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## Two CSL underpass projects detailed

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Côte St. Luc Councillor Steven Erdelyi provided details on engineering projects at the Westminster Avenue and Côte St. Luc Road underpasses.

Erdelyi told the July city council meeting that the Westminster underpass is being renovated at a cost of \$1 million.

"We're currently working on the east side of the underpass," the councillor explained at the time. "It was talked about for many years, but it was just a matter of finding the funding and reaching an agreement with Canadian Pacific to do the work."

Erdelyi said that on the east side, sections of concrete, where needed, are being reinforced. As well, the pedestrian walkway will be redone and a railing will be extended. The councillor pointed out the latter will provide students from nearby schools with safe access.

"The west side will be done next, and the staircase will also be done so that residents can use that."

The Côte St. Luc Road underpass project involves a new pump station to counter the effects of a possible flood, "so that we won't be landlocked." Residents were landlocked when the July 14, 1987, major Montreal flood took place.

"This [current] project was done in partnership with the City of Montreal, who is paying half of the cost," Erdelyi pointed out. "It's also a \$1 million project."

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