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## Watermain Replacement on Bedford Road From Macpherson Avenue to Bernard Avenue Bedford Rd open in Both Directions

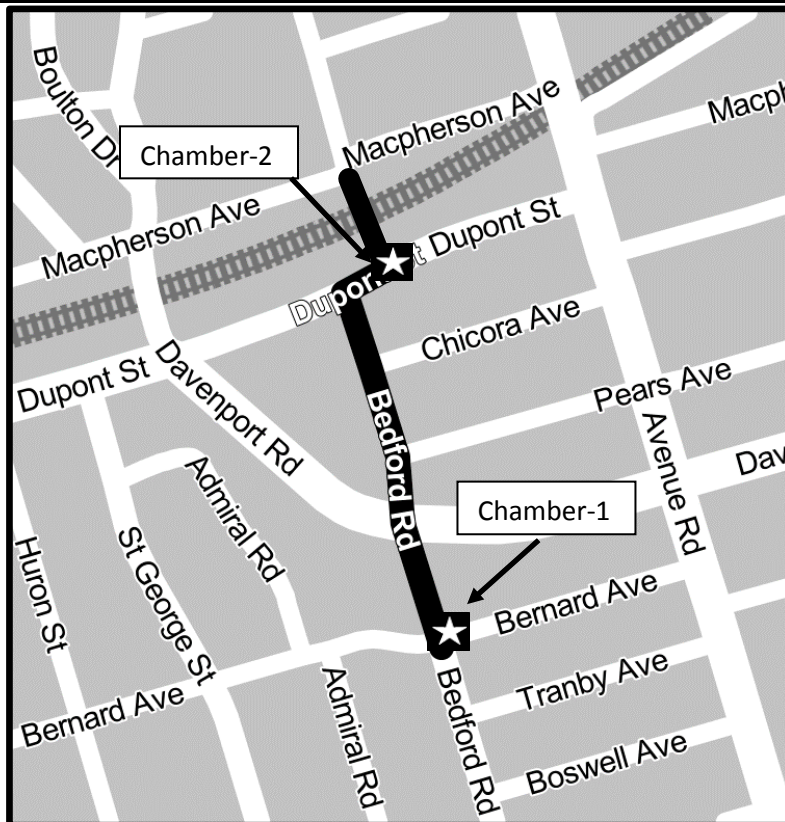
Contract: 15ECS-LU-01TT  
 Start Date: February 2016  
 Revised End Date: September 30, 2017  
*\*Timeline is subject to change.*

Tunneling and watermain installation on Bedford Road between Bernard Avenue and Dupont Street has completed. Construction work is still ongoing and will be primarily limited to two (2) chamber locations at Bedford Road and Bernard Avenue and at Dupont Street and Bedford Road, as depicted in the map below.

The contractor has opened the southbound lane of Bedford Road which was previously anticipated to be opened at the end of August 2017. This will result in narrow construction work area for the contractor and some construction challenges; however opening the road to traffic is a priority. Due to this change, work will now be completed at the end of September.

In September, there will be a short-term closure at the Bedford Road and Bernard Avenue intersection when the new watermain is connected to the existing watermain on Bernard Avenue. An update will be provided.

### MAP OF WORK AREA








 Installed Watermain       Work Area

### REMAINING WORK DETAILS

- Watermain installation in tunnel has completed. Approximately 10 m deep concrete chambers have to be constructed to install valves to help the City operate and maintain the new main. The concrete chamber installation will take approximately 5 to 6 weeks.
- The final piece of pipe to install the new watermain to an existing watermain on Bernard Avenue will require a short-term closure on Bedford Road and Bernard Avenue intersection and impacted residents will be provided an update.

- The new watermain will be pressure tested and disinfected before putting it to service and the area will be restored.
- We appreciate your patience and understanding of this delay to our end date.

## WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

	<p><b>Work Hours:</b> Work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with occasional work after hours and on weekends as required.</p>
	<p><b>Water Service Disruptions:</b> 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><b>Road and Sidewalk Access:</b> In order to complete the tunneling work through the tunnel shaft, the southbound lane on Bedford Road between Bernard Avenue and Davenport Avenue will remain closed until August 31 2017. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.</p>
	<p><b>Restoration:</b> areas affected by the construction work area will be restored</p>
	<p><b>TTC Service:</b> This project may affect travel times on the 26 Dupont Bus route. Visit <a href="http://ttc.ca">ttc.ca</a> for accurate schedule information.</p>

## NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

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