

## **Proposed Impact Resistant Roofing Rebate**

**Description:** The Impact Resistant Roofing Rebate is a City of Calgary mitigation program that will provide homeowners with a \$2000 fixed rebate for roof replacement costs when installing impact resistant materials.

For the average Calgary home, the increase in cost to replace a roof with an impact resistant material (eg. Class IV asphalt shingle) over a more conventional product is approximately \$6,000 or \$4 per square foot.

### **Goals:**

1. Encourage the installation of impact resistant roofing materials and practices to limit the damaging consequences of severe weather such as hail.
2. Create a sample group of more resilient properties to access a pilot program for reduced insurance premiums.
3. Educate industry and homeowners about the value of impact resistant materials and roofing best practices.
4. Grow demand for higher standards of materials and practices to drive down costs.

### **Measures of Success:**

1. Use: Fully allocated rebate funding within 12 months of program start date.
2. Distribution: Awarded to at least 50 homes in each quadrant of the City.
3. Contractors: Five or more certified roofing contractors installing impact resistant roofing, in compliance with the **Resilient Roofing Installation Checklist**.

Further details, such as beneficiaries and eligibility criteria, to be determined in 2021 April.