



FINCH WEST LRT – Transforming Transit in Your Area

Construction Notice

Information as of March 25, 2020

What is the Finch West Light Rail Transit (LRT)?

The Finch West LRT is a light rail transit project that will bring 11 kilometres of modern, reliable rapid transit to northwest Toronto. It will have 18 stops, including 16 surface stops, plus an underground interchange station at Finch West subway. A below-grade terminal stop at Humber College will connect to other local transit services like GO, MiWay, Viva, and Züm. The Finch West LRT will provide rapid transit for the Jamestown, Rexdale and Black Creek neighbourhoods, as well as vital connections between communities and supporting growth in northwest Toronto.

Road Widening, Watermain and Storm Sewer Installation Finch Ave. W. from Tobermory Dr. to Tangiers Rd. March 2020

What: As part of preparatory works to expand Finch Ave. W. to accommodate the Finch West LRT line, crews will continue with road widening and utility relocation work along the Finch West LRT corridor. Crews will also install new underground storm sewer and watermain pipes on the south side of Finch Ave. W. between east of Tobermory Dr. and Tangiers Rd. Work will begin in late March and take approximately five (5) months. Road widening activities also will continue both sides of Finch Ave. W.

To safely conduct the works and minimize traffic congestion, works are taking place in three stages.

Stage 1 taking place between Romfield Ln. and Tangiers Rd. is nearing completion.

Since January 2020, crews have been installing temporary signals and sidewalks, widening both sides of Finch Ave. W. and relocating electrical, gas, and telecommunication utilities.

Stage 2a is currently taking place on the south side of Finch Ave. W., from east of Sentinel Rd. to Romfield Ln. Works will occur from March to May 2020.

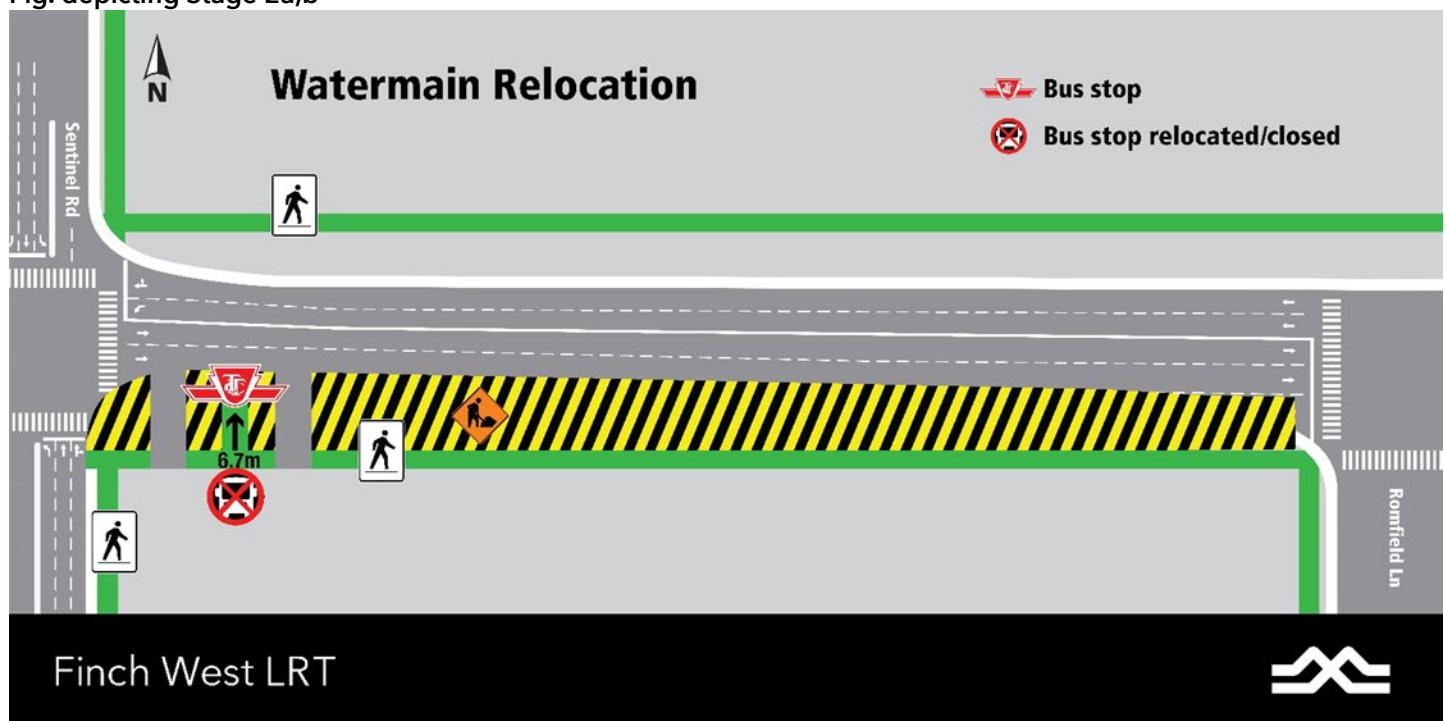
Stage 2b will take place on the south side of Finch Ave. W., from east of Tobermory to Romfield Ln.

Works will occur from March to August 2020.

Stages 2a and 2b Works (maps below)

- Closure of the existing eastbound curb lane to create work zone.
- Installation of storm sewer and watermain pipes on the south side of Finch Ave. W.
- First, the crew will dig trenches and install the pipes.
- Then, the City of Toronto will conduct pressure testing, cleaning and inspection of the new pipes prior to final connections and then leaving behind existing pipes.
- Last, the crew will backfill, regrade and pave the new widened roadway.

Fig. depicting Stage 2a,b



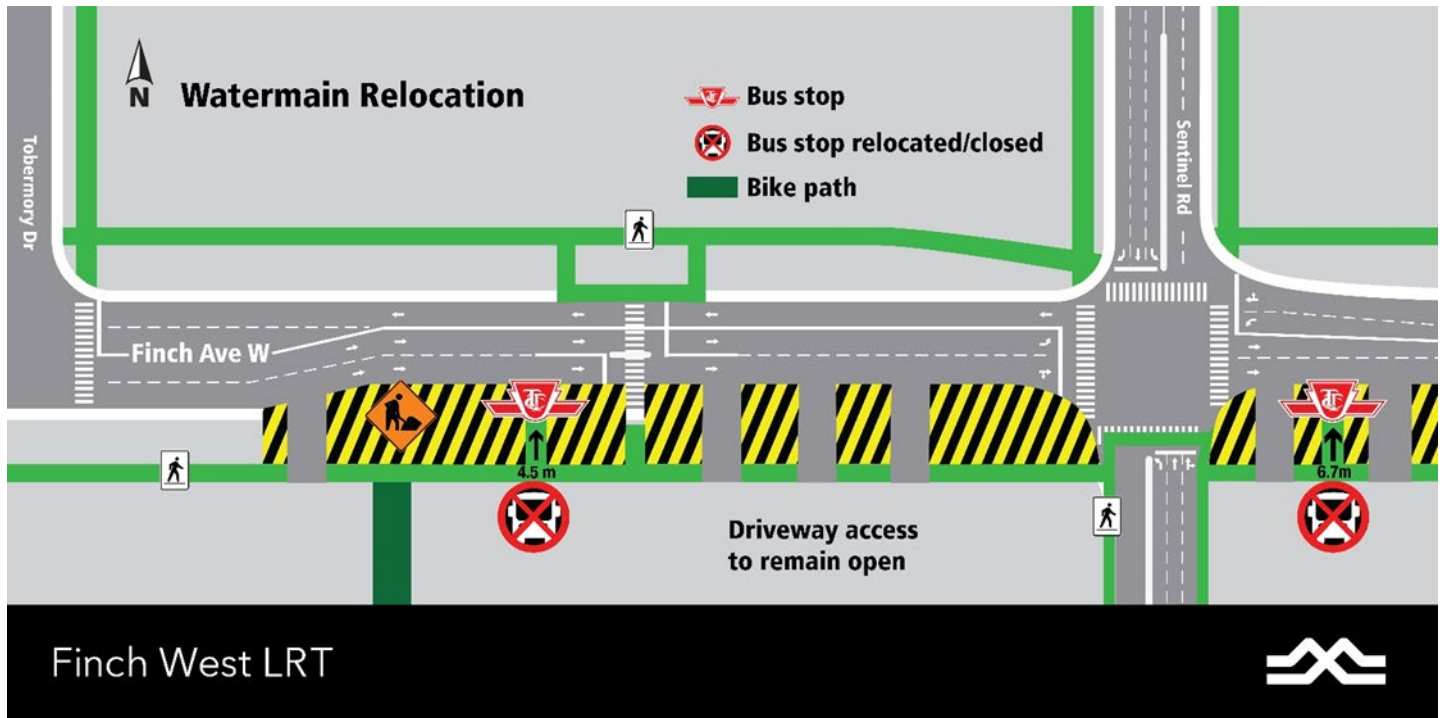


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Fig. depicting Stage 2b



Hours of Work:

- Monday to Friday from **7 AM to 7 PM**. Work will occur day and night, as required.
- Work may be rescheduled due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

What to Expect:

- Road widening and installation of storm sewer and watermain activities on the south sides of Finch Ave. W. from east of Tobermory Dr. to Romfield Ln.
- Possibly temporary water shut offs. **Affected properties, if any, will be notified separately.**
- Heavy trucks and equipment in the area.
- Some noise and dust related to construction.
- Expect delays near work zones.

Pedestrian Details for Stages 2a and 2b:

- Pedestrian access will be maintained on the north and south sides of Finch Ave. W.
- Access to schools, churches, and businesses will be maintained.
- Please take extra care when walking near work sites, and always make eye contact with the driver before crossing in front of any equipment or vehicle.

Traffic Details for Stages 2a and 2b:

- Reduction in westbound lanes on Finch Ave. W. from two to one.
- Shift of eastbound lanes on Finch Ave. W. to centre of road.
- A minimum of one (1) lane of traffic in each direction along Finch Ave. W. will be maintained.
- Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained.

Bus Stop Relocations/Closures for Stages 2a and 2b:

- Bus stop (# 9821), located at the south-east corner of Sentinel Rd. and Finch Ave. W. will be moved to the edge of the construction area.
- Bus stop (# 2632), located between Tobermory Dr. and Sentinel Rd. will be moved to the edge of the construction area.
- Access to the TTC will be maintained at all times.
- Please visit www.ttc.ca for more information.

Contact: For more information about the Finch West LRT project, please contact the Metrolinx Finch West LRT Community Relations Team at 416-202-6500 or email TorontoWest@metrolinx.com You can also visit the community office at 2450 Finch Avenue West

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