Overnight drilling on Queen St W

Expected completion date: September 5, 2023

Hours of work: Sunday to Thursday from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.



What is happening?

- Work crews are conducting borehole drilling on Queen St West and Simcoe St.
- Borehole drilling will take place overnight Sunday to Thursday from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- Work is scheduled to be completed by September 5, 2023.
- One eastbound lane on Queen St. West will be closed with partial sidewalk closures.
 Pedestrian access will remain open at Queen St West at all times.
- Borehole drilling is necessary to test the ground conditions under the street for the construction of the Ontario Line subway tunnels.



What to expect

- Nearby residents and businesses can expect to hear noise related to drilling, hydrovac work, and the use of heavy equipment. Crews will take measures to minimize noise impacts wherever possible.
- After each work shift, the hole will be securely covered and marked for safety until workers return to continue drilling.
- Please take extra caution when near construction work sites.
- Work may be delayed or rescheduled due to unforeseen weather conditions.

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