

Wilby Crescent New Sidewalk Community Meeting #2 December 10, 2024



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Councillor Frances Nunziata City of Toronto, Ward 5 York South-Weston





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We acknowledge the land we are on is the traditional territory of many nations, including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. We also acknowledge that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit.



Agenda



- Welcome and Introductions (10 mins)
- Presentation (20 mins)
- Question and Answer (20 mins)
- Plan review and one on one discussions



Introductions



Project Team:

- Angela Au, Engineering and Construction Services, Local Roads
- Adam Popper, Transportation Services, Cycling and Pedestrian Projects
- Katherine Wilson, Transportation Services, Cycling and Pedestrian Projects



Purpose of this Event







To update the community about the proposed **permanent new sidewalk** on Wilby Crescent To provide an opportunity for the **community to ask questions** and provide feedback

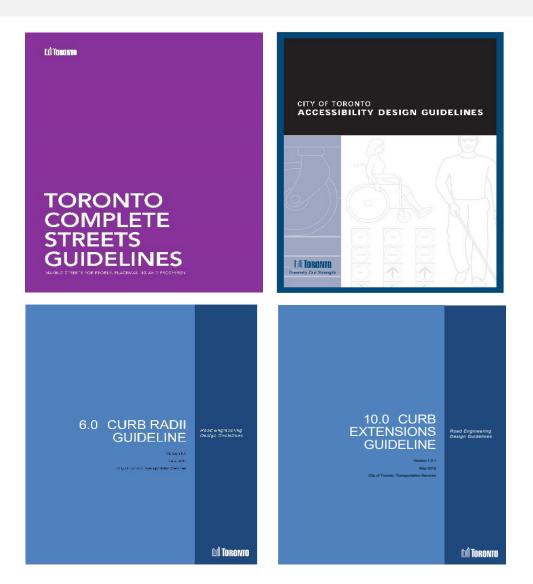


Policies and Guidelines

The City has a number of policies and guidelines in place to improve the design of streets for all road users.

They focus on:

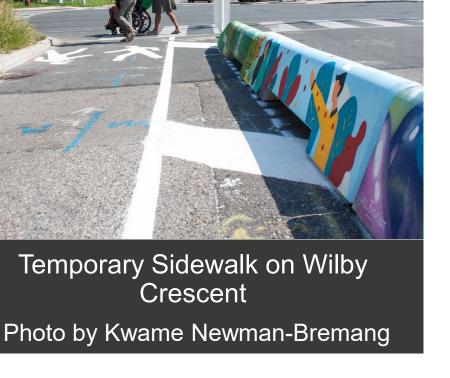
- Safety for all road users, particularly the most vulnerable
- Mobility for all ages
- Accessibility for everyone





Policies and Guidelines

- Sidewalks are a critical piece of infrastructure and provide a safe and accessible route for people to travel in the neighbourhood.
- City policy states that sidewalks should be built, where they are missing, on both sides of arterial and collector roads, and on one or both sides of local roads.
- Transportation Services reviews opportunities to install sidewalks on all roadway classifications through bundling with other state-of-good-repair roadway or utility work, as well as stand-alone delivery.





Project Updates

- Community meeting #1 held on January 16, 2024, at 10 Wilby Crescent.
- Temporary sidewalk of concrete barriers with street art installed on July 29, 2024.
- Parking amendments:
 - Installation of Toronto Parking Authority machines on the east side of Wilby Crescent.
 - Prohibition of parking at all times on the west side of Wilby Crescent.
- Detailed design of permanent sidewalk on west side at 60% completion.



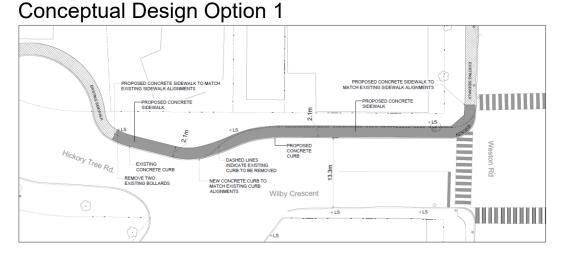
Temporary Sidewalk Installation on Wilby Crescent Photo by Kwame Newman-Bremang



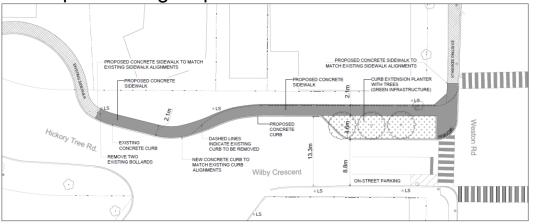


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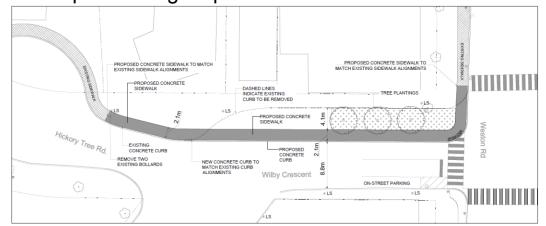
Conceptual Design Options



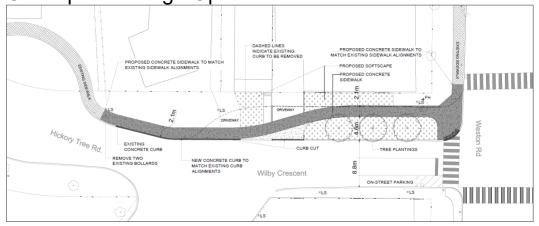
Conceptual Design Option 3



Conceptual Design Option 2



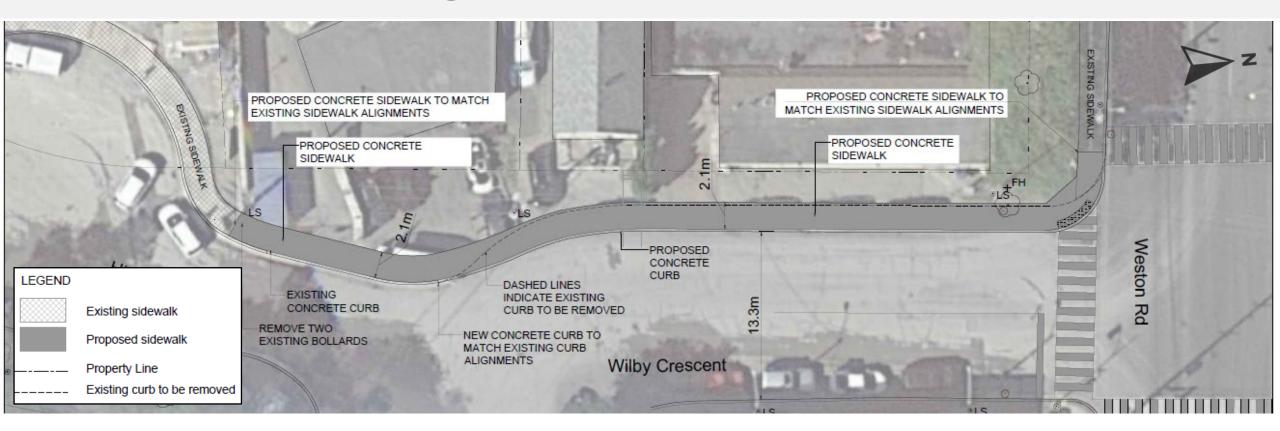
Conceptual Design Option 4



• Final sidewalk alignment and design elements confirmed during projects detail design.



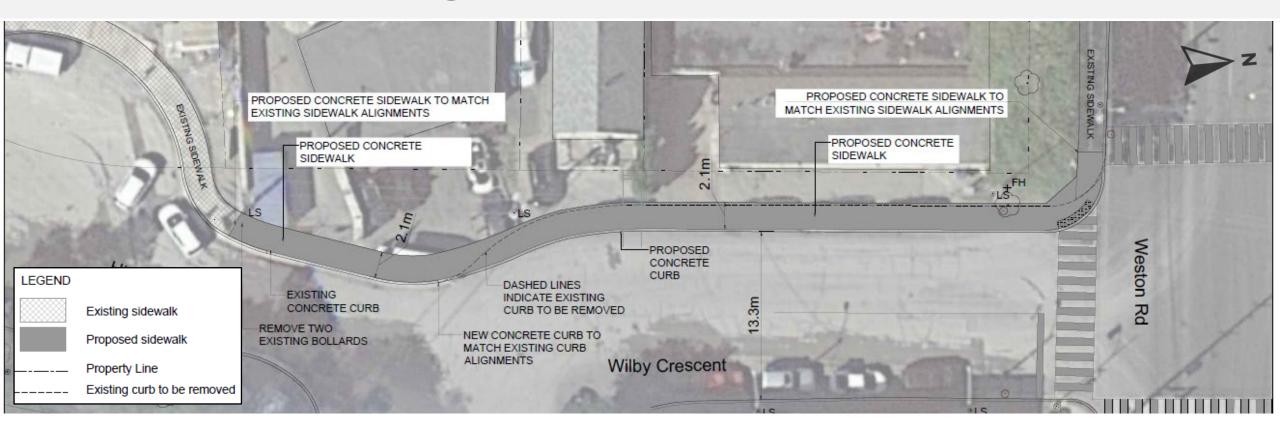




 Conceptual design options that narrowed the existing road width found sidewalk alignment would conflict with existing utilities with the proposed curb and gutter directly above several existing Bell and Rogers cables/conduits.



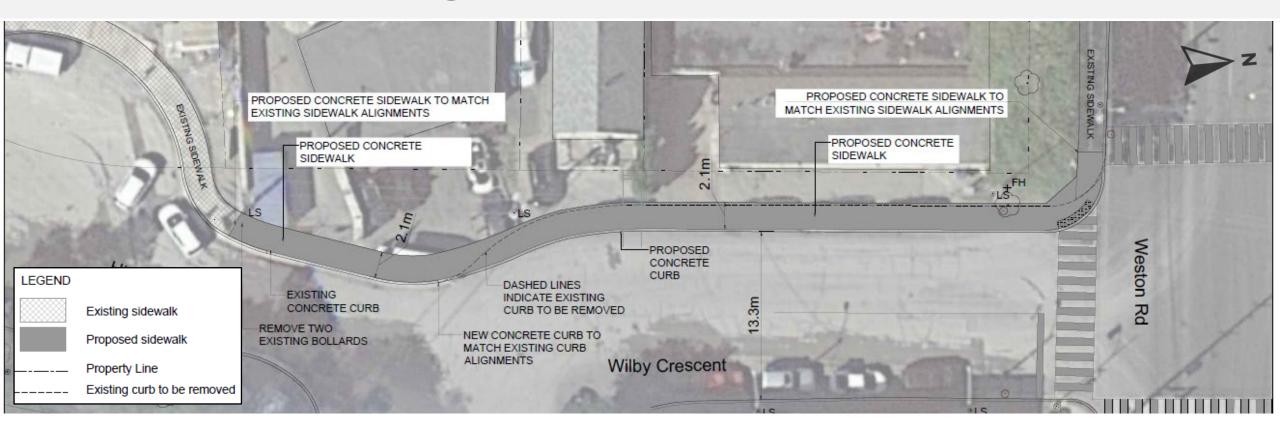
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• The location where tree planting were previously shown was found to be in between an existing gasmain and Bell conduits without enough vertical clearance.



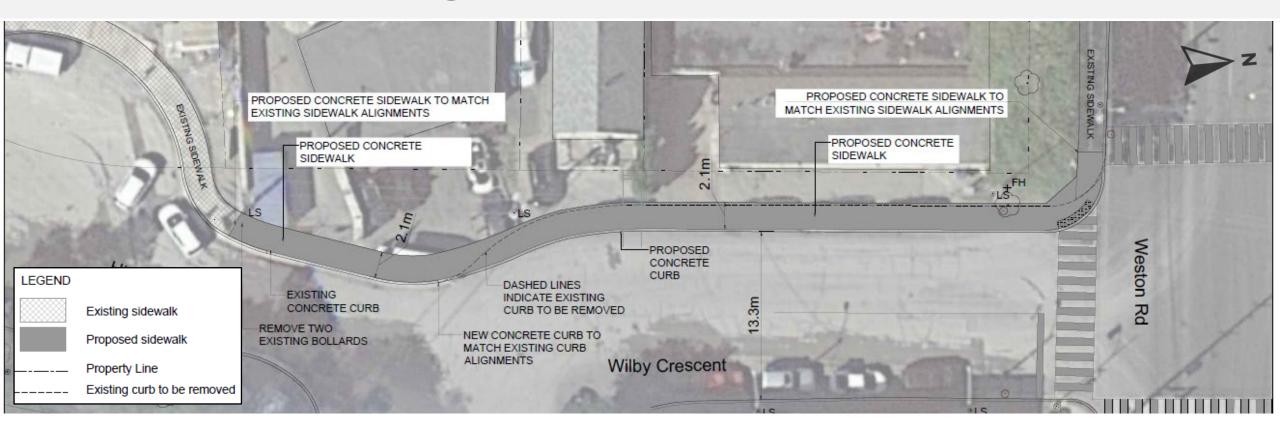
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 Based on these findings the curb line on the west side of Wilby Crescent has been adjusted to avoid conflicts and the tree planting and road narrowing previously proposed have been removed.



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• The permanent 2.1m new sidewalk alignment will follow the same alignment of the temporary sidewalk currently installed on the west side of Wilby Crescent.



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Anticipated Project Timeline

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- Detailed Design Finalized: Spring 2025
- Construction Contract Finalized: Summer 2025
- Start of Construction: Late Summer/ Early Fall 2025.
- * Timelines subject to change.



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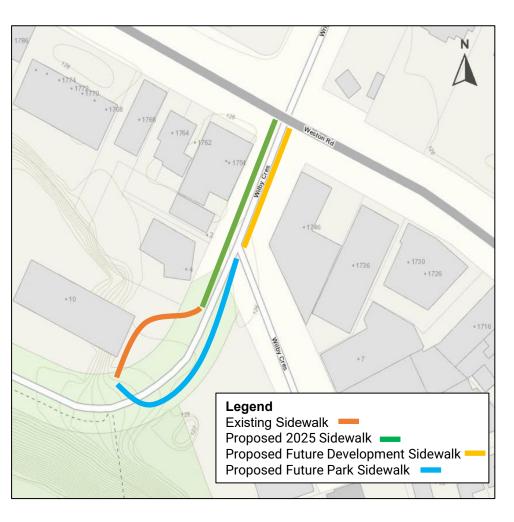
Existing sidewalk fronting 10 Wilby Crescent on west side.

Near term:

Planned permanent sidewalk on west side of Wilby Crescent in 2025.

Long term:

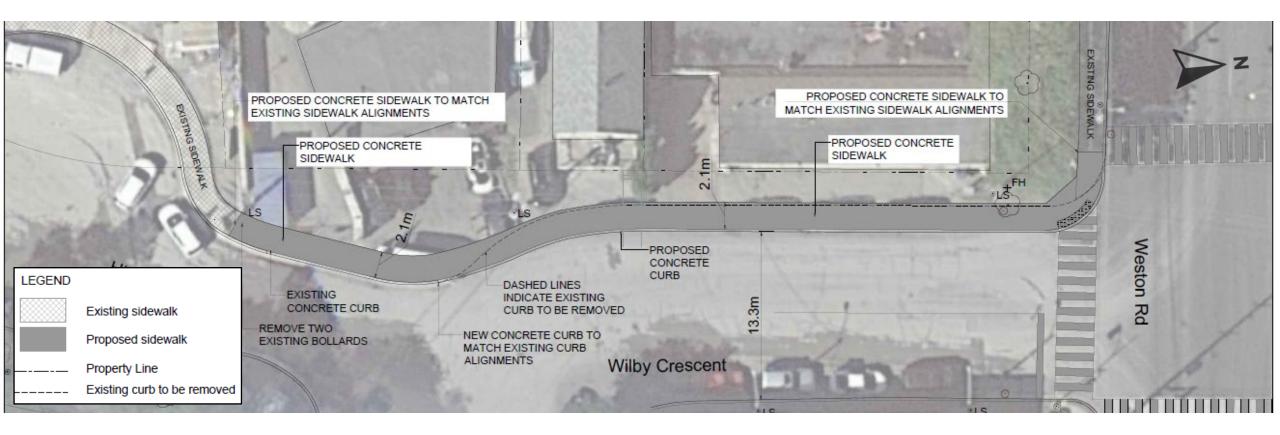
- 1736-1746 Weston Road development with planned sidewalk on east side, pending site plan approval.
 - Pedestrian connection to be incorporated into future park development.





Feedback and Comments?







Next Steps



- Update project website with meeting summary.
- Finalize detailed design of permanent sidewalk on west side of Wilby Crescent.
- Report to City Council for 2025 permanent sidewalk approval.
- Construction of permanent sidewalk begins summer/fall of 2025.

CONTACT US

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