deep potholes and lack of proper drainage for rain and snow.

**Aging roadway and potholes:** Many residents would like to see the alleys paved and the potholes filled so that drivers can reduce the chance of damaging their vehicles and people can better enjoy walking and biking in the alleys.

**Speeding and shortcutting issues:** A few participants noted that some drivers use the alleys as a shortcut and others may speed causing a safety concern.

**Safety and lighting:** Many residents noted that better lighting would help to increase the safety in the alleys when it is dark to discourage unwanted gatherings.

**Sightline obstruction:** Some suggested that sightlines are being obstructed by overgrown trees and tall fences making it difficult for those who drive and unsafe for those who walk and bike.

**Construction communication:** Most residents would like to be informed about future construction information to ensure their needs can be accommodated. Some of these needs include finding parking alternatives during construction and access requirements to private yards as some residents noted they have excitable dogs.

# Next Steps

Prior to construction, the project team will share the alley renewal design for North Glenora and answer questions about construction. Please watch your mailboxes and check the project website for more information.

Specific construction timelines and details will be available in the spring of each construction season and a notice will be sent to residents prior to construction starting. Residents can expect their alley to be inaccessible for approximately four weeks during construction.

For more information:

Web: [edmonton.ca/NorthGlenoraAlleyRenewal](http://edmonton.ca/NorthGlenoraAlleyRenewal)

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