Moss Park Construction Liaison Committee

November 16, 2023



Agenda

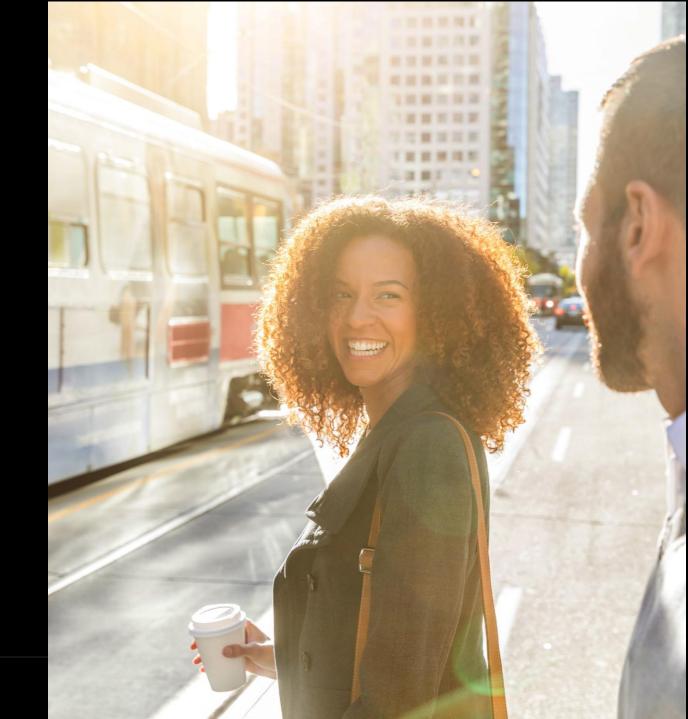
Welcome (5 minutes)

- Introductions
- Land Acknowledgement
- Safety Moment

Presentation (25 minutes)

- Action Items
- Construction Updates
- Signage Updates
- Community Engagement

Feedback and Discussion (30 minutes)



LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Treaties and Reserves in the Greater Golden Horseshoe



Let us take a moment to acknowledge we are on lands that have been, and continue to be, home to many Indigenous Peoples including the Anishnabeg, the Haudenosaunee and the Huron-Wendat peoples.

We are all Treaty people. Many of us have come here as settlers, as immigrants or involuntarily as part of the trans-Atlantic slave trade, in this generation, or generations past.

We acknowledge the historic and continued impacts of colonization and the need to work towards meaningful reconciliation with the original caretakers of this land.

We acknowledge that Metrolinx operates on territories and lands covered by many treaties that affirm and value the rights of Indigenous communities, Nations and Peoples.

We understand the importance of working towards reconciliation with the original caretakers of this land. At Metrolinx, we will conduct business in a manner that is built on a foundation of trust, respect and collaboration.



Safety Moment

Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD) Awareness

-What is SAD?

- SAD is a form of depression tied to seasonal changes, often striking during the winter months when daylight is reduced.

Signs:

- Keep an eye out for symptoms like low energy levels, persistent sadness, and disruptions in sleep patterns.

Tips for Coping:

- Prioritize exposure to natural light, especially during daylight hours.
- Engage in regular physical activity to boost mood.
- Maintain a consistent sleep schedule for overall well-being.

Community Support:

- Be mindful of neighbors, especially those who may be more vulnerable. Offer a helping hand or a friendly check-in.



PREVIOUS CLC MINUTES AND ACTION ITEMS

ACTION ITEM		STATUS UPDATE
•	Metrolinx & team to provide Moss Park Coalition an update on community art for the hoarding when available.	Metrolinx attended last Moss Park Coalition meeting and conversations are ongoing.
•	Garden District Residents Association to email OTG to further discuss approaches for the dump truck route and ensuring that bike lanes along Queen St. and residential streets will not be blocked.	Metrolinx and OTG arranging a meeting with the Garden District Residents Association.
•	Metrolinx to continue to notify MPP Wong-Tam's office on street closures impacting businesses and noise and vibration updates.	Ongoing

Construction Update



Current Works

In progress

Utility works

- Work commenced: September 18, 2023
- Concluding by: November 30, 2023

Scope:

- Construction crews are surveying utilities and conducting sewer inspections with various closures north and southbound on Sherbourne Street, George Street, and Stonecutters Lane while crews set up around sewers in that area.
- The work is done by accessing sewer manholes to assess internal conditions of sewers and cabling before station construction begins.



Completed Work

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Recently completed

- Fencing and boundary hoarding completed
- Pedestrian walkway installation
- Erosion and sediment controls
- Monitoring wells decommissioning
- Test pitting



Upcoming Work

2 Upcor

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- Construction of ground working platforms and construction access
- Arena temporary parking construction
- Installation of Metrolinx signage on site hoarding along Queen Street East
- Temporary site office delivery + set-up
- Tower crane will be installed in Spring 2024



Signage Update



Signage

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Upcoming work

Current Hoarding, covered pedestrian walkway and foundational platform installation completed.





Anticipated Signage - Late 2023 install (Phase 1)

To be installed along Queen Street East

The Ontario Line



Future home of an Ontario Line station for Moss Park.

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Discussion



Community Engagement



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Ongoing Community Canvasing and Participation

- Project staff and representatives will commence ongoing interaction with the community, for the duration of the project. Activities will include:
- Pop-ups presences in the community (parks, events, markets).
- Pop-ups in condo lobbies.
- Monthly CLC meetings.
- In-person and virtual consultation with residences and businesses.
- Shop Local digital campaigns, supporting communities affected by Ontario Line Construction.
- News, progress and information shared in the Ontario Line newsletter (currently over 6,600 subscribers).

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Community Engagement Contact Information

Metrolinx will keep the community, residents and businesses informed by providing project updates, seeking input and feedback, and addressing questions and concerns effectively and quickly.

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