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Cast Iron Watermain Replacement on Victoria Park Avenue and Gerrard Street East

Expected Start Date: Late Spring 2015
Expected Completion Date: Spring 2016

Starting in late spring 2015, the City of Toronto is proposing to replace small sections of cast iron watermain along Victoria Park Avenue and Gerrard Street East. The map included in this notice shows the proposed area of construction. The proposed construction will involve approximately 340 metres of watermain replacement along Victoria Park Avenue from Gerrard Street to just south of Wakehood Street. The replacement along Gerrard Street will extend from Kingswood Road to Blantyre Avenue, an approximate length of 400 metres.

Project Details

The scope of work includes the replacement of the watermain. Most of the construction method will be open cut, except for the portion that will be tunnelled under the railway bridge crossing Victoria Park Avenue. The roads within the work area will be fully restored after construction.

Temporary lane closures and parking restrictions near construction zones are required, but local access and emergency traffic will be maintained at all times. The proposed daily construction duration will likely be extended hours from 6:00 AM to 9:00 PM on Gerrard Street and 6:00 AM to 11:00 PM on Victoria Park Avenue. This will help further minimize impacts by reducing construction duration.

The potential construction sequencing is expected to be as below:

- Phase 1: Victoria Park Construction (Spring / Summer 2015);
- Gerrard St. East of Victoria Park (Summer / Fall 2015) ;
- Gerrard St. West of Victoria Park (Fall 2015 – Winter 2016); and
- Final cleanup and connection at all ends (Spring 2016).

Construction Work in Road Right of Way

Property owners may have planted landscaping, fences, irrigation systems or other physical features in front of their home that are within the City property limits. These may be in the way of the construction. In such cases, residents are advised to remove these items prior to the beginning of construction in order to avoid unnecessary damage. The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately owned items installed on the City's property

Map of Work Area



For more information:

More updated information on the project schedule will be provided in a future notice prior to work beginning in late Spring 2015.

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