

January 7th, 2026

MTO Contract 2022-4030 – Howe Island Ferry Mainland and Island Terminals

Re: Notification to Affected Agencies

Dear Sir/Madame,

Clearwater Structures Inc. has been awarded Contract 2022-4030 for the Howe Island Ferry Terminals project on behalf of the Ministry of Transportation. This work involves the rehabilitation of the ferry docks at Howe Island Mainland Side and Howe Island Township.

In accordance with contract requirements, we must notify local emergency services—including police, fire, ambulance—as well as municipal authorities and school transportation providers prior to the start of construction and any scheduled ferry closures.

Construction is scheduled to begin on January 26, 2026, and be completed by April 30, 2026. The planned ferry dock closures are as follows:

8-hour night-time closures:

- February 12, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 13, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 16, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 17, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 17, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 18, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 18, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 19, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 19, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 20, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 22, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 23, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 23, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 24, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 24, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 25, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 25, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 26, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- February 26, 2026 – 10:00 PM to February 27, 2026 – 6:00 AM

56-hour Full closures:

- March 2, 2026 – 10:00 PM to March 5, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- March 9, 2026 – 10:00 PM to March 12, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- April 6, 2026 – 10:00 PM to April 9, 2026 – 6:00 AM
- April 13, 2026 – 10:00 PM to April 16, 2026 – 6:00 AM

A mainland detour route will be provided and delineated by detour signage.

Kind regards,

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Project Coordinator
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