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Road Resurfacing on Renforth Drive from Rathburn Road to Gentian Drive and from south of Convair Drive to Carlingview Drive

Contract: 17ECS-TI-20MR
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End Date: September 30, 2017

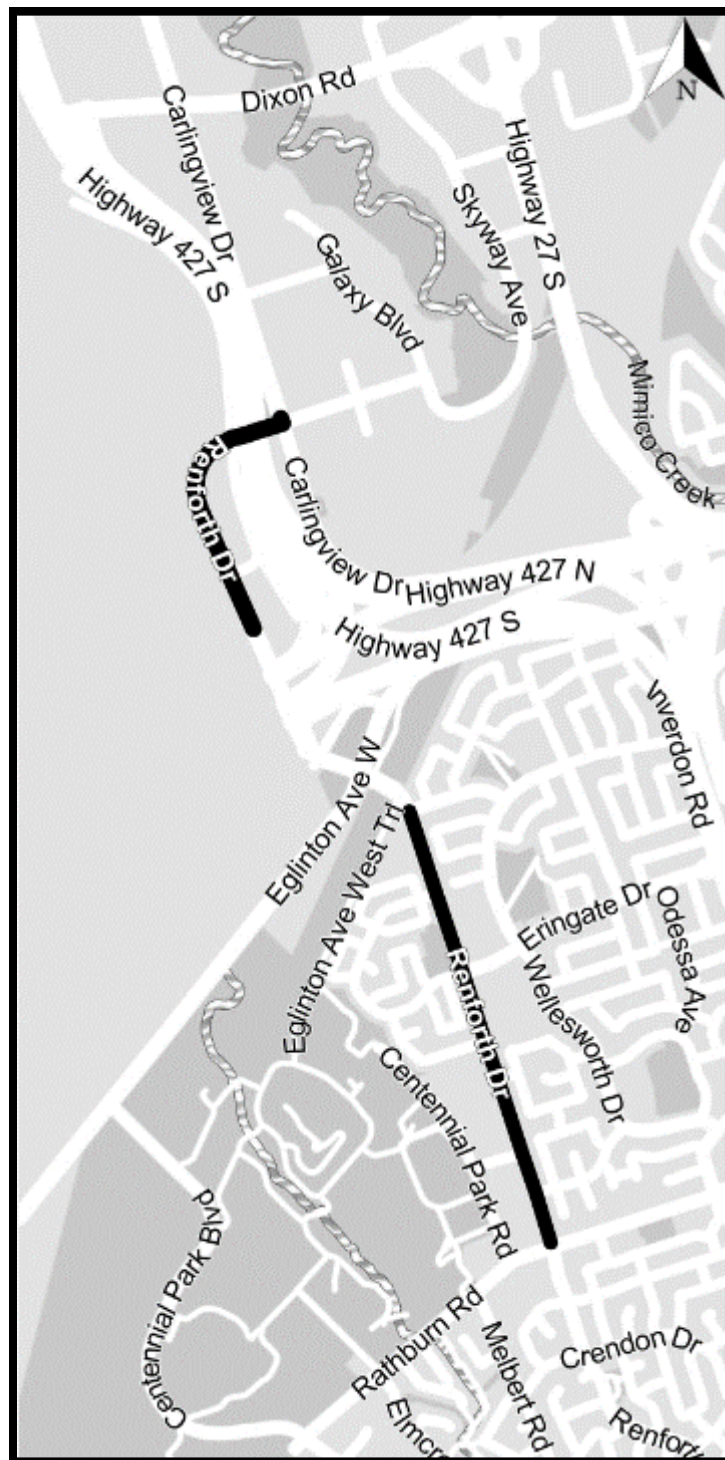
**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto will resurface Renforth Drive from Rathburn Road to Gentian Drive, and from 300 m south of Convair Drive to Carlingview Drive.

Our inspection of the road shows that it needs repaving and sections of damaged curb and sidewalk need to be replaced to bring them to a state of good repair. This project will also involve adding some painted cycling lanes.

This work is part of the Council-approved 2017 Capital Works Program to renew aging city roads and sidewalk for current and future needs.

MAP OF WORK AREA



WORK DETAILS


The City's contractor will:

- Dig up the road surface
- Re-align maintenance holes and catch basins
- Repair curbs, gutters and driveways
- Repave the road surface
- Paint cycling lanes

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>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7:00 am to 11:00 pm., Monday to Friday. There may be some weekend work, but it will not start earlier than 9:00 am.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: 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>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.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. Some of these efforts include adding Local Access signs, revising traffic signal times. Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets.</p> <p>Traffic on Renforth Drive will be reduced to one lane in each direction.</p> <p>The work will take place in half of the roadway in each phase, starting from Rathburn Road to Gentian Drive.</p>
	<p>Parking: 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 416-808-2222.</p>
	<p>Garbage & 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.</p>
	<p>Transit Service Impacts: This project may affect travel times for the 112 West Mall Bus and various MiWay Routes. Visit ttc.ca or mississauga.ca/portal/miway for accurate schedule information.</p>
	<p>Restoration: 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>

BICYCLE LANES



As part of this road resurfacing project, Transportation Services is providing more space at the curb lane for cycling with the installation of painted bicycle lanes. These cycling improvements on Renforth Drive will connect to and extend the existing bicycle lanes south of Rathburn Road, and connect to the existing and planned multi-use trail at Eglinton Avenue West. The existing two traffic lanes in each direction will remain.

A public consultation event was held earlier in 2017. The overall community response has been accepting and supportive of the bike lanes. More information about these bike lanes is online at toronto.ca/cycling/renforth

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote **Contract #17ECS-TI-20MR**.

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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.