



City of  
**Kelowna**

# Snow and Ice Control – Policy Update

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**Policy guidance for Snow & Ice Control in Kelowna comes from two primary sources.**

- Bylaw 8120 / Traffic Bylaw
- Council Policy 332 / Snow and Ice Control

# Council Policy 8120

## What is Bylaw 8120?

- ▶ Bylaw 8120 currently contains the list of sidewalks that are exempt from snow and ice control
  - ▶ Exemption based on grade, access, location, etc.

## Challenges

- ▶ With development happening there are a lot of ongoing changes required to keep this list up to date
- ▶ Currently Council approval required for each change

## Recommendations

- ▶ Removing section from Bylaw 8120 to an admin Policy to allow for bi-annual updates of exempt inventory



# Council Policy 332

## What is Bylaw 332?

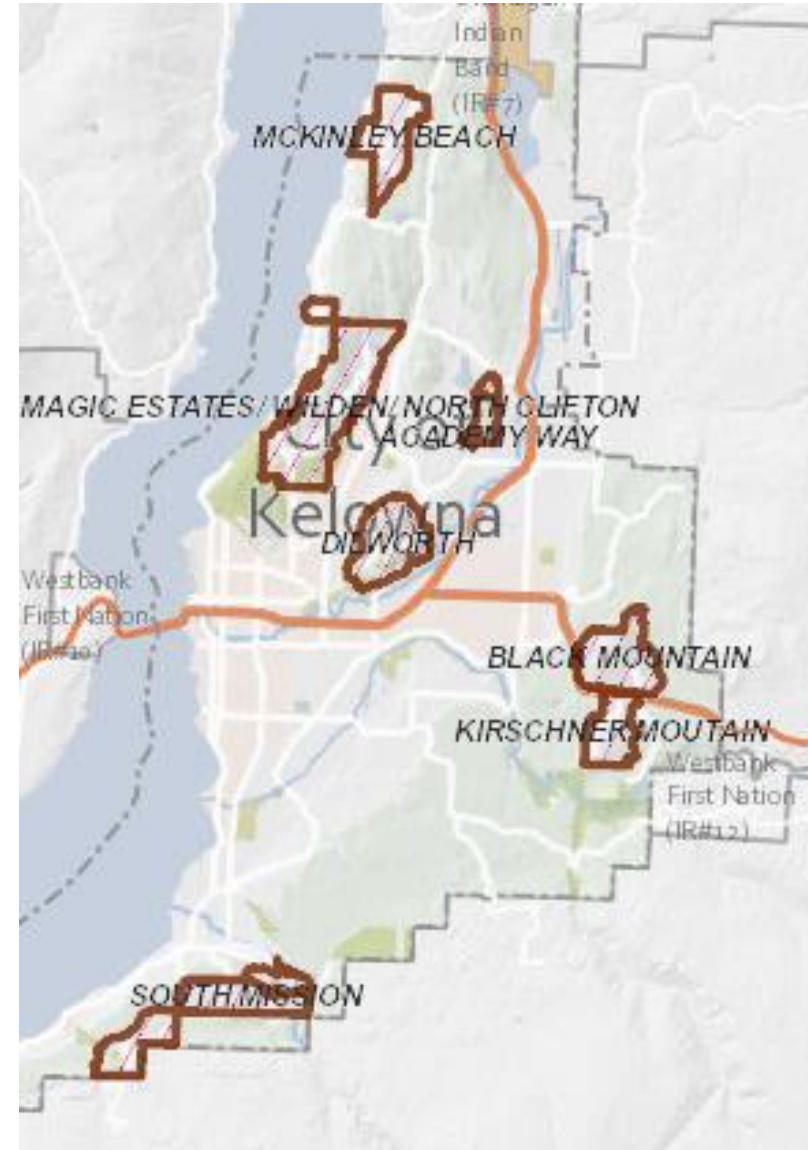
- ▶ Bylaw that governs service levels for winter maintenance across diverse pieces of city owned infrastructure

## Why its important?

- ▶ Snow routes are integral part of our snow response during sustained events
- ▶ Snow routes are subject to parking bans

## Recommendations

- ▶ Including snow routes to council Policy 332 to maintain touchpoints with council
- ▶ Expansion of snow routes by adding the Quail ridge neighborhood to the snow policy
- ▶ New complement consists of 7 snow routes



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Snow Route Areas



*Questions?*

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