



City of Owen Sound 16th Street East Rehabilitation and Infrastructure Improvements Construction Information



Construction Information

In 2019, the City of Owen Sound successfully applied for Connecting Link grant funding and was awarded \$933,427.00 by the Province of Ontario. As a result, the City is undertaking asphalt rehabilitation and various infrastructure improvements along the 16th Street East corridor from 9th Avenue East to 16th Avenue East.

The Works generally include:

- Asphalt rehabilitation along 16th Street East from 9th Avenue to 16th Avenue East
- Replacement of water distribution system between 12th Avenue and 16th Avenue East
- Completing the sidewalk link along the south corridor from 12th Avenue to 16th Avenue East
- Lowering of sanitary main along 16th Avenue East through the intersection of 16th Street East to facilitate nearby development
- Completing watermain jumper at the northeast corner of 10th Street East and 16th Avenue East

A temporary watermain will be installed to all buildings impacted by the proposed water system improvements on 16th Street East.

Through a tendering process, the City has awarded the construction contract to Harold Sutherland Construction Ltd., who are scheduled to mobilize the week of August 25th, 2020. Construction activities will advance in a progressive manner and are expected to be complete by the end of first week of November 2020. The work is expected to take 11 weeks.

Property Access

16th Street East will be maintained with at least two lanes of traffic (one eastbound & one westbound) for the duration of the work. Our priority is to have negligible impact on driveway access to all local businesses and residents. We will be exploring alternatives to ensure continued driveway access is maintained for residents, customers and deliveries.

Emergency access and fire protection will be maintained at all times.

Landscaping

Landowners should remove private landscape features and plants within and encroaching on the

Right-of-way prior to construction if saving these items is desirable.

Damaged laneways and walkways caused by construction shall be restored to existing or better condition.

Property Impacts

Some incidental vibration and noise from construction should be expected. Residents and business owners should remove valuables and pictures from walls.

You may wish to photograph your home or property with a date stamped camera, to record pre-construction conditions. Should you notice any damage or changes to the condition of your property, please notify the contractor as soon as possible. Don't wait until the project is complete to bring it to their attention. The contractor is responsible for assessing and monitoring any construction related impacts to private property in the area around construction.

Utility Interruptions

Electrical, cable, telephone, gas and internet services should not be affected by this construction. Water service may briefly be shut off during temporary watermain hook up and final reconnection. The contractor will provide notification prior to any interruptions with the services.

Notification of water service interruption will be provided at least 24 hours in advance by the contractor.

Garbage & Recycling

If the City collects your garbage and recycling, on the normal collection day, place all garbage and recyclable materials at the front of your property as usual. The contractor will remove these items and take them outside of the construction zone for pickup by the solid waste collection contractor. ***Please mark your address clearly on your garbage and recycling containers so they can be returned to the correct owner by the contractor. It is very important that you take your garbage and recyclable items to the front of your***

property by 7:00a.m. Otherwise they might not be picked up.

Special Needs

If you require service from specialized transit, wheelchair access, home care visits etc. please contact the Site Inspector or Site Supervisor (see below).

Deliveries

We ask that you contact the Site Inspector or Site Supervisor (see below) to ensure deliveries can be accommodated.

Site Safety

Construction involves the use of heavy equipment and the unavoidable creation of obstacles (excavations, etc.). Children should be accompanied by an adult around any construction.

The contractor is required to conduct the work in a safe manner, including fencing of deep excavations, if required. We ask that you take extra caution during the construction period to ensure everyone's safety.

Project Contacts

WSP Canada Inc. is administering the project on behalf of the City. If you have any questions regarding the construction see contact information below.

Contact Info

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