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## River Street At Mark Street Watermain Construction

Expected Project Start Date: November 2014  
Expected Completion Date: December 2014

Starting in November, the City of Toronto will be making its final connection to the new 1650 watermain at the location of Mark and River Street

This work is part of the Gerrard Watermain Replacement project, which is necessary to increase capacity and maintain the safety and reliability of the water supply. This project is part of the cast iron watermain replacement program.

A total of about 10 work areas across the city are required for this watermain replacement project over the next three and a half years. See the full map at [www.toronto.ca/GerrardWM](http://www.toronto.ca/GerrardWM)

Your co-operation and patience during the construction period is crucial and appreciated.

### Construction Details

Construction work will include large scale drilling, digging, deep tunnel boring work, extensive soil removal and the installation of new large piping. You will be notified if there are any significant changes to the construction schedule or work to be undertaken.

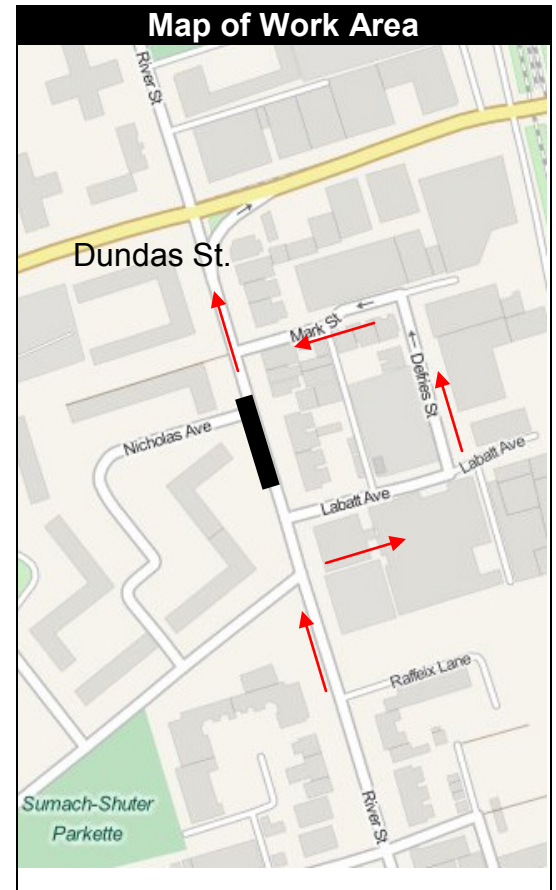
### Disruptions

As with all construction projects, there will be noise, dust and temporary inconveniences. In order to complete the work effectively and in a safe manner, the following traffic and sidewalk restrictions will be necessary;

- River Street will be reduced to South Bound only for approximately 5 weeks forcing traffic to reroute around the site using Labatt and Mark Street.

### The Work Zone

The North bound lanes of River Street in the area of Mark Street will be closed during the period of this work.



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Pedestrians will have sidewalk access around the work zone for the duration

The Mark St. North bound bicycle lanes will be closed at the work zone. The South bound bicycle lanes will remain open.

On-street parking will not be permitted in and around the work zone.

## Work Hours

Work will typically take place from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. from Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.

## Curbside Waste Collection

Please continue to set your garbage, recycling and green bins out as per your normal schedule. If required, the contractor will temporarily move bins to an appropriate location and return them promptly.

**Please label your bins with your address**

If the construction causes you any challenges, please contact the construction site supervisor listed below.

The contractor will further notify you of any other temporary disruptions.

Every effort will be made to reduce inconveniences. The City appreciates your understanding and co-operation.



*Example tunnel shaft*



## For More Information

Project website: [www.toronto.ca/GerrardWM](http://www.toronto.ca/GerrardWM)

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