Walk Edmonton

Walk Edmonton is an initiative bringing Edmontonians together to build a more walkable community by providing grass roots resources and building civic support. Check out our website for links to other walking resources, maps, walking groups and places to walk in Edmonton.

edmonton.ca/walkedmonton 780-944-5339

Other Walking Resources

Alberta Centre for Active Living centre4activeliving.ca 780-492-4863

Canada Walks canadawalks.ca

UWALK UWALK.ca

Shape (Safe Healthy Active People Everywhere) shapeab.com

Get involved with Walk to School Week and Walking School Bus Programs

edmonton@shapeab.com 780-406-8530



The Benefits of Walking

Walking... a healthy journey!

Ranked the number one activity of choice among Canadians, walking is a prescription for improved health and wellness. Walk briskly for 30 minutes a day, 5 days a week, and minimize your risk for cardiovascular disease, stroke, Type 2 diabetes and some types of cancer. Additional benefits include weight management, blood pressure control and boosting good cholesterol (HDLs).

Other benefits of walking:

- Releases the body's tension and stress.
- Refreshes the mind and body, especially when walking outdoors.
- Allows you to connect with your community.
- Offers an excellent way to socialize with family and/or friends.
- Increases "eyes on the street", enhancing community safety.



Heritage Home

Walking with your Dog 🤽

Edmonton has over 40 locations where you can enjoy your walk while your dog is off-leash. Please remember that all sites where dogs are permitted to be off-leash are multi-use areas used by all. Your dog must be leashed when not in a designated off-leash area. The dog icons shown on this map are placed in the approximate location of each off-leash area, but do not show the precise boundaries. For more information, including details on off-leash boundaries, check the Parks for Paws Brochure or go to edmonton.ca (keyword off-leash)

There are 1,440 minutes in a day, schedule 30 of them for walking!

Local Contacts

Westmount Community League

Westmount Community Hall 10978 127 Street NW westmountcommunityleague.com Facebook: Westmount Community League

Twitter: @WestmountCL

124th Street Business Association

202 – 10715 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5M 0H2 P: 780-413-6503 +1.780.413.6503 info@124Street.ca 124street.ca

Westglen School

10950 – 127 Street T5M 0S7 westglen.epsb.ca 780-454-3449 westglen@epsb.ca

Westmount Fitness Club

12840 – 109 Ave. NW 780-451-9248 westmountfitness.com info@westmountfitness.com

Woodcroft Public Library

13420 – 114 Avenue NW T5M 2Y5 780-496-1830 epl.ca/locations/EPLW00

Weather

311

211

811

780-468-4940 weather.gc.ca/canada

City Information

Information and referral to social, government, and health services.

Emergency Contacts

Police/Ambulance/Fire

Police Complaint Line 780-423-4567 Health Link



WALK EDMONTON

COMMUNITY WALKING MAP

Westmount



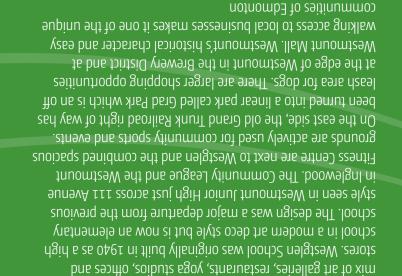
About the Community Walking Maps

This Community Walking Map is part of a series of walking guides. Each map is created as a joint project of Walk Edmonton and local Community groups to promote walkable communities. Contact us to find out if your community has an edition of this map series or to find out more about creating a map.

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are becoming increasingly sought after with its interesting

The main business arteries of 124 Street and Stony Plain Road

Bungalows on spacious lots are west of 127 street. Intermixed on the major roadways are walkup apartments & condos. The streets and avenues are lined with mature elms with adjacent landscaping of hedges, shrubs and large conifers.

The staggered development of Westmount over more than one hundred years has resulted in an interesting mix of housing and lends itself to walking. Westmount continues to have perhaps the largest concentration of Heritage Area. The Groat Edmonton, including the Architectural Heritage Area. The Groat Estate still retains some of the larger historic houses of the wealthy built during the early years of the City. The streets from 121 to 126 street are lined with houses built in the four square and arts and crafts styles of the early 1900's.

In the 1980's the last CNR rail tracks were removed and the former industrial area is rapidly becoming residential with large multi-residential buildings.

street. The area west of 127 Street was developed in the 1950s. serviced by a streetcar that ran along Jasper Avenue and 124 was industrial as three railroads merged there. This area was the exception of the area west of the Brewery District which diw 22et bne 01et neewled begoleveb sew sers sidt fo consists of the area between 121 Street and 127 Street. Much same time Edmonton became a city. The next part historically to be developed. It was annexed to the City in 1904, at the of Westmount is called Groat Estates and was the first part Road to 124 Street south until the river valley. The south part as far as Stony Plain Road. It then swings west on Stony Plain along 121 Street. The eastern boundary (121 Street) goes south valley. The northern boundary is 111 Avenue east to the park follows the Groat Road/Ravine from 111 Avenue to the river boundaries evolved over time. Today, the western boundary in the earliest days of the City of Edmonton's existence. The Located just west of downtown, this community emerged







124th Street was one of the original Streetcar routes that connected the growing community with downtown (City of Edmonton Archives EA-275-1153)



The Tudor mansion built in 1911 by the legendary Peace River Jim (Provincial Archives of Alberta, A877)



Once a landmark of the neighbourhood, being reborn as the MacLaren (City of Edmonton Archives EA-792-67)



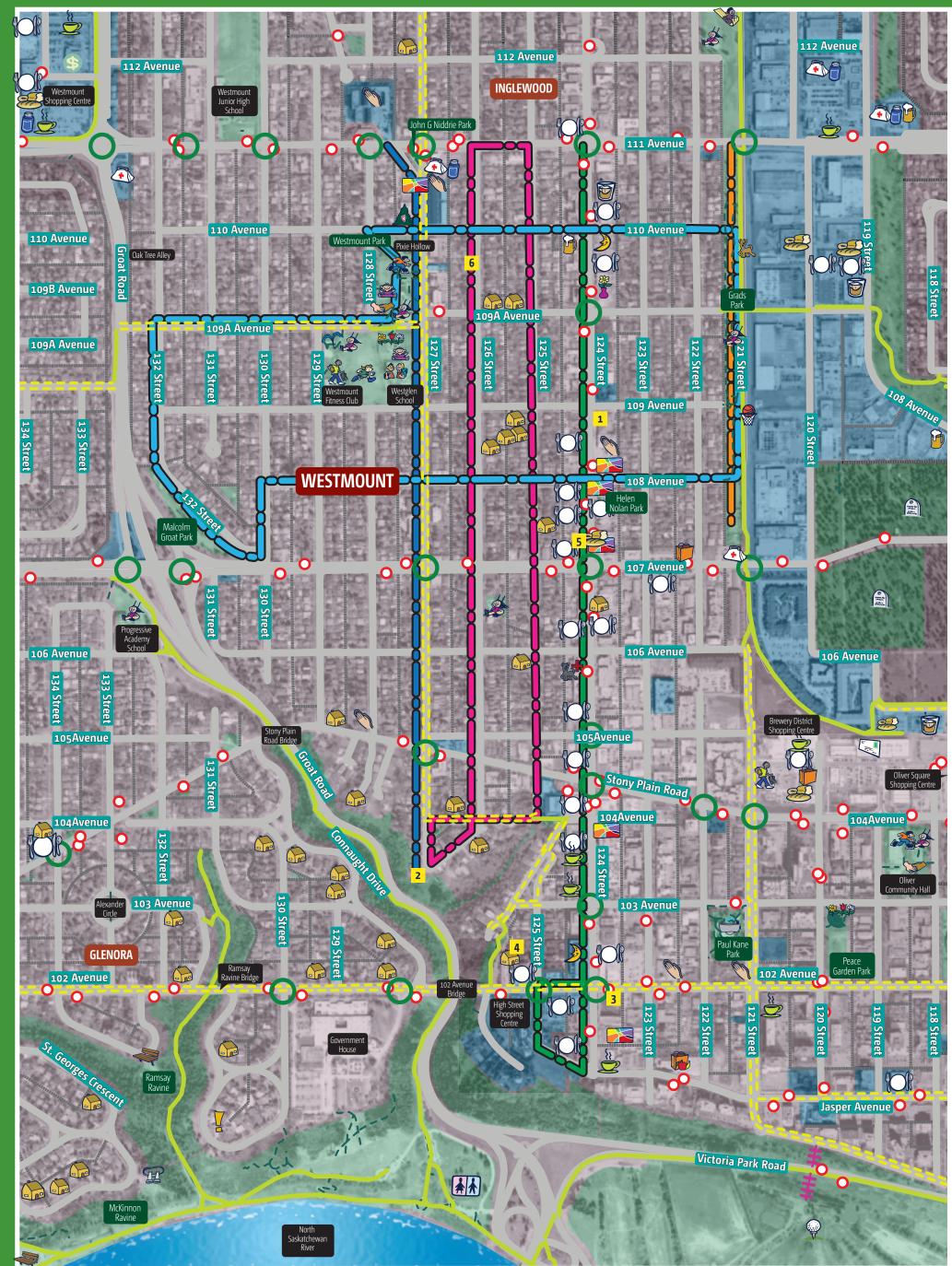
The Edmonton Yukon and Pacific railway used to run right through Westmount (City of Edmonton Archives



Originally built in 1938 and destroyed by fire in 2015, the Roxy will soon be reborn (City of Edmonton Archives EA-207-125)



Former Firehall # 8 10986-126th St. Served the surrounding area for over 50 years (Glenbow Archives — ND-3-414)



0.40

Kilometres

0.60

0.80

1.00

About 1,000 steps walking About 3 minutes cycling

0.75 Kilometres = About 10 minutes walking

WESTMOUNT Legend









Picnic Site



Basketball Court



Place of Worship

Recreation

Restaurant

Scenic Viewpoint

Shopping Area

School

Skateboard Park

Skating Rink

Sports Field



Cemetery



Child Care





Coffee Shop



Community Garden



Community Hall



Convenience Store



Drinking Fountain



ETS Bus Transit



Florist



Golf Course



Grocery Store





Heritage Tree







Off Leash Area



Toboggan Hill

Spray Park



Vet Clinic



Commercial

Parkland

















Crosswalk with Signal

Sample walking routes

O Dog Walk 0.7 km (one way) 1905 Edge of City Walk

Main Street

Heritage Homes Walk



3.4 km 3.6 km

1.5 km

2.3 km

Scale

0.00

0.20