



# Calgary

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Calgary was officially incorporated as the Town of Calgary in 1884 and became a city in 1894. It was originally named Fort Brisebois but was later renamed Fort Calgary in 1876 at the suggestion of Colonel James MacLeod. It was named after Calgary Bay on the Isle of Mull in Scotland.

Calgary was founded by the NWMP in September 1875 and a fort was built at the confluence of the Bow and Elbow rivers. From there, it grew to become Alberta's largest city and headquarters to Alberta's oil and gas industry.

The roots of the Calgary Stampede can be traced as far back as 1886 but Guy Weadick organized his **first** rodeo and festival in 1912.