## 2nd Session, 13th Legislature, Alberta 4 Elizabeth II, 1956

# BILL 76

A Bill to Permit the City of Calgary to Make Certain Uses of Mewata Park

Hon. Mr. Hooke

### **Explanatory Note**

General: Mewata Park in the city of Calgary was granted to the city of Calgary in 1885 by the Government of Canada

"to have and to hold the same unto the said corporation, its successors and assigns, forever, upon the trust and subject to the condition that the same shall be used for the purposes of a public park and for no other purpose or purposes whatsoever".

The navigable waters, mines and minerals, fishery and fishing, the right of landing and mooring boats were all reserved to the Crown. The city of Calgary desires to make other use of Mewata Park as specified in this Bill, and requires legislation permitting such other uses. Legislative authority for other uses of the park was obtained in 1929 by chapter 68 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1929 (section 6 thereof) and in 1939 by chapter 101 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1939 (section 2).

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(Assented to

, 1956)

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

- 1. This Act may be cited as "The Mewata Park Enabling Act".
- 2. The council of the city of Calgary may by by-law authorize the use of such portions of the whole of Block "A", according to a plan of part of the city of Calgary in the Province of Alberta of record in the land titles office for the South Alberta Land Registration District as Plan A1 Calgary, and known as Mewata Park, as the council deems advisable for any or all of the following purposes:
  - (a) the erection of a main public library;
  - (b) a civic centre together with buildings or structures in connection therewith;
  - (c) a roadway connection between the Mewata Bridge and Sixth Avenue West;
  - (d) parking space in connection with the existing sports area and any buildings erected pursuant to the authority given by this Act.
- 3. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to .

## SECOND SESSION

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Received and read the

First time

Second time

Third time.....

HON. MR. HOOKE