

## **Carburn Park** –revised Sep 2012

Carburn Park is reached by turning south from Glenmore Trail onto 18 St SE, right onto Riverglen Drive and then left onto Riverwood Road. There are several pathways to follow. Check the map at the building on the north side of the parking lot. To get to the river from the parking lot walk along the paved trail around the north side of the lagoon. This spot is opposite the former Cominco Natural Area which was a privately owned property containing run-off channels from a fertilizer plant that introduce enriched warm water to the river. However this is now the shopping complex Deerfoot Meadows and so there is no longer warm water coming into the Bow River.

[Park maps](#) may be found on The City of Calgary website.

Follow the riverbank southward from the Cominco area. The river curves to the left after about 300 m to a stretch where it runs almost due east between tall trees on both banks. From the eastern end of this stretch a short walk through the woods will bring you back to the parking lot.

To access the western bank, walk south from the parking lot along the paved trail and cross the river on the Eric Harvie footbridge. The paved trail can be followed for about 0.5 km south as far as the cement plant. The footpath on the western side of the river north from the footbridge should also be followed along the edge of a shallow river overflow channel. Road access to this stretch of the western riverbank is possible from the eastern end of Southland Drive, at the lowest (east) end of the ramp onto northbound Deerfoot Trail.