

October 21, 2026

Watermain Replacement and Road Resurfacing on Grosvenor Street from Queen's Park Crescent East to Yonge Street; and Queen's Park Crescent East from College Street to Queen's Park

Contract: 24ECS-LU-10SU

Start Date: September 22, 2025 | End Date: December 31, 2026

**Timeline is subject to change.*

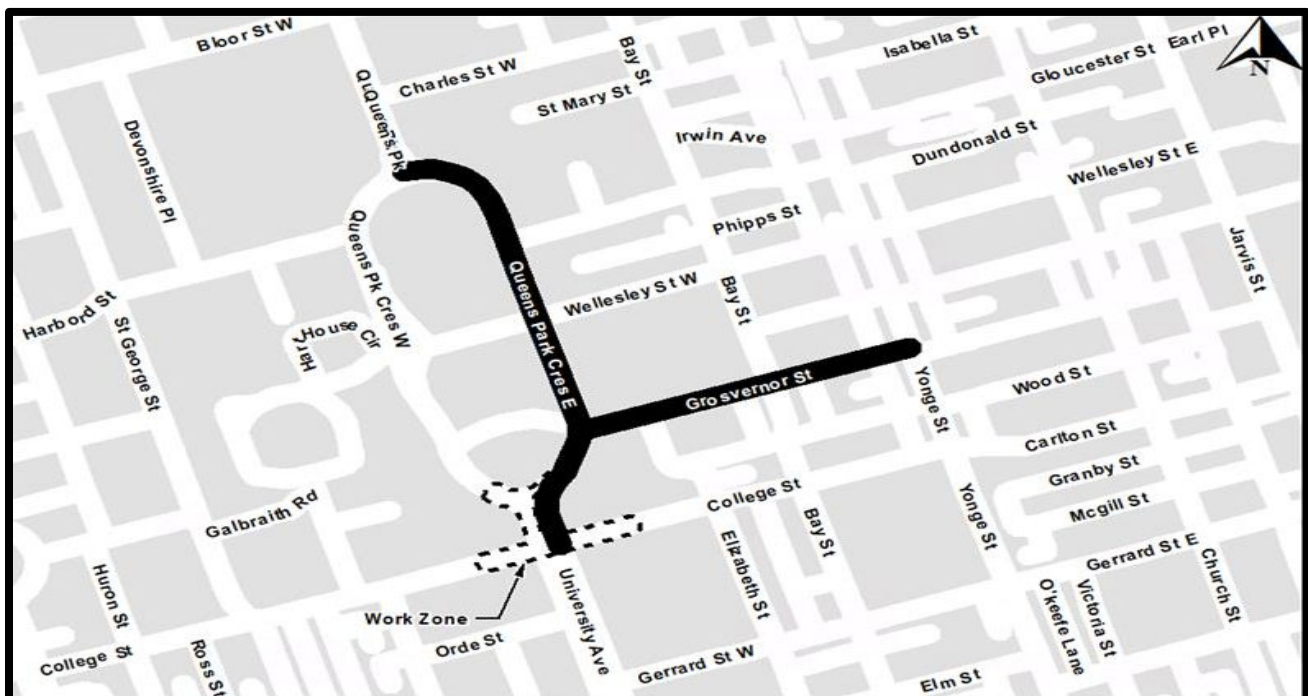
This notice provides an update on the City of Toronto's watermain replacement and road resurfacing work on Grosvenor Street and Queen's Park Crescent.

From **Monday, October 26 to Friday, November 6, 2026**, contractor crews will complete the watermain connections and permanent restoration on Queen's Park from Queen's Park Crescent to College Street intersection. During this work, **two southbound median lanes on Queen's Park will be closed, and one westbound curb lane on College Street will be closed.**

Please note that work schedules may change based on weather or underground conditions. Every effort will be made to minimize disruptions and maintain access for residents, businesses, pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists wherever possible.

This project is part of the Council-approved 2024 Capital Works Program to renew our aging infrastructure, improve water distribution and reduce the risk of watermain breaks.

MAP OF WORK AREA



WORK DETAILS

The City's contractor will:

- Excavate the road and connect the new watermain to existing watermain.
- Permanently restore the watermain trench. Milling and paving will follow at a future date.

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 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.
	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. 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 streets. When driving, please be mindful of vulnerable road users such as pedestrians and cyclists. Motorists are reminded to share the lane with cyclists, who have the right to utilize the full lane when riding with mixed traffic. When passing a cyclist, the Highway Traffic Act requires motorists maintain a minimum distance of one metre between their vehicle and the cyclist. <u>October 26 to October 30</u> There will be no access between Queen's Park Crescent East and Queen's Park Crescent West through the median crossover north of College Street: • Northbound traffic on Queen's Park will not be permitted to U-turn into Queen's Park southbound traffic. • Southbound traffic on Queen's Park Crescent West will not be permitted to loop with Queen's Park Crescent East northbound traffic. <u>October 26 to November 6</u> Southbound traffic on Queen's Park will be reduced to a single curb lane, which will remain open for traffic travelling through to University Avenue or turning westbound onto College Street. Southbound traffic on Queen's Park will not be permitted to turn eastbound onto College Street. One westbound curb lane on College Street will be closed approaching the Queen's Park intersection. Motorists are encouraged to allow extra travel time and follow all posted traffic control signage.

	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. The north side of the crosswalk at the intersection of Queen's Park and College Street will be closed, and pedestrians will be detoured to the south-side crosswalk. Pedestrians should follow all posted detour signage when travelling through the area.
	Cyclists: Westbound cyclists on College Street will be required to merge single file with traffic through the work zone.
	Accessible Accommodation: The City's contractor must Queens Park 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, contact the Field Ambassador listed below.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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

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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.