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## **Victoria Bridge Replacement Public Update Meeting:**

## Detailed design and pre-construction information for Victoria Bridge replacement (Ridout Street South over the Thames River)

The City of London is hosting a virtual public update meeting (PUM) on Thursday, January 27, 2022, to share final designs and pre-construction information for the Victoria Bridge replacement project, currently scheduled to begin construction in early spring.

Victoria Bridge is located on Ridout Street South over the Thames River, south of Horton Street East, next to Thames Park. The existing bridge will be replaced with a new "through arch" structure, which will include a widened deck surface to better accommodate bicycle traffic, pedestrians, and improved connectivity with the Thames Valley Parkway.



The above map graphic shows the project area on Ridout Street South from Horton Street East to Ingleside Place.

The project includes road work on Ridout Street extending from the Horton Street intersection to Ingleside Place. The bridge replacement work will require full closure of Ridout Street to motor vehicles, from Horton Street to Ingleside Place, with general traffic detoured to Wharncliffe Road and Wellington Road.



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A temporary active transportation bridge will be installed ahead of main bridge construction to maintain access through the area for cyclists and pedestrians throughout the Ridout Street closure.

## **Public Update Meeting (PUM):**

When: Thursday, January 27, 5:00 p.m.

Format: Zoom webinar

To join the PUM, visit getinvolved.london.ca/victoriabridge and click on the Zoom link provided on the webpage.

Information presented at the PUM will include the project design, construction timeline, detour routes, temporary bridge for cyclist and pedestrian travel, temporary access impacts to Thames Park and other impacts expected during construction.

During the Zoom meeting, you will have an opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the project. If you are unable to attend the live PUM, the presentation will be available as a recording at getinvolved.london.ca/victoriabridge.

Regards,

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