

Track Slab Demolition

July 2022 - Early 2023



Figure 1: Map showing the approximate work area for the Union Station Enhancement Project (USEP) and the slab demolition work.

Background

GO service is expanding to serve you better - with more frequent service, more stations, cleaner technology, and more connections. Across the entire network, our goal is to deliver over 10,000 train trips a week - so you won't need a schedule because you know the next train will be coming soon. GO Expansion will transform the GO rail network from a heavy rail commuter service into an all-day, urban rapid system.

Work has already started at Union Station to get you where you need to go, better, faster, and easier. The Union Station Enhancement Project (USEP) is being completed in phases to deliver the required infrastructure needed to enable two-way, all-day service every 15 minutes or better along core segments of the GO rail network. The USEP includes the design and construction of transit infrastructure and upgrades at the southernmost part of Union Station.

What work is taking place?

Platforms 24 to 27, including track slabs are being demolished to make way for excavation for the new south passenger concourse (which will span 325 meters from York to Bay Streets) and two new wider platforms that will be installed as part of USEP.

For more information on the Union Station Enhancement Project, please visit:

www.metrolinx.com/UnionStation

Timing and what to expect

- Work is taking place from July 2022 to early 2023
- Larger machinery will be required for this work, which may result in louder construction related noise during day-time hours
- Residents and businesses near the work site can expect to hear noise caused by trucks and other equipment. Every effort will be made to minimize disruptions.
- Removals at concourse level will be inside closed hoarding to mitigate noise/dust

Long-term local benefits to the community

- Two new wide platforms with canopies and two new tracks, will increase safety and capacity to serve more and get you where you need to go faster.
- A more modernized and convenient open concept south passenger concourse will provide smoother, easier customer connections.

Questions

If you have any questions about this work or would like to be included on future email communications from us, please call us at 416-202-6911 or email us at

TorontoWest@metrolinx.com

When near construction areas, please be safe and respect all safety measures in place. Thank you for your patience as we work to transform the rail corridor in your area.

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