

November 10, 2017

## Watermain Replacement on Bedford Road From Macpherson Avenue to Bernard Avenue

Contract: 15ECS-LU-01TT  
 Start Date: February 2016  
 Completion Date: November 15, 2017  
 NEW End Date: December 15, 2017  
*\*Timeline is subject to change.*

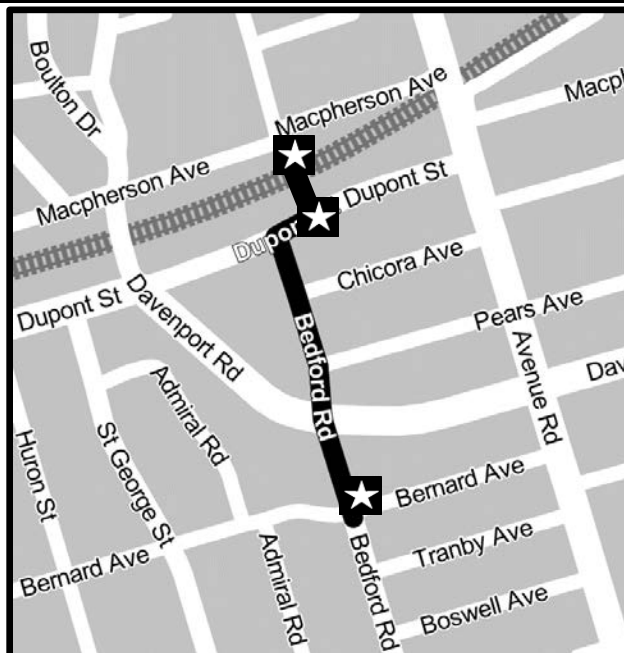
This is the final update since we sent Update #5 in September. In September, it was planned that the the City's work taking place on Bedford Road would be completed by November 15.

To date the construction work is approximately 95% complete. The contractor has completed:

- tunneling and watermain installation on Bedford Road between Bernard Avenue and Dupont Street
- constructing the watermain valve and access chambers
- installing service platforms and ladders in the chambers

This past week, the contractor had to replace a pipe piece that prevented a tight seal during pressure test and which delayed the final pressure testing of the new watermain. Details of the remaining work are provided below. We appreciate your patience during this work and your understanding of this latest delay. The City will be pursuing delay claims from the contractor.

### MAP OF WORK AREA



 Installed Watermain  Work Area

### REMAINING WORK

**From November 7 to November 29 the contractor will:**

- pressure test and disinfect the watermain
- complete work at Dupont St chamber, restore and demobilize from that area
- install a final pipe piece to connect the new watermain to the existing watermain.
- there will be no lane restrictions beyond contractors work area on Bedford Rd






**From November 29 to December 15 the contractor will:**

- restore all other areas affected by construction including paving and reinstating sidewalks
- remove construction staging, signage and materials from the area

### 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.

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	<p><b>Work Hours:</b> Crews of about 4 to 7 people are all that are needed for these final stages of work. Crews will be on site between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. with some later hours if required.</p>
	<p><b>Traffic Management:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Short duration lane restrictions will be required at Bernard Avenue and Bedford Road from December 4, 2017 to December 8, 2017 for road and sidewalk restoration.</li> <li>• All lanes on Bedford Road and Dupont Street will remain open during the remaining work.</li> <li>• Restoration will be completed during off-peak hours (9:30 a.m to 3:30 p.m.) to prevent traffic disruption.</li> </ul>
	<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>Sidewalk Access:</b> Short duration closures will be required at Bernard Avenue and Bedford Road from December 4, 2017 to December 8, 2017 and sidewalk restoration.</p>
	<p><b>Restoration:</b> All areas affected by the construction work will be restored. Areas with sod will be restored in the Spring of 2018.</p>

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote **Contract # 15ECS-LU-01TT**

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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.