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ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE - October 14th to October 15th, 2023

## Iconic TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon Returns to the City for 2023

**TORONTO, ON (October 12, 2023)** - On Sunday, October 15th Toronto welcomes the return of one of Canada's premier running events, the TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon. The event brings more than 25,000 elite and recreational runners together with spectators from over 70 countries annually, serving as the Athletics Canada national marathon championship race and having doubled as an Olympic qualifier.

A pillar Toronto event and internationally renowned race, the TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon prides itself on its impacts "beyond the run". The TCS Charity Challenge provides the unique opportunity for participants to customize their race experience by choosing to run in support of 159 charity partners this year, and has raised over \$50 million for charities since its inception in 2003. The TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon has committed to sustainability efforts through every facet of the event, having been awarded an Evergreen Certification by the Council for Responsible Sport, a distinction held by only a few marathons in the world. What's more, the event's 2023 feature charity partners include Canadian sustainability champions Trees for Life and Trans Canada Trail.

With the world-class marathon underway this weekend, some roads in the city will be temporarily closed as runners and walkers hit the pavement, and local businesses, friends, family and neighbours choose to celebrate with community events and cheering competitions along the race route. As always, the TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon works closely with the City of Toronto, Toronto Police, Toronto Transit Commission and City Councilors to minimize disruptions to residents.

In addition to the listings below, the race's innovative, interactive RacePoint Map is available to help navigate the running route: <https://www.racepoint.ca/maps/twm.html> or use Google Maps or Waze applications to avoid road closures. For more information about road closures and re-openings during race weekend, please visit <https://www.torontowaterfrontmarathon.com/road-closures/>

**RACE ROUTE CLOSURES (DOWNTOWN TORONTO): SATURDAY OCTOBER 14 - SUNDAY OCTOBER 15 2023**

<b>STREET CLOSED</b>	<b>SIDE OF ROAD</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>CLOSURE BEGINS</b>	<b>OPEN SUNDAY</b>
Bay St.	Full Road	Dundas St. W	Queen St. W	Sat. 7:00	21:00
Hagerman St.	Full Road	Elizabeth St.	Bay St.	Sat. 7:00	21:00
Elizabeth St.	Full Road	Dundas St. W	Hagerman St.	Sat. 7:00	21:00

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James St.	Full Road	Albert St.	Queen St. W	Sat. 7:00	21:00
Albert St.	Full Road	Bay St.	James St.	Sat. 7:00	21:00
University Ave.	Full Road	Dundas St. W	King St. W	Sun. 3:30	11:30
Bay St.	Full Road	Queen St. W	Lake Shore Blvd. W	Sun. 4:00	16:30
Armoury St.	Full Road	University Ave.	Centre Ave.	Sun. 4:00	11:30
Lakeshore Blvd.	Full Road	Windermere Ave.	Bathurst St.	Sun. 4:00	13:30
Lakeshore Blvd.	Westbound	Bathurst St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	13:30
Queen St. W	Full Road	Simcoe St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	11:30
Queen St. W	Full Road	University Ave.	Yonge St.	Sun. 11:00	16:30
Richmond St. W	Full Road	Simcoe St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	11:30
Richmond St. W	Full Road	Sheppard St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	16:30
Adelaide St. W	Full Road	Simcoe St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	11:30
Adelaide St. W	Full Road	Sheppard St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	16:30
York St.	Full Road	Queen St. W	Richmond St. W	Sun. 6:00	11:30
Temperance St.	Full Road	Sheppard St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 6:00	16:30
Wellington St.	Full Road	York St.	Church St.	Sun. 6:00	16:30
Front St. E	Full Road	Church St.	Jarvis St.	Sun. 6:00	16:30
King St. W	Full Road	York St.	Yonge St.	Sun. 7:30	16:30
University / Queens Park	Full Road	Bloor St. W	Dundas St. W	Sun. 7:45	10:30
Hoskin / Harbord	Full Road	Queen's Park Cres. W.	Spadina	Sun. 7:45	10:45
Spadina	Northbound	Harbord St.	Bloor St. W	Sun. 7:45	10:45
Bloor St. W	Full Road	Bathurst St.	Spadina	Sun 7:45	11:15
Bathurst St.	Full Road	Bloor St. W	Lakeshore Blvd. W	Sun. 7:45	11:30
Fort York Blvd.	Westbound	Lakeshore Blvd. W	Bathurst St.	Sun 7:45	11:30
Cherry St. N	Full Road	Eastern Ave.	Front St.	Sun. 7:00	14:30
Front St.	Full Road	Cherry St. N	Bayview Ave.	Sun. 7:00	14:30
Bayview Ave.	Full Road	Rosedale Valley	Mill St.	Sun. 7:00	14:30

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Carlaw Ave.	Full Road	Eastern Ave.	Lakeshore Blvd. E	Sun. 8:00	16:00
Lakeshore Blvd. E	Full Road	Carlaw Ave.	Woodbine Ave.	Sun. 8:00	16:00
Woodbine Ave.	Full Road	Queen St. E	Lakeshore Blvd. E	Sun. 8:00	16:00
Queen St. E	Full Road	Woodbine Ave.	Beech Ave.	Sun. 8:00	16:00
Eastern Ave. / Front St.	Full Road	Church	Carlaw Rd.	Sun. 8:00	16:00

### **About the TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon**

The TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon is Canada’s premier running event and the grand finale of the Canada Running Series (CRS). Since 2017, the race has served as the Athletics Canada national marathon championship race and has doubled as an Olympic qualifier. Using innovation and organization as guiding principles, Canada Running Series stages great experiences for runners of all levels, from Canadian Olympians to recreational and charity runners. With a mission of “building community through the sport of running,” CRS is committed to making sport part of sustainable communities and the city-building process.

To learn more about the TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon, visit [www.torontowaterfrontmarathon.com](http://www.torontowaterfrontmarathon.com).

### **About Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)**

Tata Consultancy Services is an IT services, consulting and business solutions organization that has been partnering with many of the world’s largest businesses in their transformation journeys for over 50 years. TCS offers a consulting-led, cognitive powered, integrated portfolio of business, technology and engineering services and solutions. This is delivered through its unique Location Independent Agile™ delivery model, recognized as a benchmark of excellence in software development.

A part of the Tata group, India's largest multinational business group, TCS has over 614,000 of the world’s best-trained consultants in 55 countries. The company generated consolidated revenues of US \$27.9 billion in the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023, and is listed on the BSE (formerly Bombay Stock Exchange) and the NSE (National Stock Exchange) in India. TCS' proactive stance on climate change and award-winning work with communities across the world have earned it a place in leading sustainability indices such as the MSCI Global Sustainability Index and the FTSE4Good Emerging Index.

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For more information, visit [www.tcs.com](http://www.tcs.com)

**About Canada Running Series (CRS)**

Canada Running Series is the nation's premier running circuit with 7 events, 4 in Toronto, 2 in Vancouver, and 1 in Montreal. It annually attracts over 50,000 participants and raises more than \$6 million for some 320 mostly-local charities. The Series includes the World Athletics Elite Label TCS Toronto Waterfront Marathon, and the Athletics Canada National Marathon Championships. Since 1999, CRS has gained international recognition for innovation and organization. To learn more about CRS, visit <https://canadarunningseries.com/>.

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