

October 7, 2016

## Road Resurfacing on Pharmacy Avenue from Ellesmere Road to the north side of the CPR Bridge

**Contract #: 16ECS-TI-11MR**

**Expected Start Date: July 21, 2016**

**Expected End Date: November 30, 2016**

*\*Timeline is subject to change.*

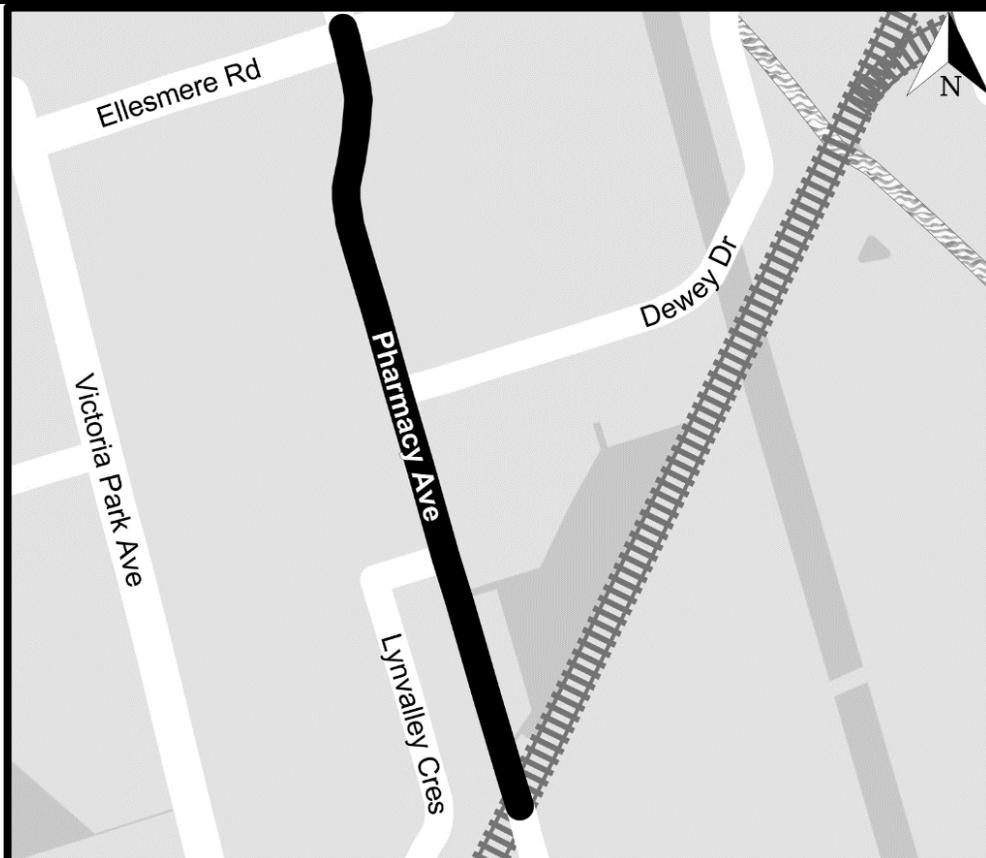
The City of Toronto has been resurfacing the road on Pharmacy Avenue from Ellesmere Road to the north side of the CPR Bridge to bring the road, curb and sidewalk to a good state of repair.

While work has progressed well, the City is extending the work on Pharmacy Avenue.

In the coming weeks, the City's contractor will return to areas where work was completed to replace sections of curb that if kept in place, the workmanship will not last and they won't provide the best access to the road as possible.

Updated driveway notices will be provided to all residents affected prior to the completion of the work. This work will be completed within the original November 30 deadline.

### MAP OF WORK AREA



### WORK DETAIL UPDATE

The contractor will return after the October long weekend to:

- Repair curbs, gutters and driveways
- Complete the remaining work, including paving and boulevard restoration, associated with this contract.

### 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.
- Property owners should remove items located within City property limits (boulevard), such as landscaping and / or decorative objects. If you have a sprinkler system within the boulevard, please contact the Project Manager.

- The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately owned items on City property.

	<p><b>Work Hours:</b> Work will take place from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday, with work after hours and on Sundays as required.</p> <p>Extended work hours help to minimize traffic disruption, congestion and to shorten the project duration.</p>
	<p><b>Road and Sidewalk Access:</b> In order 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.</p> <p><b>Driveway Access:</b> 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.</p>
	<p><b>Traffic Management:</b> Efforts have been made to manage traffic 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.</p> <p><b>In some stages of the work, traffic on Pharmacy Avenue will be reduced to one lane.</b></p>
	<p><b>Parking:</b> Parking in the active work zone is not permitted due to space requirements for construction equipment and materials. If your parked vehicle affects the construction work, it will be re-located with no charge to the owner. If your vehicle is moved, please contact parking control for its location at <b>416-808-2222</b>.</p>
	<p><b>Garbage &amp; Recycling:</b> Please follow your normal routine. If required, the contractor will move bins to an appropriate location and return them. <b><i>Please ensure that you label your bins with your address.</i></b></p>
	<p><b>Restoration:</b> The construction work area will be restored with sod 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).</p>

**NEED MORE INFORMATION?**

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote **Contract #16ECS-TI-11MR**.

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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.