

ACTIVITY 5.4: FIELD TRIP – COMMUNITY WALK

Bring a pen or pencil with you on your community walk to record things you see that are related to services provided by your municipality.

Municipal Government Responsibilities:

animal control
business licensing
community and social services
cultural services/programs
drainage
economic development
fire protection

flood control
heritage preservation
libraries
local utilities
parking lots and structures
parks and recreation
policing

public health and inspections
public housing
public transit
solid waste management
water and sewers
zoning and building permits

Write down or draw a sketch of anything you see in the community that might relate to one of the above responsibilities (e.g. – dog park or “off-leash area”, bus stop, local playground or community centre, building construction).