**CONSTRUCTION LIAISON COMMITTEE UPDATE**

*Mississauga Cooksville and Centre*

November 2022

Thank you for continuing your participation in the Hurontario LRT Construction Liaison Committee. We will be providing our CLC members with a digital update this month (see below).

Our next update will be scheduled for December 2022.

**ONGOING CONSTRUCTION:**

**Cooksville**

Utility relocations and infrastructure improvements are currently ongoing in this section of Hurontario Street between Harborn Road and Matthews Gate. Work areas have been clearly demarcated with fencing and orange barrels. Our traffic team continues to monitor the road conditions and refresh the line painting as necessary.

Electrical duct banks are being installed and preparations are also underway for telecom relocations. This work is mainly concentrated near Harborn Road, Paisley Boulevard, Fairview, and Central Parkway. Some of this work between the Queensway and King Street to reduce the impacts.

Crews are installing sanitary and stormwater infrastructure near the intersections of Paisley Boulevard, Agnest Street, and Hillcrest Avenue.

As works progress, there will be short term impacts to driveways and parking spaces in the commercial plazas between Dundas Street and Hillcrest Avenue beginning in January 2023. Property owners will be informed in advance of the impacts.

**Mississauga Centre**

The work in Mississauga Centre has been concentrated between Square One Drive and Eglinton Avenue. Crews are currently busy installing the elevated guideway supported by piers. The placement of girders has begun and will continue into the new year (2023). Once complete the guideway will connect the Hurontario LRT to the MiWay Transit Terminal on Rathburn and facilitate transit users' access to a number of MiWay routes.

Crews are paving and placing curbs on the roadway between Eglinton Avenue and Elia Drive. Roadworks and watermain works are also underway on Rathburn Road. Some of this work will be conducted at night to minimize impacts to transit.

**PROJECT PROGRESS - QEW PUSH BOX**

Last month, crews successfully built and pushed into place an additional underpass for northbound vehicular traffic along Hurontario Street. This will accommodate the future LRT guideway that will run along the existing northbound lanes on Hurontario Street. A first in Ontario, this innovative feat of engineering had crews working around the clock to have the underpass pushed into place over the course of a weekend and allowed traffic to resume normal operations first thing Monday morning along the QEW. Like the push box structure that has been built for the Lakeshore West underpass, installing this underpass using Petrucco’s box-jacking technique helped to minimize the disruption to motorists by as much as several months to over a year. Next up is the relocation of the eastbound on ramp to make room for north bound Hurontario traffic to use the new underpass.

Read the full story and watch the time laps video on Metrolinx news! <https://blog.metrolinx.com/2022/11/14/new-underpass-has-been-installed-at-hurontario-and-qew/>

**COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

**Canvass**

Community canvassing is a great way to connect with residents. Our community engagement recently canvassed in Cooksville and Mississauga Centre neighborhoods to chat with residents about new updates like track installation near Matheson and Hurontario. We gave them information about the Hazel McCallion Line and also how to reach our team with questions or concerns.

**Out in the Community**

The community engagement team is attending events where and when possible, to create more opportunities for those important one on one conversations with the residents of Mississauga and Brampton.

Here is where you can find us over the next few weeks!

* Streetsville Holiday Night Market @ Vic Johnston Community Centre, November 25th 6pm to 10pm
* Burnhamthorpe Library Pop-Up, November 23rd 3pm to 5pm
* Brampton Court House: Wednesday November 30th, from 10am-12pm
* Brampton YMCA Pop-Up, December 6th 8:30 am to 10am
* Huron Park Library Pop-Up, December 7th 4pm to 6pm
* South Common Mall Library, December 14th 4pm to 6pm

**Safety**

Safety is our number one priority and a shared responsibility. Please note and follow construction signage as you walk, cycle or drive along Hurontario Street. Pedestrians are advised to only cross at signalized intersections and always walk on designated pathways.

**Contact Us**

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to Metrolinx Community Relations team at 416-202-7500 or email Peel@metrolinx.com

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