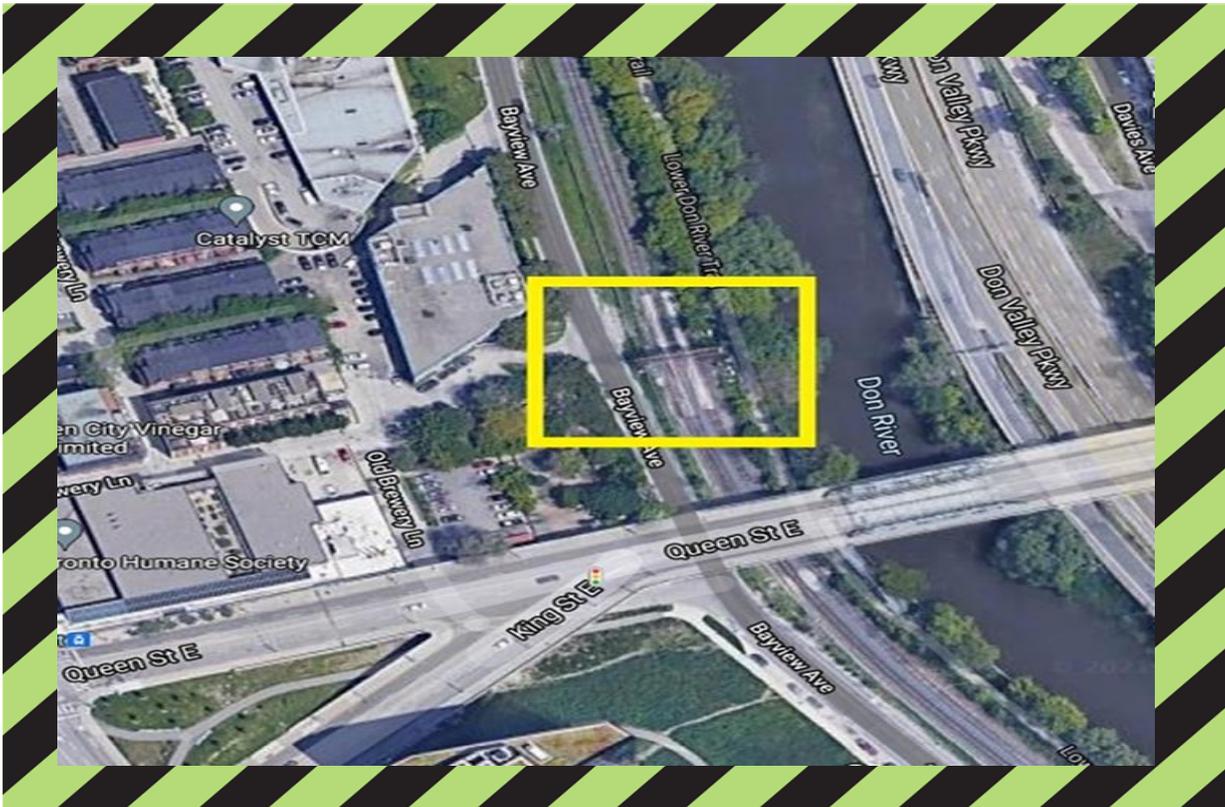


# Upcoming Signal Bridge Caisson installation work

November 12-14, 2021



November 1, 2021

## What's Going On?

### Upcoming Work - Signal Bridge Caisson Installation:

Over the weekend of November 12-14 crews will be installing signal bridge caissons along the rail corridor parallel to Bayview Avenue, north of the Queen Street East overpass. These caissons will support the signal bridge structure that will be erected at a later date. This work will be done day and night, although most disruptive work

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is scheduled during the day. Continuous hours of operation will begin on at 10 p.m. Friday evening and continue until 6 a.m. Monday morning. Day and overnight prep work leading up to this weekend will begin on November 8 through 12.

**Dates may change according to conditions. Safety first.**

## How Will You Be Affected?

Heavy machinery such as cranes, drill rigs, vacuum trucks, excavators, boom trucks, and corridor lighting will be used. As well, there will be traffic impacts as heavy machinery moves through the area. Bayview Avenue, south of River Street will be closed all weekend. As well, the lower don trail running through this area will be closed to pedestrian bike traffic. Metrolinx is working with subcontractors to mitigate impacts by using white noise backup beepers. Due to the nature of the installation, some lighting impacts will be experienced by adjacent condominium dwellers on lower floors.

## USRC Signalling System Project Overview

The USRC Signalling System Project is designed to improve reliability of our signalling and train control systems and will replace the functionality of locally controlled towers at Cherry, Scott, and John Streets.

Early works continue in preparation for new signal bridges at various locations within the Union Station Rail Corridor. Construction and enabling works are estimated to be completed in late 2022.

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