

August 1, 2018

Road Construction and Substandard Water Service Replacement on Cedric Avenue from Jesmond Avenue to Vaughan Road

Contract: 18ECS-TI-103LR

Expected Start Date: Summer 2018

Expected End Date: Summer 2019

**Timeline is subject to change. Future notice to be provided.*

The City of Toronto is planning to reconstruct the road on Cedric Avenue from Jesmond Avenue to Vaughan Road, (see map). Our inspection of the road shows that it needs reconstruction and the curb and sidewalk on both sides need to be replaced to bring them to a state of good repair. The City's contractor will also be replacing the City-owned portion of substandard water services.

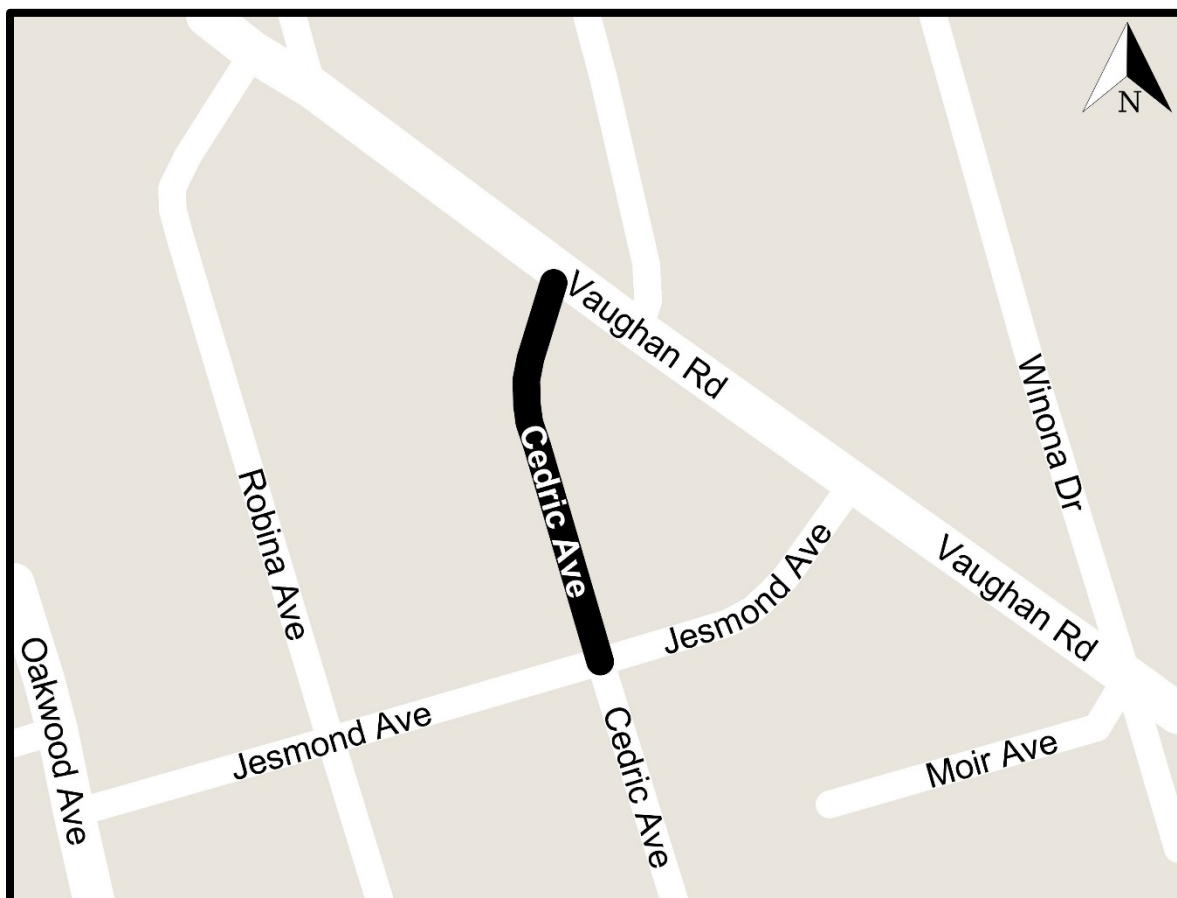
The water service is the underground pipe that brings water to your property and is owned by you and by the City. The part you own is from your house to the end of your property, the part the City owns is from the end of your property to the watermain.

This work is part of the Council-approved 2018 Capital Works Program to renew aging city roads, sidewalks and improve water distribution for current and future needs.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT LEAD WATER SERVICES




If you live on Cedric Avenue in a house that was built before the mid-1950s, your water service may be made of lead. Please read the attached fact sheet with important information about the risks of lead in drinking water, especially if someone in your house is pregnant, there are children under six years old, or there is an infant drinking formula made using tap water.

MAP OF WORK AREA



WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- Work crews will mark the locations of underground utilities, such as gas, water and cable so that the construction work does not interfere with these utilities.
- Affected properties will receive a Construction Notice approximately two weeks before work begins with more information about the work.
- Work in the boulevard in front of homes and commercial properties is expected. This work includes removing and replacing parts of driveways, municipal sidewalks and boulevards, where necessary.
- Property owners should remove items located within City property limits (boulevard area), such as landscaping, fencing, irrigation systems and / or decorative objects before work starts. The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately-owned items on City property.

	Substandard Water Service Replacement: Please read the attached fact sheet as it contains important information about lead in drinking water and water service replacement. First, you need to find out if your water service is lead – a licensed plumber can help you with this. If it is lead, the City of Toronto encourages you to replace it. We recommend you obtain several quotes and you can contact the City's contractor for one of your quotes. Approximately two weeks prior to construction, you will receive a "Construction Notice" with the name and phone number of the City contractor. Learn more at www.toronto.ca/leadpipes
	Accessible Accommodation: Residents who require accommodation (level entry, longer notice, etc.) must contact the Field Ambassador to arrange for access during the construction period.
	Access to Your Home: The City-hired contractor may need access to your home to complete a pre-construction survey. Affected properties will receive a pre-construction survey request to schedule a time to complete the survey.

MORE INFORMATION:

If you have questions about the upcoming construction work, please contact us and quote **Contract 18ECS-TI-103LR**.

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General inquiries	311
Website	www.toronto.ca/improvements/ward15.htm

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