

March 7, 2017

EMERGENCY WORK

Elms Park and Snaresbrook Sanitary Trunk Sewer Erosion Protection

Expected Start Date: March 2017
 Expected Completion Date: Fall 2017

The City of Toronto's Elms Park and Snaresbrook Sanitary Trunk Sewer carries wastewater from homes and businesses in Etobicoke, and some surrounding areas, to the Humber Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Sections of the trunk sewer pipe are located in Berry Creek and are in danger of becoming exposed due to creek erosion. The City of Toronto will be conducting emergency work in two areas to reinforce the creek banks in order to protect the trunk sewer.

WORK DETAILS




In order to complete the emergency work, crews will do the following:

- Use the existing walking path that runs north of the creek to bring equipment on-site. The equipment will be stored in work areas that are located on the north side of the Creek east of Islington.
- Build temporary ramps in the work area, in order to access the creek banks
- Cut back overgrown trees and brush on the creek banks
- Reinforce the creek bank with stone, soil and vegetation
- In some areas, crews will also be removing sediment from the creek bed in order to help improve the flow of water and minimize the risk of future erosion.

Once the work is completed, crews will repair the walking path and surrounding vegetation, as needed. All work will be done according to seasonal planting guidelines and is being carried out in consultation with Toronto and Region Conservation Authority and the City of Toronto's Parks, Forestry and Recreation division.

A map of the work area can be found on the back page.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

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|  | <p>Work Hours: Work will be completed in accordance with the City's Noise By-law between 7:00 am to 7:00 pm, Monday to Friday, with occasional work after hours and on weekends if required.</p> |
|  | <p>Pedestrian Access: To complete the work safely, the following areas will be closed to the public throughout the duration of the project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elms Park Trail between Islington Avenue and the eastern work area • The Kipling and Snaresbrook work area <p>Please see the map for more information. Temporary fencing and signs will be erected around the construction site to protect the public.</p> |
|  | <p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area of the access routes for the safety of workers, road users and residents. There will be increased truck traffic on Islington Avenue for material delivery.</p> |

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

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| Website | toronto.ca/improvements |
| General inquiries | 311 |
| TTY Hearing Impaired Service | 416-338-0889 (7 Days a week, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, closed holidays) |

MAP OF WORK AREA

Elms Park



Kipling and Snaresbrook

