



NOTICE TO RESIDENT/BUSINESS

Byron Avenue – Sherbourne Road to Granville Avenue Traffic Calming and Cycling Improvements Contract No. ISD17-5135

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

July 2018

Dear Resident/Business

In July 2018, the City of Ottawa will begin construction work in your neighbourhood. This work is being conducted to implement transportation, cycling and pedestrian improvements along Byron Avenue. This notice is being distributed to those directly adjacent to the work zone.

- WHO:** The Contractor, Adria Concrete & Paving Ltd., will perform the construction work for the City of Ottawa.
- WHY:** The purpose of this project is to improve cycling and pedestrian facilities and implement traffic calming measures on Byron Avenue. Portions of Byron Avenue from Sherbourne Road to Granville Avenue will be reconfigured to provide advisory bike lanes on the road in place of the current on-street parking.
- WHAT:** The construction work will consist of: pavement markings to provide cycling facilities, speed humps, intersection narrowing, traffic signals plant and drainage improvements as well as a new pedestrian crossing facility (PXO – Pedestrian Cross-over) at Hilson Avenue.
- WHEN:** The construction is **planned to commence in July 2018** and will be completed by the end of November 2018.

The City of Ottawa Noise By-law (2017-255) allows construction activity to occur weekdays between 7 am and 10 pm. On Saturdays, work is permitted between 7 am and 10 pm while Sunday and Statutory holiday work is allowed between 9 am and 10 pm.

Every effort is being made to reduce the duration of the construction impacts in your community.

- WHERE:** Construction will occur on Byron Avenue between Sherbourne Road and Granville Avenue. Pavement markings, speed humps and traffic signals plant upgrades will be installed throughout these limits. Local improvements will be constructed at the following locations:
- New catch basins along Byron Avenue, west of Golden Avenue Intersection.



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- Byron Avenue, bulb-out modifications in the south-east quadrant of the Golden Avenue Intersection.
- New north-south Pedestrian Cross-over (PXO) on Byron Avenue, including street narrowing just east of the intersection at Hilson Avenue.
- Raised cross-walk facility for the Linear Park multi-use path crossing at Granville Avenue, north of Byron Avenue.

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 On-Site Inspector or the Contractor's Project Manager.

Traffic

For the duration of the work, a minimum of one lane of traffic will be maintained with opposing lanes being controlled by flag persons for the exception to facilitate construction. Traffic will be detoured to implement road closures at the following locations:

- Byron Avenue, between Brierwood Avenue and Golden Avenue for a period of three days with traffic being detoured via Broadview Avenue, Richmond Road and Golden Avenue, with pedestrians being detoured via the multi-use pathway within the Byron Avenue linear park
- Byron Avenue, between Golden Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue for a period of three days with traffic being detoured via Golden Avenue, Richmond Road and Roosevelt Avenue, with pedestrians being detoured to the sidewalk on the north side of Byron Avenue.
- Byron Avenue, between Hilson Avenue and Kensington Avenue for a period of ten days with traffic being detoured via Kirkwood Avenue, Richmond Road and Island Park Drive, with pedestrians being detoured via the multi-use pathway within the Byron Avenue linear park
- Granville Avenue, between Byron Avenue and Wellington Street for a period of ten days with traffic being detoured via Clarendon Avenue and Wellington Street West, with pedestrians being detoured via the multi-use pathway within the Byron Avenue linear park

Road Closures

Local access for vehicular traffic will be maintained with minor delays. Every effort to maintain access to driveways will be made; however, when construction activity restricts access to driveways, temporary off site parking permits along the road will be issued by the on-site inspector. Additional "Road Closure Notices" will be issued to residents within and adjacent to the road closure zone when the schedule of the road closures are known.

Construction Disruptions

Adria Concrete & Paving Ltd. is assuming full responsibility for the construction work until it is entirely complete in 2018. They 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 operation of the work, such as delays when travelling through the construction zone, noise, dust and vibration. We would like to thank you for your patience and co-operation. You may feel vibrations at your home or business due to the use of the construction equipment needed to complete this work. This is quite common and not usually a problem.



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Impact on the Right-of-Way and Adjacent Private Properties

The project is within the City's right-of-way but may result in some disruption to part of the private property directly adjacent to the work. Lawns, pathways, gardens and/or driveways may be disturbed. The affected areas will be reinstated as soon as possible after construction is completed, at no cost to you. If you have private plants, irrigations systems or any other private assets located within the City's right-of-way that you want to preserve we suggest that you move the assets in preparation for the construction work and please contact the City's Project Manager.

Contact Information

It should also be noted that the Contractor assumes full responsibility for the construction work until completion as well as for any damages to private property resulting from these construction activities. In the event of such occurrences, all claims for damages should be immediately reported both verbally and in writing to the Contractor's Project Manager and to the On-Site Inspector. This will ensure prompt notification of appropriate authorities to complete the claim investigations. Also, the City/Contractor will be taking photographs of front of the buildings and driveways to ensure private properties are returned to their original or better condition.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the City's Project Manager:

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