agenda

> Future Rapid Transit Projects
  - Yonge North Subway Extension
  - Regional Express Rail

> Current Rapid Transit Projects
  - Yonge Street Rapidway
  - Bathurst & Centre
  - Business Support
  - Ongoing Communications
The Yonge Subway North Extension is the number one rapid transit priority for York Region.

- **Project features:**
  - 7.4 km long
  - Five stations
  - Underground train storage
  - Two major bus terminals
  - Park and ride lot for up to 2,000 vehicles
> York Region continues to advance discussions to proceed to 15% preliminary design and engineering and advocate for capital funding of the Yonge North Subway Extension [YNSE] from Finch Station to the Richmond Hill Centre Terminal

> In collaboration with York Region, YRRTC continues to advocate for capital funding of $4.0 billion (in 2015 dollars) estimated for the construction of the YNSE, establish working groups and align the governance models needed to begin the 15% preliminary design and engineering
Staff from YRRTC, York Region and Metrolinx continue to collaborate on many components of the Province’s RER program to ensure that the RER program is fully integrated within the Region’s transit initiatives and network connectivity and land use policies. Some of these components include:

- participating in technical advisory meetings
- new stations analysis
- rail grade separations
- parking capacity/first mile-last mile
- electrification

GO RER will reduce travel times and give people more ways to get where they want to go with:

- Trains up to every 15 minutes
- Service in both directions
- More all-day service
- Faster electric trains
building the future in York Region through transit
Yonge Street utilities update

> Highway 7 – 16th/Carrville
  - Spring/Summer 2016
    - Enbridge
    - PowerStream
  - Fall 2016
    - Water main
    - Bell/Rogers

> 16th/Carrville – Major Mackenzie
  - Spring/Summer 2016
    - Water main
    - Enbridge
  - Fall 2016
    - PowerStream
    - Bell/Rogers
Yonge Street utilities update

> Crosby Ave – Elgin Mills Rd
  - Spring/Summer 2016
    - Enbridge
    - PowerStream
  - Fall 2016
    - PowerStream
    - Bell/Rogers

> Elgin Mills Rd – 19th Ave
  - Spring/Summer 2016
    - PowerStream
    - Enbridge
  - Fall 2016
    - Bell/Rogers
Pre-construction activities begin May 2016
Installation is scheduled to be complete by end of year
water main installation >> sequence of work

- Potholing
- Install temporary traffic signals
- Remove medians
- Widen the road
- Install concrete barriers
- Install watermain
- Connect to private services
what can you expect to see?

- Lane closures
- Traffic shifts
- Traffic delays
- Four through lanes of traffic
  - Two in each direction
- Sidewalk closures
- Scheduled service interruptions
- Access will be maintained to businesses and side streets
how we manage the impact

- Staging of work
- Signage
  - VMS with travel times
- Community Liaison team provides notice of work
- Regular communications
What’s happening in 2016

> Bathurst Street and Centre Street water main replacement begins this month for completion this year

> Pre-construction activities such as surveying, utility design and geotechnical investigations are ongoing
ShopYonge – Business Support Program

Working collaboratively with our partners at the Richmond Hill Chamber of Commerce to help support businesses during construction

Campaigns include:
- Newspaper, radio, digital ads
- On-street billboards
- Bus advertising
- Community engagement
- Social media posts
- Website posts and online
- Business profiles
- Education programs offered through the Chamber

For more information on the Business Support Program contact your Community Liaison team
Thank you