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Street Sweeping Underway

The annual Street Sweeping Program is underway and City crews will be working in your neighbourhood over the next four to six weeks.

“The Street Sweeping Program has two components: road and sidewalk **sweeping**; and road and sidewalk **flushing**,” said Chris Ovens, A/Manager of Public Works. “The street sweeping equipment will make two to three passes on roadways in order to remove debris. Then, flushing equipment will make a final pass, removing fine dust and particles.”

Residents are encouraged to remove vehicles from roadways when sweeping crews are in your neighbourhood to allow equipment to clean the entire roadway. Look for signage notifying residents.

Work will begin in the low level areas and move into higher elevations.

City crews will be on shift seven days per week until the job is done.