



Community and Protective Services Committee

**Wednesday, September 9, 2020
9:00 AM**

Henry Baker Hall, Main Floor, City Hall



OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

**Public Agenda
Community and Protective Services Committee
Wednesday, September 9, 2020**

Approval of Public Agenda**Adoption of Minutes**

Minutes of the meeting held on June 3, 2020

Administration Report

CPS20-12 Animal Bylaw Update – Off-Leash Dog Park

Recommendation

The Community and Protective Services Committee recommends that City Council:

1. Approve the amendments to *The Regina Animal Bylaw, 2009, Bylaw No. 2009-44* as identified in this report.
2. Direct the City Solicitor to prepare the required amending bylaw. Authorize the amendments to *The Regina Animal Bylaw, 2009, Bylaw No. 2009-44* that will come into effect on the dates outlined in the Issue section of this report.
3. Approve these recommendations at its meeting on September 30, 2020.

Adjournment

AT REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2020

AT A MEETING OF COMMUNITY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES
COMMITTEE
HELD IN PUBLIC SESSION

AT 9:00 AM

These are considered a draft rendering of the official minutes. Official minutes can be obtained through the Office of the City Clerk once approved.

Present: Councillor Andrew Stevens, in the Chair
Councillor John Findura (Videoconference)
Councillor Jerry Flegel (Videoconference)
Councillor Bob Hawkins (Videoconference)
Councillor Jason Mancinelli (Videoconference)

Also in Attendance: Council Officer, Tracy Brezinski
City Manager, Chris Holden
City Solicitor, Byron Werry (Videoconference)
Executive Director, Citizen Services, Kim Onrait
Manager, Licensing & Parking Services, Dawn Schikowski (Videoconference)
Policy Analyst, Benjamin Cowman (Videoconference)

APPROVAL OF PUBLIC AGENDA

Councillor Bob Hawkins moved, AND IT WAS RESOLVED, that the agenda for this meeting be approved, as submitted.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Councillor Jason Mancinelli moved, AND IT WAS RESOLVED, that the minutes for the meeting held on March 4, 2020 be adopted, as circulated.

ADMINISTRATION REPORTS

CPS20-9 Vehicle for Hire Update

Recommendation

Community and Protective Service Committee recommends that:

1. CR19-3 be removed from the list of outstanding items for the Executive Committee.
2. This report be received and filed.

Dawn Schikowski, Manager, Licensing & Parking Services, made a presentation to the Committee.

Councillor Jerry Flegel moved that this report be received and filed.

Councillor Bob Hawkins moved that this be referred back to Administration to return to the Community and Protective Services Committee by Q4 of 2020 with a report including:

- 1. Data and percentages regarding the number of taxi and TNC rides with high level data from the Regina Police Service (RPS) including one-year of activity with the number of complaints, investigations and any other data collected such as criminal record checks and suspended drivers.**
- 2. Review of the accessibility fee amount being collected and how the approximately \$20,000 collected is used to achieve accessibility standards.**
- 3. Background and recommendations for a camera policy specific to the ridesharing industry.**

Councillor Jerry Flegel	Yes
Councillor Bob Hawkins	Yes
Councillor Jason Mancinelli	Yes
Councillor John Findura	Yes
Councillor Andrew Stevens	Yes

The motion was put and declared CARRIED.

CPS20-10 Supplemental Taxi and Transportation Network Company Report

Recommendation

Community and Protective Services Committee recommends that this report be received and filed.

The following addressed the Committee:

- Sandy Archibald, representing Regina Cabs; and
- Glen Sali, representing Capital Cabs.

Dawn Schikowski, Manager, Licensing & Parking Services, made a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which is on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

(Councillor Stevens left the meeting temporarily.)

(Councillor Stevens returned to the meeting.)

RECESS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 34 (13.1) of City Council's Procedure Bylaw No. 9004, a 15-minute recess was called.

The Committee recessed at 11:15 a.m.

The Committee reconvened at 11:30 a.m.

Councillor Bob Hawkins moved that this report be received and filed.

Councillor Bob Hawkins withdrew his motion of receive and file.

Councillor Jason Mancinelli moved that this report be forwarded to the June 24, 2020 City Council meeting for information.

Councillor Jason Mancinelli	Yes
Councillor John Findura	Yes
Councillor Jerry Flegel	Yes
Councillor Bob Hawkins	Yes
Councillor Andrew Stevens	Yes

The motion was put and declared CARRIED.

CPS20-11 Seasonal Taxi Licences

Recommendation

Community and Protective Service Committee recommends that City Council:

1. Remove CPS18-21 from the list of outstanding items for the Community and Protective Services Committee.
2. Amend *The Taxi Bylaw, 1994* to remove the portion of the seasonal taxicab licences that are issued through a lottery/draw process.
3. Consider this report at its June 24, 2020 meeting.
4. Instruct the City Solicitor to prepare the necessary bylaw amendment to *The Taxi Bylaw, 1994* as described in this report, to be brought forward to the July 29, 2020 meeting of City Council.

Sandy Archibald, representing Regina Cabs, addressed the Committee.

Benjamin Cowman, Policy Analyst, Licensing & Parking Services, made a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which is on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

Councillor Bob Hawkins moved that the recommendation contained in the report be concurred in.

Councillor Bob Hawkins	Yes
Councillor Jason Mancinelli	No
Councillor John Findura	No
Councillor Jerry Flegel	No
Councillor Andrew Stevens	No

The main motion was put and declared LOST.

Councillor Jason Mancinelli moved that City Council:

1. Remove CPS18-21 from the list of outstanding items for the Community and Protective Services Committee.
2. Amend *The Taxi Bylaw, 1994* to issue seasonal taxicab owners' licences in an amount equal to 37% of total regular and temporary taxicab owners' licences held by licensed taxicab brokers directly to the taxicab brokers.
3. Consider this report at its June 24, 2020 meeting.
4. Instruct the City Solicitor to prepare the necessary bylaw amendment to *The Taxi Bylaw, 1994* as described in this report, to be brought forward to the July 29, 2020 meeting of City Council.

Councillor Jason Mancinelli	Yes
Councillor Jerry Flegel	Yes
Councillor Bob Hawkins	No
Councillor John Findura	Yes
Councillor Andrew Stevens	No

The motion was put and declared CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT

Councillor Bob Hawkins moved, AND IT WAS RESOLVED, that the meeting adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 1:24 p.m.

Chairperson

Secretary

Animal Bylaw Update – Off-Leash Dog Park

Date	September 9, 2020
To	Community and Protective Services Committee
From	City Planning & Community Development
Service Area	Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services
Item No.	CPS20-12

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ISSUE

Administration is currently developing off-leash dog parks in Mount Pleasant and at the former Regent Par-3 site. The Mount Pleasant dog park is expected to open in fall, 2020; the Regent Park dog park – which will include an area for all dogs as well as an area for small dogs only – is expected to open in 2021. In preparation for the opening of these parks, Schedule B of *The Regina Animal Bylaw, 2009 No. 2009-44* (Bylaw) needs to be updated to designate these new areas as locations where dogs can be allowed off-leash without contravening section 12. (1) of the Bylaw. While the timing of reopening is dependent on construction progress, Administration is recommending that the Bylaw reflect the following opening dates, with an understanding that the actual opening date may vary due to construction schedules:

- Mount Pleasant Park: October 31, 2020
- Regent Par 3: September 30, 2021

Maps, which illustrate the designated off leash areas, are provided in Appendix A.

IMPACTS

There are no financial, environmental or accessibility impacts with this bylaw revision report.

OTHER OPTIONS

None

COMMUNICATIONS

In preparation for the development of the Regent Par 3 and Mount Pleasant off-leash areas, Administration consulted with user-groups and Community Associations, held multiple consultation sessions for neighbours who live adjacent to the proposed locations and consulted the general public using online and in-person methods. Signage will be installed at each site to outline expectations for those using the off-leash areas, along with contact information for issues that may arise on site.

DISCUSSION

City Council approved the development of a neighbourhood off-leash areas, including a space for all dogs as well as a designated space for small dogs, as part of the Regent Par 3 Redevelopment Project in June 2019. Subsequently, in November 2019, Council approved development of a municipal off-leash area in Mount Pleasant. These decisions were followed by the allocation of funding for Regent Par 3 and Mount Pleasant in the 2020 budget. Construction of the Mount Pleasant off-leash park is anticipated to be complete by the end of October 2020, while Regent Par 3 off-leash parks will be constructed in 2021.

For the parks to be opened to users once complete, *The Regina Animal Bylaw, 2009 No. 2009-44, Schedule B* must be updated to include these areas as permitted areas for dogs to be off leash. Failure to update the Bylaw would result in off-leash dogs in these areas being considered 'At Large' in accordance with the Bylaw and their owners subject to fines of up to \$300 per occurrence in accordance with Schedule C of the Bylaw.

It should be noted that Council has also directed Administration to establish an off-leash area in Harding Park to serve the east area of the City. Consultations are still underway with respect to this site; as a result, a report dealing with the east dog park will be brought to Council at a later date.

DECISION HISTORY

CR19-62 – Council approval of the recreation program for the redevelopment of the Regent Par 3 Golf Course including two neighbourhood level off-leash areas.

CR19-99 – Council approved the development of the Mount Pleasant, Harding Park and A.E. Wilson Park Off-Leash dog parks, subject to confirmation through public consultation.

CM19-15 - 2020 General and Utility Operating Budget and 2020 - 2024 General and Utility Capital Plan – Council approved \$380,000 in capital funding in 2020 for the development of off-leash dog areas at Mount Pleasant and Harding Park and capital funds for the redevelopment of the Regent Par 3 Golf Course including the development of two neighbourhood level off-leash dog parks.

Respectfully submitted,



Director, Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services

Respectfully submitted,

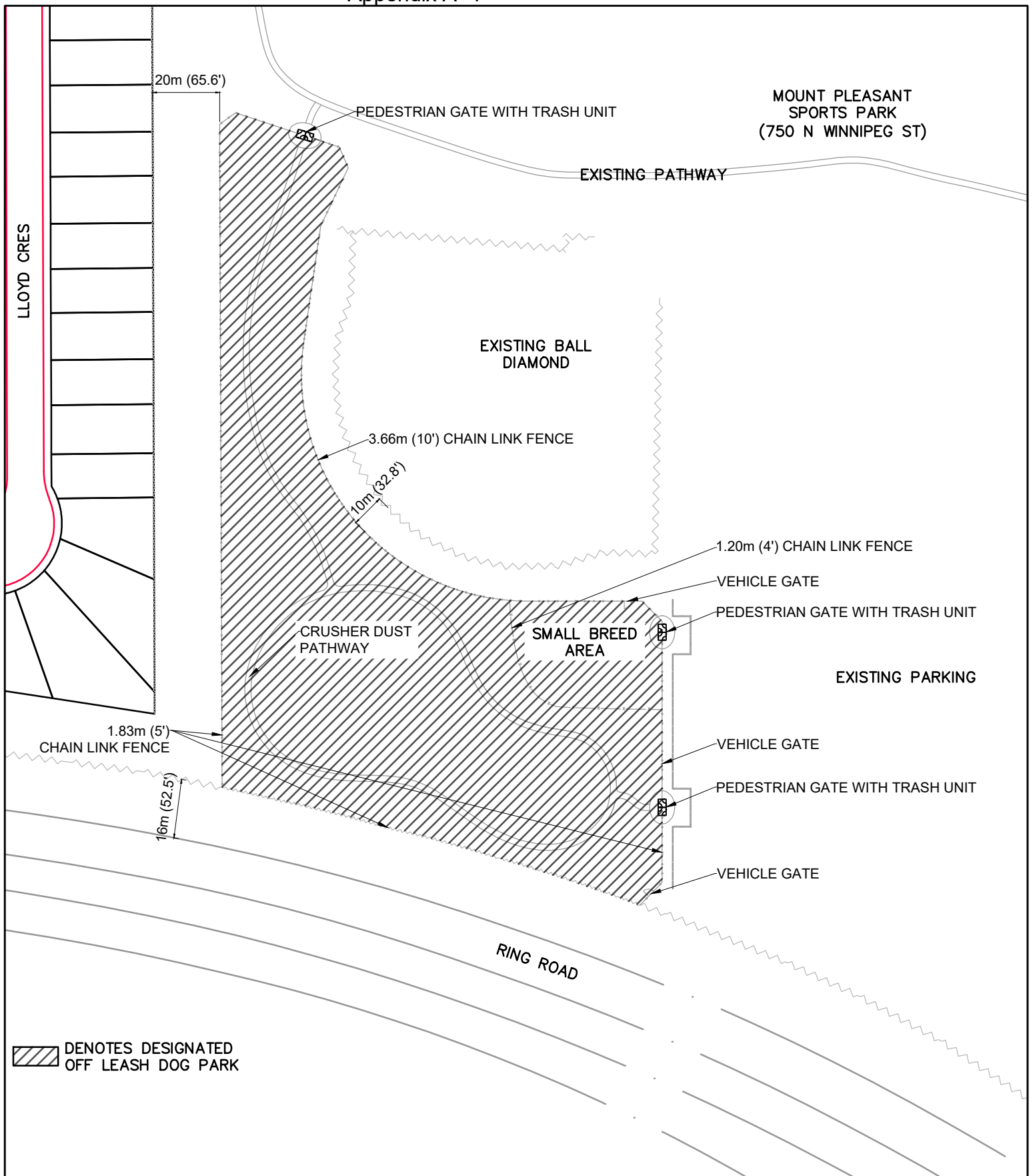


Executive Director, City Planning & Community Development

Prepared by: Chris Sale, Senior Planner

ATTACHMENTS

Appendix A - Off Leash Maps



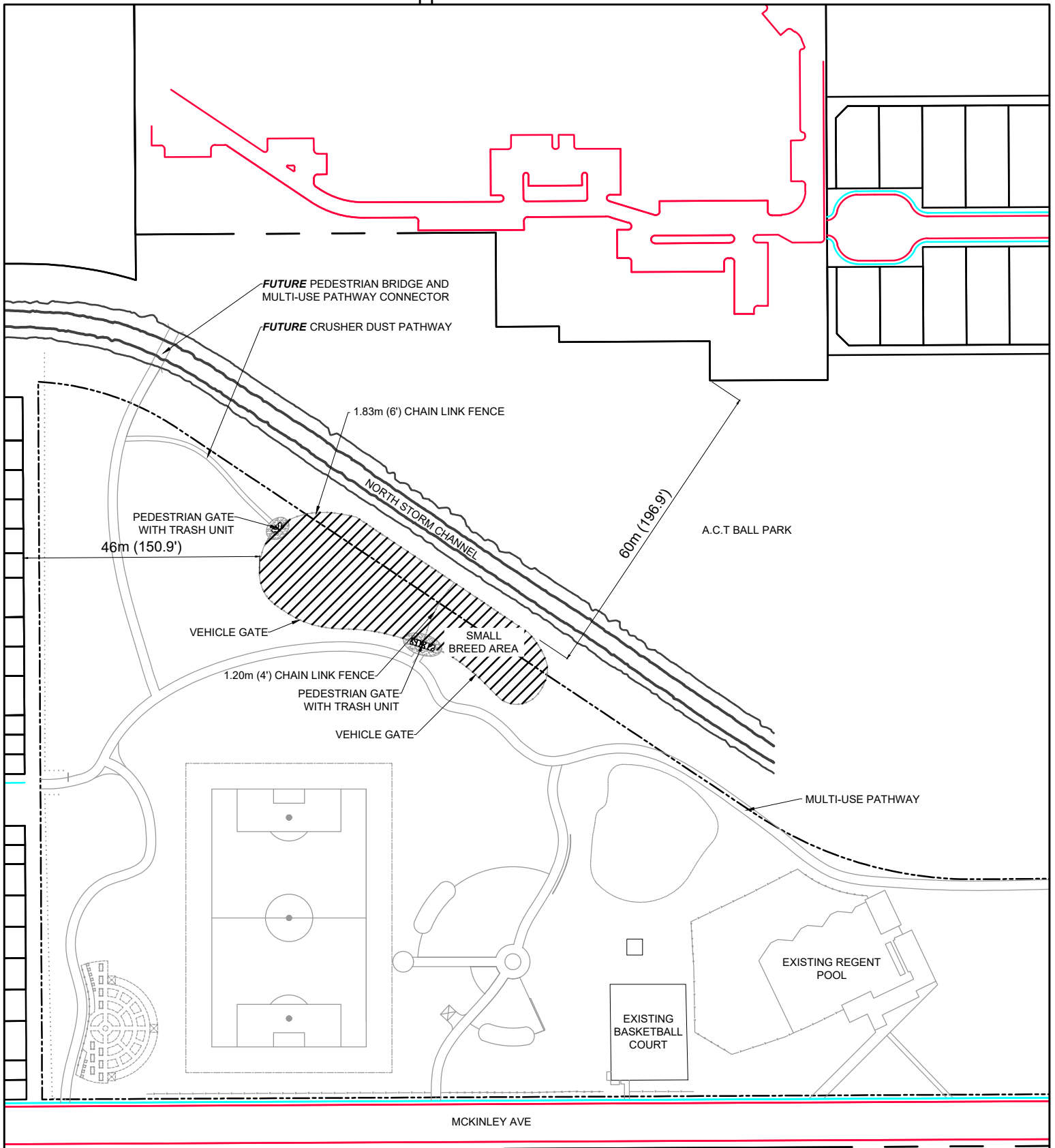
 DENOTES DESIGNATED OFF LEASH DOG PARK

Date	Revisions	By

City of Regina | 

MOUNT PLEASANT OFF LEASH DOG PARK - SCHEDULE B

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**REGENT OFF LEASH DOG PARK
SCHEDULE B**

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