



PUBLIC NOTICE

GODERICH STREET RECONSTRUCTION

Road reconstruction, replacement of watermains and repairs to storm sewers.

To Residents/Property Owners:

The Municipality of Huron East is proceeding with an infrastructure renewal project on Highway No. 8 (Goderich Street East) between Main Street and Centennial Drive in Seaforth during the 2021 construction season. The project will involve replacement of the existing watermain and repairs to storm sewers, followed by reconstruction of the road surface. Engineering drawings have been prepared for the affected road sections and are available for viewing by appointment only at the municipal office. Call 519 527-1710 ext. 31 to make an appointment. The purpose of this Notice is to advise the public of the proposed construction and provide information on construction-related activities and impacts to local services.

Residents and property owners are encouraged to post any questions or comments on the Huron East website at: <https://www.huroneast.com/en/town-hall/projects-and-initiatives.aspx>. Municipal staff and the project engineers (B.M. Ross and Associates Limited) will answer questions and provide additional information as required.

Details of the Infrastructure Upgrades:

Road and Infrastructure Works

- Road reconstruction including new asphalt road surface, curb and gutter and concrete sidewalk
- Complete replacement of the existing watermain including services installed to property line
- Repair the existing storm sewer at Victoria Street
- Restoration of boulevard areas

Driveways & Entrances

- Driveways and entrances will be impacted by the new road, boulevard features and sidewalk alignment and installation of proposed underground works. Driveways entrances will be regraded and replaced.
- Driveway restoration will be to the municipal standard (asphalt) from the curb to sidewalk. From the sidewalk to the property line, restoration will be with similar materials to existing.
- Entrance and driveway widths will remain similar to existing defined widths.

Boulevards

- All disturbed boulevards will be restored with 100mm depth of topsoil and sod.
- Prior to construction, property owners are advised to remove any planting beds (i.e. flowers, shrubs, hedges, etc.), any underground sprinkler systems, any heated driveway systems, signs and any fencing from the boulevard of the road allowance and relocate them onto their private property.

Construction Commencement

- Water service disruptions are expected to be limited, and a notice to residents will be provided in advance, whenever possible, for disruptions to service.
- Once construction has begun, no on-street or boulevard parking will be permitted within the construction zone for the duration of the project. Parking will be permitted on adjacent streets.
- Access to driveways may at times be restricted and not always available depending on the construction activity. Efforts will be made to make all driveways accessible at the end of each workday, when possible.

Trees

- Attempts will be made to protect existing trees however, low lying limbs or tree roots may be impacted by excavation and construction works. Some trees may unexpectedly have to be removed to facilitate the proposed works.

Curbside Waste/Recycling Collection During Construction

- Garbage and recycling bins should be put out at the roadside, as usual. The Contractor will ensure that the garbage and recycling are collected. It is requested that residents and businesses using curbside collection write their address on the outside of their bins to ensure they are returned to the correct address.

Traffic Control

- Goderich Street East will be signed as Road Closed – Local traffic only.
- Local in-town traffic will be detoured via Centennial Drive to Duke Street to Main St. N, or via Coleman Street to Crombie Street to Main St. S
- Two truck bypass routes will be provided. One will be via Hensall Rd to Tile Rd to County Rd. 12 and the second from Hensall Rd to Hydro Line Rd to County Rd 12
- Emergency Services are aware of the works; contractor to notify them when specific locations are under construction.

Utilities

- Water supply – to be disrupted while connections are being made to the new watermain.
- Sanitary services – no planned disruptions
- Storm sewers – no planned disruptions
- Hydro – no planned disruptions
- Cable – no planned disruptions
- Communications – no planned disruptions

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Municipality of Huron East.

Yours truly,

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