

July 16, 2024

Paving on Southbound University Avenue from Elm Street to Dundas Street West

Contract: 23ECS-LU-06SU
Start Date: November 13, 2023
Revised Start Date: November 27, 2023
End Date: July 31, 2024
**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto's work on southbound University Avenue from College Street to 120 meters north of Queen Street West is progressing well and anticipated to be completed on time. This notice is to provide an update on continuation of the paving operations.

From **Tuesday, July 16 at 9 pm to Wednesday, July 17 at 7 am** the contractor will close all traffic lanes on southbound University Avenue from Elm Street to Dundas Street West to accommodate paving operations. The Contractor is permitted to work 24 hours a day until the work can be completed and the roadway open to traffic. Emergency vehicle access will always be maintained.

When this overnight work is complete, regular work hours will resume, and the road will be opened to maintain a minimum of one lane in each direction. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this overnight work.

WORK STATUS TO DATE

The contractor has:

- Completed the watermain installation and water service connections along the west side of University Avenue from College Street to approximately 120 meters north of Queen Street West.
- Completed permanent road base restoration throughout the project site.
- Completed permanent road restoration and pavement markings between approximately 120 meters north of Queen Street West to Dundas Street West, southbound lanes.
- Removed and replaced concrete sidewalks and curbs impacted by construction.
- Restored boulevards and driveways impacted by construction.
- Constructed permanent bikeway dividers and green infrastructure features.





REMAINING WORK

The contractor will:

- Complete permanent road restoration and pavement markings of southbound lanes between Elm Street and Dundas Street West.
- Complete permanent road restoration of the bikeway between College Street and Dundas Street West.
- Complete bikeway pavement markings from College Street and Dundas Street West.
- Complete green infrastructure plantings.

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>Road and Sidewalk Access: In order to complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road, sidewalk and bikeway restrictions within the work zone. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times. A southbound bikeway detour along Beverly Street is available.</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 streets. Motorists are reminded that bicycles and cars will be sharing the lane. When driving, please be mindful of vulnerable road users. Traffic on southbound University Avenue from Elm Street to Dundas Street will be closed. After the overnight paving operations traffic will be opened to one southbound lane.</p>
	<p>Parking: This project will affect on-street parking. Parking on southbound University Avenue between College Street and Dundas Streets is not permitted as traffic will be closed. 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>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>

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.

Contract	23ECS-LU-06SU
Field Ambassador	Maegan Segne at 905-302-4923 or field.ambassador2@ghd.com
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/UniversityRosedale toronto.ca/Spadina-Fort York

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