

Landscaping Features at Homestead Lane

The Windsor-Essex Parkway provides more than 300 acres of green space with landscaped areas, pedestrian bridges and tunnels and noise barriers. All of these features will work together to showcase how large-scale infrastructure and public uses can co-exist with natural habitat while considering the perspectives of drivers and adjacent residents. The following table describes features of noise barriers and landscaping elements in proximity to Homestead Lane.

| NOISE BARRIER | | | LANDSCAPING ELEMENTS | |
|---|------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---|
| Noise wall | Earth berm | Combination wall/berm | Pedestrian Bridge | Trails |
| Yes | No | No | No | Yes |
| Location: North side of Highway 401 near Wolfe Drain Height: 4m | n/a | n/a | n/a | Type: Secondary Trail Material: Asphalt Width: 3m Location: South side of Hwy 3 Connections: To Hearthwood Tunnel (T-10), Cousineau Tunnel (T-9), and Windsor Crossing Outlet Mall |
| Location: South side of Highway 3 near Homestead Lane Height: 4m | | | | |

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The cross-section on the back of this page depicts the location and features of noise barriers and landscaping elements in proximity to Homestead Lane.

In summary, landscaping features depicted in this location include:

- trees and shrubs along the roadside
- salt-tolerant grasses in roadside zones (closest to Highway 401 and Highway 3 lanes)
- grassland with seasonal wildflowers in roadside upland zone (closest to noise barrier)
- tallgrasses and wildflowers from noise wall to trail edge zone
- low growing grasses along the trail edge
- Tallgrass Prairie grasses and wildflowers near trail edge to screening landscape zone
- mixed planting buffer with evergreens, trees, shrubs, and grasses in the screening landscape between trail and homes.

Who can I contact if I have a question or concern?

It is one of the project team's goals to work with the community throughout the construction of this project.

If you have any concerns regarding construction of the Parkway, please contact or visit the Windsor Essex Mobility Group's Public Liaison Office at 1-877-937-5929, 2187 Huron Church Road Suite 340, or wep-plo@wemg.ca.

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