

Construction Update #1

August 22, 2025

Road Resurfacing, Watermain Replacement and Sidewalk Replacement on Sorauren Avenue from Dundas Street W to Queen Street W and Virtue Street from Sorauren Avenue to East End Limit

Contract: 25ECS-RD-05RR

NEW Start Date: Mid-September Expected End Date: Spring 2026

*Timeline is subject to change.

This notice provides an update on the planned watermain, road resurfacing and sidewalk replacement work previously scheduled to start in early August. Due to delays in the contract award process the start date for this construction project has been revised to commence in mid September.

Once construction scheduling and staging with our contractor has been determined another construction update will be circulated with information regarding on street parking during construction.

MAP OF WORK AREA



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 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.



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.

 During construction traffic on Sorauren Avenue will be reduced to one lane with traffic personnel.



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Road and Sidewalk Access: To complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the construction work zone. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times. **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.



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.



People Cycling: Travel will be reduced to one shared lane in each direction for people cycling and driving through the work zone.



Parking: This project will affect on-street parking. Parking in the active work zone is not permitted as space is needed for construction equipment and materials. 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. Additional information regarding on street parking during construction will be provided in the next construction update



Parking Violation Notice: Please ensure you park in a legal parking spot at all times. If parking enforcement is called to a street, officers must issue a yellow parking violation notice (ticket) to vehicles in violation of parking by-laws. If you receive a yellow notice during this construction work, please do one of the following within 15 days of the notice date to avoid additional fines or records being kept of non-payment:

- 1. Pay the parking violation (follow instructions on the back of the notice) or
- 2. File a Parking Violation Dispute with the City online, by mail, or in person (follow instructions on the back of the notice). As part of the dispute process, you may include the construction notice and/or other documentation related to parking impacts resulting from construction.

If you do not have a copy of the Construction Notice, please contact 311 to request a copy. **Please note**: Violation notices cannot be cancelled if vehicles are parked in illegal parking spots (e.g. in front of a fire hydrant or in No Parking zones). In an effort to reduce ticketing due to construction, please exercise patience with neighbours who are experiencing construction impacts and may need to temporarily park on your street.



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.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

| Contract | 25ECS-RD-05RR |
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| Project Manager | Local_Roads_Enquiries@toronto.ca |
| City Councillor | councillor_perks@toronto.ca / phone: 416-392-7919. |
| Deaf, Hard of hearing and | Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) |
| hearing impaired service | Dial 711 (24/7) |
| General inquiries | 311 |
| Website | Toronto.ca /parkdalehighpark |

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