

June 25, 2021

Road Reconstruction on Kipling Avenue from Mount Olive Drive to Steeles Avenue West

Contract: 20ECS-TI-16MR

Start Date: July 5, 2021 End Date: June 9, 2022

Approximate Winter Shutdown: November 9, 2021 to April 14, 2021

**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto will reconstruct the road on Kipling Ave from Mount Olive Drive to Steeles Avenue West. Our inspection of the road shows that it needs reconstruction and the curb and sidewalk need to be replaced to bring them to a state of good repair.

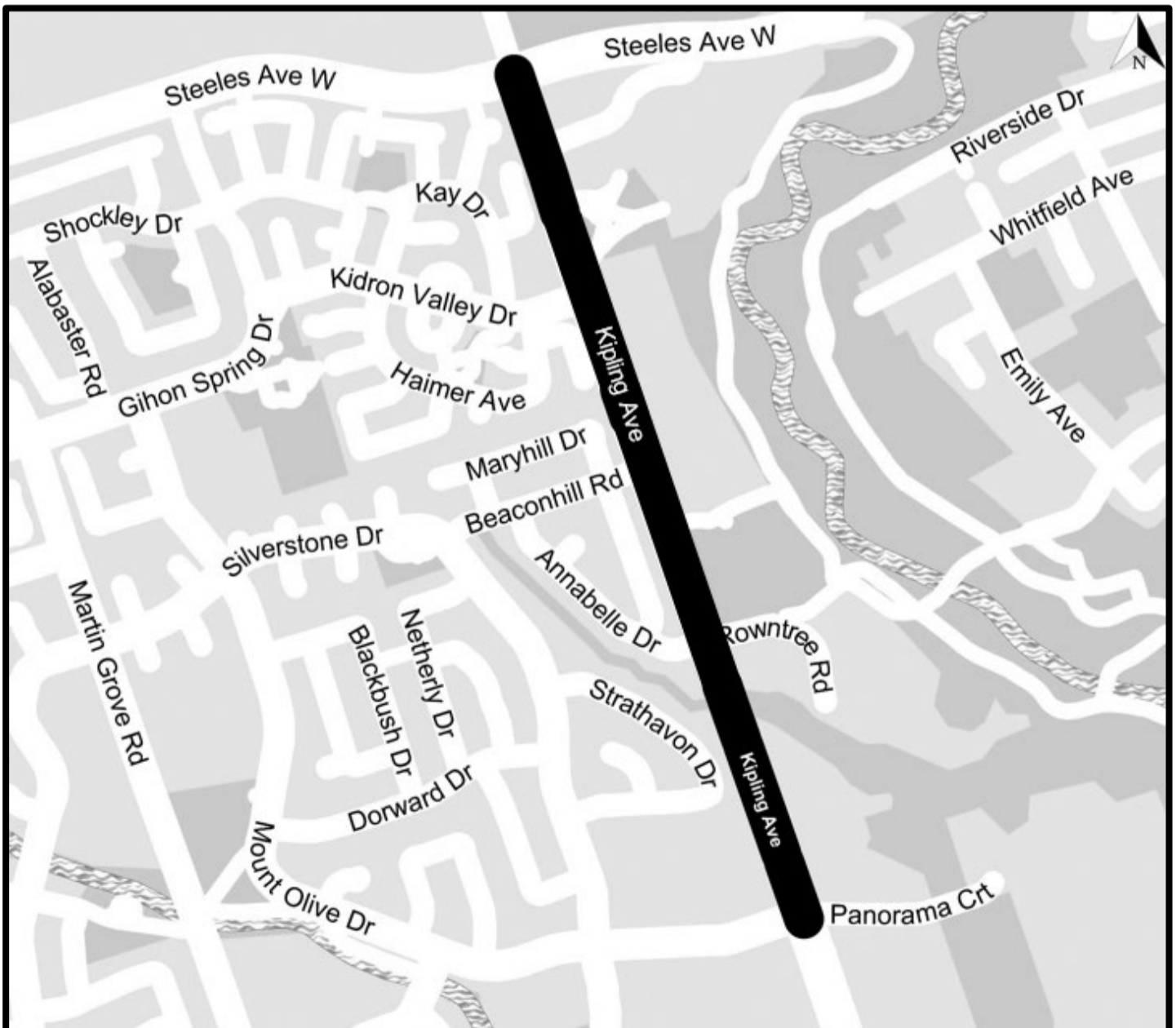
An update notice will be provided prior to the winter shutdown and again before construction restarts in spring 2022.

This project is part of the Council-approved 2021 Capital Works Program to renew aging City roads and sidewalk for current and future needs.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT COVID-19 AND CONSTRUCTION WORK IN TORONTO

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




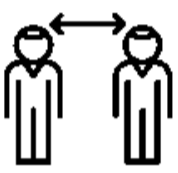






WORK DETAILS





The City's contractor will:

- Dig up the road surface
- Re-align maintenance holes and catch basins
- Repair curbs, gutters and driveway
- Install a new concrete road base and base asphalt
- Pave the road surface

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.
- The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately owned items on City property.

	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday; and 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday; with work after hours and on Sunday or Civic / Statutory Holidays as required.</p>
	<p>Physical Distancing: There are times when contractors need to communicate with homeowners about what is happening on-site. This could be about driveway access, water shut offs, pre-construction inspections, and site restoration work (landscaping, installing pavers etc.). Contractor's staff will be identifiable by their high-visibility clothing and will maintain physical distancing.</p>
	<p>Site Safety: Workers on site are responsible for the work assigned to them. If you have construction questions or an issue on site – ask to be directed to the site inspector. If the site inspector is unavailable, contact the person listed at the end of this notice.</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 Project Manager listed below.</p>
	<p>Telephone and Internet Services: This work may affect phone and internet cables for individual properties that aren't buried deep below the sidewalk. The contractor will coordinate with utility companies to minimize disruption. Residents who find their service has been disrupted should contact the Project Manager <u>and</u> notify their phone or internet service provider.</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>Driveway Access: The contractor will notify you of any temporary restrictions to your driveway access. If your property has two entrances, one entrance will be kept open at all times.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets. Motorists are reminded that bicycles and cars will be sharing the lane. When driving, please be mindful of vulnerable road users.</p> <p>Traffic on Kipling Avenue will be reduced to one lane in each direction through the work zones.</p>
	<p>TTC Service: This project may affect travel times on the Kipling 45A and Kipling Express 945. Visit ttc.ca for accurate schedule information.</p>

	<p>City Owned Trees: Due to the nature of this project, the City will have to remove 63 street trees from the City's boulevard. If this affects a tree near your property, you will receive a separate notice. Trees in the removal area will be replaced with a 3:1 ratio of naturalization planting including tree whips and shrubs and will be overseen by the City's Parks, Forestry & Recreation Division.</p>
	<p>Accessible Accommodation: The City's contractor must ensure safe and accessible walkways and entryways are maintained for everyone during construction. Any temporary access disruptions will be communicated as soon as possible. If you experience a disruption, have a specific access need or related accommodation request, contact the Project Manager listed below.</p>
	<p>Garbage and Recycling: Please follow your normal routine. If required, the contractor will move bins to an appropriate location and return them. Please ensure that you label your bins with your address.</p>
	<p>Restoration: The construction work area will be restored with sod, concrete 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) and fall (September to October).</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about this construction project, please contact staff listed below, if you need to speak with staff on the construction site – please ask for the site inspector, respect physical distancing and wear a mask.

Contract	20ECS-TI-16MR
Project Manager	Mohamed Siddiqui, 416-392-6778, Mohamed.Siddiqui@toronto.ca
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/etobicothenorth

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