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City of Calgary Approach to Phase 1 Provincial Relaunch

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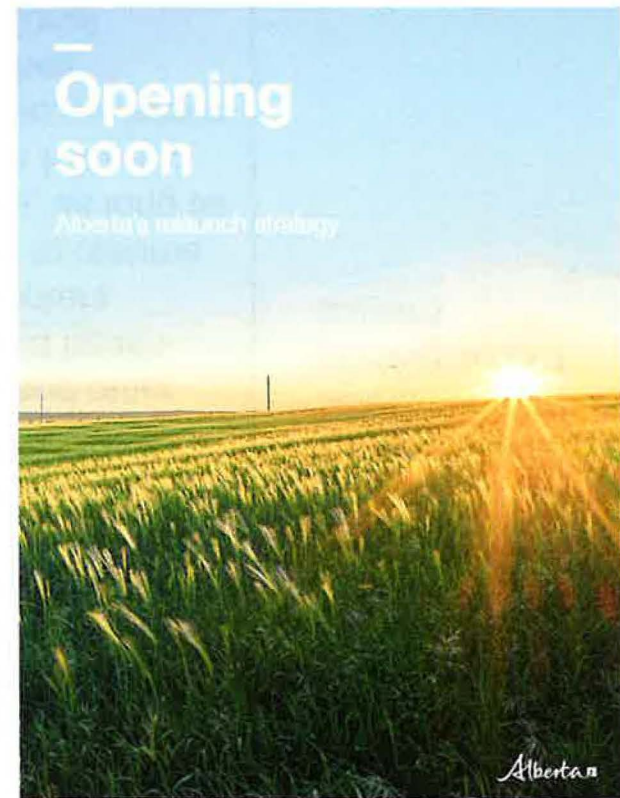
Key Messages

- Safety of citizens and employees is still our top priority
- We are moving quickly to support Alberta's Relaunch Strategy, balancing the reopening of businesses and facilities with promoting safe practices
- We remain nimble by working within the existing COVID-19 governance structure
- Calgary's relaunch won't happen over night, but we will be ready
- The road to recovery will be a journey, and it won't be in a straight line



Alberta's Relaunch Strategy

- Released April 30, 2020
- *"To be successful, we must ensure the sacrifices we have already made to contain the virus are not wasted. Continued care, common sense and resilience will move us forward."*





Alberta's Relaunch Strategy: Early Actions

May 1	May 2	May 4	May 14
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vehicle access to parking lots and staging areas on public land and parks opened Access to boat launches opened in select provincial parks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Golf courses able to open with restrictions including keeping clubhouses and pro shops closed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alberta Health Services resuming some scheduled, non-urgent surgeries Dental and other regulated health-care workers allowed to resume services, as long as they are following approved guidelines set by their professional colleges 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alberta Parks' online campground reservation system will open on May 14 for bookings at select campground starting June 1 onward



Alberta's Relaunch Strategy: Conditions for Relaunch

- Enhancing COVID-19 testing capacity
- Robust and comprehensive contact tracing, aided by technology, to quickly identify and notify people who are at risk
- Support for those who test positive to enable isolation and containment of spread
- Stronger international border controls and airport screening
- Public use of masks in specified crowded spaces, or mass transit
- Strong protections for the most vulnerable, including those in long-term care
- Rapid response teams to deal with future outbreaks



Alberta's Relaunch Strategy: Stage 1

- Stage 1 allows some businesses and facilities to resume full operations **as early as May 14**
- Mask use will be strongly recommended
- Progression to Stage 2 will be determined by the success of Stage 1



Alberta's Relaunch Strategy: Stage 1

Lifted Restrictions	Continuing Restrictions	Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some retail businesses • All farmers' market vendors • Some personal services • More scheduled surgeries and dental procedures • Cafes, restaurants, pubs and bars can reopen for public seating at 50% capacity – need to be served at the table • Museums and art galleries • Some additional outdoor recreation. • Daycares and out-of-school care, with occupancy limits • Summer camps, with occupancy limits • Post-secondary institutions will continue course delivery, but method will depend on the restrictions in place at each phase 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gatherings of more than 15 people will not permitted. • Gatherings of 15 people or fewer must follow physical distancing and other public health guidelines. • Public attendance at businesses, facilities and events that have close physical contact will not be permitted, including: arts and culture festivals, major sporting events and concerts. • Movie theatres, pools, recreation centres, arenas, spas, nightclubs and gyms will remain closed. • Visiting patients in health care facilities will remain limited. • In-school classes for kindergarten to Grade 12 students will remain prohibited 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-essential travel, especially outside the province, will continue to not be recommended. • Remote working is advised where possible

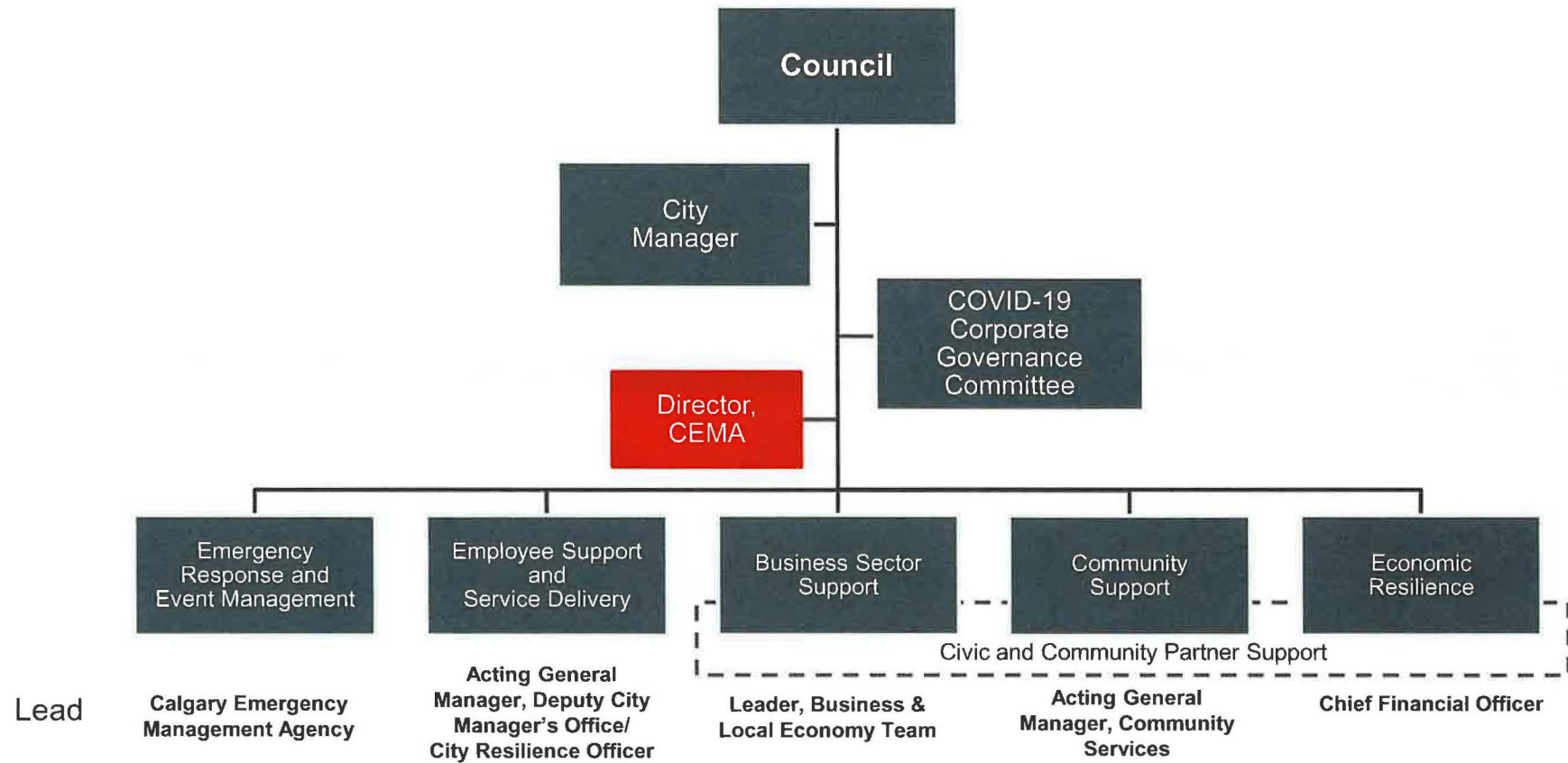


City of Calgary COVID-19 Governance Objectives

1. Be responsible partners to help “flatten the curve” and protect human safety
2. Support our employees
3. Maintain appropriate City of Calgary services to our community
4. Prepare for the resilience of our organization and our community



COVID-19 City of Calgary Governance



Draft: City of Calgary Recovery Road Map



COVID- 19 Triggers				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presence of COVID-19 virus in Calgary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curve remains flattened • GoA timing orders 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curve remains flattened • GoA timing orders • Vaccine and/or establish new physical/health • Monitor/respond to behavioural norms through service adjustments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curve remains flattened • Vaccine and/or behavioural program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curve remains flattened • Vaccine and/or behavioural program

IMPORTANT: The recovery is not likely to be linear and predictable. Activities are likely to happen simultaneously, and we may need to move back to previous phases, if necessary.

Relaunch - Focus on Calgarians





Considerations for Calgary's Relaunch

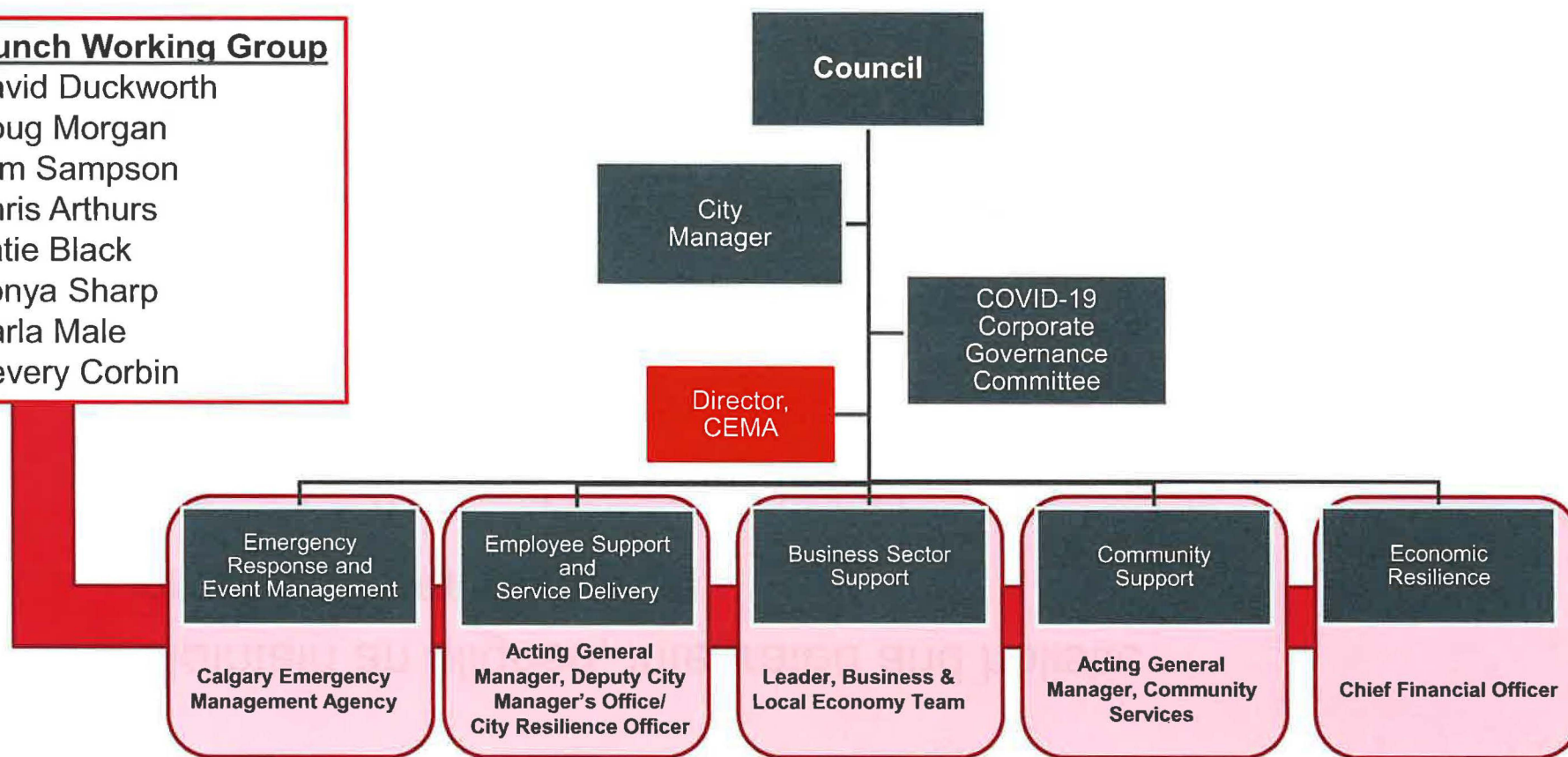
- Maintain a focus to public health and safety to keep “the curve flat”
- Calgary needs to continue to work together
- Respect jurisdictional boundaries
- Create aligned, frequent, trustworthy messages
- Be mindful and opportunistic as we ‘reimagine’ a future Calgary (post-COVID)



COVID-19 City of Calgary Governance

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Key Principles for Working Group

- Maintain an aligned, integrated and holistic organizational response
- Adjust tactics and respond quickly to changing environment
- Integrate ongoing work of task forces
- Involve businesses in charting our course
- Be mindful and opportunistic as we head to a post COVID-19 future Calgary



Key to Success

- Frequent discussions with Provincial government and Alberta Health Services
- Leverage networks to gather & share information / best practices
- Engage with Calgary businesses
- Explore relief packages for business and community groups
- Strong public communications

Work Underway

Calgary Emergency Management Agency

- Guidance for customers & public behaviour
- Maintain critical services

Business Sector Support Task Force

- Opening guidance for businesses in Stage 1
- Guidance to business not included in Stage 1

Economic Resilience Task Force

- Support Calgary business through relief packages

Community Support Task Force

- Continued support for vulnerable Calgarians
- Community Association continuity planning

Employee Support and Service Delivery Task Force

- Support staff through relaunch stage
- City service/facilities reopening plans

Decision Making and Alignment during Relaunch





Sharing Information

Calgary.ca/COVID19

**Support Hotlines
403-268-5311
and 311**

**Business Sector
Support Task Force**

CEMA Town Halls

Media Availabilities



Recommendations

That Council receives this verbal report for corporate record.