CITY OF WINNIPEG
CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

TO: Resident/Business Owners on Portage Avenue between Memorial Boulevard and Fort Street,
RE: Downtown Pavement Renewals Project – 2020 Construction

Construction start: July 6, 2020
Duration: Approximately two months
Impacted streets: Portage Avenue

The City of Winnipeg is undertaking a five-year road renewal project in the Downtown that will ultimately greatly improve road surface conditions. 2020 construction began on May 11 with construction on Fort Street and Hargrave Street. Construction will begin on Portage Avenue on July 6, 2020. The project includes the following locations and estimated timelines:

Fort Street between Broadway and Graham Avenue
May-September 2020

Hargrave Street between Portage Avenue and Ellice Avenue
May-July 2020

Portage Avenue between Memorial Boulevard and Fort Street
July-August 2020

Carlton Street between Portage Avenue and Ellice Avenue
August 2020, inclusive

Fort Street construction will involve: pavement reconstruction from Broadway to Graham Avenue including concrete sidewalk and street reconstruction. The work will also include underground infrastructure and utility repairs and renewals. All parking and loading zones will be removed during construction. One lane of traffic and the bike lane will be maintained.

Hargrave Street construction will involve: pavement reconstruction from Portage Avenue to Ellice Avenue, including concrete sidewalk reconstruction, street reconstruction and the addition of a protected bike facility on the east side of the street. The work will also include underground infrastructure and utility repairs and renewals. All parking and loading zones will be removed during construction. One lane of traffic and the bike lane will be maintained.

Portage Avenue construction (starting in July) will involve: asphalt overlay from Memorial Boulevard to Fort Street including sidewalk repairs, curb repairs and street pavement repairs followed by an asphalt

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overlay. Two lanes of traffic will be maintained throughout construction, and parking/loading zones will be maintained where possible but will be removed at times.

**Carlton Street construction (starting in August) will involve:** asphalt overlay from Portage Avenue to Ellice Avenue including sidewalk repairs, curb repairs, and street pavement repairs followed by an asphalt overlay. All parking and loading zones will be removed during construction. One lane of traffic and the bike lane will be maintained.

Transit service will be maintained throughout construction, though temporary bus stop relocations or closures may be required at various times.

Construction will have an impact on traffic, parking and access. Additional details and instructions regarding construction and traffic staging, access impacts and parking may be provided in additional notices, if required.

If you are business with access, delivery, or loading requirements that we should be aware of, please contact us to discuss your needs.

We also ask those with accessibility concerns, planned special events, known underground appurtenances (such as sprinklers or lighting cables within three metres of the street property line), or any questions or concerns to contact Thomas Findlay: thomas.findlay@aecom.com. AECOM is the City’s contract administrator for the project.

If you anticipate being away from your business and/or mailbox for an extended period of time, please contact us with an alternative address, phone number, and email at which we can reach you leading up to and during construction.

Further information and project updates can be found on the City of Winnipeg’s project website www.winnipeg.ca/downtownrenewal.

We appreciate your patience during construction and look forward to improved roadways in Downtown Winnipeg.

Sincerely,

Thomas Findlay, P. Eng

Cc: Mr. Colin Titchkosky – City of Winnipeg Public Works
    Ms. Julie Dooley – City of Winnipeg Public Works
    Ms. Cindy Gilroy – Councillor, Daniel McIntyre Ward
    Ms. Vivian Santos – Councillor, Point Douglas Ward
    Ms. Sherri Rollins – Councillor, Fort Rouge/East Fort Garry Ward
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