

BAYVIEW DRIVE IMPROVEMENTS (Little Avenue to Big Bay Point Road)

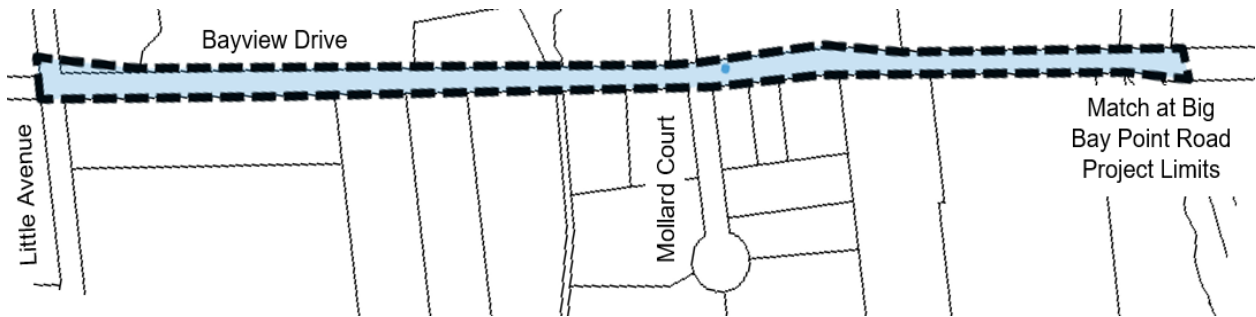
ONGOING SINCE SUMMER 2024

END DATE: SPRING 2026

**Timeline is subject to change.*

The City of Barrie (City) Reconstruction of Bayview Drive, from Little Avenue to Big Bay Point Road, being performed by Primrose Contracting Inc. (Primrose) is actively progressing. To date, subsurface work including watermain installation, new storm sewer, and crossing culverts have been completed. New sidewalks and bike paths are being constructed actively, and paving has been completed on the southbound (west) lane.

MAP OF THE WORK AREA



WORK UPDATE

Primrose opened Bayview Drive to two-way traffic effective July 31, 2025. Construction work will continue on the east side, and regular traffic lanes are anticipated to fully reopen in November 2025, with final asphalt paving scheduled for Spring 2026. Area businesses and organizations remain open during construction. Motorists can expect delays while Primrose continues their work of:

- Widening the existing road from two (2) lanes to three (3) lanes (adding a centre turning lane);
- Installing cycle lanes on both sides of the roadway; and
- Maintaining traffic control for worker and public safety.


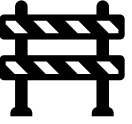

WHAT TO EXPECT

You may continue to experience inconveniences such as, dust, noise, and short delays. The City will make efforts to reduce impacts, and your patience is appreciated.

Further notice will be provided to property owners who are required to remove items such as decorative objects, located within City property limits (boulevard).

If you have a sprinkler system within the boulevard portion of your property, please contact the City representatives identified below. The City will not be responsible for damage to any privately owned items on City property, including sprinkler system.

	Road and Sidewalk Access:
	Pedestrian access will be maintained during paving.
	The Contractor will close active construction areas to through traffic, with access to residences being maintained. The City will post signage, as required, for detour routes.
	Access for emergency vehicles will always be maintained.

	<p>Driveway Access:</p> <p>Vehicle entry to properties within the construction limits will be available. At times, direct access to driveways and parking lots will be interrupted to facilitate the paving while maintaining worker and public safety.</p> <p>Services:</p> <p>Hydro, sanitary sewer services, water services, telephone, cable TV, and gas services should not be affected by the construction, barring any unforeseen circumstances.</p>
	<p>Accessibility:</p> <p>If you have any accessibility requirements, such as wheelchair access, please contact the City representatives listed below.</p>
	<p>Traffic Management:</p> <p>The Contractor will use traffic control measures, such as traffic cones, to steer through traffic around contractor equipment and vehicles within the construction site. Flag persons will assist with traffic control, if required.</p>
	<p>Transit Service:</p> <p>The proposed construction will affect Barrie Transit routes and schedules. Changes to bus routes in the construction area will be posted in advance.</p>
	<p>Parking:</p> <p>Parking on roadways in an active construction area is not permitted. Vehicles parked in the construction area will be ticketed and towed.</p>
	<p>Safety:</p> <p>The Contractor is required to conduct work in a safe manner, such as using traffic cones and fencing off excavations. Please use extra caution in the construction zone to ensure everyone's safety.</p>

The City would like to thank all residents and business owners for their support and cooperation throughout this project. The City recognizes the impact this work may have on your daily routines and appreciates your understanding and patience throughout the project.

MORE INFORMATION

If you have any questions or comments regarding this construction project, please contact:

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