

March 21, 2023

Construction Notice – Fort Street Road Safety Improvements

Construction on Fort Street, from Cook St to Foul Bay Rd, will begin in a few weeks. Road safety improvements include road paving, new crosswalks with enhanced safety features, accessibility upgrades, traffic signal and lighting upgrades, landscaping, EV charging stations, public seating plus the existing painted bike lanes will be upgraded to protected bike lanes as part of the All Ages and Abilities cycling network. See the enclosed Construction Overview map for more details.

Construction is scheduled from April 2023 to January 2024 with additional works on Foul Bay Rd (Fort to Goldsmith St) and Yates St (Fort St to Fernwood Rd). All efforts will be made to minimize disruptions during construction while maintaining safety for workers, residents and commuters. Urgent worksite safety concerns should be reported directly to the contractor, Sparker Construction Ltd., at 250-744-8261.

The City will be sending biweekly email updates about construction activities that describe upcoming work so residents, businesses and commuters know what to expect and can plan around construction activities. **If you would like to receive these updates, email engage@victoria.ca with the subject “Fort Street Construction Updates.”**

Visit victoria.ca/roadwork for an overview of City-led construction projects. More information on this project is available online at victoria.ca/cycling under Current Projects.

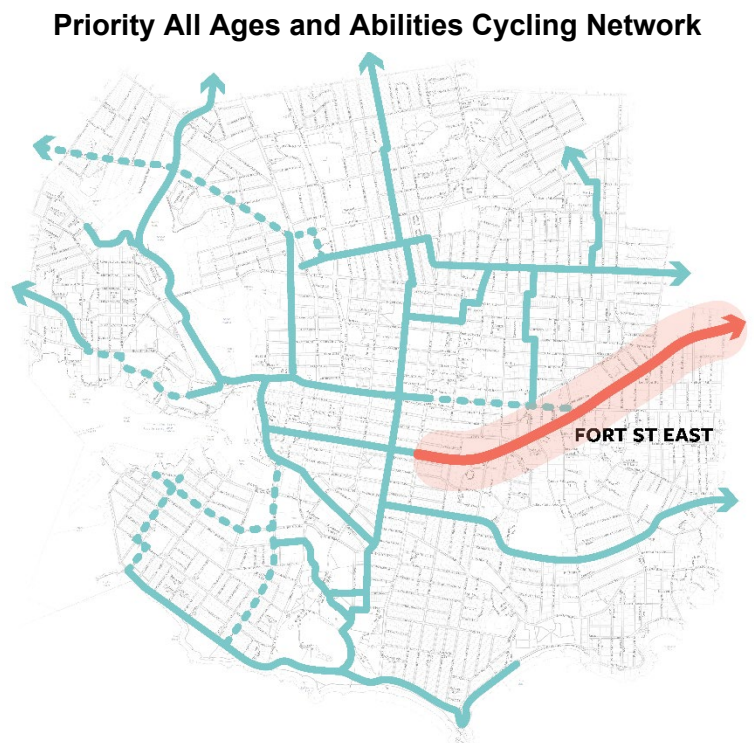
Thank you,

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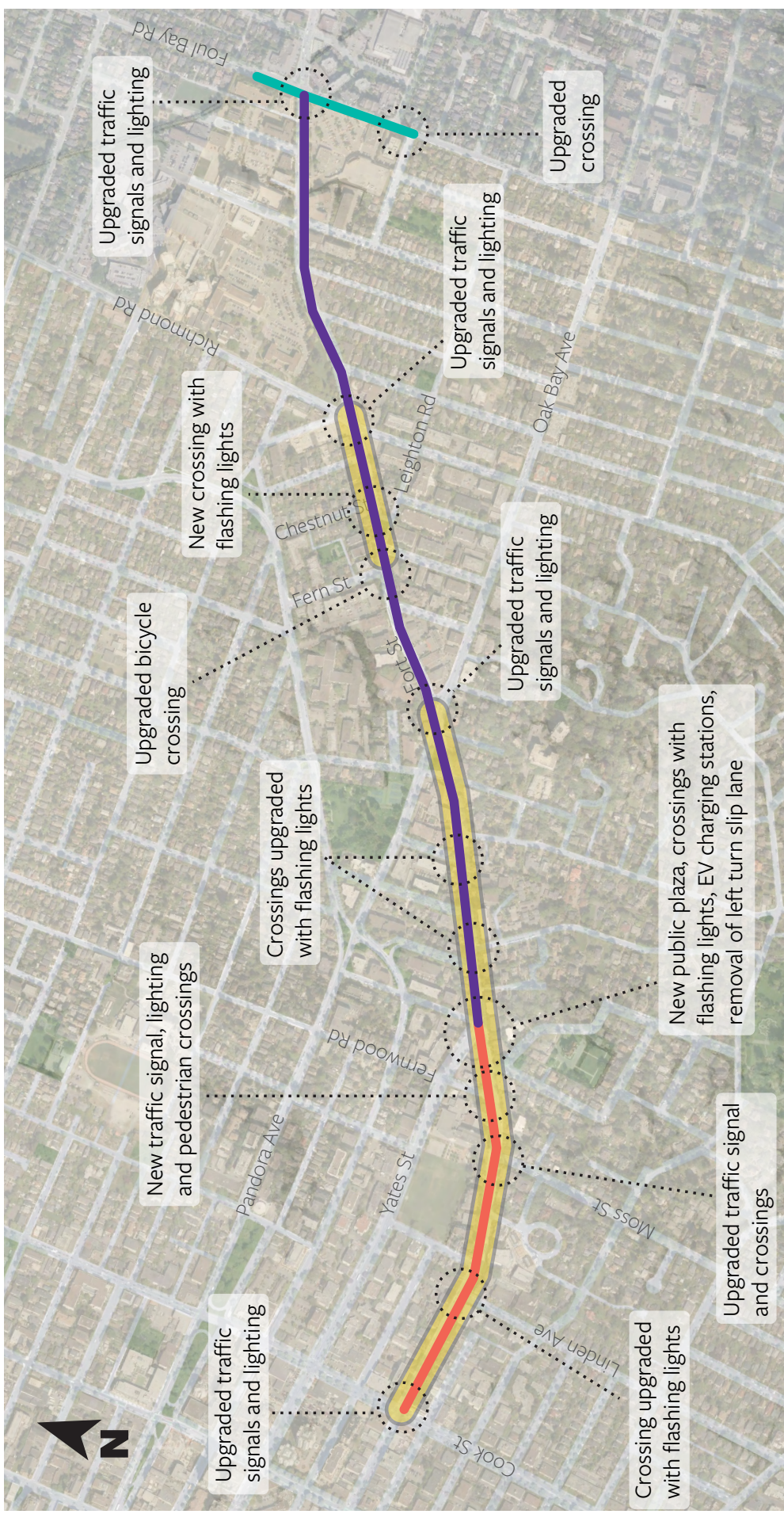
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Fort Street East

Construction Overview



Legend

- Two-way protected bike lanes
- One-way protected bike lanes
- Painted bike lanes
- Road paving