

West Toronto Railpath

UPDATE: Ernest Avenue Park Construction

**Date may be rescheduled due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances*



Figure 1: Map illustrating the detour along the West Toronto Rail Path. For illustrative purposes only. Metrolinx Image.

Project Overview

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 commuter service into an all-day, rapid system.

Metrolinx will be building a new track on the Kitchener GO line, next to the West Toronto Railpath. Part of this work includes construction of a new entrance to Bloor GO Station, a new community park at Ernest Avenue, and a realignment of the Railpath, on behalf of the City of Toronto.

What You Need to Know

The Railpath section between Wallace and Ernest Avenues will remain closed until further notice. While most construction is now complete, we are working with the City and our partners to finalize a checklist and safely hand the Railpath back to the City of Toronto.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- The Railpath will be closed just south of Wallace Avenue to Ernest Avenue until further notice.
- Please respect all safety and exclusion measures installed to protect you. Thank you for your patience as we work to transform the West Toronto Railpath and rail corridor.

HOURS OF WORK

- The majority of work will take place between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays.
- These dates are subject to change due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.
- Work will be conducted as quickly and efficiently as possible to minimize disturbances.

TRAFFIC DETAILS

- No impact to the traffic accessing Bloor GO Station.

PEDESTRIAN DETAILS

- The walkway between Wallace and Ernest Avenues will reopen as soon as it is safe to do so.
- Railpath users can detour from Wallace or Ernest Avenues to Elsie Lane, to bypass the closure.

TRANSIT INFORMATION

- No impact to the train operations at Bloor GO station.
- Access to Bloor GO Station will be maintained at all times.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

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

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