

Sound wall installation at Islington Avenue and Eglinton Avenue West

Scheduled start: July 15, 2026

Expected completion: July 31, 2026

Construction hours: Weekdays - 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Occasional weekend work required.

Map of work area:



What is happening?

- Crews working on behalf of Metrolinx will be installing an additional sound wall within the construction site, on the south side of Islington Avenue and Eglinton Avenue West.
- This sound wall installation is required to help mitigate noise for the residential areas on the south side of the intersection.
- This work is part of the station box construction on Eglinton Avenue West. A station box is an underground box-like structure that forms the main body of a transit station.
- Sound walls are post and panel structures that are strategically built to dampen and reduce noise from construction. The sound walls will be in place for the duration of construction.
- The sound walls will be approximately five metres tall and are made from pre-cast concrete for sound dampening.

What to expect

- Residents can expect to see construction lighting and hear noise from construction equipment, compactors, drills, excavators and dump trucks.
- Measures are being put in place to reduce dust, including the use of water sprayers and biodegradable dust suppressants.
- Weekend or overnight work may be required. Residents will be provided with updates as they are made available.
- The information provided is anticipated based on the current construction schedule and is subject to change.
- Work is subject to permit approval from the City of Toronto.
- There are no traffic or pedestrian impacts for this work.

About the project

- The Eglinton Crosstown West Extension will bring even more rapid transit to Etobicoke and Mississauga, making it easier for people to get where they need to be each day.
- The extension of Line 5 Eglinton will run 9.2 kilometres from Mount Dennis Station to Renforth Drive and will operate mainly underground. Once complete, it will create a continuous rapid transit line that stretches from Scarborough, through midtown Toronto, and into Mississauga.

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