

August 21, 2024

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE ON THE ESPLANADE FROM LOWER JARVIS STREET TO GEORGE STREET SOUTH

Contract: 23ECS-LU-04SU
Start Date: April 02, 2024
Expected End Date: December 31, 2024
**Content/dates subject to change.*

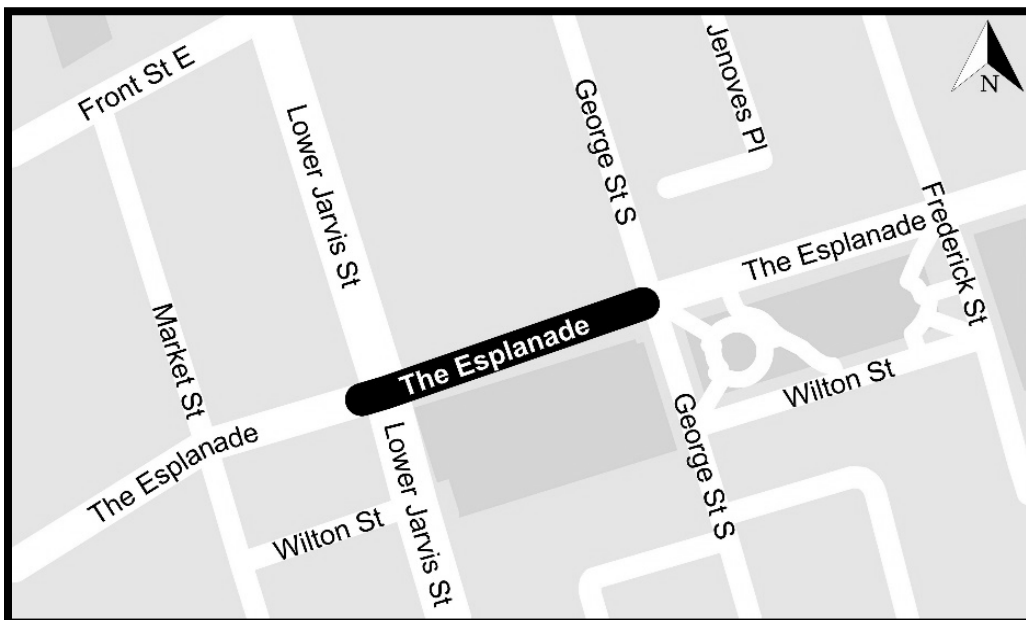
The City of Toronto’s work to replace the watermain, sewer, and the City-owned portion of substandard water services on The Esplanade, George Street South and other local roads are progressing well.

To safely facilitate the watermain and sewer construction work on The Esplanade, there will be a full road closure on the Esplanade from Lower Jarvis Street to George Street South to facilitate the replacement of the sewer. When safe and possible, the contractor will be expected to lift the road closure at the end of each workday.

The closure is expected to be in place from **September 9, 2024** to **September 20, 2024**. Please note that this timeline is weather dependant.

We apologize for this inconvenience. Your co-operation and patience are greatly appreciated.

MAP OF WORK AREA








WORK DETAILS

The City's contractor will:

- Excavate the road and dig a trench to access and install the new watermain.
- Replace any City-owned water service pipes that do not meet City standards from the watermain to the private property line.
- Resurface the road/watermain trench.

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 in the boulevard in front of homes and commercial properties is expected. This work includes removing and replacing driveways, municipal sidewalks, and grassed boulevards, where necessary.

	<p>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.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets. Motorists are reminded that bicycles and cars will be sharing the lane. When driving, please be mindful of vulnerable road users. Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A full road closure would be implemented restricting local traffic. • When safe and possible, the contractor will be expected to lift the road closure at the end of each workday.
	<p>Pedestrians: The work may require temporary sidewalk restrictions; however any necessary sidewalk closures will alternate in each direction to ensure pedestrian access is maintained during construction.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: To complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the work zone. Access for emergency vehicles will be always maintained.</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 always kept open.</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, inform the contact listed below.</p>



Parking: Parking in the active work zone is not permitted as space is needed for construction equipment and materials. This project will affect on-street parking. 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.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

Contract	23ECS-LU-04SU
Field Ambassador	Shiva Dharry, 647-282-8601, TorontoPM6@rvanderson.com
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/torontocentre toronto.ca/Spadina-Fort York Bikeway and road safety improvements: toronto.ca/EsplanadeMill

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