



## F.G. Gardiner Expressway Strategic Rehabilitation Cherry Street to Lower Jarvis Street Overnight Noise Levels

**Contract: 18ECS-TI-01GE**

The City is committed to providing timely updates and communications to the residents within the vicinity of the Gardiner Expressway Rehabilitation construction work. This notice provides a list of upcoming construction activities, work details and anticipated noise levels.

The next phase of construction work will take place on the westbound off-ramp to Jarvis/Sherbourne Street and Gardiner Expressway between Cherry and Parliament Streets. In order to complete the project on time and work is scheduled to occur around-the-clock.

If you have any concerns with the noise levels, please let us know at [gardinerrehab@toronto.ca](mailto:gardinerrehab@toronto.ca) or calling 416-338-2930 and provide us with a description of the noise, date and time of the disruptive work. If you would like to be added to the project mailing list to receive project updates, please contact us at [gardinerrehab@toronto.ca](mailto:gardinerrehab@toronto.ca).

### UPCOMING WORK

The following construction activities are scheduled for the westbound off-ramp to Jarvis/Sherbourne Streets and the north half of the Gardiner Expressway (Cherry to Parliament Streets). **Please note the dates indicated below are anticipated based on current information, and subject to change as a result of changes in construction schedule, weather, or unforeseen circumstances.**

Location	Date	Work Details	Maximum Expected Noise Level (15 = most disruptive 1 = least disruptive)
Westbound off-ramp to Jarvis / Sherbourne Streets	<b>Anticipated Completion Date: Oct. 31</b>	<b>Type of work:</b> Preparing deck panels for removal <b>Construction activity:</b> Saw-cutting, hoe-ramming, chipping, backup beepers and other machinery noise.	<b>12</b>
	<b>Oct. 31 – Nov. 7</b>	<b>Type of work:</b> Removal of deck panels <b>Construction activity:</b> Saw-cutting, chipping, backup beepers and other machinery noise.	<b>10</b>
Gardiner Expressway between Cherry and Parliament Streets (north half)	<b>Oct. 24 – Nov. 4</b>	<b>Type of work:</b> Preparing deck panels for removal <b>Construction activity:</b> Saw-cutting, hoe-ramming, chipping, backup beepers and other machinery noise.	<b>12</b>
	<b>Anticipated Start Date: Week of Nov. 4</b>	<b>Type of work:</b> Removal and replacement of deck panels <b>Construction activity:</b> Saw-cutting, chipping, backup beepers and other machinery noise.	<b>10</b>

## UNDERSTANDING NOISE LEVELS ON THIS PROJECT

To help understand the impact of noise, the noise scale below relates the expected construction noise to other comparable noise levels. Please note the actual level of noise associated with each construction activity may vary from the noise scale below depending on the type of construction work taking place and a person's proximity to where the construction activity is occurring.

Construction Noise Scale					
Construction Work: Least disruptive to most disruptive					
Construction Work		Example of Similar Noise Level		Construction Work	Example of Similar Noise Level
1	Machinery noise (e.g. cranes, loaders, backhoes)	Vacuum cleaner	9	Scraping	Handheld drill
2	Backup beepers	Alarm clock	10	Saw-cutting	Power lawn mower
3	Chipping gun	Garburator	11	Jack hammering	Motorcycle
4	Placing discarded concrete into container for removal	Food blender	12	Hoe-ramming	Jet flyover at 1000 feet
5	Haulage Trucks	Passing diesel truck	13	Grinding	Sporting event
6	Compacting	Snow blower	14	Milling asphalt	Live rock music
7	Drilling	Inside a subway car	15	Sand blasting	Emergency vehicle siren
8	Chainsaw	Garbage truck			

## CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have questions about this work, please contact us and quote 18ECS-TI-01GE.

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