



July 4, 2023

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE #8: IN-WATER PIPES IN EAST BAYFRONT

Background

Waterfront Toronto is working on the final piece of a large Stormwater Management System that services East Bayfront, the West Don Lands and future communities north of the Keating Channel.

The final piece includes construction of in-water pipes along the section of the Water's Edge Promenade (WEP) spanning the foot of Sherbourne Common from approximately Dockside Drive to the southern point of 15 Merchants' Wharf, also known as the Aqualina at Bayside condos. When complete, the in-water pipes will convey stormwater to the Cherry Street Stormwater Management Facility where it will be treated to remove pollutants before the water flows to Lake Ontario.

Updates:

Construction Fencing

Beginning July 4, the construction fencing installed along 160 metres of the Water's Edge Promenade (WEP) will be removed to increase the width of the WEP for pedestrian and cyclist access. A temporary fence has been placed along the southern edge of the WEP closest to the water to protect the In-Water Pipes. Pedestrians and cyclists will still have access to the full length of the WEP during this time.

This work is expected to take up to 5 days to complete.

Water's Edge Promenade (WEP) Restoration

After the outer fence is removed, work will begin to restore the WEP back to its original condition. This work will remove the weeds within the construction fencing and ensure the stonework is in its pre-construction condition. In areas where gaps have been created by weeds between the stonework, polymeric jointing sand will be used to fill in the gaps to create a seamless Promenade.

The restoration work is expected to take up to 5 days to complete. During this time, pedestrians and cyclists will have access to the full length of the WEP.

Weekend Construction

Construction work will continue on occasional Saturdays until the completion of the in-water pipe along the Water's Edge Promenade (WEP), pending appropriate weather conditions.

As per the City of Toronto's bylaw, construction work on Saturday will take place between the hours of 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. on the waterside of the Water's Edge Promenade.

During construction, moderate vibrations and noise near the site are expected as well as vessels in the water.

Timeline

The anticipated completion of construction on the project is summer 2023.

About the Stormwater Management System



For more information about the Stormwater Management System, the Cherry Street Stormwater Management Facility and how the in-water pipes connect to this system, please refer to our [project page](#).

QUESTIONS

Please send your questions to info@waterfronttoronto.ca