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Restoration of Highland Creek within Valley Segment 4A (From West of Markham Rd to East of Centennial College)

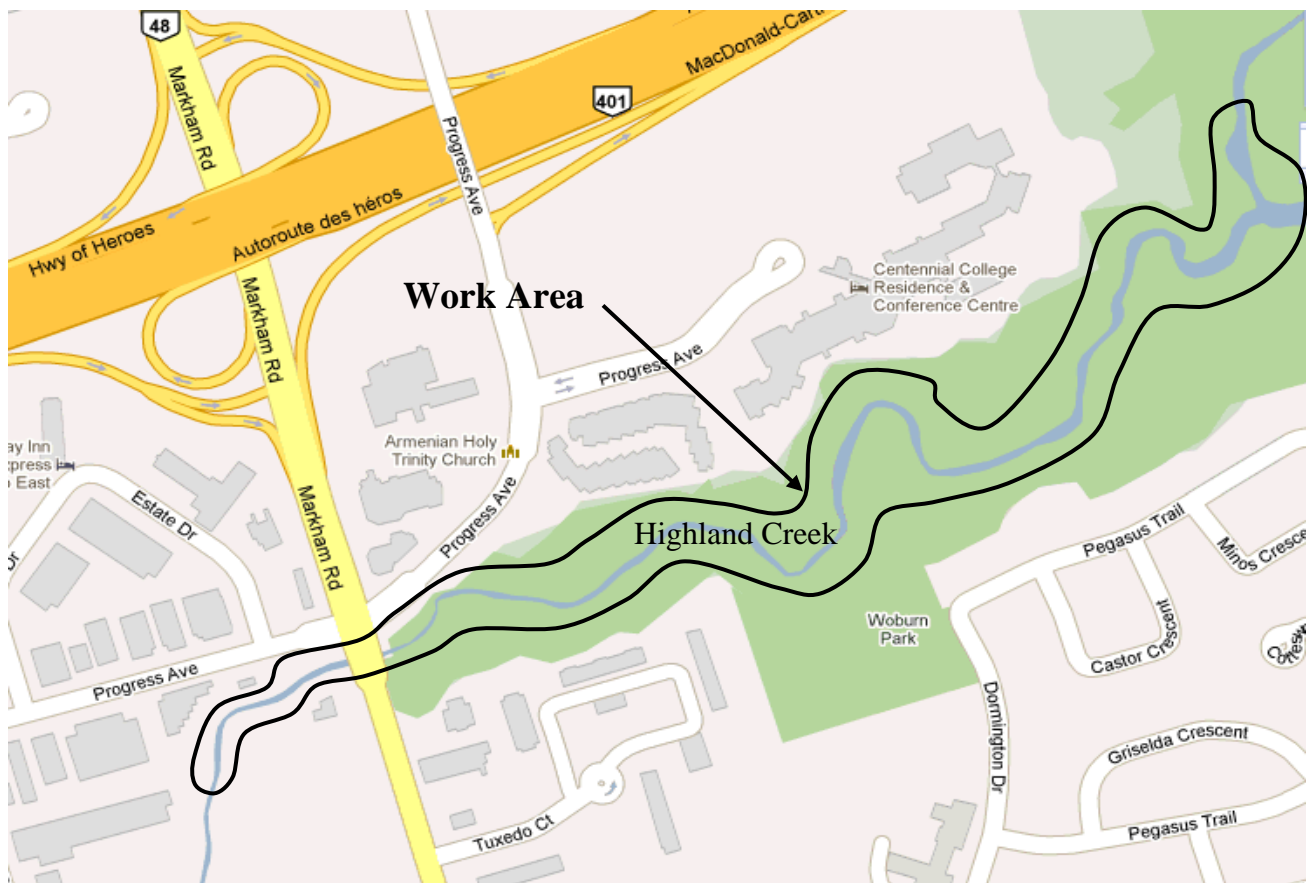
Expected Project Start Date: April 11, 2011
Expected Completion Date: December 31, 2013

The City of Toronto will be undertaking restoration of Markham Branch of Highland Creek in order to **protect exposed Sanitary Trunk Sewer** and Maintenance Holes crossing the creek at several locations. This project is part of the Toronto City Council-approved 2011 Capital Works Program.

This work will take place from Markham Road and Progress Avenue to East of Centennial College. A map showing the work area is included below.

The City appreciates your patience and understanding during the construction period.

Map of Work Area



Construction Details

The restoration works will be performed in stages over three years as the length of the restoration is approximately 2.5km and consist of ...

1. Relocation of watermain East of Markham Rd.
2. Restoration of creek bed (riffle and pool structure with field stones)
3. Restoration of creek bank (Armour stone walls with brush layering)



Example of construction of creek restoration

4. Planting – some trees will be removed and replaced as part of the channel and flood plain reconstruction. This work was identified in the original 2007 approved environmental assessment study completed in consultation with the City's Urban Forestry, Toronto Region Conservation Authority, Department of Fisheries and Oceans and Ministry of Natural Resources.

Restoration Units 3 and 4 are presently under construction

You will be notified if there are any significant changes to the construction schedule or work to be undertaken.

Work Hours

Work will typically take place from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. from Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.

Disruptions

As with all construction projects, there will be noise and temporary inconveniences. Local traffic and pedestrian access will not be affected. The contractor will further notify you of any temporary disruptions. Every effort will be made to reduce the inconvenience.

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