

Locates - Call Before You Dig!



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

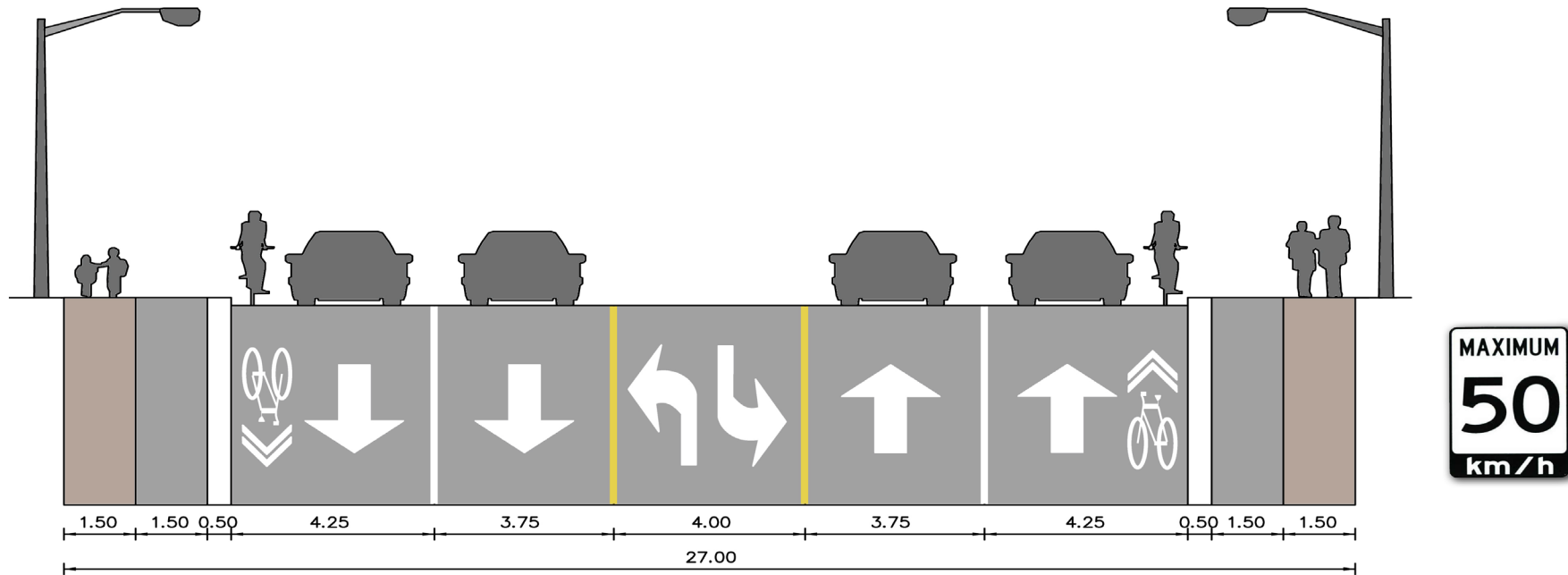
How You can improved

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

Road Occupancy Permits/Road Closure



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

Questions?