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Trafalgar Road (Reg. Rd. 3) Widening

Steeles Avenue (Reg. Rd. 8) to 10 Side Road



Widening to 4 lanes



Maintaining clean drinking water



Multi-use pathways

Notice of Construction - PR-2961B

August 2021 to December 2024

About This Project

IMPROVEMENTS

Beginning in **August 2021**, Halton Region will begin widening Trafalgar Road (Reg. Rd. 3) to four lanes between Steeles Avenue and 10 Side Road, Ward 2, in the Town of Halton Hills (see attached map). The work also includes installation of a watermain on Trafalgar Road, from the Ashgrove Pumping Station and Reservoir to 10 Side Road, and on 10 Side Road from Trafalgar Road to Eighth Line.

This project is to improve the conveyance of traffic through the Trafalgar Road corridor and support south Georgetown's future growth. Work will be completed in two phases:

Phase 1 (Watermain): Anticipated to start in August 2021, installation of a new watermain on Trafalgar Road from the Ashgrove Pumping Station and Reservoir to 10 Side Road, and on 10 Side Road from Trafalgar Road to Eighth Line.

Phase 2 (Road Widening): Anticipated to start in summer 2022, widening Trafalgar Road from Steeles Avenue to 10 Side Road. Utilities such as hydro and telecommunications will be relocated in advance of the road widening work.

The infrastructure improvements include the following:

- Road widening from 2 to 4 lanes;
- New watermain infrastructure;
- New multi-use pathway;
- New paved shoulders; and





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New traffic signals and street lights.

The contractor for this project is **Fermar Paving Limited** with project administration by R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited. Overall construction is anticipated to be completed by **December 2024**.

COVID-19 Update: Regional staff and contractors will be following health and safety guidelines set out by the Province and Public Health to help stop the spread of COVID-19. For more information, please visit **halton.ca**.

PLANNING AHEAD

We understand that Trafalgar Road is a key transportation corridor in Halton Region. As such, the Region will be implementing construction impact mitigation plans wherever possible to minimize disruptions to residents, businesses and motorists in the area. To help you plan ahead for construction activity, please read the project related information below.

Traffic delays: This work may cause traffic delays, lane shifts or lane restrictions. We will make every effort to minimize any potential inconvenience.

- Emergency vehicle access will be maintained at all times.
- Portable Variable Message Signs will be used as needed on site to keep motorists informed of current traffic impacts, and to provide advanced notice of any traffic delays (closures, lane restrictions) so residents are able to plan ahead.
- To improve safety, the speed limit on Trafalgar Road will be lowered within the project limits.

Driveway access: Direct access to your driveway may be restricted for short periods of time. We will provide advance notice of any planned restrictions.

Dust and mud: There may be increased levels of dust and mud near the work site. The contractor is required to manage these impacts.

Erosion and sediment controls: We will install erosion and sediment control measures for the duration of the project, including a tree protection fence with heavy-duty silt fabric around the perimeter of the project site.

Mail delivery: We do not anticipate any changes or delays to mail delivery. We will provide advance notice if there are any changes.







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Waste collection: Your garbage and recycling will continue to be picked up on your regular scheduled collection day. The contractor is responsible for moving your garbage and recycling to a location where our collection vehicles can pick them up. Please mark your house number on containers or bins to help with identification.

Noise: You may experience noise as a result of Regional improvements. We will schedule work in accordance with local noise by-laws.

Property restoration: Final property restoration will be completed towards the end of the construction project (weather permitting):

- If your driveway will be impacted by this work, the contractor will inform you in advance
 of the driveway restoration work to allow the vehicles to be removed from the driveway
 or out of the garage as required. The section of your driveway that is impacted will be
 restored.
- If your lawn or landscaping has been impacted by this work, new sod will be placed.
 This work may be delayed, depending on weather, to improve chance of the sod surviving.

Lawn irrigation system: If you have a lawn irrigation system within the public road allowance, please locate, disconnect and remove any sprinkler heads prior to the construction work commencing. Halton Region will not be responsible for damaging irrigation systems that are located within the public road allowance.

Tree removals: To accommodate the widening to 4 lanes, some trees may be required to be removed, including the pruning of hazardous trees and limbs. A certified arborist will direct the planting of new trees.

Truck traffic: You will notice an increase in truck traffic around the ongoing work. Please be aware and use extra caution while driving.

Vibration: You may experience some vibration due to ongoing work. As a precaution, we recommend that you remove or secure objects on shelves and walls.

Well water monitoring: Halton Region has been monitoring the well water in the area and will continue to do so during and up to one year after construction.







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MORE INFORMATION

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- Visit halton.ca
- Sign up to receive email notices and updates
- Email accesshalton@halton.ca or call 311, and ask to connect with the Construction Ambassador that has been assigned to this project.





