

August 8, 2019

Laneway Reconstruction North of Bloor Street East of Margueretta Street

Contract #: 18ECS-TI-103LR

Expected Start Date: August 21, 2019

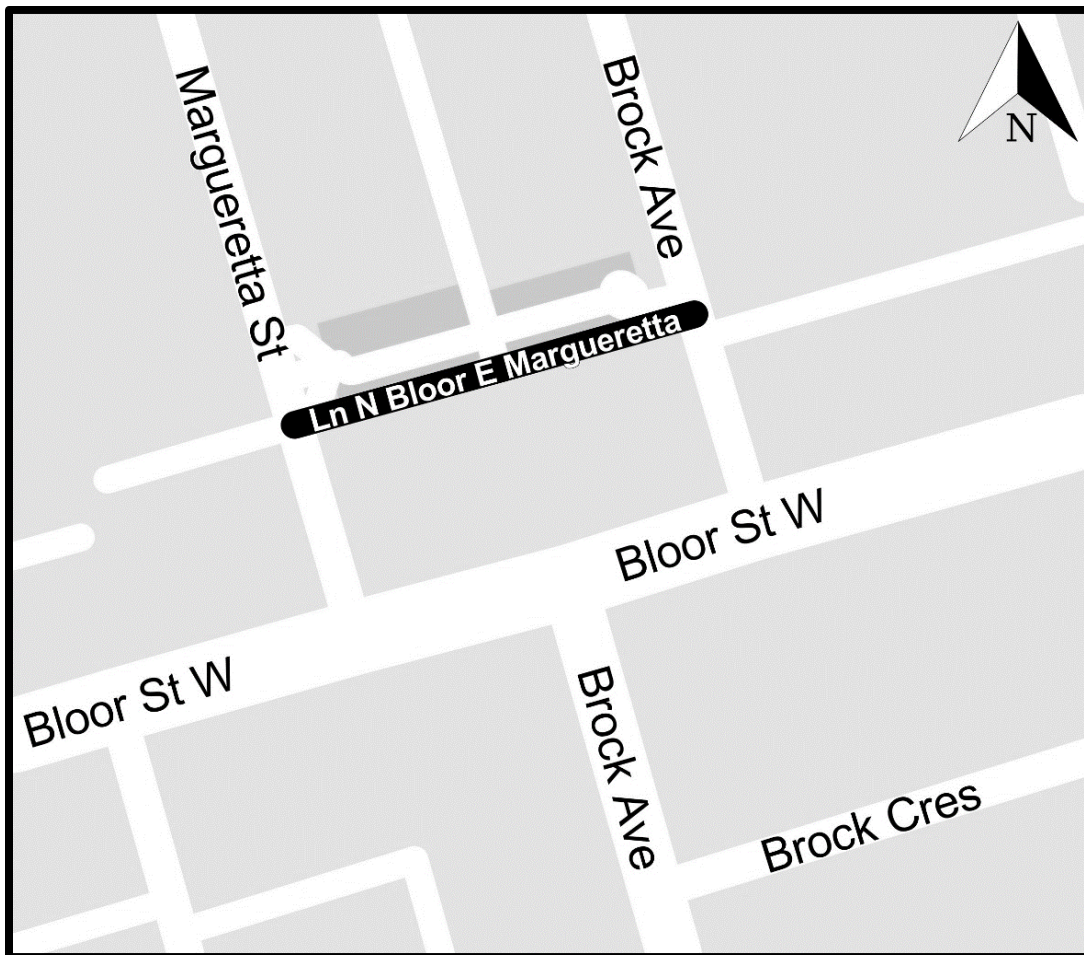
Expected End Date: September 13, 2019

**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto will reconstruct the laneway between Margueretta Street and Brock street north of Bloor Street. (See Map)

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

MAP OF WORK AREA








WORK DEATILS




The City’s contractor will move equipment on-site and prepare the work area before construction begins. Construction crews will then:

- Remove the existing asphalt and concrete surface & replace the granular base.
- Install a new concrete surface along the laneway.
- Restore areas affected by construction

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>Accessible Accommodation: Residents who require accommodation (level entry, longer notice, etc.) must contact the Field Ambassador to arrange for access during the construction period.</p>
	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with work on weekends as required.</p>
	<p>Pre-Construction Inspection: Wristen's Home Specialties Inc. (WHS). under contract to the City of Toronto, will survey all properties within 30 metres of the construction area before construction starts. Participation in the survey is voluntary; however, participating is important in determining if the construction caused damage. The inspection will look at both the interior and exterior of all properties to verify existing conditions. The company will deliver a separate notice requesting time to set up appointments. All inspection staff will be wearing photo identification and carrying photographic equipment during their work.</p>
	<p>Important information for owners of sprinkler systems / heated driveways and private landscaping features. Property owners should remove items located within City property limits (boulevard) to avoid damage.</p> <p>This includes items such as landscaping (plants and pavers), decorative objects, sprinkler systems or heated driveways. If you have a sprinkler system or heated driveway, please contact the Field Ambassador listed below.</p> <p>The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately-owned items on City property.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: In order to complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the construction work zone. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.</p>

	<p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets.</p> <p>The laneway will be closed for approximately 24 days starting August 21.</p>
	<p>Parking: Parking in the active work zone (Laneway) 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 416-808-2222.</p> <p><u>Temporary Parking Permits</u> will be provided for vehicles displaced from the laneway*.</p> <p>Please <u>contact the Field Ambassador</u> as soon as possible to provide your licence plate number and required information.</p> <p>*Vehicle must be registered to your Bloor Street address to qualify for alternate parking.</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 defence for parking consideration during construction; however, the Field Ambassador does not have the authority to cancel any parking tickets.</i></p>
	<p>Restoration: The construction work 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.</p> <p>Sod installation may be belayed to late summer for more ideal growing weather.</p>

MORE INFORMATION:

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

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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.