

## Information as of April 3, 2017

# Gas Line Relocation for Finch West Light Rail Transit

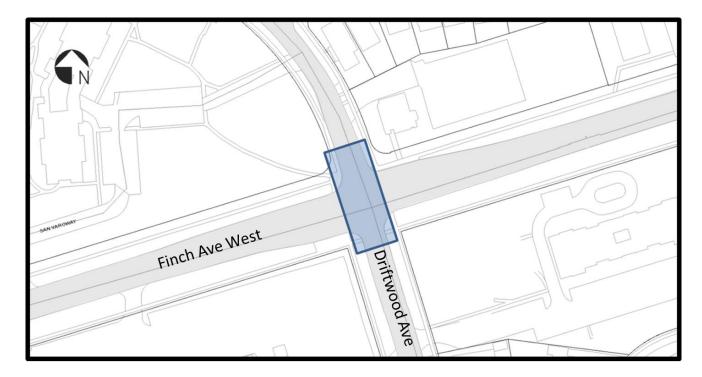
The Finch West Light Rail Transit (LRT) is an 11km LRT running along Finch Avenue West between Keele Street and Humber College at Highway 27, just south of Finch Avenue West. The Finch West LRT will replace 35 peak period buses, increasing capacity and reliability of service along the route. It will also significantly reduce travel times for transit users in the corridor.

# What work is taking place?

**What:** As part of the preparatory works for the project, Enbridge Gas Distribution (Enbridge) will be relocating natural gas mains along the Finch West LRT route.

**Why:** To accommodate the construction of the new Finch West LRT, Enbridge is required to move the natural gas pipelines to a lower location beneath the roadway, to allow for an appropriate depth beneath the proposed track-bed.

When: As early as April 2017, crews will begin work on Finch Avenue West, at Driftwood Avenue. The work zone will shift within this intersection as crews trench and install the new gas lines at a lower depth. The eastbound and westbound lanes will be affected independently. It is expected that the work will take approximately one month to complete. Some work may be rescheduled due to weather conditions and unforeseen circumstances.



**Where:** The work will be contained to the intersection of Driftwood Avenue and Finch Avenue West, but could spill further north or south on Driftwood Avenue.

## **Transit Information**

For the safety of transit riders, TTC bus stops in the affected area will be relocated. If required, additional signage directing pedestrians will also be installed.

#### **Traffic Details**

During construction hours, lane reductions or short-term road closures may be required. These roads will be reopened in the evening for local residents. Driveways will be accessible to residents at all times.

Please take care when travelling near construction areas. Pedestrian walkways will remain open. Please watch for additional signs directing pedestrians, as detours may be required.

Due to the current volume of traffic in this area, traffic delays are expected during construction.

#### **Work Hours**

Most of the work will be carried out between 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m., 7 days a week. In certain situations, some late night and/or early morning work may be required to keep construction moving. The contractor will not always work during the extended hours, but may do so at its discretion.

For more information about Finch West LRT Project, please do not hesitate to contact us. We thank you for your continued patience as we work to build rapid transit.

For more information about this gas line relocation work, please contact Enbridge at 416-495-6261 or <a href="mailto:enbridge.com">enbridge.gasmedia@enbridge.com</a>

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