

December 2, 2024

TTC Streetcar Track Renewal and Watermain Replacement at Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard

Contract: 24ECS-RD-09SW

Start Date: Mid February 2025 End Date: May 2025

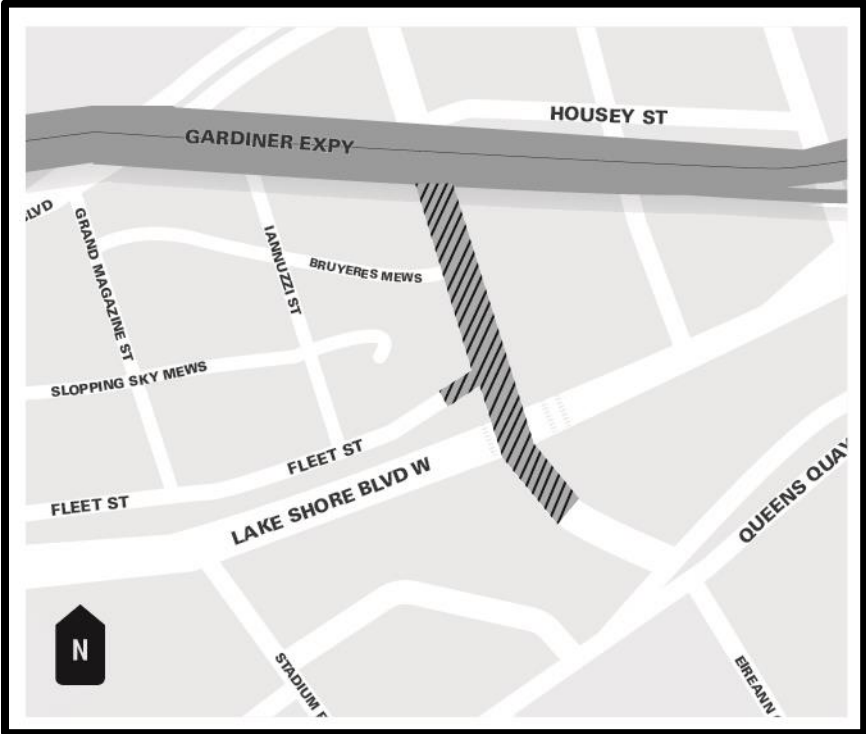
**Dates subject to change. More details will be provided in a future notice.*

The City of Toronto and the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) plan to renew aging streetcar tracks at the intersection of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard in 2025. The City will also replace the 105-year-old watermain at the intersection of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard West and complete streetscape improvements on Fleet Street including sidewalk widening and addition of public seating.

This work is required to bring City infrastructure to a state of good repair and is part of the Council-approved 2024 Capital Works Program.

During construction, vehicle lane closures and turn restrictions will affect travel through the project area. Subscribe to receive email updates about the project and travel impacts at toronto.ca/BathurstLakeShore.

MAP OF PROJECT AREA











CONSTRUCTION PHASES

Phase / Timing / Location <i>* subject to change</i>
Phase 1 – Mid February to March 2025 Watermain replacement work at Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard intersection.
Phase 2 – March 2025 to April 2025 Streetcar track renewal, north side of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard intersection to Streetscape improvements on Fleet Street.
Phase 3 – April 2025 to May 2025 Streetcar track renewal, south side of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard intersection

WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- Before construction begins, work crews will use spray paint to mark the locations of underground utilities, such as gas, water and cable so that the construction work does not interfere with these utilities.
- A Construction Notice will be distributed 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.

	Work Hours: Work will take place 24 hours, 7 days a week. Excavation activities and heavy breaking will be carried out at various times throughout the day. All concrete breaking activities will occur between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. Concrete breaking work is the most disruptive and will typically last the first 1-2 days for each phase of construction. Around-the-clock work during rail installation by TTC is required to preserve the integrity and quality of new rail and concrete. Overnight rail work by TTC may consist of moving new rail into position, rail installation and rail welding / grinding.
	Access to Your Property: The City-hired contractor may need access to the interior and exterior of your property to complete a pre-construction condition survey. Affected properties will receive a letter with a request to schedule the pre-construction condition survey. Although participation is voluntary, the pre-construction survey results may be useful to confirm claims for potential damage caused by City construction.
	Traffic Management: Efforts will be made to manage traffic and closures in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets during this project. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At a minimum, one travel lane will be maintained during Phases 1 and 3• During Phase 2, there will be no southbound travel on Bathurst Street.• No vehicle turning movements will be permitted at the intersection of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard for the duration of the project.• Eastbound left-turn restriction will apply on Fleet St at Bathurst St during Phases 1 and 2.• Temporary closures of sidewalks may be required. Pedestrian detours and signage will be in place. Access to businesses and properties will be maintained.• During construction, visit toronto.ca/BathurstLakeShore for full details and updates.
	TTC Service: During construction there will be temporary route changes to 509 Harbourfront and 511 Bathurst streetcars. Details about temporary route changes will be posted at ttc.ca/BathurstLakeShore . Information will also be provided in the Construction Notice that will be mailed two weeks before construction starts. If you have a mobility challenge, TTC encourages you to apply for temporary WheelTrans service as a means to safely and reliably get around during the upcoming work. Learn more how to apply at TTC.ca/WheelTrans or call 416-393-4111.
	Road and Sidewalk Access: To complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the construction work area. Please watch for signs directing pedestrians. 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. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times. Laneways: Laneways and driveways that serve businesses in the area will remain accessible for deliveries or service.
	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, please contact us at the information listed below.
	Deliveries: Businesses may want to consider adjusting delivery times as a result of the traffic restrictions during this project.
	Businesses will be open throughout construction. All are welcome to dine and shop.

MORE INFORMATION	
If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us.	
City of Toronto	Mark De Miglio, 416-395-7178, BathurstLakeShore@toronto.ca
TTC Community Liaison	Michael Vieira, 437-551-4609, BathurstLakeShore@ttc.ca
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/BathurstLakeShore ttc.ca/BathurstLakeShore

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