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City Receives Funding from Pehonan Parkway Board

\$179,000 will be allocated towards five initiatives.

The City of Prince Albert is pleased to announce the funding support it will be receiving from the Pehonan Parkway Board. This funding will assist with various projects within the Pehonan Parkway. The projects approved will include:

1. \$60,000.00 towards the recapping/reconstruction of the walking paths near the Cosmo Lodge area.
2. \$12,000.00 towards the construction of six additional picnic sites in the Little Red River Park.
3. \$7,000.00 towards the purchase of flower planters to be located near the Cosmo Lodge.
4. \$50,000.00 towards the completion of the Riverbank landscaping requirements near the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
5. \$50,000.00 to the Riverbank Stabilization project, in the West Flat area along the North Sask. River.

According to Mayor Jim Scarrow, “The timing of the funding support by the Pehonan Board is great. The Pehonan Parkway is one of the jewels in the Prince Albert area and it is important that we properly maintain it and look after this wonderful natural resource that is at our doorstep”.

The Pehonan Parkway encompasses over 1400 hectares along the North Saskatchewan River and also includes the Little Red River Park. The Pehonan Parkway Board’s main objective is the protection, conservation and enhancement of the Pehonan Parkway. The funding of these projects will go a long way to achieving these goals.

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