

August 6, 2020

Kingston Road Bridge Rehabilitation over Highland Creek

Contract: 20ECS-TI-01BE

Expected Start Date: August 10, 2020

Expected End Date: December 31, 2020

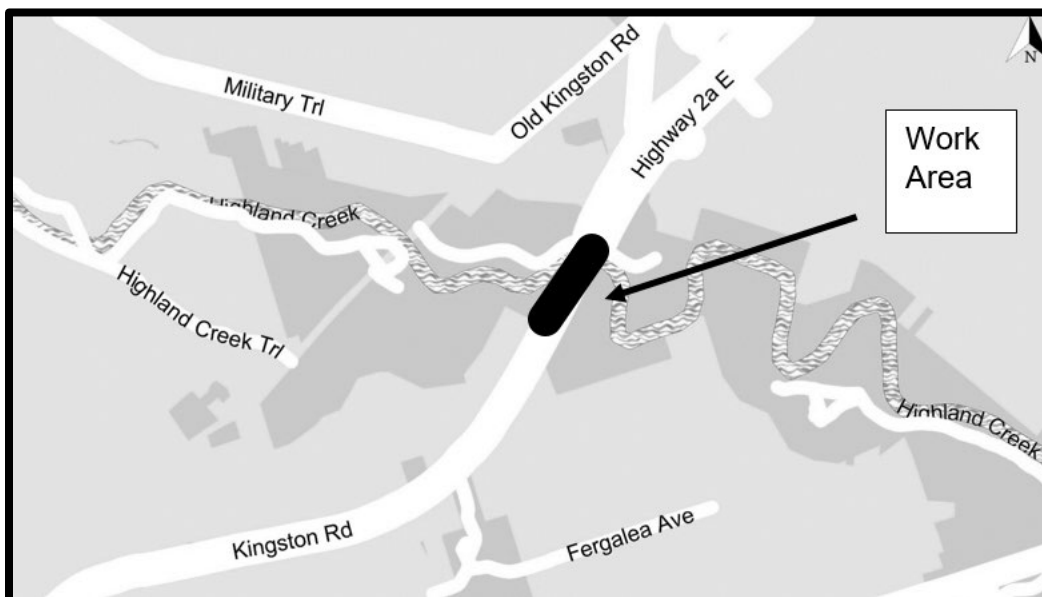
**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto will rehabilitate the Kingston Road Bridge over Highland Creek starting in August 2020. The inspection of the bridge shows that there is a need to reconstruct the collapsed concrete slope paving at Colonel Danforth Park Trail and replace the leaking expansion joints. This work will ensure that the bridge meets today's standards and remains safe for vehicles and pedestrians into the future. The project is part of the Council-approved 2020 Capital Works Program.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT COVID-19 AND CONSTRUCTION WORK IN TORONTO

As restrictions on construction have been lifted by the Province of Ontario, City-led infrastructure will continue to proceed. During construction, the contractor is responsible for the Health & Safety on site under the Ontario Occupational Health and Safety Act and is expected to implement COVID-19 mitigation practices. For more information on the City's response to COVID-19 please visit toronto.ca/covid-19.

MAP OF WORK AREA



WORK DETAILS

The City's contractor will:

- Reconstruct the east embankment slope paving
- Install new abutment face drain on the east bridge abutments and strip joint seals at the bridge expansion joints






This work will take place in stages:

Stage/Area	Traffic Management
Stage 1 North Crews will remove and replace the expansion joint seal in the west curb lane and on the sidewalk of the north structure	The westbound curb lane and sidewalk on the north structure will be closed. Two other lanes on the north structure and all lanes and sidewalk on the south structure will remain open.
Stage 1 South Crews will remove and replace the expansion joint seal in the east curb lane of the south structure	The eastbound curb lane and sidewalk on the south structure will be closed. Two other lanes on the south structure and all lanes and sidewalk on the north structure will remain open.

<p>Stage 2 North Removal and replacement of the bridge expansion joint seal in the middle lane of the north structure</p>	<p>Work on both the north and south structures will take place concurrently with the westbound middle lane on the north structure and the eastbound leftmost and middle lanes on the south structure closed.</p>
<p>Stage 2 South Removal and replacement of the bridge expansion joint seal in the middle and leftmost lanes of the south structure</p>	<p>The westbound curb lane and leftmost lane on the north structure and the eastbound curb lane on the south structure will remain open.</p> <p>The two centre lanes will remain open in each direction.</p>
<p>Stage 3 North Removal and replacement of the bridge expansion joint seal in the leftmost lane of the north structure</p>	<p>The westbound leftmost lane on the north structure will be closed.</p> <p>Two other lanes on the north structure and all lanes on the south structure will remain open.</p>

WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- You may experience dust, noise and other inconveniences. The City will make efforts to reduce impacts. We appreciate your patience.

	<p>24/7 Work Hours: Work under the bridge will take place 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and on statutory holidays.</p> <p>Work on the bridge deck will begin at 8 p.m. on Fridays and end before 6 a.m. on Mondays, as well as all day on statutory holidays.</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 work zone. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.</p> <p>Intermittent sidewalk closure will be required for removal and installation of strip seals at the bridge expansion joints. Site signage will direct pedestrians where to safely cross the road on either side of the bridge, and site notices will inform pedestrians of sidewalk accessibility.</p>
	<p>Parks and Trails: Due to the nature of this work areas of Colonel Danforth Park will be affected. Sections of the trail under the bridge will be closed to the public for the duration of the project so that crews can remove and reconstruct the concrete slope paving. Signs will be posted. All areas of the park and trail affected by construction will be restored.</p>
	<p>Accessible Accommodation: Residents who require accommodation (level entry, longer notice, clear sidewalk path, etc.) must contact the Project Engineer to arrange for access during the construction period.</p>
	<p>TTC Service: Travel times on the 86 Scarborough bus may be affected. Visit ttc.ca for accurate schedule information.</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us.

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TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (7 Days a week, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/improvements/ward25.htm

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