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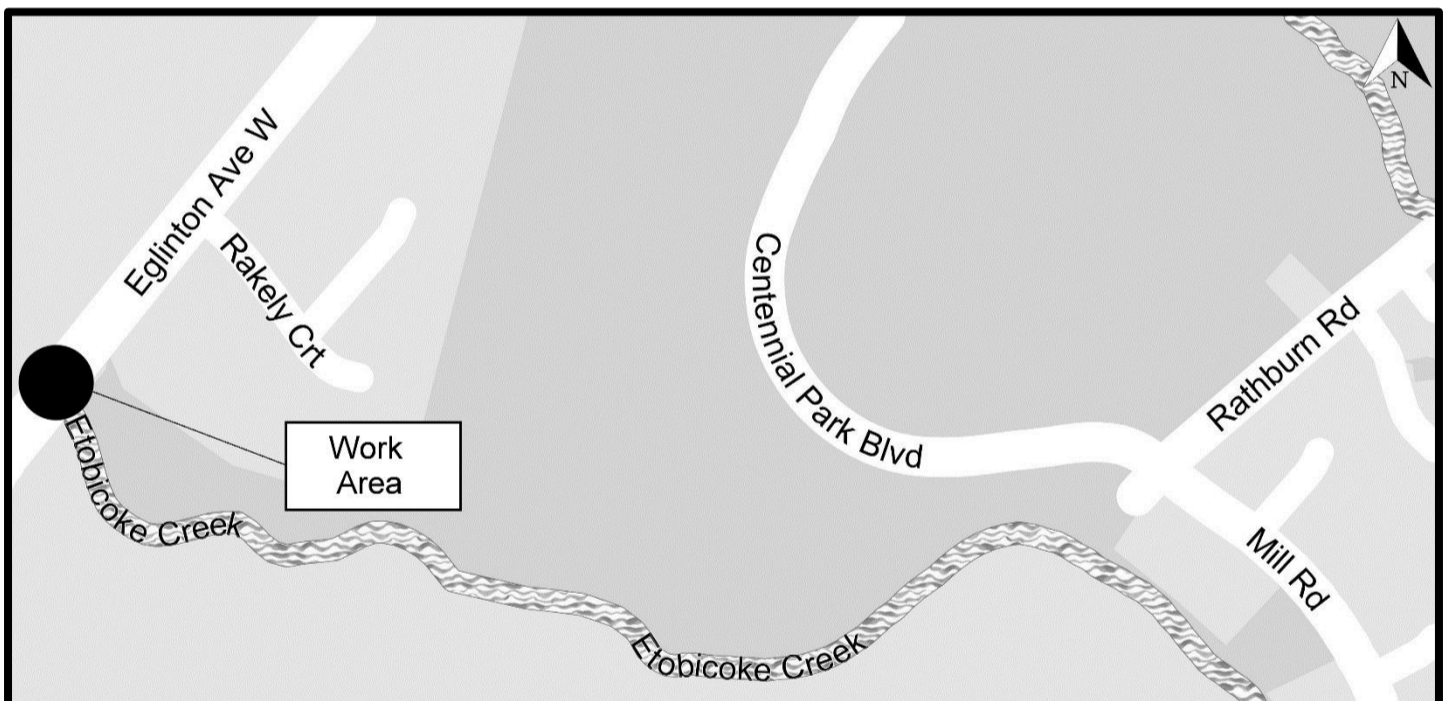
Eglinton Avenue Bridge Rehabilitation over Etobicoke Creek

Contract: 17ECS-TI-05BE
Expected Start Date: April 2017
Expected End Date: November 2017
**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Toronto will rehabilitate the Eglinton Avenue Bridge over Etobicoke Creek. This work also includes rehabilitating the creek underneath and upstream of the bridge.

This work will ensure that the bridge meets today's standards and remains safe for vehicles and pedestrians into the future. The Creek restoration involves straightening the creek under the bridge and erosion protection work. The project is part of the Council-approved 2017 Capital Works Program.

MAP OF WORK AREA








WORK DETAILS

Construction crews will:

- Repair and refurbish all components of the existing bridge structure at road level and underneath but not the Bus Rapid Transit portion as that work was completed by the City of Mississauga.
- Reconstruct the south sidewalk
- Remove and replace the concrete path under the bridge.
- Remove and replace the slope paving underneath the bridge.
- Waterproof the bridge deck and resurface the road.
- Realign Etobicoke Creek to run straighter under the bridge and reduce erosion around the bridge and upstream
- Restore all areas disturbed by the works to include planting shrubs and trees in the Etobicoke Creek Valley.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- You may experience dust, noise and other inconveniences. The City will make efforts to reduce impacts. We appreciate your patience.

	<p>Work Hours: Work will take place from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, with work after hours and on weekends as required.</p>
	<p>Road and Sidewalk Access: In order to complete the work in a safe manner, there will be road and sidewalk restrictions within the construction work area. During construction of the south sidewalk, pedestrian movements will be maintained by providing a fenced off and protected corridor.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management: Efforts have been made to manage traffic in the area for the safety of workers, road users and residents. Road users should expect delays and increased traffic on nearby main and side streets.</p> <p>Eglinton Avenue will be reduced to one lane in each direction to accommodate the work on the bridge surface.</p>
	<p>Restoration: The construction work area will be restored with sod and/or asphalt where required. Interlocking bricks, flagstone on a granular base, or other similar features that are removed during construction will be replaced.</p>
	<p>Transit Service: This project will affect travel times of Mississauga Transit Routes that travel along Eglinton Avenue. The TTC's Eglinton Avenue route to the east of the bridge location may also be affected.</p> <p>Visit ttc.ca or mississauga.ca/portal/miway for accurate schedule information.</p>

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you have questions about the upcoming work, please contact us and quote **Contract No. 17ECS-TI-05BE**.

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<p>General inquiries</p>	<p>311</p>
<p>Website</p>	<p>toronto.ca/improvements/ward3.htm</p>

Thank you for your patience. Building a great city takes time. Better infrastructure for all of us is worth the wait.