Hamilton LRT

Construction Notice

Hamilton LRT - Utility Inspection - 1A

Scheduled Start Date: August 31, 2026
Scheduled End Date: December 31, 2026
Working Hours: Monday to Sunday, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The Hamilton LRT route

What Is Happening?

Utilities must be relocated, protected, or otherwise accommodated before major LRT construction can proceed. This work helps ensure that utility companies and the City of Hamilton can continue to access, maintain, inspect, and upgrade critical infrastructure once the LRT is in operation. As part of the detailed design phase of the Hamilton LRT, additional field investigations are required. These investigations will help confirm the precise location and condition of underground utilities along the corridor. Over the coming months, the team will investigate locations along the LRT alignment to validate existing information and collect additional data needed to support project design and construction planning.

Information as of: August 28, 2026

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What to Expect?

- Trucks and construction equipment may generate dust during construction.
- Crews will take precautions to monitor and reduce dust.
- Increased presence of construction vehicles and equipment can be expected in the work area.
- Work areas will be clearly marked or fenced off to ensure public safety.
- Please exercise caution around active construction sites.
- Work may be delayed or rescheduled due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.
- In case of emergencies, please call David Pitt – 416-668-4363 or Mario Caramo – 289-465-4398

Traffic Changes

- 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 to direct traffic as needed.
- All businesses in the area will remain open during the work. Please follow signage for access.

Pedestrian Access

- Pedestrian detours may be required, with signs in place to direct pedestrians as needed.
- Clear and defined walking paths will be maintained during construction to ensure pedestrian safety.

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.

Transit Service

- Some HSR bus stops will be closed for periods of time during the work. Signs will be posted to keep residents informed.

About the Project

- This project will bring 14 kilometres of fast, frequent light rail transit through Hamilton's downtown core connecting you from Eastgate to McMaster and everywhere in between. Modern light rail service will connect key areas, destinations, and institutions along Main Street, King Street and Queenston Road. It will move approximately 50,000 riders daily and will support 16,400 new daily trips on transit. It will also feature direct connections to GO Transit and HSR bus service.
- Disponible en français sur simple demande. Si cela vous intéresse, veuillez nous contacter à l'adresse courriel ci-dessous.

Questions? We're here for you.

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