

Barrie Corridor Improvements: Weekend works

Saturday, April 18 – Sunday, April 19, 2026*

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

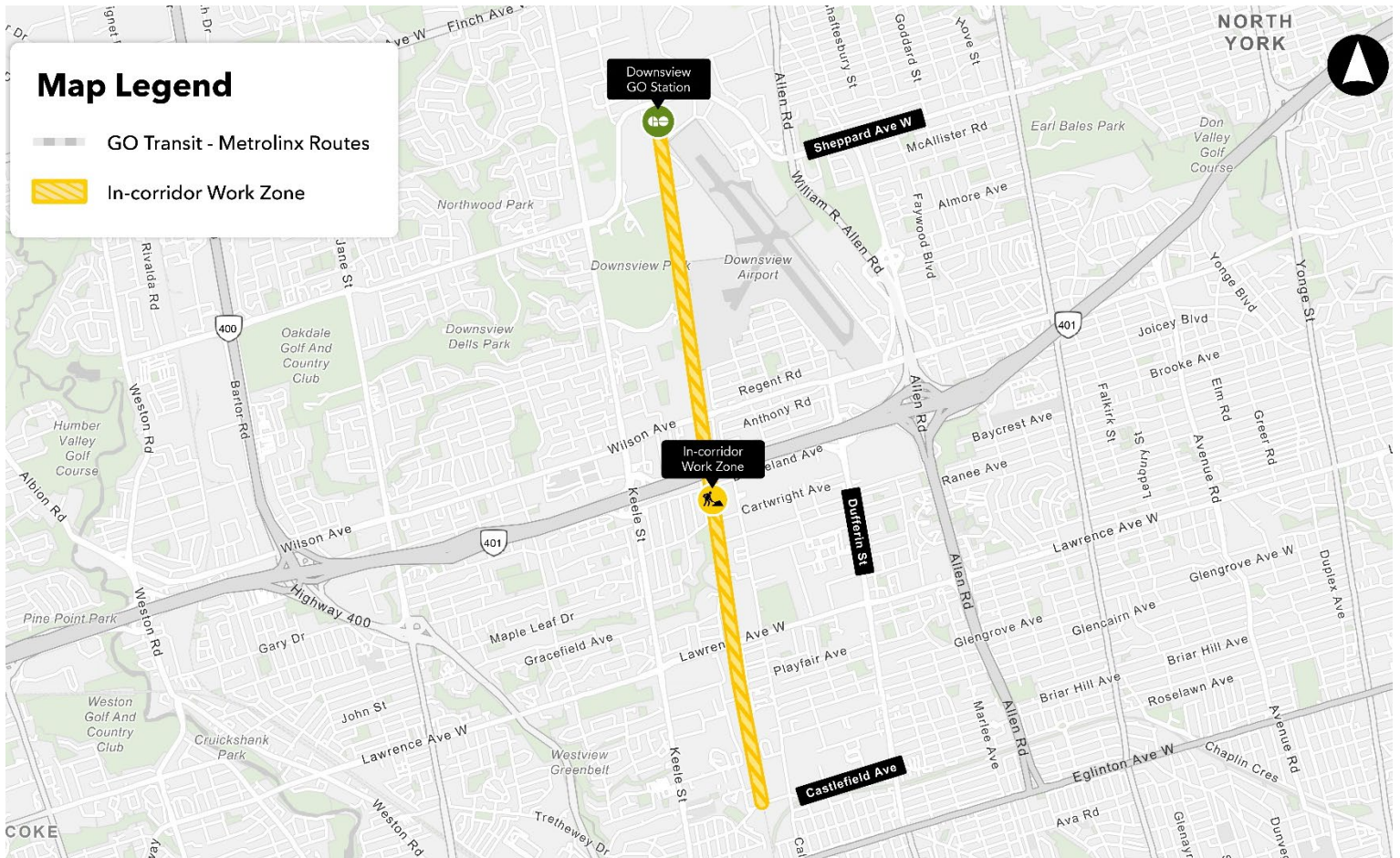


Figure 1: Map depicting in-corridor work zone. Not to scale. Metrolinx image.

WHAT IS HAPPENING

Metrolinx will be conducting deficiency repairs as part of ongoing improvements to the Barrie GO rail corridor. Deficiency works are a critical step in ensuring the safety and stability of completed infrastructure. Activities include the compaction of a new track bed, clearing of vegetation, and the reparation of fencing.

Work will take place from Saturday, April 18 to Sunday, April 19, 2026, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., during a weekend pause in service of the Barrie line (Major Track Closure).

Activities will occur within the corridor from Downsview GO Station down to Castlefield Avenue.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Deficiency works will take place over the weekend.
- Activities include the compaction of a new track bed, clearing of vegetation, and the reparation of fencing.
- Equipment to be used includes rollers, plate tampers, and various trucks.
- Noise, dust and vibration: While construction works may result in periodic noise, dust, and vibration, these impacts will be actively monitored, and every effort will be made to mitigate exposure to nearby residents. No equipment will be left to idle.

HOURS OF WORK

- Work will occur on Saturday, April 18 and Sunday, April 19, 2026.
- Work will take place during the day between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

LOCATION OF WORK

- Work will occur in the corridor from Downsview GO Station down south to Castlefield Avenue (see Figure 1).

PEDESTRIAN DETAILS

- No impacts on sidewalks or pedestrian pathways are expected.

TRAFFIC DETAILS

- There are no major traffic impacts expected.

TRANSIT INFORMATION

- Work will occur during a weekend pause in service of the Barrie GO line. Service will resume on Monday, April 20, 2026.

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.

Information as of: April 10, 2026

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