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Road Reconstruction & Slope Stabilization on Military Trail from Ellesmere Rd to Highcastle Rd & Military Trail Bridge Rehabilitation over Upper East Highland Creek

Contract: 19ECS-TI-105LR Start Date: February 7, 2022 End Date: September 2022 *Timeline is subject to change.

This notice provides an update on the planned road reconstruction, sidewalk construction and slope stabilization on Military Trail from Ellesmere Road to Highcastle Road, and rehabilitation of the Military Trail Bridge over Upper East Highland Creek.

This project was planned to start in the fall of 2021, however, due to emergency work on the stormwater outfall at Upper East Highland Creek, which required access from Military Trail, road reconstruction work was delayed. The City expects this project to be completed this summer, as planned.

In order to complete this work safely and efficiently, Military Trail will be closed to all vehicles, cyclists and pedestrians on Feb. 7, 2022, to Sep. 2022.

MAP OF WORK AREAS AND ROAD CLOSURE



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.

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.

WORK STATUS TO DATE

The City's contractor has:

• Installed new Low Impact Development Features (Green Infrastructure) to filter storm water at various locations along Military Trail.

REMAINING WORK

The City's contractor will:

- Reconstruct Military Trail (Highcastle Road to Ellesmere Road) and include safety features by:
- Digging up the road surface and realigning the road with new sub base and asphalt pavement.
- o Installing a new sidewalk, handrails and guardrails (west side)
- Installing additional street lighting
- Stabilize the slope along Military Trail by:
- Building retaining walls to improve slope stability to accommodate the road alignment and new sidewalk.
- Rehabilitate the bridge over Upper East Highland Creek by:
- Replacing the sidewalks, parapet walls and bearings.
 - o Repairing deteriorated concrete
 - \circ $\,$ Waterproofing and repaving the bridge

	Work Hours : Work will take place from 7 a.m.to 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.
8	 Traffic Management: Motorists are reminded to abide by traffic and construction signs posted in local areas to ensure the safe travel of all local road users and pedestrians. Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets. Military Trail will close on Feb. 7 to all vehicles, cyclists and pedestrians from Ellesmere Road to Highcastle Road during road reconstruction work.
	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.). The contractor's staff will be identifiable by their high-visibility clothing and will maintain physical distancing.
15 23	Access to Trails: There will be <u>no access</u> to walking trails from Military Trail between Ellesmere Road and Highcastle Road. Access to trail heads in nearby locations will remain open during construction. Signs will be posted to alert trail users of this disruption.
	Tree Removal and Replacement: Due to the nature of the work, 150 trees will need to be removed. Replacement trees will be planted in locations to be determined by the City's Urban Forestry division. Trees that are not planned for removal will be protected while construction activities are occurring.
E	 Green Infrastructure: Low impact development (LID) features will be installed by the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (TRCA) to capture storm water runoff from the new road. Engineered stone treatments at various locations along the road will capture and filter storm water and disperse it to the surrounding grassed area, reducing the volume of runoff that enters the City's storm sewer system

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about this construction project, please contact staff listed below.

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General inquiries	311

Visit the project website for updates toronto.ca/militarytrail

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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.