

September 23, 2024

## New Sidewalk Installation on Shaftesbury Avenue from Overbrook Place to Kennard Avenue

**Contract: 23ECS-LU-05FP**

**Start Date: October, 2024 End Date: December, 2024**

*\*Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto is planning to install a new sidewalk on Shaftesbury Avenue from Overbrook Place to Kennard Avenue. Sidewalks are a critical piece of transportation infrastructure which provide accessibility and safety for all, including vulnerable road users. Our data shows that sidewalk is missing on one side of the road.

This project is part of the Council-approved 2024 Capital Works Program. Installing new sidewalk is one way the City is committed to making the community safer and more accessible.

### MAP OF WORK AREA



### WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- Work crews will mark sidewalks and curbs requiring replacement and the locations of underground utilities, such as gas, water and cable so that the construction work does not interfere with these utilities.
- Affected properties will receive a Construction Notice approximately two weeks before work begins with more information about the work.
- The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately owned items on City property.

	<p><b>Accessible Accommodation:</b> 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 <b>Field Ambassador</b> listed below.</p>
	<p><b>Important information for owners of sprinkler systems / heated driveways and private landscaping features.</b> Property owners should remove items located within City property limits (boulevard) to avoid damage.</p> <p>This includes items such as landscaping (plants and pavers), decorative objects, sprinkler systems or heated driveways. If you have a sprinkler system or heated driveway, please contact the <b>Field Ambassador</b> listed below.</p>

**NEED MORE INFORMATION?**

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us.

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<b>TTY Hearing Impaired Service</b>	416-338-0889 (Daily 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
<b>General inquiries</b>	311
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://toronto.ca/yorkcentre">toronto.ca/yorkcentre</a>

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