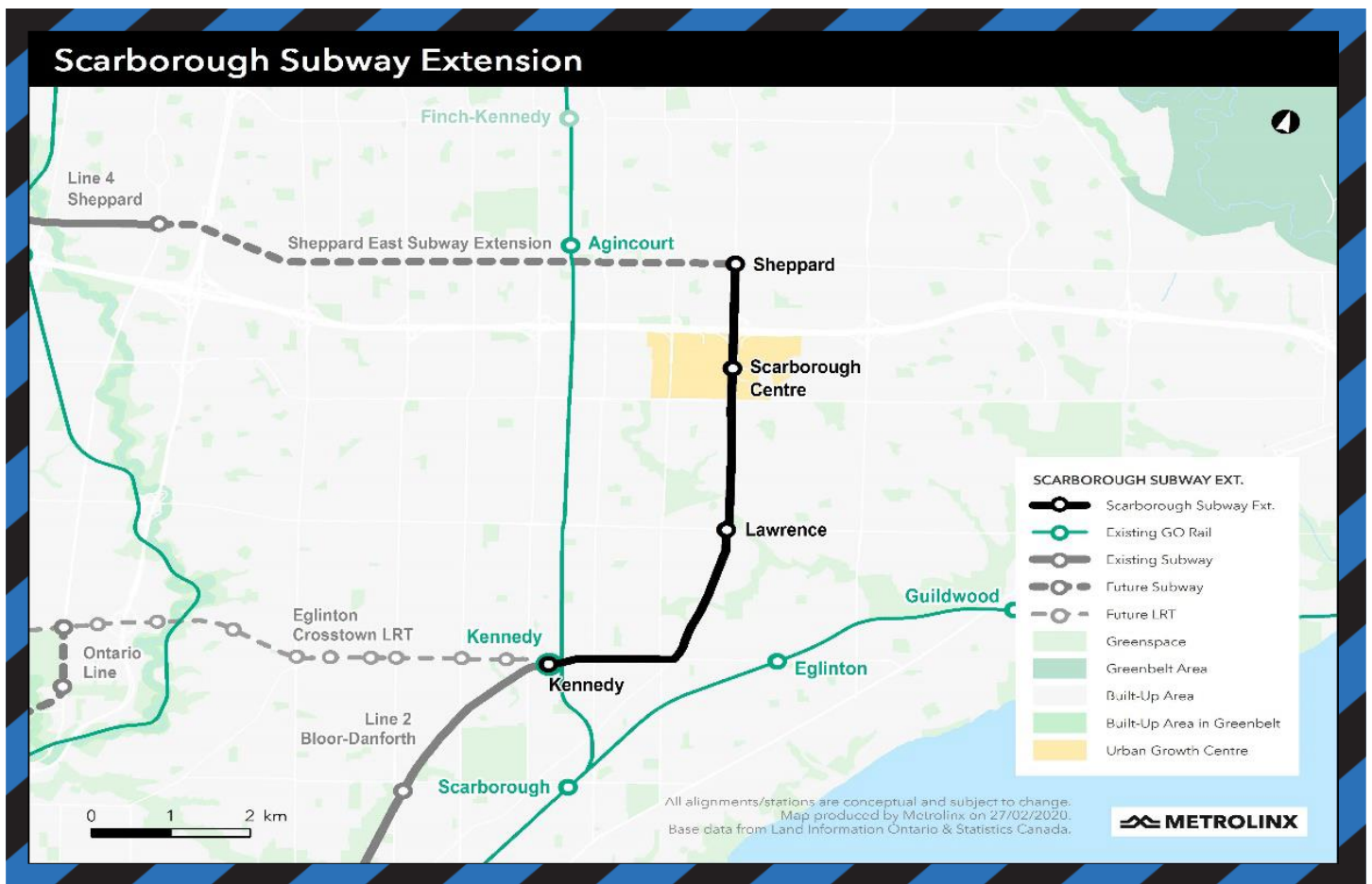


Construction Notice

Scarborough Subway Extension

June 2021



What is the Scarborough Subway Extension Project?

The Scarborough Subway Extension will bring the TTC's Line 2 subway service nearly eight kilometers farther into Scarborough. It will extend 7.8 kilometers from Kennedy Station to Sheppard Avenue and McCowan Road, with three new stops at Lawrence and McCowan, Scarborough Town Centre, and Sheppard and McCowan. The extension will replace the existing Line 3 (the Scarborough RT), helping to reduce travel times and improve access to jobs, schools and other key destinations throughout the city. The Scarborough Subway Extension is estimated to be complete by 2029-30.

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What is happening?

Work is underway to prepare the launch shaft site for the tunnel boring machine (TBM) at the northeast corner of Sheppard Avenue East and McCowan Road. This includes piling work, which will begin on June 7th.

Piling consists of boring through the ground along a certain length of area to carry and transfer heavy loads as part of the support of excavation work.

Piles are used when the bearing capacity of the soil is considered to be inadequate for the structural load of heavy construction. The piles transfer the load to the solid ground.

What to expect?

The scope of work consists of the following activities to be completed at various locations:

- Installing fencing and mobilizing equipment and materials
- Completing pile borehole drilling operations at approximately 315 locations within the construction site at the northeast corner of Sheppard Avenue East and McCowan Road.
- Excavating material generated from the drilling activities and transporting it offsite to an appropriate receiving facility
- On site there will be hydrovac trucks, drill rigs, crew trucks and survey equipment
- During the drilling operations, the drill rig will remain stationary at the borehole location until the achieved drill depth is obtained and afterwards mobilize to the next borehole location.

What is the timing and duration?

As much work as possible will take place during daytime hours, however, occasionally there will be a need to complete remaining work during evenings and weekends. Overnight work will be limited to shaft excavation and activities that are less intrusive.

As work progresses, the team will continue to keep the community informed during every phase of construction. For more information visit: metrolinx.com/scarboroughsubway

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