



Vaudreuil-Dorion

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Demolition of a building as part of the Vaudreuil-Soulanges Hospital project

Vaudreuil-Dorion, October 19, 2021 – The contractor mandated by the City of Vaudreuil-Dorion to carry out demolition work on the building located at 2145, boulevard de la Cité-des-Jeunes will be setting up its operations on the site in the coming days. The dismantling work, which is expected to last three weeks, is set to begin around October 25th.

This work is required to allow roadwork to take place to correct the angle of Chemin de la Petite-Rivière to 90°. The new geometry of the intersection will increase the safety of users, since the current configuration would hamper the flow of traffic expected to result from the construction and opening of the future Vaudreuil-Soulanges Hospital.

Particular attention will be paid to the recovery of materials generated from the demolition work, both inside and outside the building. The contractor will be required to recover, sort and recycle 70% of the materials, such as metal, concrete, asphalt or wood, in a sorting centre approved by the *Ministère de l'Environnement et de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques*, and to provide a report detailing the quantities of these items.

Motorists travelling in the area should not be inconvenienced, since no obstruction is expected to impede the flow of traffic during the completion of this work. The goal is in fact to limit any significant impact on current traffic that might result from the major construction site of the Vaudreuil-Soulanges hospital by conducting preparatory work such as corrections to Chemin de la Petite-Rivière. It should be noted that the City of Vaudreuil-Dorion was mandated by the *Société québécoise des infrastructures* and the *Ministère des Transports du Québec* to plan and supervise this type of work. To this end, a project manager, Mr. Pierre M. Lacoste, Eng., has been hired specifically to support the implementation of all the infrastructures aimed at serving the future hospital including the road system, water supply and sewers.