



Dear Neighbour,

Subject: Weekly Sandwich Street Activities Update – April 29, 2024

As part of the Gordie Howe International Bridge project, just over three kilometres of Sandwich Street will be reconstructed by Bridging North America. Construction is now underway on Sandwich Street with road reconstruction and watermain installation activities occurring in various locations. To help keep the community informed on activities planned for Sandwich Street, the project team will provide weekly email updates.

A summary of the planned construction activities for the week of April 29, 2024 is below. Please keep in mind that construction is subject to weather and supply chains. Activities may shift as needed.

Road Reconstruction Work - McKee Road to Ojibway Parkway Intersection:

Activities anticipated the week of April 29, 2024:

- Placement of open graded drainage layer
- Setting up paving machine
- Placement and curing of concrete pavement (SB lanes).

Road Reconstruction Work – Ojibway Parkway Intersection to Essex Terminal Railway (ETR) Tracks:

This work will include full road reconstruction including curbs, sidewalks, driveways and installation of a multi-use path. Two-way traffic will be maintained throughout, with construction occurring between 7:00 am and 7:00 pm.

Activities anticipated the week of April 29, 2024:

- Traffic sign set up and preparation for lane closure
- Island removal and temporary paving
- Road, driveway and sidewalk removals in Southbound lanes
- Placement of granular road base.

Sandwich Street Watermain Work:

Bridging North America is undertaking watermain installation on Sandwich Street between Chappell Avenue and Chewett Street in advance of road reconstruction. Construction activities will take place in segments as follows:

- Chappell Avenue to Prince Road
- Prince Road to South Street (currently underway)
- South Street to Brock Street (currently underway)
- Brock Street to Chewett Street



This work requires rolling lane closures, temporary parking restrictions and some access restrictions to side streets throughout this stretch of Sandwich Street. Through the use of flaggers, sections of Sandwich Street will be reduced to one lane of two-way traffic during the hours of 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. Two lanes will reopen to traffic during overnight hours. During construction, access to adjacent residences, businesses and pedestrian walkways will be maintained.

Activities anticipated the week of April 29:

- Saw cutting occurring in all phases identified above (continuation from last week)
- Watermain installation is occurring between Prince Rd and South St. Watermain installation is also underway between South St to Brock St.
- Directional drilling on Hill St and Watkins St.

Upcoming activities: Week of May 6:

- Pressure testing/flushing is anticipated to begin next week in select segments
- Watermain installation is anticipated to start between Brock St and Chewett Street.

As sections of work are completed, the roadway will reopen to two lanes of traffic.

Your feedback is important to us as we move forward with this work and will help the team lessen the inconvenience of construction where possible. Please contact us at 1-844-322-1773, info@wdbridge.com or visit the Sandwich Community Office located at 3201 Sandwich Street on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. should questions or concerns arise.