

April 10, 2025

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: End of May 2025*
**Dates are subject to change.*

The City of Toronto and the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) are continuing work to renew aging streetcar tracks at the Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard West intersection and replace the 105-year-old watermain. This project is now anticipated to be complete by the end of May 2025.

Starting the week of April 14 until the end of May, work will be carried out at the south side of the intersection. A minimum of one lane in each direction will be maintained for vehicle travel on Bathurst Street and on Lake Shore Boulevard West through the intersection.

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.

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MAP OF WORK AREA

Phase 3 - TTC streetcar track replacement







CONSTRUCTION PHASES

Phase / Timing / Location	Travel Impacts
Phase 3 – Week of April 14 to end of May 2025 Streetcar track renewal on south side of intersection of Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard West.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">At a minimum one lane in each direction on Bathurst Street and Lake Shore Boulevard will be maintained.No turning movements permitted at the intersection with the exception of westbound right turns from Lake Shore Boulevard.Temporary closures of sidewalks may be required.Pedestrian detours and signage will be in place.Access to businesses and properties will be maintained.

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.

	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.
	Traffic Management: Efforts will be made to manage traffic and closures in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. To avoid delays and increased traffic congestion, travellers not destined to this area are advised to use nearby major streets to get around the intersection. During construction, visit toronto.ca/BathurstLakeShore for full details and updates.
	TTC Service: The TTC is continuing to temporarily divert 509 Harbourfront and 511 Bathurst service around the active work zone at the Bathurst Street, Fleet Street and Lake Shore Boulevard East intersection as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 509 Harbourfront streetcars continue to be temporarily suspended. Service is being maintained by 510A Spadina streetcars, which are operating between Spadina Station and Union Station.• 509B Harbourfront replacement buses continue to operate between Exhibition Loop and Spadina Avenue with eastbound buses resuming service through the Bathurst Street and Fleet Street intersection via Bathurst Street and Queens Quay West as early as Friday, April 12, 2025.• 511 Bathurst streetcars continue to operate between Bathurst Station and King Street West.• 511B Bathurst replacement buses continue to operate between Exhibition Loop and Queen Street West.• 307 Bathurst overnight bus service will not be impacted. <p>If you have a mobility challenge, TTC encourages you to apply for a temporary Wheel-Trans service to safely and reliably get around the road restrictions associated with the upcoming project. Apply online at TTC.ca/Wheel-Trans or call 416-393-4111 if you have any questions. For more information about TTC service please visit: ttc.ca/BathurstLakeShore</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, please contact us at the information listed below.

MORE INFORMATION

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

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