



October 4, 2023

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE #5: Legacy Art Project Toronto

Background

The Legacy Art Project is a public space dedicated to the spirit of courage, determination, and action that Terry Fox embodied.

The project design titled, '*We Are Shaped by the Obstacles We Face*,' was conceived by artist Jon Sasaki and landscape architects DTAH during a nationwide call for proposals by Legacy Art Project Toronto in collaboration with Art+Public.

Located on Queens Quay West, east of the Toronto Music Garden, along the Martin Goodman Trail, construction of the Legacy Art Project began in July 2023, with completion in fall 2023.

The park is made possible by individual donors, the Government of Canada through the Federal Economic Development Agency for Southern Ontario, the City of Toronto, and the Waterfront Business Improvement Area (BIA). Waterfront Toronto is the project manager and a key partner.

Completion

Construction for the Legacy Art Project is nearing completion. On October 5, 2023, our contractor, Somerville Construction, will remove the construction fencing around the park.

During the construction fence removal moderate noise and an increase in construction vehicle traffic is expected.

To ensure the successful establishment of the young plants and prevent them from being damaged during this critical growing period, temporary protective fencing around the plantings will remain in place for approximately one (1) year, however, this period could be extended, if required. They plants will continue to be monitored and maintained to ensure their long-term success and the optimal park experience.

Remaining Installations

The installation of public art signage and a sculpture located at the northeastern corner of the site is anticipated in November 2023. Minimal disruptions and full park access are expected during the installation period.

Questions

For more information on the project please visit the [visit the Legacy Art Project Toronto website](#).

For any specific questions or concerns related to construction of the project please email Waterfront Toronto at info@waterfrontoronto.ca.