

September 19, 2022

Infrastructure Improvements on College Street from Manning Avenue to Bay Street and Streetcar Track Reconstruction at the Intersection of Carlton Street and Church Street

Contract: 22ECS-TI-09SP

Expected Completion Dates:

College Street (Manning Avenue to Bay Street): **late-December 2022**

Carlton Street and Church Street intersection: **mid-October 2022**

This notice provides an update on the infrastructure improvement projects being carried out by the City of Toronto and Toronto Transit Commission (TTC).

Streetcar Track Reconstruction at the intersection of Carlton Street and Church Street:

Work at the intersection is delayed because the City’s contractor uncovered an unknown high voltage Toronto Hydro chamber while performing excavation work. Toronto Hydro must make repairs to the chamber before the contractor can resume work in the area. Completion is expected in **mid-October**.

Infrastructure Improvements on College Street from Manning Avenue to Bay Street:

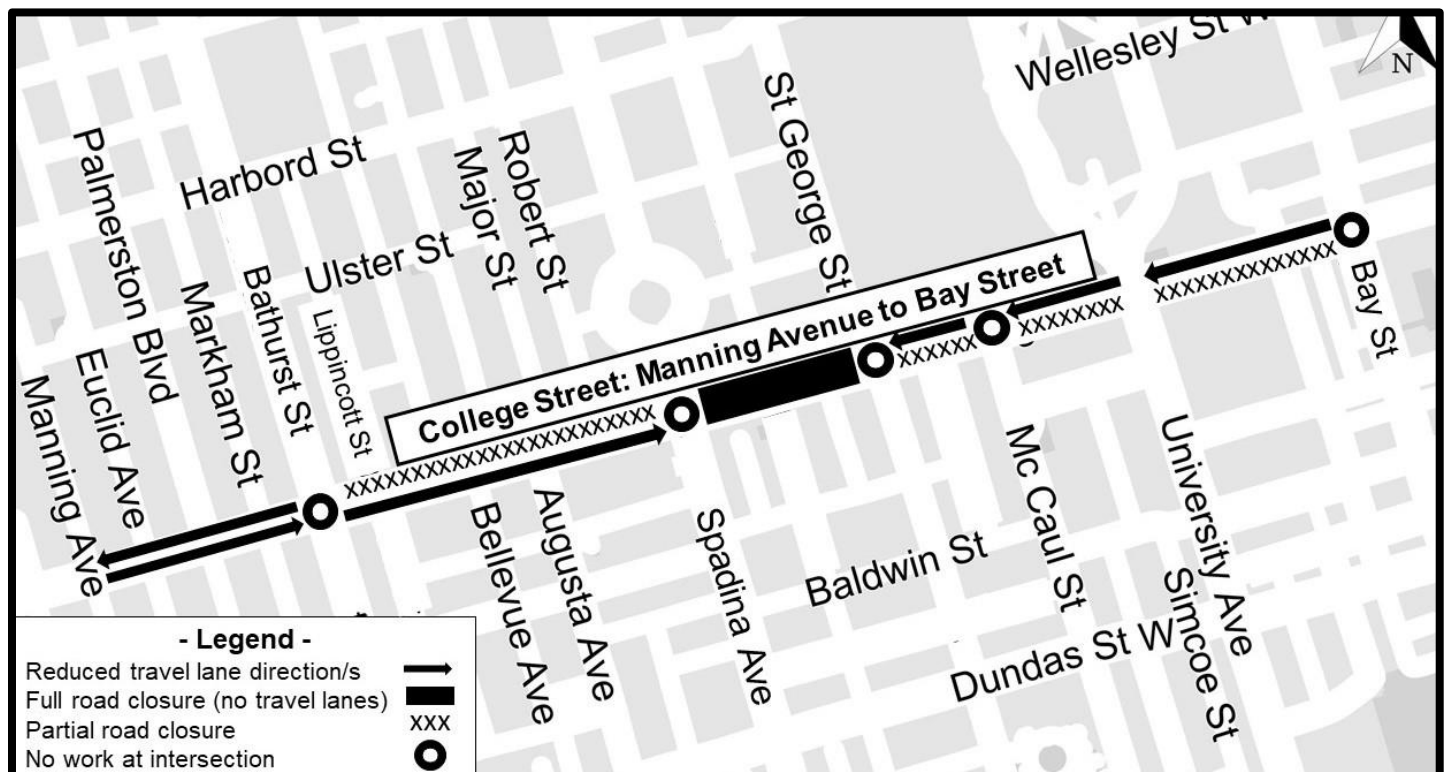
The initial phase of construction work on College Street started on September 16. College Street is now closed to through traffic from Spadina Avenue to St. George Street.

To help speed-up construction, the City has now adjusted the timelines and phasing. Effective **September 20**, College Street between Spadina Avenue and Bathurst will be reduced to a single eastbound lane.





UPDATED WORK PHASES

The schedule of work along College Street from Manning Avenue to Bay Street has been updated. *Please note that dates are subject to change.*

Location	Date
Spadina Avenue east to St. George Street	September 19 to October
Spadina Avenue west to Bathurst Street	September 20 to November
Bathurst Street to Manning Ave. <i>direction of work to be confirmed</i>	October to December <i>cycle track work only</i>
University Avenue west to St George Street	October to early November
Bay St. west to University Avenue	November to December



WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

	<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"> • College Street will either fully close to through traffic or be reduced to a single travel lane. • North-south travel will continue to be permitted on Bathurst Street, Spadina Avenue, St. George Street / Beverly Street and Bay Street. • Streets north of College Street will be temporarily converted into two-way streets to facilitate traffic flow. Signs will be installed to manage these changes. • Access for emergency vehicles will always be maintained.
	<p>Sidewalk Access: Pedestrians will have safe access to sidewalks within the construction areas. If contractor needs to temporarily close sidewalks alternate routes will be provided. Pedestrians are not permitted to cross the work areas (north - south). Signage will be installed advising where to safely cross.</p>
	<p>College Street Bike Lane: The bike lane will be temporarily closed through the active work areas. Where possible, cyclists can merge into the available travel lane and ride single file with motorists, or dismount and use sidewalks.</p>
	<p>During this project, service on the 506 Carlton route will be impacted as follows: Effective at 5 a.m. on September 12, 2022 until further notice, stops on College Street between Bathurst Street and St George Street and on Carlton Street between Yonge Street and Jarvis Street will not be served.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 506 Carlton will divert both ways via Ossington Avenue, Dundas Street West, Dundas Street East, Parliament Street. • 506C Carlton replacement buses will operate between Ossington Station and Castle Frank Station, via Parliament Street, Gerrard Street East, Sherbourne Street, Carlton Street, Jarvis Street, Wellesley Street East, Yonge Street, College Street, St George Street, Harbord Street, Bathurst Street, College Street, Ossington Avenue both ways. • 306 Carlton will operate both ways via Gerrard Street East, Parliament Street, Carlton Street, Jarvis Street, Wellesley Street East, Yonge Street, College Street, St George Street, Harbord Street, Bathurst Street, College Street. <p>Customers can transfer between streetcars and replacement buses on College Street west of Ossington Avenue, or Gerrard Street East and Parliament Street. View the service adjustments in the Temporary Route. Visit: ttc.ca for accurate schedule information or call 416-393-4636</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

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