Finch Avenue East Underpass

Construction Notice

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- Stage 1 – December 1-8, approximately one week*
- Stage 2 – December 8-15, approximately one week*
- Stage 3 – 5 months duration (Dec 15 – End April)*

*The schedule of work is subject to change based on weather conditions and unforeseen elements.

The map is for illustrative purposes only and not to scale. Work locations are approximate.

Project Overview

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A new grade separation that will be located on Finch Avenue East between Milliken Boulevard and Midland Avenue. By separating tracks from the road, we are increasing safety for everyone in the surrounding community, as well as improving the flow of traffic. It will also support more GO train service on the Stouffville Line in future.

What is happening?

Crews will be working on sanitary and storm sewer installations on Finch Avenue East. This work will require temporary lane closures on Finch Avenue East and will utilize excavators, shoring boxes, loaders, dump trucks, and vacuum trucks. These activities are part of early works to prepare for construction of the future Finch Avenue East Underpass. This work is critical to ensuring the safe construction of the underpass and uninterrupted service and proper

stormwater management. The public will still be able to access the properties along this work, there may be occasional sidewalk diversions, and a diverted driveway for traffic. Crews will implement a traffic control plan to guide vehicles and pedestrians throughout the construction periods.

This work will take place in three different stages:

- Stage 1 – December 1-8, for approximately one week
    - West of Baylawn drive towards Miliken Boulevard - two eastbound lanes on Finch Avenue East will be closed
- Stage 2 – December 8-15, approximately one week
    - West Baylawn drive towards Miliken Boulevard – two westbound on Finch Avenue East will be close
- Stage 3 – 5 months duration (Dec 15 – End April)
    - West of Baylawn drive towards Miliken Boulevard, two east bound lanes will be closed and East of Baylawn drive towards Midland Eastbound lanes

HOURS OF WORK

- Construction hours 7 am to 5 pm from Monday to Friday.
- Hours may be extended depending on factors such as weather and crew availabilities.
- There may be occasional weekend work as required.
- Work may be rescheduled due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Residents can expect to see construction vehicles in the vicinity of the work zone, please exercise caution when traveling next to the construction sites.
- There may be some dirt
- Our staff will take reasonable precautions to minimize disturbances to residents and commuters, including but not limited to the following:
    - Reduced idling of non-essential equipment
    - Increased construction and delivery vehicles and equipment can be expected in the vicinity of the work area.

TRAFFIC & PEDESTRIAN DETAILS

- Temporary lane closures will be in effect.
- There will be at least one lane open for vehicles travelling in each direction during construction.
- Please plan travels accordingly during the construction period.
- There may be adjustments to pedestrian pathways during the construction, signage for detours will be in place.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Metrolinx has a dedicated community engagement team in place that works with residents and businesses in the Toronto East area.
- If you have any questions, please contact us using the information provided below.

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