

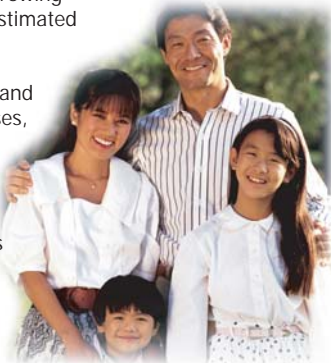


2005 York Region Construction Update

York Region: Working for you

York Region is one of the fastest growing municipalities in Canada with an estimated 35,000 new residents every year.

To enhance services for both new and established residents and businesses, York Region is making one of the largest capital infrastructure investments in its 34-year history, with \$577 million dedicated to major infrastructure improvements and expansion.



The following is an overview of major roads, water and wastewater projects across

York Region. **Click on red boxes for more information**

York Region road projects

Current road construction projects

Gamble Sideroad - Bathurst Street to Yonge Street
Road reconstruction

Bayview Avenue - Wellington Street to Mulock Drive
Road widening to four lanes with a continuous centre left turn lane

Dufferin Street - Rutherford Road to Major Mackenzie Drive
Road widening to four lanes with a continuous centre left turn lane

Islington Avenue - Rutherford Road to Major Mackenzie Drive
Road widening to four lanes

Langstaff Road - Islington Avenue to Weston Road
Road widening to four lanes

Major Mackenzie Drive - McCowan Road to Highway 48
Road widening to four lanes

Rutherford Road - Highway 27 to Highway 50
Road widening to four lanes in conjunction with a new watermain

St. John's Sideroad - Yonge Street to Bayview Avenue
Road widening to four lanes

Teston Road - 550 metres west of Jane Street to Keele Street
Road widening to four lanes in conjunction with a new watermain



Road construction projects beginning July/August

Major Mackenzie Drive - Kennedy Road to McCowan Road
Road widening to four lanes



Markham Bypass - Phase III - Highway 7 to 16th Avenue
Construction of a new four-lane road

Warden Avenue - Highway 407 to Apple Creek Boulevard
Road widening to six lanes



Need more information on York Region's long-term capital roads, water and wastewater projects?

*Visit our maps section located on our Web site at www.york.ca and click on **Maps**, then **York Atlas**, then **Infrastructure**.*

Road construction projects beginning Fall 2005


Teston Road - Weston Road to Jane Street, including Highway 400 interchange
Road widening to four lanes

Weston Road - Major Mackenzie Drive to Teston Road
Road widening to four lanes with a continuous centre left turn lane

Warden Avenue - McPherson Road to Highway 407
Road widening from four to six lanes

Bathurst Street - King Road to Wellington Street
Road widening to four lanes

19th Avenue - Yonge Street to Leslie Street
Road reconstruction



Did you know?

- York Region is responsible for more than 3,300 lane-kilometres of roads, and operates a 24-hour dispatch service for road repairs, such as potholes.
- In 2004, York Region replaced all of its traffic signals with energy-efficient, high-visibility LED traffic signals.

York Region's Primary Businesses Include:

Transit - Regional Roads - Garbage Disposal and Diversion - Water Supply - Water and Wastewater Treatment - Emergency Medical Services
Long Term Care - Public Health Services - Social Assistance - Family and Children's Services - Housing and Residential Services
Planning and Development Services - Police Services



Keeping Residents and Businesses Informed

Major water supply projects

Peel Water Supply
Will supply water from Peel Region to York Region
Status: Phased between 2003 to 2024, with initial water supply available Fall 2005

Aurora-Newmarket Feedermain Watermain from North Maple Pumping Station to the Aurora-Newmarket Reservoir at Bloomington Road
Status: Construction commencing July/August

King City Water Supply
Consists of a 2.74-million litre elevated tank and additional water supply from new wells (aquifers)
Status: Class Environmental Assessment is underway



Did you know?



- The highest quality drinking water is available right from your faucet.
- Bottled spring water can cost 500 times more than tap water and is not subject to the same stringent testing requirements set daily by York Region.

Whitchurch-Stouffville Water Supply
Will service new development areas
Status: Class Environmental Assessment underway

Toronto East Water Supply
Will bring additional water to the Markham Pressure District 6 area from Toronto to meet long-term demands
Status: Consultant selection for the Class Environmental Assessment underway



**York Region occasionally advises its local municipalities and residents to assist in water conservation to ensure that adequate water levels are maintained to manage emergencies. Outdoor water use restrictions are common during long, dry summer periods when demand for lawn watering and other outdoor use increases.*

Wastewater Projects

Newmarket Equalization Tank
Will allow detention of precipitation flow at the existing Newmarket Sewage Pumping Station site
Status: Construction due to commence July/August 2005

Aurora Equalization Tank
Will allow detention of precipitation flow at the existing Aurora Sewage Pumping Station site
Status: Schedule "B" Class Environmental Assessment to be completed in July 2005

16th Avenue Sewer, Phase 2
Will service development areas in Markham and provide the phased completion of the system along 16th Avenue
Status: Construction underway

York Durham Sewage System Interceptor
Will service new development in Richmond Hill, Aurora, Newmarket, East Gwillimbury and King Township to provide relief to the existing York Durham Sewage System
Status: Construction to commence early 2006



Southeast Collector
Will parallel the existing York Durham Sewage System trunk sewer through parts of Markham, Scarborough and Pickering
Status: Currently in Environmental Assessment phase

Duffin Creek Water Pollution Control Plant Expansion
Will provide additional capacity to serve growth in all municipalities serviced by the York Durham Sewage System
Status: Environmental Assessment to be completed by Fall 2005

Peel Wastewater Diversion
Will divert sewage from the York Durham Sewage System in Woodbridge to the South Peel System
Status: Commissioning of system and diversion to commence Fall 2005

Bathurst-Langstaff Sewer
Will service development areas in Vaughan, as well as provide relief to the existing Maple Collector
Status: Awaiting Ministry of the Environment approval

Pine Valley Pumping Station and Forcemain
Will add flow capacity to the Islington Trunk Sewer, part of the existing York Durham Sewage System
Status: Construction underway

King City Sanitary Servicing project
Will connect the community of King City to the York Durham Sewage System via a forcemain and pumping station
Status: Construction of forcemain and pumping station currently underway

Did you know?

- Wastewater is about 99.9 per cent water. The remaining 0.1 per cent is solids.



Additional information on these and other construction projects across York Region can be accessed on our Web site at www.york.ca