

April 22, 2025

## **CITY OF WINNIPEG CONSTRUCTION NOTICE 1.0**

TO: Residents, Business Owners and Tenants

RE: Pembina Highway Overpass at Abinojii Mikanah Rehabilitation

This summer, we will do bridge maintenance and road construction on the Pembina Highway Overpass at Abinojii Mikanah.

Construction window: May to October 2025 – Phase 1

May to October 2026 - Phase 2

## Join us for a public information session on this project and its construction impacts:

Wednesday, May 7, 2025

4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

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In 2025, road and bridge work will focus on the southbound lanes from Plaza Drive to Chancellor Drive. We will:

- Fix southbound travel lanes
- Build a new southbound bike lane including a new bike path on the west side of the bridge
- Realign the eastbound Abinojii Mikanah offramp directly to the intersection of Pembina Highway and University Crescent

## During construction:

- Pedestrians and cyclists
  - Use the east side of Pembina Highway to cross the bridge
    - The west sidewalk will be closed
    - We encourage cyclists to dismount when using sidewalks
    - The multi-use path adjacent to the Rapid Transit Blue Line can be used to detour around the work zone
  - o The Awasisak Meskanow Greenway running along Abinojii Mikanah will remain open
    - We may install temporary detours on the greenway at times
  - o We will install signage to help wayfinding though the work zone.
- We will maintain Transit service
  - o We may temporarily disrupt or relocate bus stops at times
  - We will install signage for these changes
  - Please note: the Primary Transit Network will launch in June this will change some routes and stops through the area
- We will maintain two lanes of vehicle traffic in each direction of Pembina Highway
  - o We will also maintain one southbound left-turn lane onto University Crescent
- We will maintain two lanes of vehicle traffic in each direction on Abinojii Mikanah



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- We will close on/off-ramps for pavement work on a rotating basis:
  - o We expect each ramp to be closed for around six weeks
  - o More than one ramp may be closed at any given time
  - o Please plan ahead and use alternate routes if possible
  - Ramp closures may impact your ability to connect between Pembina Highway and Abinojii Mikanah

Lanes will reopen before Winnipeg hosts the Grey Cup in November 2025. Lanes will remain open through winter. Phase 2 of construction will start in May 2026.

Please contact me if you have:

- Accessibility needs
- Access and delivery requirements
- Planned special events
- Underground appurtenances such as sprinkler systems or lighting cables within six meters (20 feet) of the curb

Learn more about the project: winnipeg.ca/pembinaoverabinojii

We appreciate your patience during construction and look forward to improvements at this critical connection in our city.

Sincerely,

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