

October 15, 2018

## Basement Flooding Protection Program Road Restoration on Blacksmith Crescent and General Restoration along the Gosford Boulevard Easement

**Contract:** 16ECS-LU-01FP  
**Start Date:** May 2017  
**Original End Date:** September 30, 2018  
**NEW End Date:** June 30 2019

*\*Timeline is subject to change.*

The construction work the City of Toronto is delivering on Blacksmith Crescent and the Gosford Boulevard Easement continues. Since May 2017, the City of Toronto has been working to replace and upgrade the storm sewer system in this area to reduce the risk of basement flooding, as well as replace all sub-standard water services and sanitary laterals.

Most of the work on this contract is complete. The contractor was delayed in completing the sanitary sewer work on portions of Blacksmith Crescent and the Gosford Boulevard easement (see map). This work should be completed by the end of 2018.

We recognize that a project of this nature is disruptive to the community and apologize for the inconvenience caused. We thank you for your patience and understanding as we continue to complete the required work and help reduce the risks of basement flooding.

### WORK UPDATE

To date, the contractor has completed:



- Replacing and upgrading the storm sewer on the following streets (list)
- Replacing the City-owned portion of substandard water services and sanitary sewer laterals
- Restoring affected roads, sidewalks and driveways on the above listed streets




The contractor will complete:

- The remaining underground storm sewer work near the intersection of Gosford Boulevard and Blacksmith Crescent and through the Gosford Boulevard Easement. We anticipate this work to be completed by the winter of 2018.
- Restoring the intersection of Gosford Boulevard and Blacksmith Crescent and the remaining portion of Blacksmith Crescent and the Gosford Boulevard Easement in spring 2019 when all the underground work is complete.
- There will be no work between January 2019 and spring 2019 when the contractor returns to complete the restoration.
- Another construction update will be provided at a later date if needed.

### 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.

	<p><b>Work Hours:</b> Work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.</p>
	<p><b>Snow Removal:</b> The contractor will be responsible for snow removal on streets where construction is taking place. The City will remove snow on the remaining streets according to operating practices.</p>

	<p><b>Parking:</b> Parking in the active work zone is not permitted due to space requirements for construction equipment and materials. If your parked vehicle affects the construction work, it will be re-located with no charge to the owner. If your vehicle is moved, please contact parking control for its location at <b>416-808-2222</b>.</p> <p>In the event you receive a traffic ticket for on-street parking during this period of construction, you may choose to dispute your ticket following the process listed on the reverse side of the parking infraction notice. <b><i>You may use this notice as part of your defense for parking consideration during construction; however, the Field Ambassador does not have the authority to cancel any parking tickets.</i></b></p>
	<p><b>Garbage &amp; Recycling:</b> Please follow your normal routine. If required, the contractor will move bins to an appropriate location and return them. <b><i>Please ensure that you label your bins with your address.</i></b></p>
	<p><b>Restoration:</b> The construction area will be restored with sod and/or asphalt where required. Interlocking bricks, flagstone on a granular base, or other similar features that are removed from public and private property during construction will be replaced. Lawn seeding and/or laying of sod will be done as needed during ideal growing seasons only - in the spring (April to June)</p>

## NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote **16ECS-LU-01FP**.

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## MAP OF WORK AREA

