

October 20, 2017

Watermain Replacement at the Intersection of Bathurst & Queen's Quay

Contract: 16ECS-LU-03SU

Work re-start Date: Nov 6, 2017

Expected End Date: December 15, 2017

Permanent Restoration / Paving: Spring 2018






**Timeline is subject to change.*




The City of Toronto is returning to complete the final portion of the watermain replacement that started in 2016. The portion of work in the intersection of Bathurst and Queen's Quay required re-designs due to the soil conditions and location of other utilities.

Work will start on Nov 6, using an open trench to install and connect this new section of watermain to the watermain that was installed in 2016. We appreciate your patience as we work to complete this important infrastructure upgrade.

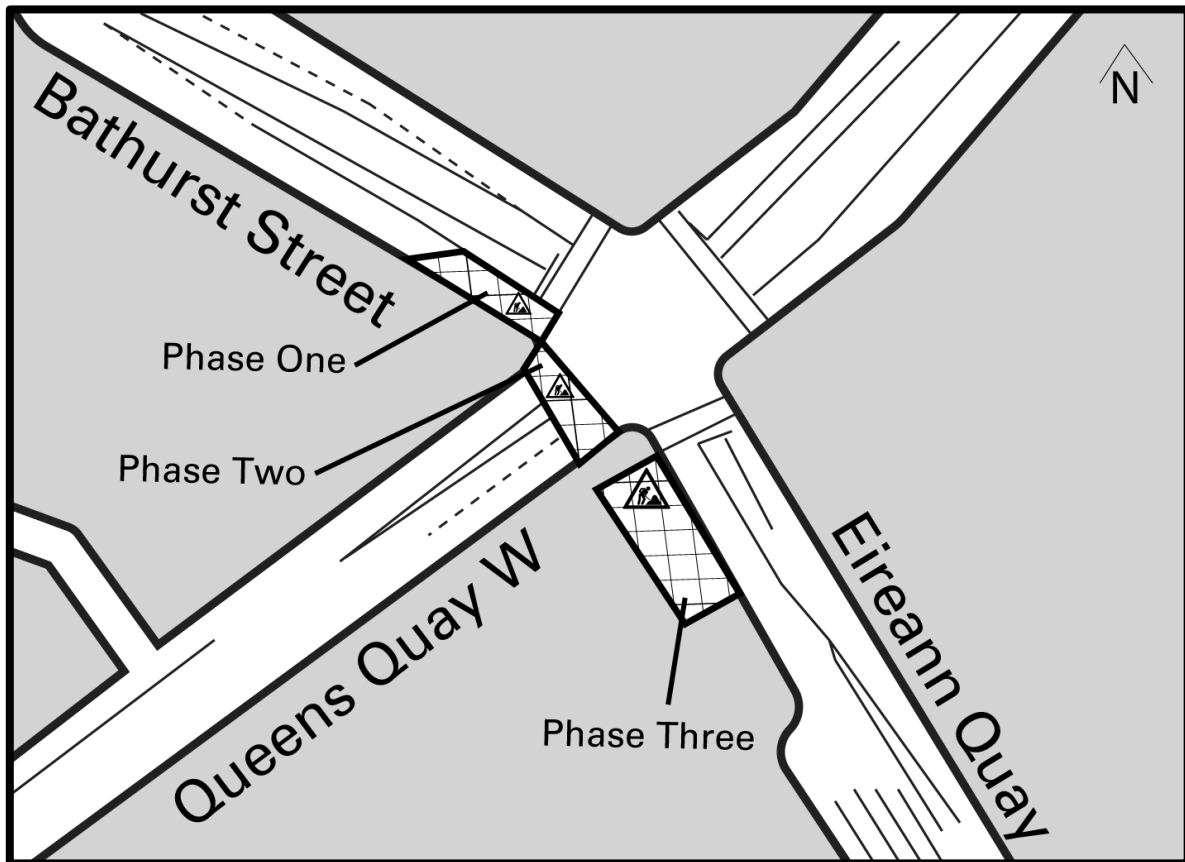
WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- You will experience dust, noise and other inconveniences. The City will make efforts to reduce impacts. Your patience is appreciated.

	Work Hours: Monday to Friday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday as required.
	Pedestrian Access: During work hours, due to the nature of the work and for safety reasons, pedestrians will not be able to use the west crosswalk of Bathurst and Queen's Quay at time. Please abide by the signs and take precautions walking over the steel plates that will cover the trench.
	Traffic Management: Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets (see page 3 for traffic management details).
	Martin Goodman Trail: will be affected during phase 2 work, cyclist are advised to abide by signage during this work and take precautions riding over the steel plates are installed to cover the trench.
	Deliveries: Businesses may want to consider adjusting delivery times as a result of the lane restrictions during this project. Please discuss your delivery concerns with the Field Ambassador.

 	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: In order to complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the construction work area. Access to businesses will be maintained.</p> <p>Driveway Access: The contractor will notify you of any temporary restrictions to your driveway access. If your property has two entrances, one entrance will be kept open at all times. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.</p> <p>Accommodation: Residents that require accommodation must contact the project manager to arrange for access during construction.</p>
	<p>Restoration: In order to restore the road / sidewalk, temperatures must be consistently above 7 degrees. As such, the City will return in Spring 2018 when asphalt and concrete plants open to complete the permanent restoration of areas affected by construction.</p>

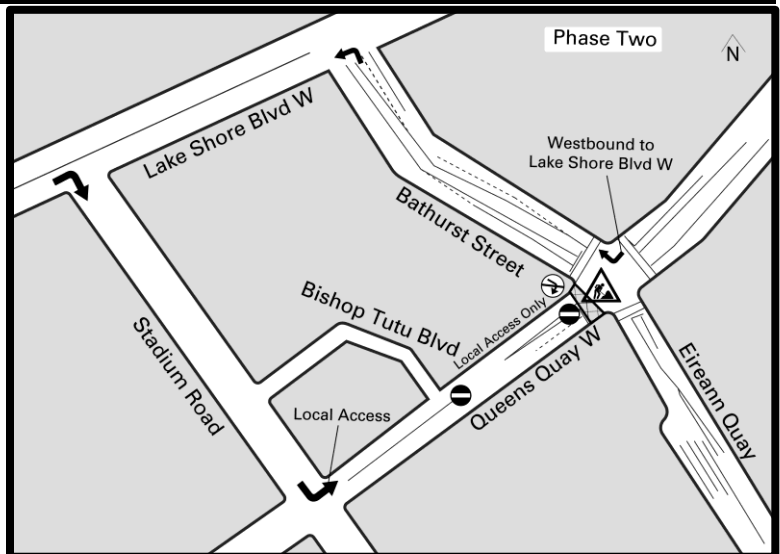
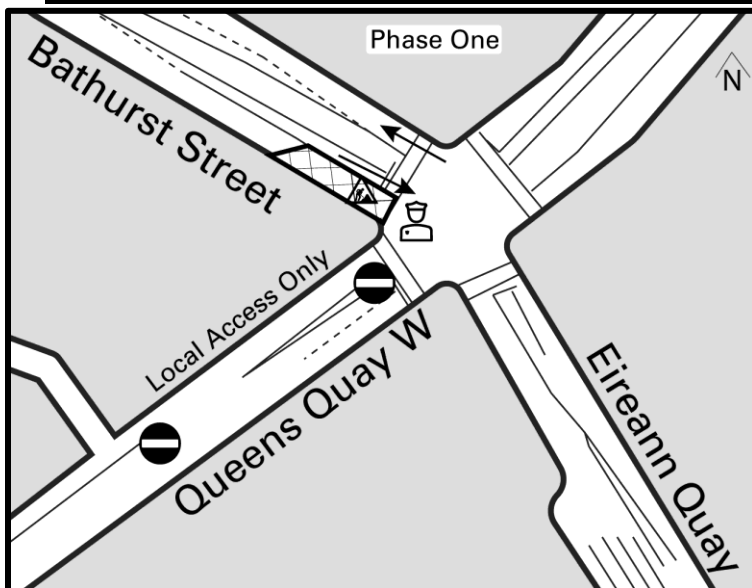
MAP OF WORK AREA



Work will be staged in four phases (timeline may change)

Phase	Dates / Location	Work	Traffic Management
1 Watermain Replacement	November 6 - 10 (North West Corner of Bathurst & Queen's Quay)	Starting where work ended in 2016, the contractor will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excavate the road and dig a trench to access and install the new watermain (on Bathurst to the corner of Queen's Quay) Cover the trench and temporarily fill it when work moves south 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> During work hours, there will be one lane on Bathurst a Paid Duty officer will direct all traffic through the intersection during work hours the trench will be covered at night, regular lane operation will be in effect overnight
2 Watermain replacement	November 13 - 15 (Queen's Quay west side intersection)	Crews will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excavate the road and dig a trench to access and install the new watermain Cover the trench and temporarily fill it when work moves south 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For three days, during work hours, there will be no through traffic on Queen's Quay at Bathurst. The AM rush hour right turn restriction at Stadium Drive will be removed to maintain local access. West bound traffic on Queen's Quay will use Bathurst and Lake Shore Blvd. Eastbound traffic will travel east on Lake Shore Blvd

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT MAPS



Phase	Dates / Location	Work	Traffic Management
3 Watermain replacement	November 16 – 22 (boulevard area of Eireann Quay)	Crews will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excavate the grassy area and dig a trench to access and install the new watermain 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There will be minimal impact to road traffic during this work as it is occurring in the park boulevard Pedestrians will have to use caution and the temporary walkway provided
4 Watermain testing / flushing and temporary restoration	November 22 to December 15 (entire work area)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You will see less activity on site. The contractor is pressure testing / disinfecting / flushing the watermain to ensure it meets Toronto Water standards before it is connected to the active main and put in service. There will be a flush point of water running off into a catch basin, this is a normal part of watermain construction work. When the watermain passes, the contractor will temporarily restore areas affected by construction (road, boulevard and sidewalk) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There will be minimal impact to traffic at this time and little activity on site There will be intermittent lane restrictions for 1 to 2 days when the contractor temporarily restores the trenches

MORE INFORMATION:

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

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