



Main Street Renewal

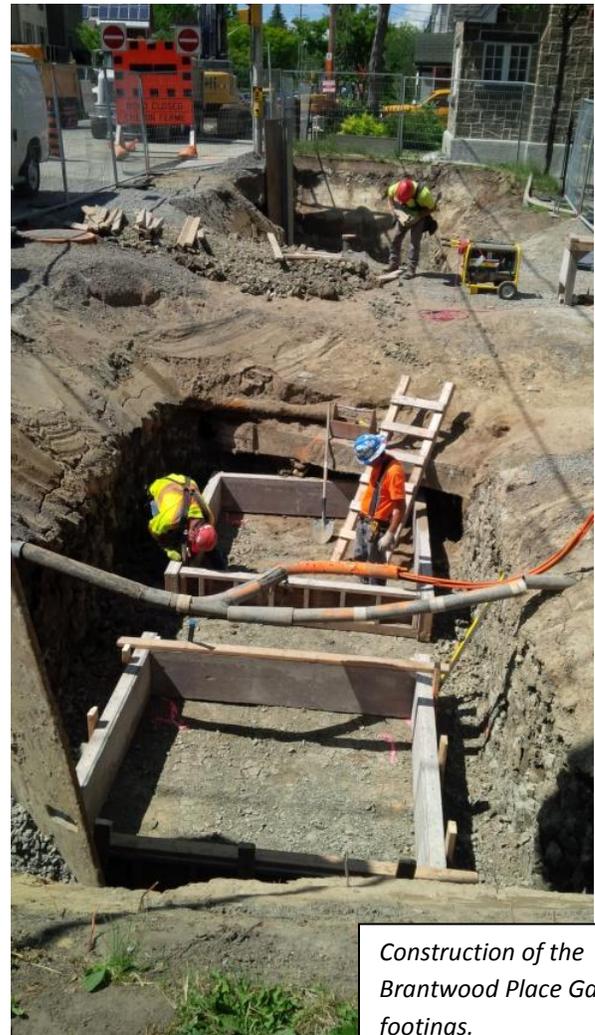
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On-Going

Here's a block-by-block breakdown of the work currently underway:

- **Harvey Street to Clegg Street:** Iron adjustments, minor manhole repairs, installation of brick pavers for sidewalk, and driveway reinstatements;
- **Clegg Street to Riverdale Avenue:** Electrical work, watermain replacement, replacement of lateral connections, placement of base asphalt and road work;
- **Riverdale Avenue to Rideau River Drive:** Replacement of lateral connections, road work and electrical work;
- **Brantwood Place Gates:** Foundation work;
- **Bridge Approach:** Electrical work, and;
- **Rideau River Drive:** Commissioning of the watermain and construction of the concrete retaining wall.



Construction of the Brantwood Place Gates footings.

Upcoming

Here are key **new** upcoming construction activities planned for the next two weeks:

- **Harvey Street to Clegg Street:** Preparation for sod, planting of trees, preparation for top lift of asphalt (cleaning) and top lift of asphalt, and;
- **Rideau River Drive:** Connection of water services and electrical work.



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Traffic

Colonel By Drive / Pretoria Bridge

On Wednesday June 29th, Ottawa will be hosting the North American Leader's Summit. For this event, there will be a number of road and bike path closures, detours, and parking restrictions. Motorists, cyclists and pedestrians are advised to plan for delays as a result of closures in the downtown core and around the Ottawa MacDonald-Cartier International Airport. As details about traffic impacts are confirmed they will be added to ottawa.ca. Residents are encouraged to check the City's website regularly for the latest information.

The National Triathlon Championships will take place on Saturday July 23rd and Sunday July 24th. For this event, **Colonel By Drive (from Hog's Back Road to Hawthorne Avenue) and the Pretoria Bridge will be closed on Saturday July 23rd from 6 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. and Sunday July 24th from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m.**

Sunday Bikedays will take place every Sunday until September 4th. For these events, **Colonel By Drive will be closed to traffic from Hog's Back Road to the Laurier Bridge from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.**



Installation of the new watermain south of Clegg Street.



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Did you know?

Just before the top lift of asphalt is placed, all maintenance holes, catch basins, valve boxes and valves chambers need to be adjusted to the future asphalt elevation. That is what we call “iron adjustments”. The existing frames and grates/covers are removed and any existing damaged adjustment units are disposed of. The grates/covers are built up/adjusted to the higher elevation with adjustment concrete rings and secured in place with concrete mortar. The higher frames (sticking out) are painted orange to alert motorists of the obstacles. As for sanitary and storm sewer manholes, self-leveling frames and covers are used. Self-leveling frames and covers are adjusted during the paving operation. We are getting ready for the top lift of asphalt tentatively scheduled for July 5th and 6th!



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