Scarborough Subway Extension

Construction Notice

Overnight lane closures on McCowan Road and Sheppard Avenue East

Scheduled start date: November 6, 2026
Scheduled end date: November 7, 2026
Working hours: Overnight, 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.



Map showing details of temporary traffic setup and lane closures

What Is Happening

To prepare for future Scarborough Subway Extension construction, crews will be conducting utility inspection work at the McCowan Road and Sheppard Avenue East intersectio. To accommodate this work, lanes will be reduced. This work is scheduled to take place overnight, from 9:00 p.m. on November 6 to 5:00 a.m. on November 7, 2026, to reduce traffic impacts.

Information as of: October 30, 2026

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What to Expect

General

- Work areas will be clearly marked or fenced off to ensure public safety.
- Work may be delayed or rescheduled due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.

Traffic Impacts

- Minor delays may be experienced near the work zone.
- Two-way directional traffic will be maintained during the work.
- A paid duty officer, flaggers and detour signs will be onsite as needed to direct traffic.

Noise & Vibration

- Residences and businesses in the area may experience noise and vibration caused by construction equipment related to this work.
- Crews will take measures to minimize disruptions to the surrounding area wherever possible.

Pedestrian Access

- Clear and defined walking paths will be maintained during construction to ensure pedestrian safety.

Transit Service

- There is no anticipated impact to transit services.

About the Project

A nearly eight-kilometre subway extension will extend Line 2 further into Scarborough. Three new stops will have connections to up to six other transit options, including TTC buses, GO train, GO buses, Line 5 Eglinton, Durham Region Transit, and the proposed Sheppard Extension. The extension will accommodate up to 105,000 daily boardings and put 34,000 more jobs within walking distance to rapid transit.

Questions? We're here for you.

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