

Sexton Construction Update Feb 17, 2017

Two new buildings are being constructed on Sexton Campus as part of the IDEA Project - a transformational \$64-million investment to Dalhousie's Engineering and Architecture campus. The **Innovation Building** is adjacent to C and C1 Buildings, and the **Design Building** will be on Morris Street.

Recent snow has delayed the project.

Excavation and Rock Breaking:

- On the Innovation site, adjacent to C and C1:
Excavation and rock breaking will pick up again on the north side of the site from March 16-31.
- On the Morris St site for the Design Building:
Excavation and rock is complete.

***There will be heavy noise on these activities and they will be underway only during hours of operation allowed under HRM Bylaws.**

Traffic Disruptions

The installation of the primary electrical, storm and sanitary lines is underway and there will be intermittent traffic disruption along the roadway in front of N, D & F&P Buildings until May 2017.

Nova Scotia Power will be removing the 4Kva high voltage lines along Morris St. and there will be intermittent single lane road closures that will disrupt traffic until March 31, 2017.

The renewal of Sexton Campus is underway thanks to the generous support of industry, private donors, the students of Dalhousie and the Government of Canada. Along with the two new buildings, several existing ones will be revitalized over the next two years, adding advanced technology and design labs; state-of-the-art engineering facilities; modern teaching and learning spaces; technology diversity programs; and incubation space linking students and faculty to industry and entrepreneurs. Learn more on the Campus Development website at <https://www.dal.ca/dept/facilities/campus-development/projects/theidea-project.html>

For any concerns or questions during business hours (8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.) please contact either:

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After hours contact for concerns about the construction sites – Dalhousie Security 902- 494-6400. This number is staffed 24/7, all calls are recorded.

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A. Other – NSPI is working of the removal of the 4Kva high voltage lines along Morris St. and there will be intermittent single lane road closures that will disrupt traffic from March 1 to March 31, 2017.

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