13.0 Involvement of Other Public Interests

As previously presented in Section 8.1, the City of Spruce Grove invited a number of key stakeholders to two stakeholder information sessions held in June 2017 to present the Growth Study and potential expansion by way of annexation. Public interests among the key stakeholders included Alberta Health Services, Alberta Transportation, four service commissions, three school boards, and four utility providers. See Table 5 in **Appendix M** for a listing of the commissions, school boards, and utility providers among other key stakeholders that were invited. See Section 8.2.4 for a summary of the themes of feedback received from key stakeholders at the June 2017 sessions, as supplemented by more detail in Section 4.0 of **Appendix M**.

Also as previously presented in Section 8.1, the City met with representatives of Alberta Transportation in February 2018. Highlights of the discussion are presented in Section 4.1 of **Appendix M**.

Following execution of the Annexation Agreement, the City invited authorities and other key stakeholders deemed most affected by the proposed annexation to the open house events facilitated in June 2019. Representatives of Alberta Transportation and the West Parkland Gas Co-op participated in the open house events. See Section 8.3.4 for a summary of the feedback received from the two parties, as supplemented by more detail in Section 5.0 of **Appendix M**.

By way of its Notice of Intent to Annex (see **Appendix H**), the City notified Parkland County, the Town of Stony Plain, and the following eight other affected local authorities of its proposed annexation:

- Capital Region Parkland Water Services Commission;
- Alberta Capital Region Wastewater Commission;
- Capital Region Assessment Services Commission;
- West Inter Lake District Regional Water Services Commission;
- Parkland School Division No. 70;
- Evergreen Catholic Separate Regional Division No. 2;
- Regional Authority of the North Central Francophone Education Region No. 4; and
- Alberta Health Services Edmonton Zone.

The City also provide the same Notice to the following other affected parties:

- Alberta Transportation (North Central) Stony Plain District;
- EPCOR;
- West Parkland Gas Co-op;
- ATCO Gas North;
- Fortis Alberta Inc.;
- Telus;
- Shaw Communications;
- · ATCO Pipelines; and
- Kinder Morgan Pipelines

The City did not receive any responses from any of the notified local authorities and other affected parties as a result of the Notice.