

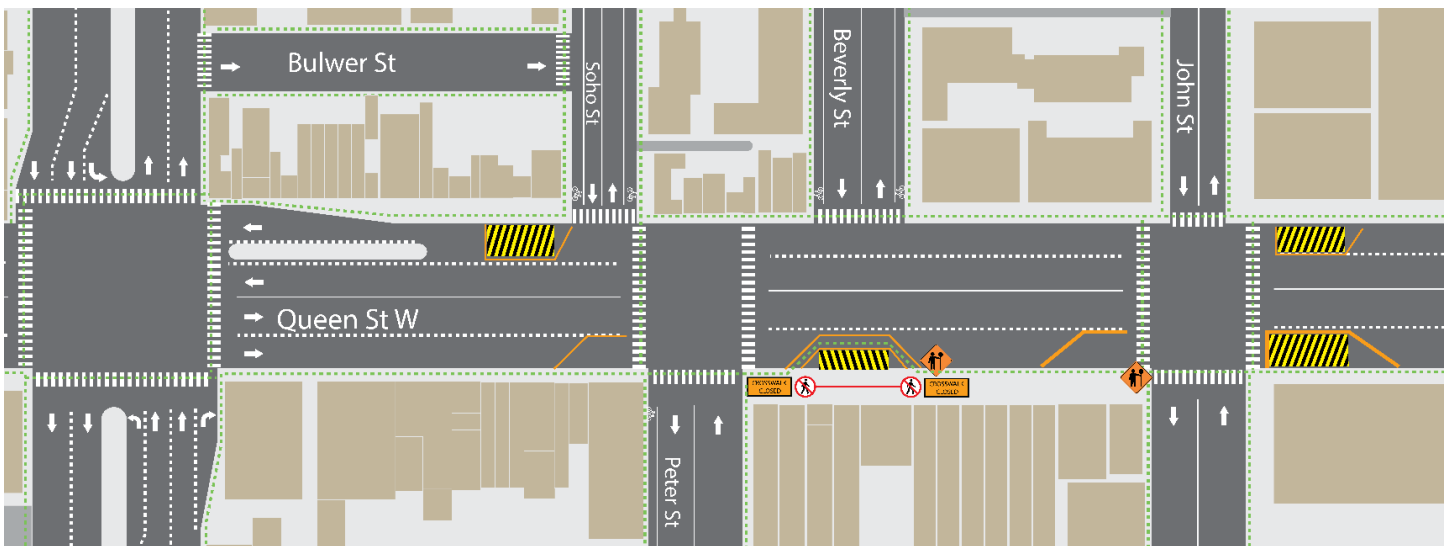
Installation of utility monitoring devices: Queen St West, Augusta Avenue and Portland Street

Expected start date: As early as March 6, 2024

Expected duration: Approximately one (1) month.





Hours of work: Weekdays (Monday-Friday), 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Map of Work Area: Queen Street West, East of Spadina Avenue



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-  Pedestrian travel route
-  Work zone
-  Sidewalk closure
-  Barrier

What is happening?

- Crews are conducting investigative utility works on **Queen Street West, Augusta Avenue** and **Portland Street**, as indicated in the areas shown in yellow on the maps above.
- Underground monitoring devices will be installed in the identified locations to investigate utilities and ground conditions in the area to prepare for the future construction of Ontario Line subway tunnels and Queen-Spadina station.
- Work crews will occasionally return to the work zones in the future to perform maintenance on devices in the future.
- Crews will complete each segment of work independently, moving within the various locations identified on the map. Intermittent closures of sidewalks and traffic lanes around active work zones can be expected.

What to expect

- The work is scheduled to begin as early as March 6, 2024, and is expected to be completed within one (1) month.
- Work will take place on weekdays, (Monday-Friday), between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., however crews may be onsite prior to 7:00 a.m. to set up equipment.
- Area residents and businesses can expect to hear noise from work equipment, specifically hydrovac trucks or drills as required to assess underground utilities and ground conditions. Crews will take measures to minimize noise impacts wherever possible.
- All closures for work are temporary and intermittent; areas will only be closed while crews are surveying the specific areas. The areas will be returned to public use upon completion of the monitoring device installation.

Queen Street West intermittent partial closures (as noted in the map above):

- Some sidewalk closures will be in place on Queen Street West during active work.
- Pedestrian passage will be maintained with the use of barriers to separate pedestrians from active work zones where sidewalk closure is required.
- Flag-persons will be present to guide traffic.
- Signage will be posted advising of restrictions.

Augusta Avenue intermittent partial closures (as noted in the map above):

- Work will take place at the intersection with Graffiti Alley, on the westside curb lane.
- Pedestrian access will be maintained with the use of barriers to separate pedestrians from live traffic and active work zones.
- Flag-persons will be present to guide traffic.
- Signage will be posted advising of restrictions.

Portland Street intermittent partial closures (as noted in the map above):

- Pedestrian passage will be maintained and with the use of barriers to separate pedestrians from active work zones.
- Flag-persons will be present to guide traffic.
- Signage will be posted advising restrictions.

Note: Access may resume prior to 7:00 p.m. if works are completed ahead of schedule.

- Transit services will be maintained.
- After each work shift, each area will be securely covered and marked for safety until workers return or the work is complete. The areas will be returned to public after completion of the monitoring device installation.
- All the necessary construction permits have been obtained.
- Work may be postponed or rescheduled due to unforeseen circumstances.
- Crews will return to the work zones in the future for maintenance of installed devices.
- For more information about upcoming station work please see metrolinx.com/Ontarioline or sign up for the e-newsletter.

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