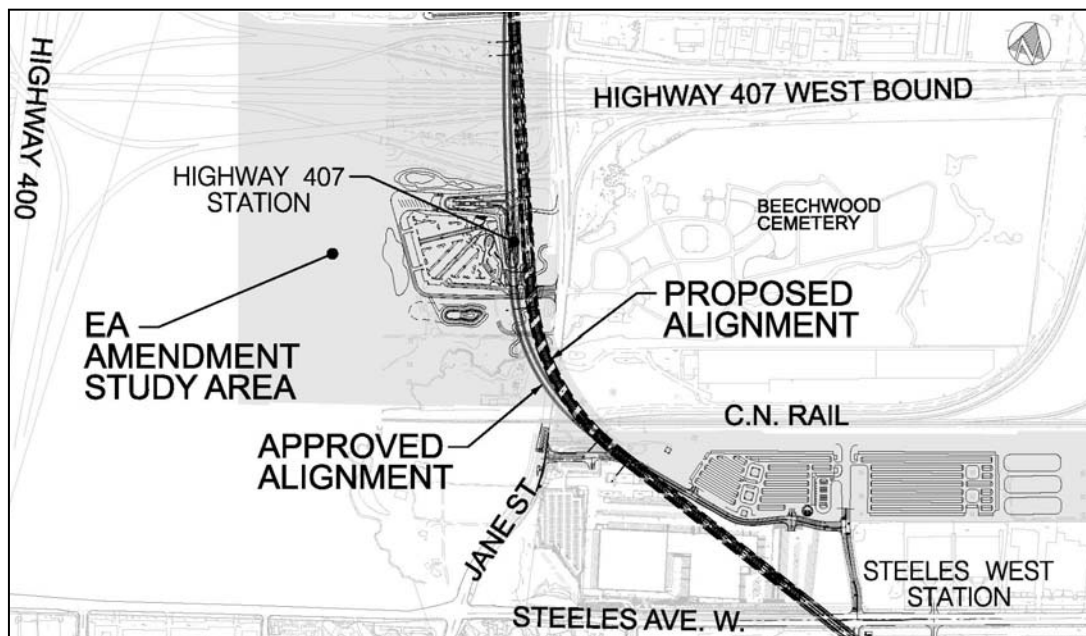


TORONTO TRANSIT COMMISSION AND THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF YORK
NOTICE OF PREPARATION OF AN ADDENDUM REPORT
TO THE HIGHWAY 7 CORRIDOR AND VAUGHAN NORTH-SOUTH LINK ENVIRONMENTAL
ASSESSMENT & RESPONSE TO CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL SUBWAY ALIGNMENT
OPTIMIZATION REPORT

Changes to the Vertical and Horizontal Tunnel Alignment and
Highway 407 Station Location
Toronto-York Spadina Subway Extension

The Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) and the Regional Municipality of York (YR) have undertaken a study regarding changes to the vertical and horizontal alignment of the twin tunnels of the Toronto-York Spadina Subway Extension (TYSSE). These result in a change to the location of the Highway 407 subway station in the southwest corner of Highway 407 ETR and Jane Street in the City of Vaughan. These changes require an amendment to the Highway 7 Corridor and Vaughan North-South Link Environmental Assessment (EA), approved by the Ministry of the Environment (MOE) in November 2006 and the Vaughan North-South Link Condition of Approval Report approved by the MOE in June 2007.

The design changes are proposed in order to avoid construction risks and schedule delays associated with tunnelling under Hydro One's (HONI) Tower 158, which supports a 500kV electrical power distribution line serving western Canada and the central United States. The Addendum Report will describe the effects on and potential mitigation to the environment as a result of the proposed change. The Addendum Report will also provide supporting information for the conveyance by Ontario Realty Corporation (ORC) of property to York Region in the Parkway Belt area north of Steeles Avenue.



The project is being assessed as an amendment to an Individual EA in accordance with the requirements of the Ontario *Environmental Assessment Act*.

As part of the Individual EA process, TTC is currently preparing an Addendum Report. Input from members of the public is very important in assessing this proposed amendment. Upon completion of the Addendum Report, the document will be available for comment. Notification of its availability will be published.

For further information regarding the project or the addendum process, please contact TYSSE at (416) 393-4001 via e-mail at tysse@ttc.ca visit our website www.spadina.ttc.ca or contact:

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