## **\$237M IN PROPOSED CAPITAL PROJECTS TO 2025**

\$90M ESTIMATED MGA DEBT LIMIT \$80M \$70M \$60M \$50M \$40M \$30M TOTAL DEBT \$20M \$10M

**PLAN** 2016-2025

The Town of Cochrane Strategic Plan guides the organization's day-to-day operations and sets out a plan for the future, including infrastucture replacements and new facilities.

## WHAT IS CONSIDERED WHEN MAKING LONG-TERM PLANS?

Many factors are considered during long-term planning:

- · Growth projections
- Inflation
- · Financial, social and environmental sustainability
- · Regional influences

Timing of projects is a factor of:

- Council priorities
- · Growth projections
- Grant funding opportunities

## **HOW ARE LONG-TERM PLANS FUNDED?**

Long-term plans are funded from grants and donations, offsite levies, Town reserves and property taxes. New debt will also be required over the next 10 years to fund the Town's longterm plans. At the end of 2025, the Town is estimated to be at 61% of the Council approved debt limit; the median MGA debt limit of comparable municipalities is 33%. Future debt levels could be reduced through lower project costs, higher capital revenues or deferring projects.

## TIMELINE: 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 \$48M

NEW AQUATIC AND CURLING/MULTI-SPORT CENTRE

> **\$3M** PROJECTS

\$10.8M POLICE STATION

\$4.9M OPEN SPACE MASTER PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

> \$30.7M WASTEWATER CAPACITY UPGRADE

\$48M BOW RIVER BRIDGE

AND ARTERIAL ROAD CONNECTIONS\*

**\$9M** TRANSIT

\$7.7M RAILWAY PEDESTRIAN CROSSING TO JOIN HISTORIC DOWNTOWN TO NEW DOWNTOWN, IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN CRL BOUNDARY\*

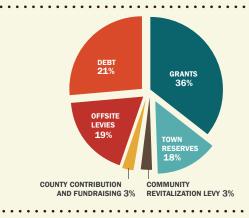
> \$1.6M HORSE CREEK CROSSING PROJECT\*

THESE PROJECTS AND THE ONGOING ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS BELOW ARE PART OF CONNECTING COCHRANE, THE TOWN'S TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN.

CONNECTING COCHRANE VISIT

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT COCHRANE.CA/TRANSPORTATION







3% INTEREST RATE FOR BORROWING

FOR AOUATIC/CURLING CENTRE (7 YEARS OF MSI GRANTS)









**S94M** 

TOTAL CONNECTING COCHRANE PROJECTS TO IMPROVE FUTURE TRANSPORTATION NETWORKS FOR PEDESTRIANS, CYCLING, VEHICLES AND TRANSIT.



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Council deliberations: 9am-4:30pm, Fri Nov 25 & Sat Nov 26 (if req'd) Public welcome

