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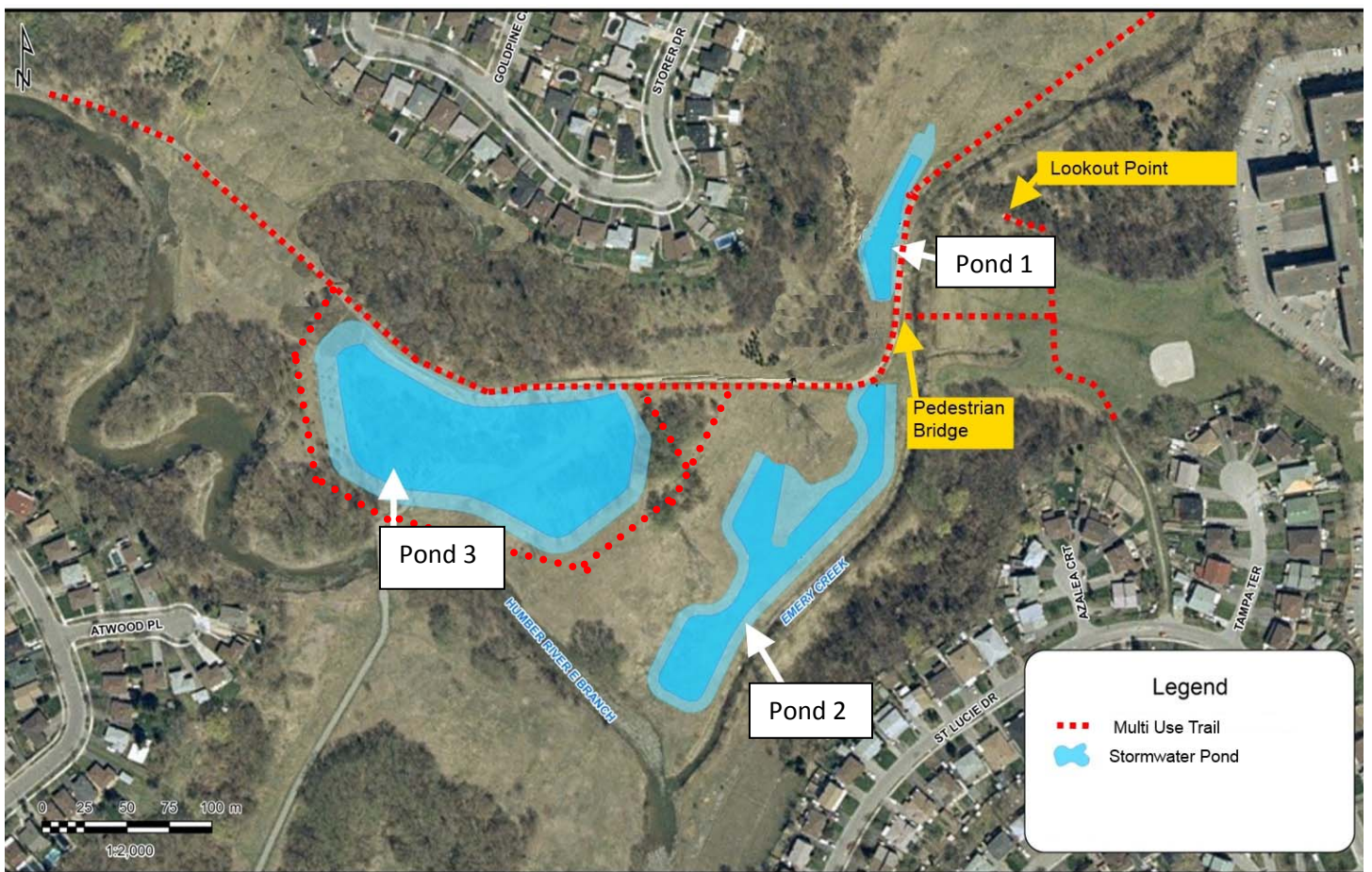
Emery Creek Stormwater Management Ponds

Contract: 14FS-20WP Start Date: Early 2016 End Date: Early 2018

**Timeline is subject to change (weather permitting).*

The City of Toronto is continuing construction of stormwater management ponds/wetland in the Emery Creek Hydro Corridor. The main function of the ponds/wetland is to improve water quality in Emery Creek and Humber River. This project is part of the City Council-approved 2017 Capital Works Program. **The multi-use path off St. Lucie Drive between Azalea Court/Tempa Terrace to St. Lucie Park will be closed for safety reason until spring 2018. Clear signage has been posted.**

MAP OF WORK AREA



Emery Creek Pond 2 – nearing completion



Earl Bales ponds multi-use trail






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WORK DETAILS

The **stormwater management ponds/wetland construction** details as follow:

- Three connected ponds/wetland that will cover an area of almost 3 hectares.
- The depth of the ponds/wetland will gradually increase to a maximum 4 metres. Safety signage will be clearly posted.
- Almost 600 new shrubs and trees are being planted around the ponds/wetland
- A lookout point will be constructed of armour stone; it will have an area for seating with educational signage.
- A new 1 kilometre asphalt multi-use trail around the ponds/wetland extending north to Weston Road/Lanyard Bike System and west to the Albion path.
- Existing paths will be connected to allow for vehicular maintenance access.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm., Monday to Friday.</p> <p>The City/its contractor will follow the Noise Bylaw requirements. Area residents will be notified and the project website updated in the event that work hour changes are required.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: Access to public roads and sidewalks will not be affected. Access to the Emery Creek path is restricted during construction: pedestrian access through Storer Drive will only allow access to go west to Humber River/Humber Bridge. The pathway from St. Lucie Drive will be closed for the remainder of the project.</p> <p>To minimize area traffic and noise disturbances, some of the soil that is in good condition will be kept on-site to create a berm for the wetlands (raised bank bordering the wetlands). Construction vehicles will enter the site from the northwest Hydro Corridor entrance at Weston Road.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Vehicular access to the construction site will be restricted to the constructor and City staff only. No impact to local traffic is anticipated.</p>
	<p>Parking: Parking in the active work zone is not permitted.</p> <p>Construction vehicle parking will only be permitted in designated locations within the Emery Creek valley.</p>
	<p>Restoration: To minimize dust caused by construction activities and earth stockpiling on-site, a silt barrier will be used. Additionally during construction, Weston Road will be swept as required and water will be used as needed to control dust. The construction work area will be restored with 50% more shrubs and trees replanted upon project completion.</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote

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<p>General inquiries</p>	<p>3-1-1 - 24 hours</p>
<p>Website</p>	<p>www.toronto.ca/emerycreek</p>

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