



## NEIGHBOURHOOD DESCRIPTION

The Bellevue neighbourhood began to develop around 1907, to the west of the Edmonton's Northland site. With the construction of the Capilano Freeway (now Wayne Gretzky Drive), the neighbourhood was reduced in size, and is now considerably smaller than most Edmonton neighbourhoods.

The majority of development occurred prior to 1950 and takes the form of single-detached housing. A prominent feature of the neighbourhood is Eastglen Highschool, which serves students within east central Edmonton.

Perhaps with reference to the French term for "beautiful view," Bellevue sits atop the banks of the North Saskatchewan River and benefits from an excellent vista of the river valley and the city's downtown skyline.