

September 27, 2022

TTC Track Replacement, Road Resurfacing and Watermain Replacement at the Intersection of King Street West and Shaw Street

Contract: 22ECS-TI-11SP

Start Date: September 6, 2022 End Date: November 12, 2022

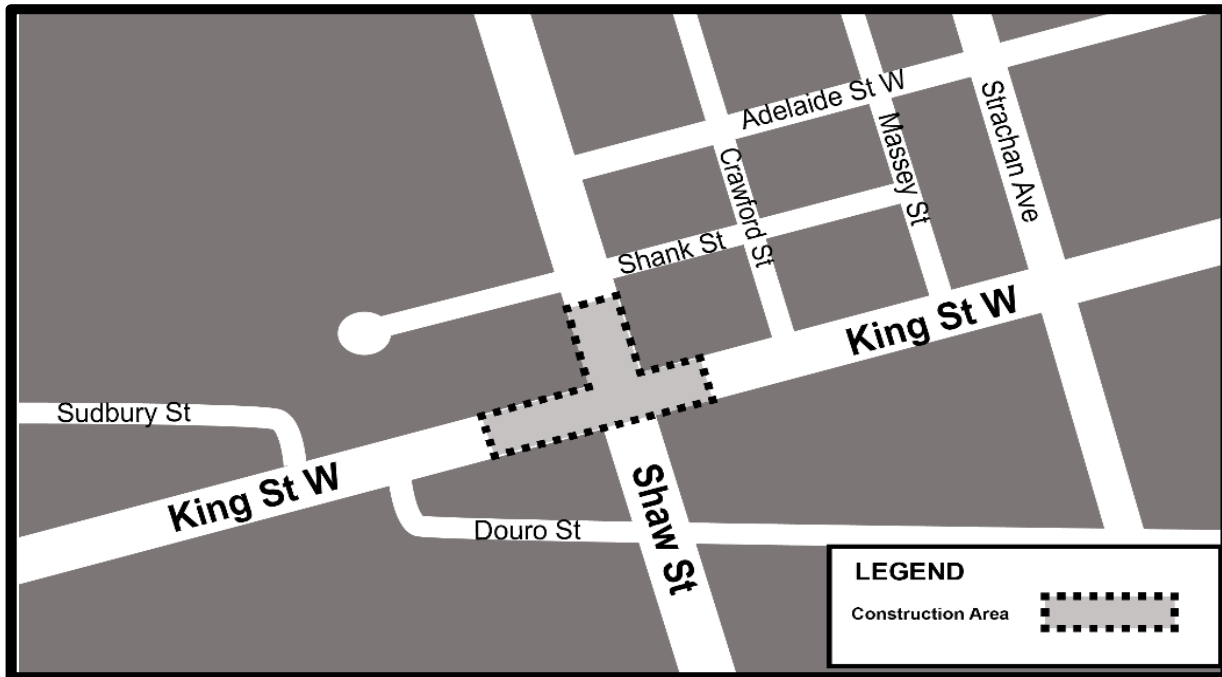
**Dates subject to change.*

This notice provides an update on the infrastructure improvement projects being carried out by the City of Toronto and Toronto Transit Commission (TTC). Phase 1 of the construction is underway. Phase 2 of work is expected to begin on October 4 and will require full closure of the intersection of King Street West and Shaw Street.

The City of Toronto and Toronto Transit Commission are replacing aging streetcar tracks at the intersection of King Street West and Shaw Street and resurfacing the road. In addition to this work the City has replaced 80 meters of the watermain along King Street West.

This work is required to bring the track infrastructure to a state of good repair and is part of the Council-approved 2022 Capital Works Program.

MAP OF WORK AREA









WORK DETAILS

Phase / Dates / Location <i>* subject to change</i>	Work	Traffic Restrictions
Phase 2 – October 4 th to November 12 th , 2022 King Street West and Shaw Street intersection	TTC streetcar track replacement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full intersection road closure. • Detour signs will be posted directing cyclists and drivers to use Douro Street for east/west travel and Strachan Avenue for north/south travel.

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 on this project will take place 24 hours 7 days a week. Excavation activities and heavy breaking will be carried out at various times throughout the day. All concrete breaking activities will occur between 7:00 a.m. and 11 p.m. Concrete breaking work is the most disruptive and will typically last the first 1-2 days for each phase of the construction. Around-the-clock work during rail installation by TTC is required to preserve the integrity and quality of new rail and concrete. Overnight rail work by TTC may consist of moving new rail into position, rail installation and rail welding / grinding.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Road users should expect ongoing delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets. Signs will continue to be installed throughout the adjacent neighbourhoods advising of these closures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • King Street West at Shaw Street intersection will be fully closed to vehicle traffic. • Douro Street to the south of King can be used as an alternative for east/west travel. • Strachan Avenue to east of Shaw Street can be used as an alternative for north/south travel. • Access for emergency vehicles will always be maintained.
	<p>Sidewalk Access: Pedestrians will have safe access to sidewalks within the construction areas. If the contractor needs to temporarily close sidewalks, alternate routes will be provided. Pedestrians are not permitted to cross the work areas. Signage will be installed advising where to safely cross.</p>
	<p>Shaw Street Bike Lane: The bike lane will be temporarily closed through the active work area. Where possible, cyclists can dismount and use sidewalks.</p>
	<p>During this project, 504 King streetcars will be replaced with buses west of Bathurst Street, diverting around the closed intersection on Strachan Avenue to Douro Street. 63 Ossington buses will also divert on Strachan Avenue to East Liberty, Liberty Street to Atlantic Avenue.</p> <p>Visit: ttc.ca for accurate schedule information</p>
	<p>Businesses: Will be open throughout construction. All are welcome!</p>

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.

Contract	22ECS-TI-11SP
City of Toronto	Mark De Miglio, 416-395-7178, downtownconstruction@toronto.ca
TTC Community Liaison	Emily Huang 416-473-1056 emily.huang@ttc.ca
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/spadinafortyork

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