

Downtown Redevelopment Meetings

From April 25-28, 2006 Mayor Dave Bronconnier, Alderman Druh Farrell and members of The City of Calgary's downtown planning team will be traveling to London, England to meet with representatives of the world-renowned architecture, planning and design firm, Foster and Partners. Foster and Partners was retained by a private sector company to design a major building in Calgary's downtown for the creation of its new corporate headquarters complex.

A series of meetings will span over three days and will include discussions on how this new development may fit into the overall re-development of the downtown and the emergence of opportunities for cooperation and collaboration in City initiatives. The visit will also include tours of other sites designed by Foster and Partners including: Swiss Re Headquarters, the Greater London Authority, the Millennium Bridge and the Great Court within the British Museum