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Streetcar Track Replacement and Intersection Improvements at Dundas Street East and Parliament Street

Contract: 17ECS-TI-14SP

Expected Start Date: May, 2017

Expected End Date: June, 2017

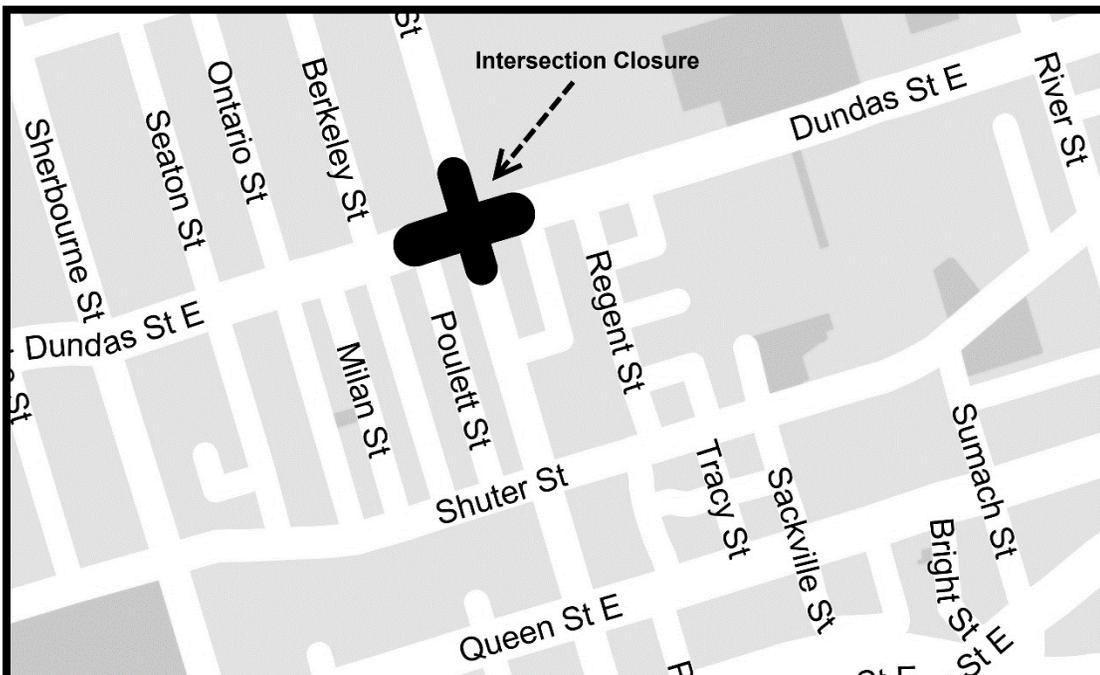
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This summer, the City of Toronto and the Toronto Transit Commission will replace the streetcar tracks at the intersection of Dundas Street East and Parliament Street. **To accommodate this work, the intersection will be completely closed for three weeks, exact dates will be announced at a later date.**

This project will also involve partial reconstruction of the sidewalk and partial asphalt resurfacing of the roadway. This work is required to bring the track infrastructure and nearby road and sidewalks to a state of good repair. This project is part of the Council-approved 2017 Capital Works Program.

You may receive more than one Pre-Construction or Construction Notice from the City of Toronto. There are a number of projects planned on or near Dundas Street East this summer. You can sign up for email updates using the webpage listed on page 2.

MAP OF WORK AREA



WORK DETAILS

For this project, crews will:

- remove the concrete and old streetcar track, replace the concrete and install new track
- repair sidewalks for accessibility improvements
- restore the road and sidewalks where necessary

	<p>24/7 Work Hours: Work on this project will take place 24 hours 7 days a week. The work hours will be split between the City's contractor and TTC staff working on the track. Extended work hours help to minimize traffic disruption and congestion and shorten the project duration in order to return regular transit service through the area as quickly as possible.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. 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. Detours and road closure information will be provided in the Construction Notice.</p>

	<p>During the intersection closure;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 505 Dundas streetcars and 65 Parliament buses will be diverted around the closure. • A 505 Dundas shuttle bus service will operate between Broadview Avenue and Bay Street, diverting around other construction on Dundas Street between Church Street and Yonge Street. <p>Visit: ttc.ca for accurate schedule information</p>
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WHAT TO EXPECT BEFORE CONSTRUCTION

- Work crews will mark sidewalks and curbs to be replaced and underground utilities, such as gas, water and cable.
- A Construction notice confirming the start date and more details of the work will be delivered to affected properties approximately 2 – 3 weeks prior to the start of the project.
- Work in the boulevards in front of homes and commercial properties is expected. Further notice will be provided to property owners who must remove items located within City property limits (boulevard).

 	<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 area.</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. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.</p> <p>Laneways: Laneways and driveways that serve businesses in the area will remain accessible for deliveries or service</p> <p>Accommodation: Residents that require accommodation must contact the project manager to arrange for access during construction.</p>
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MORE INFORMATION:

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

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TTC Community Liaison	Diego Sinagoga, 416-393-2197, diego.sinagoga@ttc.ca
TTY Hearing Impaired Service	416-338-0889 (Daily 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, closed holidays)
General inquiries	311
Website	toronto.ca/downtownconstructionprojects or ttc.ca

Thank you for your patience. Building a great city takes time. Better infrastructure for all of us is worth the wait.