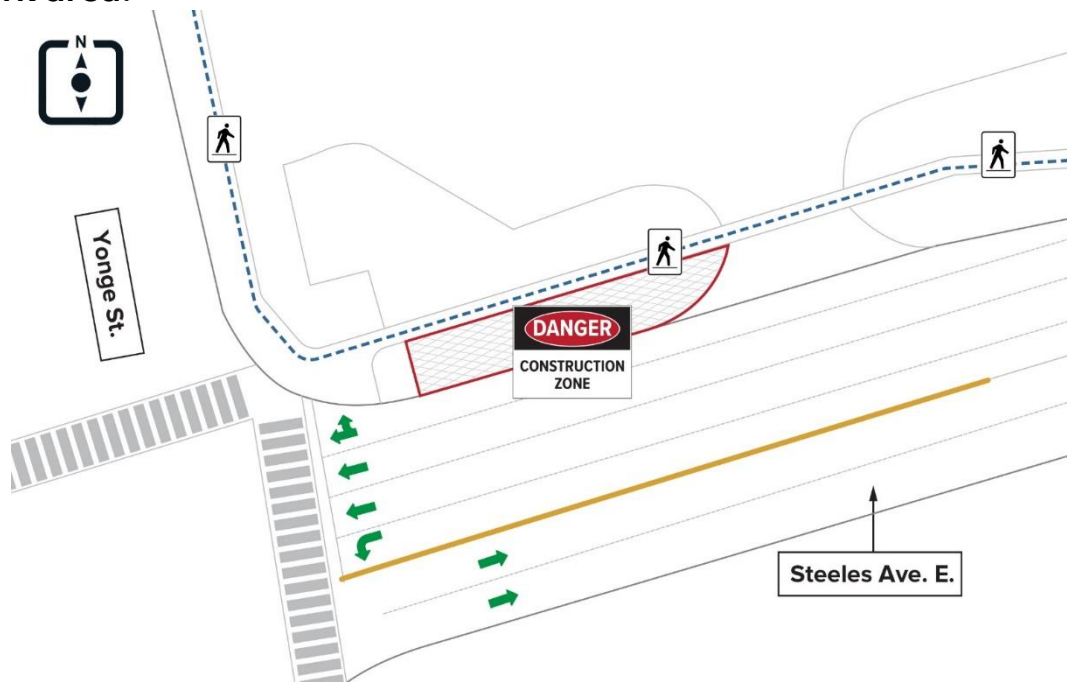


Installation of underground monitoring equipment on Steeles Avenue and Yonge Street

Expected timeline: starting mid-February 2026 (one week duration)

Timing: Weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Map of work area:



What is happening?

Crews working on behalf of Metrolinx will be installing underground monitoring equipment on the northeast corner of Steeles Avenue, east of Yonge Street, to prepare for future tunnelling of the Yonge North Subway extension. This equipment will be used to monitor ground conditions to make sure tunnelling work is carried out safely.

About the Yonge North Subway Extension

The Yonge North Subway Extension will transform the commute in York Region, Toronto and beyond by extending the TTC's Line 1 service north from Finch Station to Vaughan, Markham and Richmond Hill. The project includes five new stations along an extension of approximately eight kilometres.

WORK DETAILS:

- Drilling machines mounted on trucks are typically used for this work.
- Crews will drill holes 35 - 50 feet deep to reach bedrock, the solid rock layer underground.
- Monitoring equipment will be installed into the bedrock, and the holes will be filled and sealed with cement.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

- You may hear some noise caused by drilling machines, pick-up trucks and other equipment.
- Some vibration may be noticeable during drilling work.
- Crews will use monitoring equipment to minimize noise and vibration impacts.
- Work areas will be clearly marked and fenced off as required to keep everyone safe.
- Measures will be in place to reduce dust, including spraying water and biodegradable dust suppressants.
- Work schedules may change due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

PEDESTRIAN DETAILS:

- No pedestrian impacts.

TRAFFIC CHANGES:

- No lane closures.
- Signage will be in place to help drivers navigate through the construction zone safely.

TRANSIT SERVICE:

- No transit impacts.

HAVE A QUESTION OR CONCERN?**WE'RE HERE TO HELP YOU**

- We have a dedicated team ready to answer any questions you may have about the Yonge North Subway Extension and the work happening in your community.
- For the most up-to-date information, and to share feedback, please reach out to us.
- Thank you for your patience as we complete this important work.

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