**Carling, Churchill and Kirkwood Integrated Rehabilitation Project**

**Contract No. CP000423**

**UPCOMING PROJECT ACTIVITIES**

April 2022

Dear Business Owner/Resident,

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The City of Ottawa has a project for the integrated renewal of several streets in your neighbourhood. The aim of this project is to replace aging and undersized sanitary and storm sewers and watermains in Carling Avenue from Churchill Avenue to Kirkwood Avenue, Churchill Avenue North from Carling Avenue to Highway 417, and Kirkwood Avenue from Carling Avenue westbound to Carling Avenue eastbound. This is a continuation of a similar project on Churchill Avenue North from Carling Avenue to Scott Street in 2012/2013/2014 and will also include a combination of reconstruction of road, sidewalks, cycling measures, resurfacing, and trench reinstatement.

The design process **started in 2020**, with preliminary activities including background information and engineering drawing review, field investigations, and options analysis. The design process will continue over the next several months, including public consultation on options and designs, additional field investigations for verification as needed and to supplement the field activities that proceeded in 2020 and 2021, and detailed design. More information will be provided through an additional notice distributed to your home or business, including an invitation to participate in public consultation as soon as the schedule is confirmed. The construction phase of the project is **tentatively scheduled to start in spring 2023**, subject to funding availability.

Beginning in **early April 2022**, we will undertake some additional field investigations for this project, including geotechnical drilling and CCTV of sewers. This work is required to support the design of the road, watermain and sewer replacement.

**What:** Various field investigations on the streets in your neighbourhood. The work will involve the drilling of boreholes and obtaining soil samples for testing as well as hydro excavation to locate adjacent utilities and CCTV of sewers. The CCTV of sewers involves video cameras being inserted temporarily into sewer pipes underground.

**Why:** These investigations are needed to support the design of the road, watermain and sewer reconstruction.

**When:** The field work is scheduled to take place between **early April and early May 2022**, subject to weather conditions.

 The public consultation and design phase of the road, watermain, and sewer reconstruction will continue to progress through the **remainder of 2022**. The construction phase is tentatively scheduled to start in **spring 2023**, subject to funding availability.

**Where:** Carling Avenue from Churchill Avenue to Kirkwood Avenue
Churchill Avenue North from Carling Avenue to Highway 417
Kirkwood Avenue from Carling Avenue westbound to Carling Avenue eastbound

**Who:** The City of Ottawa has retained J.L. Richards & Associates Limited to proceed with the design work and public consultation for this project, and Thurber Engineering to undertake the geotechnical investigation.

**Accessibility**

Accessibility is an important consideration for the City of Ottawa. The City makes every effort to provide access through and around construction sites. If you require special accommodation, please contact the undersigned. Accessible formats and communication supports are available, upon request, at the following link:www.ottawa.ca/accessibleformat

**Traffic Impacts**

Lane reductions can be expected during construction to accommodate the work. Minor delays are expected. Access for pedestrians and cyclists will be maintained.

**Construction Disruptions**

J.L. Richards & Associates Limited will take every precaution to minimize interruptions to the everyday life of your family and/or operation of your business, but, as you can appreciate, there may be some inconvenience during the course of the work, such as parking restrictions, noise, and odour. We would like to thank you for your patience and co-operation.

For daytime construction activity hours of work, the City of Ottawa follows provincial requirements and the City’s Noise By-law (2017-255).

**COVID-19**

The City of Ottawa, in its commitment to protecting people and the community, continues to work closely with the industry and to comply with recommendations provided by municipal, provincial and federal health officials, as well as the Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development.

**Contact Information**

For any emergency during normal working hours, outside normal working hours on weekdays and weekends, please call the City at 3-1-1.

For further information about this project, please contact the City’s Project Manager:

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