

February 23, 2022

Van Dusen Pedestrian Bridge Replacement and Mimico Creek Stream Restoration

Contract: 21ECS-LU-01SM
Start Date: Fall 2021 End Date: Spring 2022
**Timeline is subject to change.*

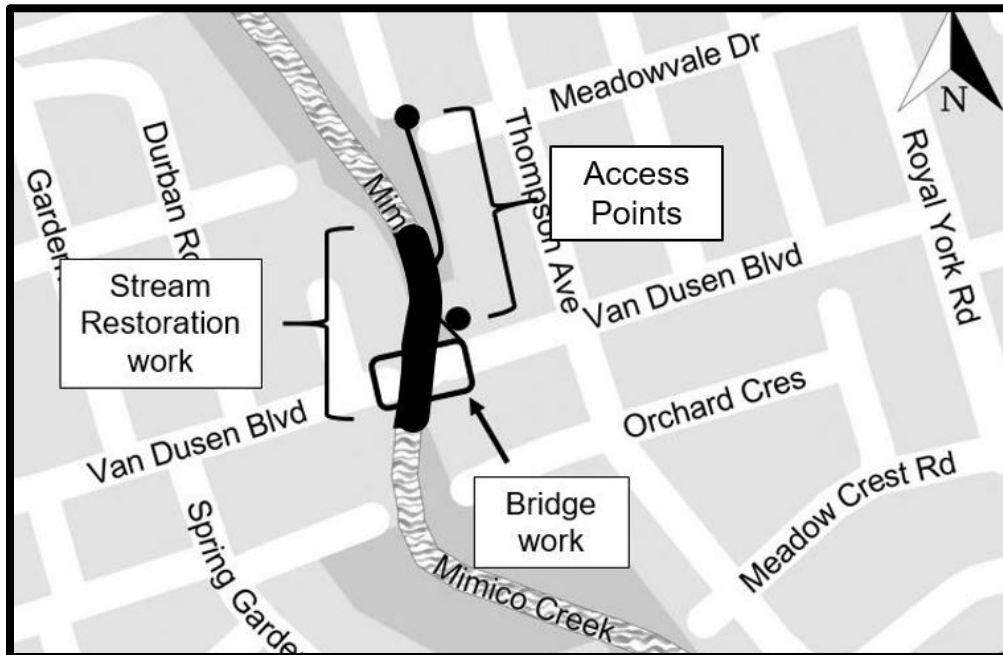
The City of Toronto's construction to replace the Van Dusen Pedestrian Bridge and restoration of Mimico Creek is progressing well. This notice provides an update to the work hours required to complete the project.

Construction is now planned for Saturdays to take advantage of the cold and dry weather which is more conducive to working in the creek when compared to spring time thaw and rains.

Construction on Saturdays will occur from **9 a.m. to 7 p.m.** The construction work may not occur every Saturday but will extend into the spring as required.


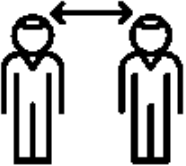




Your patience and understanding is appreciated during this disruption.



MAP OF WORK AREA



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>Work Hours: Work will take place from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday; and 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturdays.</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>Parking: This project will affect on-street parking. Parking in the active work zone is not permitted as space is needed for construction equipment and materials. If your parked vehicle affects construction work, it will be relocated with no charge to the owner. Please call 416-808-2222 for its location.</p>
	<p>Parking Violation Notice: If parking enforcement is called to a street, officers must issue a yellow parking violation notice (ticket) to vehicles in violation of parking by-laws. If you receive a yellow notice during this construction work, do the following within 15 days of the notice date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Contact the site inspector or person listed on the Construction Notice and give them the yellow notice number. 2) Dispute the parking violation notice online or in person following the process listed on the back of the parking violation notice. <p>You may use this construction notice as part of the explanation of why the violation should be cancelled. Please note: violation notices cannot be cancelled if vehicles are parked in illegal parking spots (i.e. in front of a fire hydrant or in no parking zones).</p> <p>In an effort to reduce ticketing due to construction, please exercise patience with neighbours who are experiencing construction and may need to temporarily park on your street.</p>
	<p>Parks and Trails: Due to the nature of this work, areas of Mimico Creek ravine will be affected. Sections along Mimico Creek will be fenced off and closed for public safety. Signs will be posted. All areas affected by construction will be restored</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 Field Ambassador 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	21ECS-LU-01SM
Project Manager	Devin Coone, 416-392-8267, devin.coone@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/mimicocreek toronto.ca/etobicokelakeshore

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