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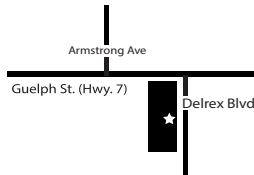
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### NEWS

# WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?

## ACTON CONSTRUCTION PROJECT GETS COVID-19 FUNDING BOOST

The Town of Halton Hills is set to receive almost \$1.5 million in provincial funds for the reconstruction of Acton's Young and Queen streets.

### JUST THE FACTS:

- The cash infusion comes as part of Ontario's COVID-19 response that added \$10 million to the Connecting Links program for municipal road and bridge repairs.
- The Young Street portion of the project began in June and involves the replacement of storm sewers and full reconstruction of the road. This work is expected to wrap up in September.
- The Queen Street aspect of the project, which is currently being designed, is slated for construction next spring.



Melanie Hennessey/Torstar

- The Town identified the need for the construction in 2018, with the goal of improving the safety and function of the main thoroughfare.
- The estimated value of the project is \$1.65 million, with the Province funding 90 per cent of the costs.
- "At a time when we, like all municipalities, are prioritizing work given COVID-19 impacts, I am pleased that the Province has recognized the importance of investing in local infrastructure," said Mayor Rick Bonnette.

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