

September 22, 2017

Watermain Replacement on Bedford Road From Macpherson Avenue to Bernard Avenue

Contract: 15ECS-LU-01TT

Start Date: February 2016

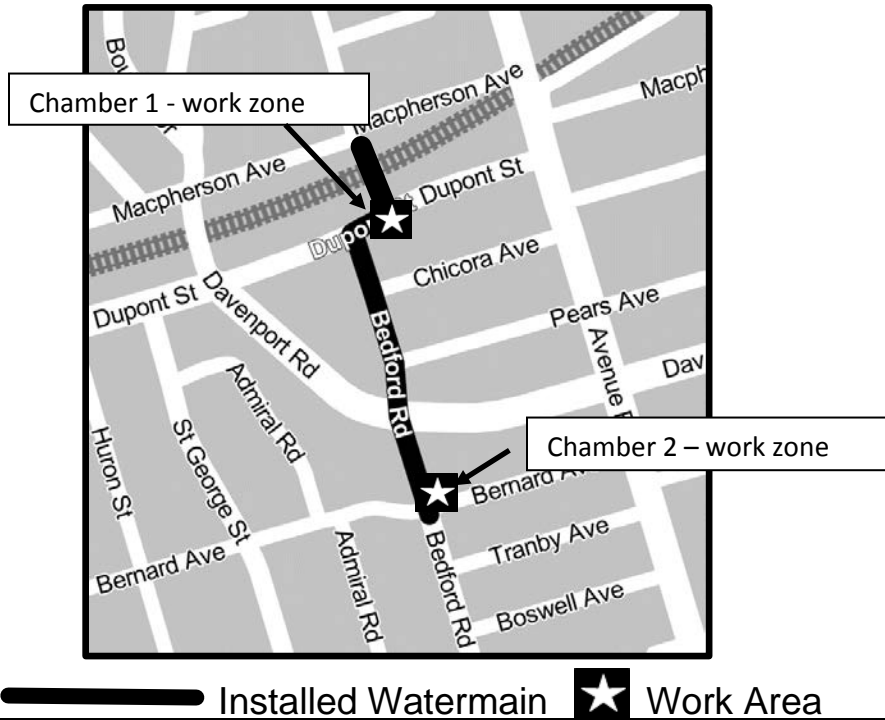
Revised Total Completion Date: November 15, 2017

**Timeline is subject to change.*

This is a further update since we sent Construction Update #4 in July, to the City's work taking place on Bedford Road. The contractor has completed the tunneling and watermain installation on Bedford Road between Bernard Avenue and Dupont Street. Construction for two chambers is currently ongoing.

Most of the construction will be completed by September 30. Pressure testing, disinfection and restoration work will be outstanding after September 30 and we anticipate all work being complete by November 15. Additional information is provided below. We appreciate your patience during this work and your understanding of the delayed end date.

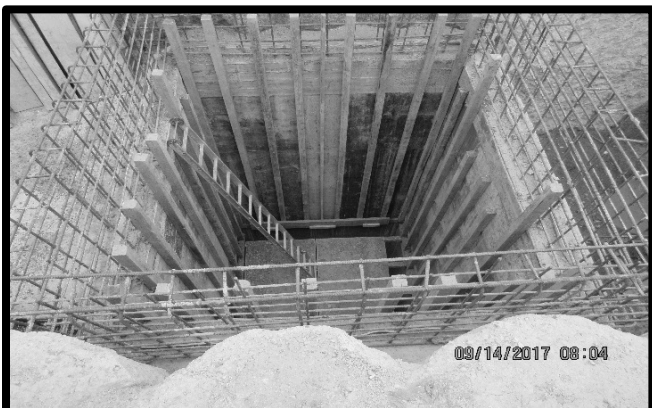
MAP OF WORK AREA



WORK DETAILS

- Crews have made good progress and construction of the two multi-level concrete access chambers will be completed by the end of September 2017.
- Construction of these chambers is taking slightly more time than the contractor anticipated, due to the limited work space after opening the Bedford Road and multi-level concrete chamber construction restricting simultaneous activities inside the chamber. Below are the recent photos of the two chambers.

Chamber-1








Chamber-2



- The final pipe piece installation to connect the new watermain to the existing watermain will require a short duration lane closure near the intersection of Bedford Road and Bernard Avenue. A small section of a local watermain will be also be reinstated during this period. This work will occur between September 27, 2017 and October 17, 2017.

Final activities to complete the project include:

- pressure test and disinfect the watermain;
- make final connections of the watermain;
- install service platforms and ladders in the chambers; and
- restore all areas affected by construction

	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with occasional work after hours.</p> <p>To ensure the work is completed as soon as possible, for the remaining weeks of construction, the contractor will work on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A short duration lane closure is required at Bernard Ave and Bedford Road for a few days between September 27 to October 17. • All lanes on Bedford Road and Dupont Street will remain open during the remaining work. • Restoration will be completed during off-peak hours (9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.) to prevent traffic disruption.
	<p>Water Service Disruptions: At this time, water service disruption is not anticipated. However, if the water supply to your property requires shut-off to complete construction; the contractor will provide at least 24-hour advance notice.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: A short duration lane closure is anticipated near Bedford Rd/Bernard Ave to connect the new watermain to an existing watermain. Pedestrians will have to use an alternate sidewalk.</p>
	<p>Restoration: All areas affected by the construction work will be restored</p>

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- You may experience dust, noise and other inconveniences. The City will make efforts to reduce the impacts. We appreciate your patience.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote

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<p>Website</p>	<p>www.toronto.ca/improvements/ward20.htm or www.toronto.ca/improvements/ward22.htm</p>

Thank you for your patience. Building a great city takes time. Better infrastructure for all of us is worth the wait.