



Dear Neighbour,

Subject: Weekly Sandwich Street Activities Update – July 2, 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 construction activities for the week of July 2, 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:

Anticipated Activities:

- Work is underway on the sanitary sewer pipe (continuation)
- Asphalt paving of the multi-use trail from south limit to Computer kids driveway (continuation)
- Line painting and sign installation.

The intersection of Sandwich and Ojibway will remain closed until the southbound lanes between Ojibway Parkway to Essex Terminal Railway Tracks are complete. Access to businesses will be maintained through the detour route:

<https://www.gordiehoweinternationalbridge.com/sites/default/files/2024-02/Picture1.png>

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

Anticipated Activities:

- Placement and curing of concrete (weather dependent – continuation)
- Pump station installation and connections (continuation).

Sandwich Street Watermain Work:

Bridging North America (BNA) is undertaking watermain installation on behalf of Enwin Utilities on Sandwich Street between Chappell Avenue and Chewett Street in advance of road reconstruction. Construction activities are taking place in the following segments:

- Chappell Avenue to Prince Road
- Prince Road to South Street
- South Street to Brock Street
- Brock Street to Chewett Street



Anticipated Activities:

- Pressure testing and flushing between Brock Street and Chewett Street. Service connections to residents and businesses to follow. ENWIN Utilities will coordinate these connections directly with affected properties. It is anticipated that a temporary road closure will be necessary to complete these connections. This closure is anticipated to begin the week of July 1, 2024. Access to local traffic and business will be maintained.

Road Reconstruction:

Bridging North America began work to reconstruct Sandwich Street from Chappell Avenue to the roundabout on June 12, 2024. This work will take place for approximately six months and includes asphalt paving and sidewalks, the addition of new bicycle lanes and enhanced streetscaping within the Sandwich BIA district from Brock Street through Detroit Street.

Construction crews will transition from the current watermain work, right into the Phase 3 Reconstruction work with closures occurring in the segments referenced above. Work has started between Chappell Avenue and Prince Street and Prince Road to South Street.

Anticipated Activities:

- Catch basin installation (South Street to Brock Street)
- Tree removal in select locations, as needed
- Grading to prepare for curb installation
- Road cut and excavation of roadway (Between Watkins and South Street).

Traffic will be detoured around the active work zone as follows:

- All truck traffic will use Russell Street for both directions of travel
- All non-truck traffic will use Peter Street for northbound travel and Russell Street for southbound travel.

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.