Don Yard Rail Corridor Bi-Weekly Construction Update

Saturday July 12 to Saturday, July 26, 2025

This notice provides an update on the work happening in the Don Yard rail corridor over the next two (2) weeks. The notice will be updated on a bi-weekly basis.



What is happening?

Construction work is underway in the Don Yard rail corridor to prepare for the future Ontario Line. A new subway tunnel and portal are being built in the Don Yard to transition the Ontario Line from underground to surface level. There will also be a new bridge constructed over the Don Valley Parkway. This notice provides a progress update on the works taking place in the Don Yard. **For further details, please carefully review the information provided in the table below.**

Hours of Work and Duration	Location	Activity
 Ongoing until October Daytime Weekdays and Saturdays from 7 a.m 7 p.m. 	 South of Corktown Common progressing east 	Piling Using a drill rig to dig circular holes in the ground. These holes are then filled with steel and concrete to create a wall that will support the portal excavation. Piling is progressing west to east.
 Ongoing until December 2025 Daytime and evenings Weekdays and Saturdays from 7 a.m 7 p.m. Welding continues on weekdays between 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. Periodic overnight excavation and hauling 	• Middle of the site, south of 131, 151, and 181 Mill Street	Excavation, hauling and tieback installation Using excavators and dump trucks to remove material (soil) from the site. Using a drill to install steel rods that will support the excavation. Milling and smoothing the piles using an excavator. Activities progress west to east.
 Ongoing until December 2025 Daytime and evenings Weekdays and Saturdays from 7 a.m 5 p.m. Until Sept. 2025, welding work will occur on weekday evenings from 3 p.m 2 a.m. 	• At the east end of the site, beside the Don River	Bridge trestle work Installing the foundations and frame for the temporary bridge trestle. Construction activities include piling, excavation, concrete works, and welding steel beams.
 Friday July 18, 2025 Early morning and daytime Starting as early as 4 a.m. and continuing until 10 p.m. 	• Within the site east of Tannery Road	Tower Crane Installing a tower crane near the east end of the Don Yard site.
Monday July 14 and Tuesday July 15, 2025 Overnight • Two days between 8 p.m 5 a.m.	• Within the Don Yard rail corridor	Track Resurfacing Work Levelling and aligning tracks in the rail corridor

*Work locations may change based on construction progress and site conditions.

