



# TRANSFORMING TRANSIT IN YOUR AREA

## Dust Mitigation / Upcoming Overnight Work

Metrolinx, an agency of the Province of Ontario, is working to transform the way the region moves by building a seamless, convenient and integrated transit network across the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA). Over the next ten years, Metrolinx is transforming the existing GO rail system to deliver a whole new rapid transit experience to your community. With more frequent train service you'll have more options to get you where you need to go.

### THE LOCAL PROJECT

As we continue our multi-year construction program to expand and improve a 17-kilometre segment of GO Transit's Stouffville line in Scarborough and Markham, we'd like to emphasize our priority to reduce disruption to the community. With recent concerns surrounding dust accumulation in the area, Metrolinx is working with our contractor to reduce this as much as possible.

### WHAT TO EXPECT – Dust mitigation

Our Contractor is in the process of removing the material which is causing the dust. In the meanwhile, you will see an increase in truck traffic which is needed to move the material. The material at the location is expected to be fully removed by March 2019 and with winter conditions, we are expecting less airborne dust particles. The material is sprayed daily and the process of placing the filtered cloth on top as begun. This will help prevent excess airborne dust and prevent it from reaching your property.

### WHAT TO EXPECT – Overnight Work

In order to safely complete this work, Metrolinx will be doing this work overnight on October 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> when there are no trains scheduled. Work will involve moderate noise levels that include heavy construction equipment, drill rigs working concurrently and movement of rail tracks.

For further questions or concerns, please contact Prince Hall

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