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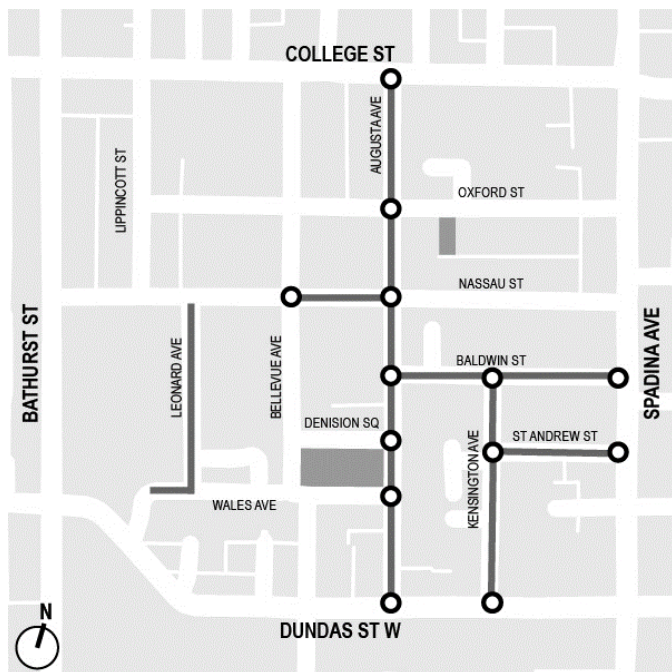
## Kensington Safe Streets: Pedestrian Safety Improvements in Kensington Market

The City of Toronto’s Vision Zero Road Safety Plan is focused on reducing traffic-related fatalities and serious injuries by making our roads safer for everyone, especially vulnerable road users such as seniors, school children, and people walking and cycling.

State-of-good-repair work, including sewer and watermain replacements, road resurfacing, and road reconstruction, are scheduled in 2022 and 2023. While the design work for 2022 has been finalized, the work in 2023 provides an opportunity to install additional safety improvements. The goals of the project are to improve safety and accessibility for everyone and maintain access to all businesses, services and residences.

A public event is being held to share information and provide opportunity for feedback on the proposed street design principles and improvement opportunities in Kensington Market. This project is an effort to support the area to build back better from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on residents and businesses.

### 2023 Project Location



**LEGEND**

- Potential Road Safety Improvements
- Potential Intersection Safety Improvements

### Virtual Public Event

Learn more about the proposed design principles and improvements being considered at Virtual Public Event #1, or view the presentation on the project webpage if you cannot attend the event. All materials will be posted to the project website in advance. **Complete an online survey to provide feedback**, or share your comments by phone or email. Comment deadline: **November 12, 2021**.



**Thursday, October 28, 2021**

**Presentation and Question & Answer period 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

Join by computer, smart phone or tablet	Join by phone (audio only)
<p>Visit the project web page and register for the event: <a href="https://toronto.ca/KensingtonSafeStreets">toronto.ca/KensingtonSafeStreets</a></p> <p>You will receive an email with instruction on how to join the event via your device.</p> <p>If you do not register in advance, you can visit the project web page on the day of the event to find the login information.</p>	<p>View information material ahead of time on the project web page OR request material by email or mail</p> <p>5 minutes before the event starts, call 416-915-6530 and enter access code 2454 563 4199.</p>

## Proposed Street Design Principles

The following principles are developed based on previous input and engagement with local residents, businesses, and stakeholders. They are open for public input and we welcome your feedback. Your comments will help inform the preliminary design work, which will be shared with the public in Spring 2022.



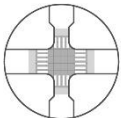
### Streets are public spaces

While streets are locations for movement, they are also vital public spaces for people.



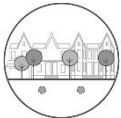
### Streets can transform

Many streets were built and designed in a different era and need to be reconfigured to meet current and future needs.



### Design for safety

Streets should be designed so that people walking, shopping, cycling, parking, loading and driving can cross paths safely.



### Streets are ecosystems

Well-designed streets act to connect human-made systems and natural systems, and can help increase green space, create shade, manage storm water and flood risks.

## Project Timeline



Learn more about this project and provide your feedback:

[toronto.ca/KensingtonSafeStreets](https://toronto.ca/KensingtonSafeStreets)

## Contact Us

To help reduce the spread of COVID-19 and to protect the health and safety of Toronto residents and our staff, this consultation process will be conducted online, by phone, by email, and by mail only. At the virtual public event, staff will present the project and provide an opportunity to ask questions. A copy of the presentation will be available on the website. If you have questions or comments, or to request information about the project, please contact:

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*Information will be collected in accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.*

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