Investigative work at Eglinton Avenue East and Don Mills Rd

Expected start date: Monday, November 20, 2023

Expected duration: One day

Hours of work: 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Map of work area:



What is happening?

- On Monday, November 20, 2023, investigative work at Eglinton and Don Mills will take place to verify ground conditions and locations of existing utilities to prepare for Ontario Line construction.
- Construction equipment including a hydro-vacuum truck, saws, and hand-held devices will be required to complete this work.
- Crews must use non-mechanical excavation methods (hydro-vacuuming) when working within 2 meters of buried utilities to ensure public and worker safety and protect the utilities from damage.
- This work will take place between 10 a.m. 3 p.m. for one day.

What to expect

- Residents and businesses near the work site can expect to hear some noise from the equipment listed above.
- Short-term traffic lane and sidewalk closure on the northeast corner of Eglinton Avenue East and Don Mills will be required to safely complete this work.
- Two lanes of traffic will be maintained throughout the work. Traffic control personnel will be present while this work takes place.
- Work crews will create a test pit and conduct utility investigations to evaluate ground conditions and determine the position of subsurface utilities.
- To identify locates, there will be some paint markings and staking.
- Crews will do their best to keep the dust impact low by adding water when performing saw
- Traffic barrels, fencing, and barricades will be set up to provide barriers between pedestrians, cyclists, and traffic.
- Work may be delayed or rescheduled due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

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