

# Downtown Brampton Watermain and Sanitary Sewer Upgrades Project

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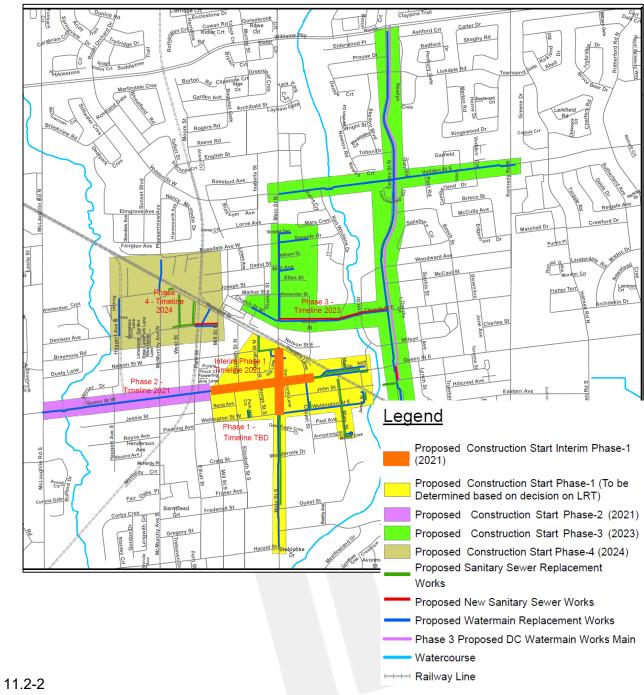
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## **Project background**

- Infrastructure renewal project initially planned for 2011/2012
- Collaborative project with the City of Brampton
- "Downtown Reimagined" project cancelled in 2019 due to City budgetary constraints
- Risk Assessment completed
- Interim Utility Project approved by City and Regional Council in 2020 (2020-462), due to timing related to LRT and other downtown initiatives





## Why is this work needed?

- Water and Wastewater infrastructure was scheduled for replacement in 2011/2012 and is now at a <u>high</u> <u>risk</u> of failure.
- In this area, the Region has experienced:
  - 14 failures in the last 5 years
  - 24 failures over the last 10 years
- Service impacts (loss of water service) under a major failure could be significant.
- Potential for third party liability.
- Interim Utility Project helped mitigate risk



Watermain Break – August 2020



## **Downtown Interim Utility Project Status**

- Design is complete
- Staff has worked collaboratively with City staff to include interim road reconstruction work
- The Ambassador model has been used to work collaboratively with residents and businesses
- Region finalizing Construction Contractor Prequalification process
- Tender was planned for June 1, 2021

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### **Downtown Brampton - Invested costs to date**

| Item | Task  | Amount Spent |           |
|------|---|--------------|-----------|
| 1    | Design - Downtown Brampton                          | \$           | 39,381    |
| 2    | Design - Phase 1 – "Downtown Reimagined"            | \$           | 1,357,846 |
| 3    | Design - Phase 1 - Interim Downtown Utility project | \$           | 280,000   |
| 4    | Investigations - Subsurface                         | \$           | 331,350   |
| 5    | Investigations - Geotechnical                       | \$           | 248,108   |
|      | Total   | \$           | 2,256,685 |

- Additional design funding and Purchase Order for the design consultant will be needed for re-design
- Additional construction funding may also be required
- All funding is from rate-based funds

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## Implications of deferral

#### **Funding**

- Purchase order extension for design consultant estimated \$2.5M
- May require project budgetary increase
- Lost design investment to date

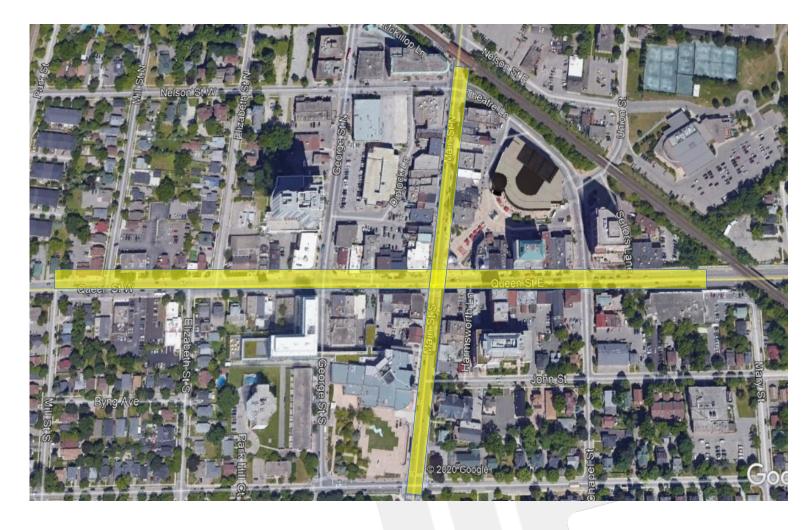
#### **Project Schedule**

- Estimate for design timeline (Phase 1 Yellow)
  - 2 years minimum
- Estimate for construction timeline
  - 2-3 years
- In service date
  - 2026-2027 approx.
- Other Downtown Region phase work to continue





## Questions



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