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Storm Sewer Outlet Replacement – East Don River Ravine near Silverdale Crescent

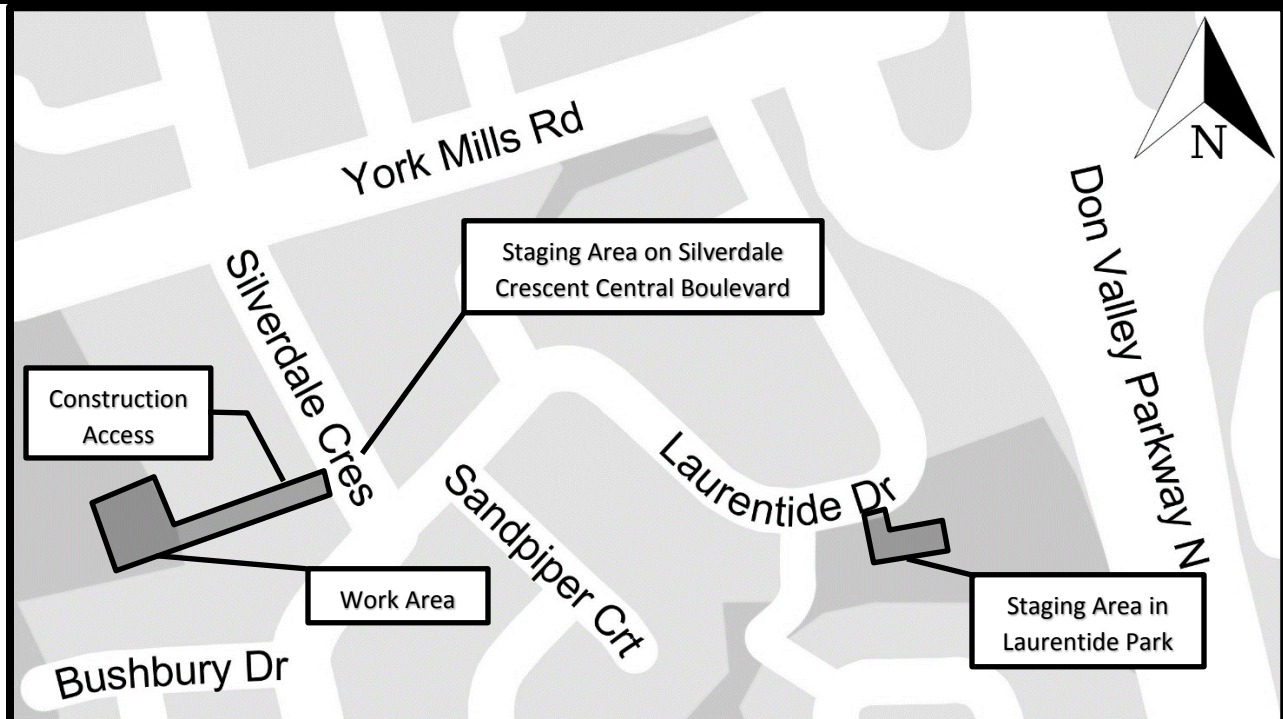
Contract: 18ECS-LU-02SM
Expected Start Date: January 21, 2019
Expected End Date: March 29, 2019
**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto is planning to replace a failed storm sewer outlet located in a ravine that is tributary to the East Don River near Silverdale Crescent. The work area is located behind properties on Silverdale Crescent, Laurentide Drive and Bushbury Drive (see map).

The storm sewer outlet is part of the City's stormwater infrastructure designed to collect stormwater and melting snow and release it into nearby creeks or rivers.

This project is part of the Council-approved 2019 Capital Works Program that will improve the water quality discharging to the Don River and Lake Ontario.

MAP OF WORK AREA









WORK DETAILS


The City's contractor will:

- Access the work area from Silverdale Crescent via a constructed access route depicted in the map above.
- Work within the ravine to replace the existing storm sewer outlet which collapsed due to erosion.
- Use two staging area locations within the Silverdale Crescent and Laurentide Drive neighbourhood. The staging areas will be used for storing construction materials. One of the staging areas will be in the Silverdale Crescent central boulevard, opposite the construction access. The second staging area will be located in Laurentide Park as depicted in the map. During the project, Laurentide Park will remain open to the public with only a small section of the park fenced-off for the staging area.

WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- Work crews may mark underground utilities, such as gas, water and cable to ensure they are not affected by the proposed work.

	<p>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.</p>
	<p>Private property trees: Due to the nature of this project, the City will have to remove trees from private property in the ravine. Property owners with affected trees will receive a separate notice. Private property tree removal permits have been obtained in coordination with the City's Parks, Recreation & Forestry Division.</p>
	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7:00 am to 5:30 pm, Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.</p>
	<p>Sidewalk Access: Efforts have been made to manage sidewalk use for the safety of pedestrians. Silverdale Crescent sidewalk users should expect minor delays and increased construction traffic during the project.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. Silverdale Crescent and Laurentide Drive road users should expect minor delays and increased construction traffic during the project.</p>
	<p>Parking: 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</p>

	<p>your vehicle is moved, please contact parking control for its location at 416-808-2222.</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. <i>You may use this notice as part of your defense for parking consideration during construction; however, the Project Manager does not have the authority to cancel any parking tickets.</i></p>
	<p>Restoration: The construction work area, and staging areas on the Silverdale Crescent central boulevard and within Laurentide Park will be restored where required. Seeding and/or laying of sod will be done as needed during ideal growing seasons only – in the spring (March to April).</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

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Website	toronto.ca/improvements/ward16.htm

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