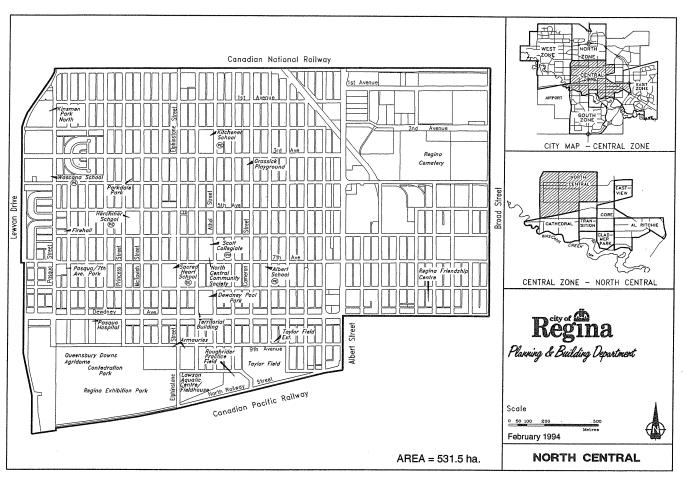
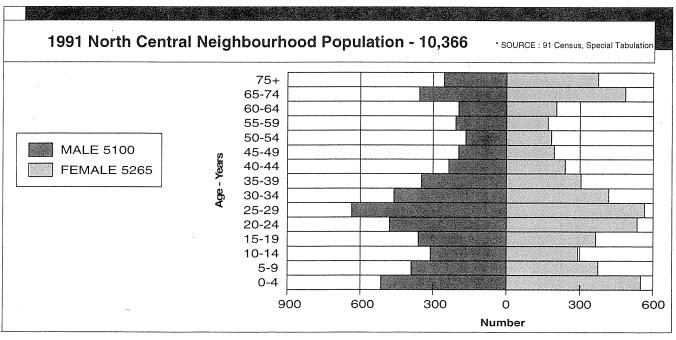
# Neighbourhood Profile NORTH CENTRAL





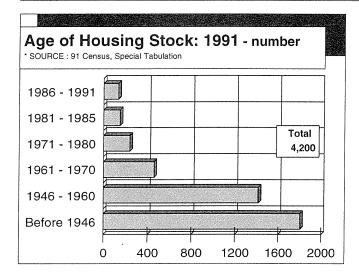
### **North Central Neighbourhood Notes**

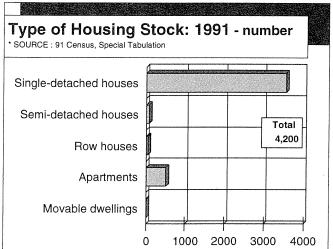
The North Central Neighbourhood or the "North Side" began to develop as a working class residential area with the establishment of the Warehouse District to the east. With over 1,000 men employed in warehouses and the CPR yards by 1908, North Central provided much of the local housing. The Albert School, constructed in 1905, also became an important focal point for attracting many families. The T. Eaton Company and the Robert Simpson Company also built large mail order warehouses during the First World War.

Housing is predominately pre-1946 in age. It is modest and single-detached in nature. A significant amount of infill development also occurred between 1946 and 1960. Home ownership, at over 58%, is average for the Inner City. Similarly, household incomes are near average.

The current number of vacant residential lots in parts of the neighbourhood is high. The Inner City Housing Stimulation Strategy (ICHSS), which promotes residential infill development, should assist in correcting this. Under the ICHSS, new housing on vacant residential lots are eligible for a 5 year tax exemption. Regina Habitat for Humanity [associated with ICHSS] built their first house in North Central in August 1993. More family-owned housing is planned for the 1990s.

North Central, with a population of 10,366 in 1991, is the largest neighbourhood in the Inner City. The population has been stable for the past 5 years. Between 1981-86 it increased by over 2,700 persons or 33%. The largest age group is between 25-29 years which may indicate the re-establishment of younger family households. The under 15 age group is below the City average, however, the number of children between 0-4 is the second largest age group in the neighbourhood.

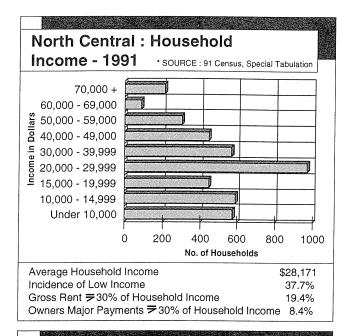




#### **Notable Developments Since 1980**

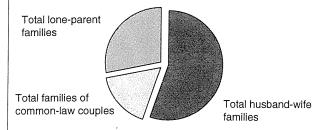
North West Territorial Building restoration Albert Scott Community Centre - Athol Street Commercial Developments (Toys R Us, Red Lobster, etc.) - Albert St. Field House - Elphinstone Street Performing Arts Theatre - 600 Block Angus Street Planned Group of Dwellings - 1300 Block Rae Street

The Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program (RRAP): invested about \$4.76 million on 942 housing units in the North Central neighbourhood to improve existing housing stock during 1979-93. This neighbourhood received the highest level of support under the RRAP program.



## North Central : Total Number of Census Families in Private Households

| Nort  | North Central |       |       | City  |  |
|---|---------------|-------|-------|-------|--|
|   | No.           | %     | No.   | %     |  |
| Total number of census families in private households | 2675          | 100.0 | 46890 | 100.0 |  |
| Total husband-wife families                           | 1480          | 55.3  | 36000 | 76.8  |  |
| Total families of common-law couples                  | 445           | 16.6  | 3885  | 8.3   |  |
| Total lone-parent families                            | 750           | 28.0  | 7000  | 14.9  |  |



#### Regina: Household Income - 1991 \* SOURCE: 91 Census, Special Tabulation 70,000 +60,000 - 69,000 50,000 - 59,000 40,000 - 49,000 30,000 - 39,999 20,000 - 29,999 15,000 - 19,999 10,000 - 14,999 Under 10,000 3000 6000 9000 12000 No. of Households

Average Household Income \$45,671
Incidence of Low Income 16.4%
Gross Rent ₹30% of Household Income 6.9%
Owners Major Payments ₹30% of Household Income 7.5%

#### North Central: Parks & Facilities

\* SOURCE : C.S.P. & R., 1994

#### **PARKS**

Grassick Playground Confederation Park Kinsmen North Park Parkdale Park Pasqua & 7th Avenue Park Taylor Field Extension

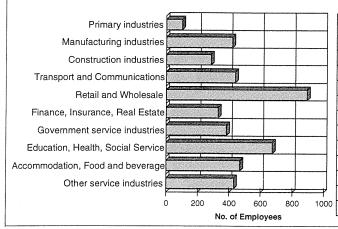
#### **FACILITIES**

Albert/Scott Community Centre
Sportplex (Lawson Aquatic Centre/Fieldhouse)
Taylor Field
Dewdney Pool
Regina Cemetery (Walking Tour)

Roughrider Practice Field Spray Pad - Kinsmen North Park

## North Central: Occupation of Labour Force - 1991

\* SOURCE: 91 Census, Special Tabulation



|                                   | NORTH CENTRAL |       | CITY  |       |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                   | No.           | %     | No.   | %     |
| Primary industries                | 100           | 2.2   | 2340  | 2.4   |
| Manufacturing industries          | 420           | 9.5   | 6385  | 6.6   |
| Construction industries           | 285           | 6.4   | 5370  | 5.5   |
| Transport and Communications      | 440           | 9.9   | 10005 | 10.3  |
| Retail and Wholesale              | 895           | 20.2  | 17665 | 18.2  |
| Finance, Insurance, Real Estate   | 330           | 7.4   | 12560 | 13.0  |
| Government service industries     | 385           | 8.7   | 10880 | 11.2  |
| Education, Health, Social Service | 675           | 15.2  | 17085 | 17.6  |
| Accommodation, Food and beverage  | 470           | 10.6  | 6860  | 7.1   |
| Other service industries          | 430           | 9.7   | 7720  | 8.0   |
| All industries                    | 4435          | 100.0 | 96870 | 100.0 |

# North Central Neighbourhood - Population Information · SOURCE: 91 Census, Special Tabulation

|   | NORTH CENTRAL |       | CITY    |       |
|---|---------------|-------|---------|-------|
|   | No.           | %     | No.     | %     |
| Total Population, 1991                                | 10,366        | 100.0 | 179,178 | 100.0 |
| - single (never married) 15 years +                   | 3,150         | 30.4  | 43,545  | 24.3  |
| - legally married (and not separated)                 | 3,070         | 29.6  | 73,680  | 41.2  |
| - widowed   | 650           | 6.3   | 8,805   | 4.9   |
| - divorced  | 690           | 6.6   | 8,350   | 4.7   |
| - under 15 years                                      | 2,430         | 23.4  | 40,790  | 22.8  |
| Total number of census families in private households | 2,675         | 100.0 | 46,890  | 100.0 |
| - average number of persons per household             | 2.4           | •     | 2.6     | -     |
| - total husband-wife families                         | 1,480         | 55.3  | 36,000  | 76.8  |
| - total families of common-law couples                | 445           | 16.6  | 3,885   | 8.3   |
| - total lone-parent families                          | 750           | 28.0  | 7,000   | 14.9  |
| Total number of persons 65 years and over             | 1,410         | 100.0 | 17,970  | 100.0 |
| - living with relatives                               | 95            | 6.7   | 995     | 5.5   |
| - living alone  | 450           | 31.9  | 5,995   | 33.4  |

## North Central Neighbourhood - Housing Information · SOURCE: 91 Census, Special Tabulation

|  | NORTH CENTRAL |       | CITY   |       |
|--|---------------|-------|--------|-------|
|  | No.           | %     | No.    | %     |
| Total number of occupied private dwellings   | 4,200         | 100.0 | 67,600 | 100.0 |
| - owned                                      | 2,450         | 58.3  | 43,835 | 64.8  |
| - rented                                     | 1,745         | 41.5  | 23,765 | 35.1  |
| - single-detached house                      | 3,565         | 84.9  | 46,570 | 68.9  |
| - semi-detached house                        | 80            | 1.9   | 1,585  | 2.3   |
| - row house                                  | 40            | 1.0   | 2,875  | 4.2   |
| - apartment, detached duplex                 | 120           | 2.8   | 980    | 1.4   |
| - apartment building, five or more storeys   | 25            | 0.6   | 3,635  | 5.4   |
| - apartment building, less than five storeys | 360           | 8.6   | 11,740 | 17.4  |
| - movable dwelling                           | 0             | 0     | 155    | 0.2   |

## North Central Neighbourhood - Community Information

| Schools               | NAME                              | ADDRESS              | PHONE    |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|----------|
| Elementary - Public   | Albert                            | 1340 Robinson Street | 791-8539 |
| Elementary - Public   | Herchmer                          | 1132 McTavish Street | 791-8448 |
| Elementary - Public   | Kitchener                         | 840 Athol Street     | 791-8516 |
| Elementary - Catholic | Sacred Heart                      | 1314 Elphinstone     | 791-7290 |
| High School - Public  | Scott Collegiate                  | 3350 - 7th Avenue    | 791-8415 |
| Elementary - Public   | Wascana                           | 4210 - 4th Avenue    | 791-8528 |
|                       |                                   | ,                    |          |
| Community Centre      | Albert Scott Community Centre     | 1264 Athol Street    | 777-7033 |
| Community Association | North Central Community Society   | 1264 Athol Street    | 777-7033 |
| Seniors               | Senior Power                      | NA NA                | 757-4664 |
|                       |                                   |                      |          |
| Other                 | Regina Friendship Centre          | 1440 Scarth Street   | 525-5459 |
|                       | Regina Indian Community Awareness | 1264 Athol Street    | 359-7919 |
|                       |                                   |                      |          |

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