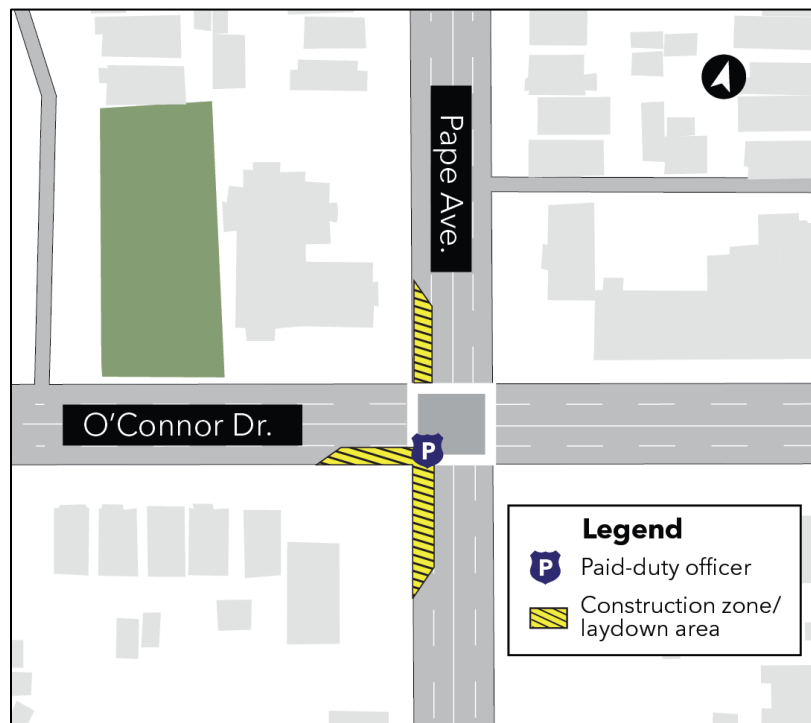


# Update: Geotechnical work on Pape Avenue and O'Connor Drive

**Expected start date:** As early as May 12, 2025

**Expected duration:** Up to May 22, 2025

**Hours of work:** Overnight, Monday to Friday: 9 p.m. – 5 a.m.



## What is happening?

- To enable future construction activities for the Ontario Line project, crews will be conducting geotechnical investigations at the intersection of Pape Ave. and O'Connor Dr.
- Geotechnical investigations consist of drilling boreholes. These investigations are essential to understand soil and rock properties, minimize construction risk and protect nearby buildings and infrastructure.
- Work is taking place overnight in this area to minimize the impact to traffic.

## What to expect

- Work will take place overnight, from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m.

- Drilling and excavation equipment, such as drill rigs and water hauling, hydrovac, concrete and coring trucks will be on site.
- During the vertical drilling phase, noise, dust and vibration from construction equipment is expected.
- The southbound lane of Pape Ave. the eastbound lane of O'Connor Dr. at the intersection of Pape Ave. and O'Connor Dr. will be closed. Access to residential and commercial driveways will be maintained.
- Signage and safety barriers will be in place to delineate work zones.
- Paid-duty officers and traffic control personnel will be on-site managing traffic and pedestrian flow. The site will be supervised throughout the work.
- Mobile lights may be used to illuminate the site and ensure safe working conditions.
- TTC bus service will be maintained throughout the work.
- Timing of construction is subject to weather conditions and construction constraints.
- Equipment may be left on site but will be properly secured and stored to ensure safety.
- Dust will be mitigated by misting and sweeping.

We will continue to assess impacts and provide neighbourhood notices in advance of any work to keep you up to date and informed. For more information about upcoming work, please see [metrolinx.com/ontarioline](http://metrolinx.com/ontarioline) or sign up for the e-newsletter.

## About the project

- 15.6-kilometre subway line that will make it faster and easier to travel within Toronto and beyond.
- 15 stops and more than 40 connections to other transit, including GO train, subway, LRT, streetcar and bus lines.
- Less than 30 minutes from one end of the line to the other.
- 28,000 fewer cars on the road each day.

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