

# Locates - Call Before You Dig!

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**2019-2027 Strategic Plan Priorities**



# Late Locates

- ▶ Ontario ONE Call held a late locate symposium in December 2019
- ▶ 25 Participants representing a variety of stakeholder groups
- ▶ The goal was to develop solutions that would make a positive impact on the 2020 dig season



# Recommended Solutions

- ▶ Forecasting
  - ▶ Properly forecasting workload
  - ▶ Communicating with the LSP
- ▶ Validity Standardization
  - ▶ Standardize validity dates
  - ▶ One Call is developing guidelines to share locates with subcontractors
- ▶ Data In/ Data Out
  - ▶ Cleaner data, reduce over-notification which affects LSP productivity
- ▶ Compliance/ Enforcement
  - ▶ Clearly outline the rules, compliance process and the roles and responsibilities of each stakeholder



# How the City has improved

- ▶ Increased validity times
- ▶ We are working closely with LSPs and clearly communicating our workload, so that resources can be properly allocated
- ▶ Cleaning up our data. Better mapping = few tickets

# How You can improved

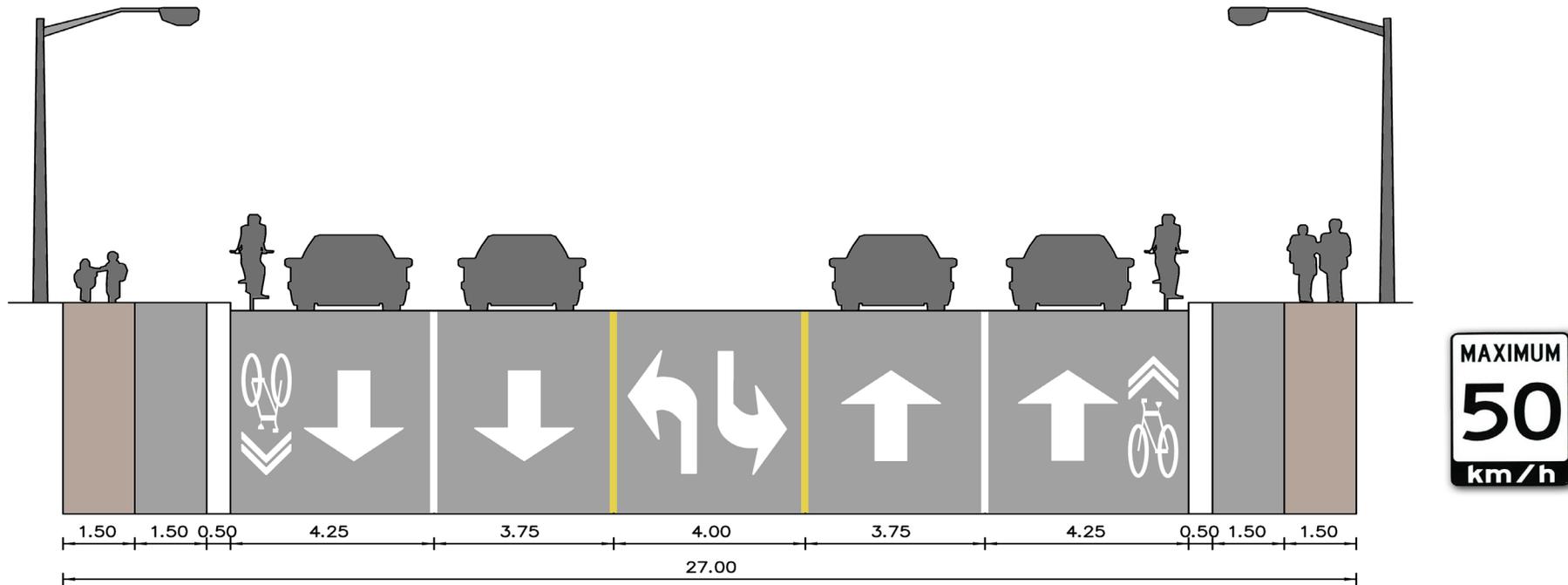
- ▶ Clearer project extents on your locate ticket
- ▶ Attach any plans or drawings that may be useful to complete the ticket



# Road Occupancy Permits and Degradation Fees



# What is the Road Allowance?



**SHARED ROADWAY  
WITH WIDE CURB LANE**

- ▶ Road Occupancy Permit
  - ▶ Cost \$42.00 (2020 fees)
  - ▶ Timeline: 7 days
  - ▶ Requirements
    - ▶ Traffic Control Plan
    - ▶ Proof of Insurance ( 5 million liability)
    - ▶ Application
  
- ▶ Road Closure
  - ▶ Cost \$99.00 (2020 fees)
  - ▶ Timeline: 4 weeks
  - ▶ Requirements
    - ▶ Signage
    - ▶ Traffic Control Plan
    - ▶ Proof of Insurance ( 5 million liability)
    - ▶ Application
    - ▶ Notification Letter



# Degradation Fees

- ▶ Degradation fees are a non-refundable pavement fee that is determined in accordance with the City's Miscellaneous User Fee By-law
- ▶ Will be applied any time a contractor or utility company makes a cut within the roadway
- ▶ Fees will not be collected until 2021, however, starting in May 2020, applicants will see a Degradation amount on the Road Occupancy Permit
- ▶ These fees apply to everyone
- ▶ Fees are based on pavement age
  - ▶ Pavement age is 3 years or less - \$44.50 per sq/m
  - ▶ Pavement age is greater than 3 years and less than or equal to 5 years - \$37.00 per sq/m.
  - ▶ Pavement age is greater than 5 years and less than or equal to 7 years - \$31.00 per sq/m.
  - ▶ Pavement age is greater than 7 years and less than or equal to 10 years - \$18.50 per sq/m.
  - ▶ Pavement age is greater than 10 years - \$7.75 per sq/m.



# Questions ??

