

Environmental fieldwork along Eglinton Ave West between Martin Grove Road and Weston Road

September - December 2021



The Eglinton Crosstown West Extension (ECWE) is one of four new subway projects that will transform transit in our region; getting hundreds of thousands of people where they need to be, better, faster, and easier than today.

What work is happening here?

In support of the Eglinton Crosstown West Extension project environmental studies and existing conditions documentation, Metrolinx is undertaking several fieldwork programs along Eglinton Avenue West between Martin Grove Road and Weston Road. These environmental studies include: groundwater well monitoring; tree inventory; vegetation surveys; Stage 2 archaeological assessment; botanical assessment / wetland identification surveys; butternut health assessment; and aquatic habitat assessment / amphibian surveys.

HOURS OF WORK

- Work is scheduled to start in late-September 2021, and will occur until December 2021, subject to weather conditions.
- Work can occur between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m, Monday to Friday.
- Work may be rescheduled due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Machinery is not required on-site for the work.
- Archaeological investigations require test pit surveys (shovel-testing).
- Test pit surveys of 5m intervals will be carried out in areas of identified archaeological potential. Recovery of any resources will be catalogued and documented.
- Each site will be restored to original conditions following completion of test pit surveys on the same day of the investigation before departure from site.
- There will be no noise, pedestrian or traffic impacts associated with this work.
- Community members will be able to access park amenities as this fieldwork takes place.
- No tree or vegetation removals are required for the work.
- Publicly accessible facilities (e.g. sidewalks, public paths, parks, roadways) will remain open during the investigations.

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