

Jarvis Bay Provincial Park Campground Redevelopment

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Where is Jarvis Bay Provincial Park?

Jarvis Bay Provincial Park is located on the southeast shore of Sylvan Lake near the Town of Sylvan Lake.

2. What is the project?

Alberta Parks is modernizing and expanded the campground at Jarvis Bay Provincial Park to better meet the demand for camping opportunities in central Alberta.

3. What are the project details?

Campground redevelopment will occur using a phased approach:

- Upgrades to water, sewer and power infrastructure will be completed in 2017. The campground check-in booth and existing camp sites in the south loops will also be modernized and expanded in 2017.
- A complete overhaul of the north camping loop and group sites is proposed for fall 2018. This includes adding new toilet and shower house amenities, as well as three barrier-free campsites adjacent to new washroom and shower facilities. The north loop will also add seven new campsites, increasing camping capacity in this loop from 29 to 36 sites.

4. How will construction impact visitors to the park?

Jarvis Bay Provincial Park will be closed to the public starting September 5, 2017 to allow the first phase of construction to begin. The campground will re-open for the 2018 camping season, though a firm date will not be determined until late winter 2017/spring 2018. Subsequent phases will commence after the Labour Day weekend in 2018 and 2019 and will re-open each summer for camping.

5. How can I provide input into the future campground expansion proposal?

Public consultation will occur in 2018 for the park expansion phases once existing facilities have been refurbished. Please subscribe to <u>ParkNews</u> to be notified of these future opportunities.

6. When is construction completed?

Depending on weather conditions, the first phase of construction is expected to be complete in spring 2018. The entire project will be completed 2019-2020.

7. How will I find out about the next steps of the project?

Notification of the initiation of future phases of the project will be posted at <u>www.albertaparks.ca/consult</u> and sent out to subscribers via ParkNews.

8. Who should I contact for more information?

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