

Construction Notice

August 12, 2025

Road Rehabilitation on Winona Drive from Vaughan Road to Eglinton Avenue West

Contract: 25ECS-RD-12MR
Start Date: end of August 2025 End Date: December 2025
*Timeline is subject to change.

The City of Toronto is beginning road resurfacing on Winona Drive from north of Vaughan Road to south of Belvidere Avenue and road reconstruction Winona Drive from north of Belvidere Avenue to south of Eglinton Avenue West. Inspection of the road shows that it needs replacement, and sections of curbs, gutters and sidewalks need to be replaced to bring them to a state-of-good-repair. Existing pavement markings, including those for the contra-flow bike lanes, will be reinstated.

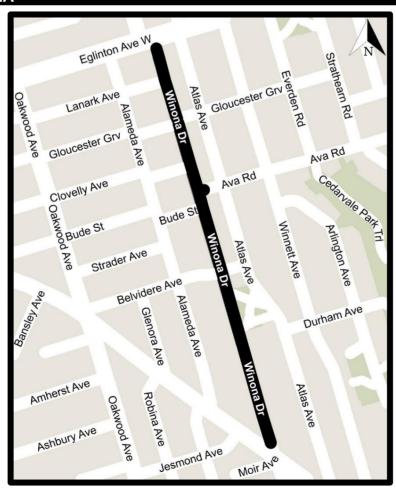
Road resurfacing involves removing and replacing the asphalt road surface. Road reconstruction includes removal and replacement of the asphalt surface as well as the concrete road base.

The road work provides an opportunity to improve road safety for all users. Improvements include intersection upgrades, curb extensions, raised crosswalks at Lanark Avenue, Clovelly Avenue and Bude Street, and raised intersections at Belvidere Avenue and Ava Road. New east-west pedestrian crossings will be added at the intersection of Gloucester Grove and Winona Drive. Two new midblock curb extensions will be added on Winona Drive next to Laughlin Park to shorten crossing distances and improve sightlines near park entrances.

This project is part of the Council-approved 2025 Capital Works Program to renew aging roads and sidewalks for current and future needs and the Vision Zero Road Safety Plan to eliminate traffic fatalities and serious injuries.

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MAP OF WORK AREA





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WORK DETAILS

Phase / Timing / Location * subject to change

Phase 1 – Sidewalk work from Vaughan Road to Eglinton Avenue End of August to September 2025

Crews will carry out concrete work including curb and sidewalk replacement and curb extensions.

Phase 2 – Reconstruction from Belvidere Avenue to Eglinton Avenue September to November 2025

Crews will remove the asphalt surface and concrete base of the road, pour new concrete and place new asphalt, one block at a time, from Eglinton Avenue to Belvidere Avenue.

Phase 3 – Resurfacing from Vaughan Road to Belvidere Avenue November to December 2025

Crews will remove the existing asphalt surface of the road and place new asphalt from north of Vaughan Road to south of Belvidere Avenue, reconstruct the Belvidere Avenue intersection, and complete a top layer of asphalt and line marking from Vaughan Road to Eglinton Avenue.

Travel Impacts * subject to change

- Temporary closures of sidewalks may be required. Pedestrian detours and signage will be in place.
- Temporary impacts to driveway access.
 Notification will be provided to impacted properties in advance indicating timelines and alternative parking arrangements.
- Phase 2 work will require full closure of Winona Drive to vehicles, one block at a time.

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.



Pre-Construction Inspection: WHS, under contract to the City of Toronto, will survey all properties within 30 metres of the construction area before construction starts. The inspection will look at the interior and exterior of all properties to verify existing conditions. Although participation is voluntary, the City encourages all homeowners to participate. Without the survey, it will be difficult to confirm any claims of damage caused by construction.

Affected properties will receive a separate notice to set up an appointment. All inspection staff will wear photo I.D. and carry photo equipment for this work.



On-Site Communication: There are times when contractors need to communicate with homeowners about what is happening on-site. This could be about driveway access, water shut offs, pre-construction inspections, and site restoration work (landscaping, installing pavers etc.). Contractor's staff will be identifiable by their high-visibility company branded clothing. If you need to speak with staff about the construction site, please contact the City of Toronto listed below or ask for the Site Inspector.



Important information for owners of sprinkler systems / heated driveways and private landscaping features. Property owners should remove items located within City property limits (boulevard) to avoid damage.

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 City of Toronto listed below.



Telephone and Internet Services: This work may affect phone and internet cables for individual properties that aren't buried deep below the sidewalk. Residents who find their service has been disrupted should contact the **Field Ambassador** and notify their phone or internet service provider.



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



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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.



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.



Cycling: During construction the bike lane on Winona Drive will be temporarily closed through the work zone. Signs will be posted directing people cycling and people driving to share the lane, single file, 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.



Parking Violation Notices: <u>Please ensure you park in a legal parking spot at all times.</u> 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 in order 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 (i.e. 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.



Garbage and Recycling: Please follow your normal routine. If required, the contractor will move bins to an appropriate location and return them. *Please ensure that you label your bins with your address.*



Restoration: The construction work area will be restored with sod, concrete and/or asphalt where required. Interlocking bricks, flagstone on a granular base, or other similar features that are removed from public and private property during construction will be replaced. Lawn seeding and/or laying of sod will be done as needed during ideal growing seasons only - in the spring (April to June) and fall (September to October).

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

| Contract | 25ECS-RD-12MR |
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| Project Contact | Mark De Miglio, 416-395-7178, roadconstruction@toronto.ca |
| Deaf, Hard of hearing and Hearing impaired service | Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) Dial 711 (24/7) |
| General inquiries | 311 |
| Website | toronto.ca/torontostpauls |

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