Etobicoke Greenway Project

Notice of Commencement and Invitation to Community Open House

June 2022

Hydro One is committed to energizing life by building safer and more resilient communities. To meet the growing demand for electricity in west and central Toronto, Hydro One is initiating a Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) to rebuild a non-energized 115 kilovolt (kV) transmission line into an energized 230 kV line. This 6.5 km line is located on the east side of an existing hydro corridor that extends between the Richview and Manby Transformer Stations in Etobicoke, as shown on the reverse map.

This project was identified in the Toronto Integrated Regional Resource Plan (IRRP), led by the Independent Electricity System Operator, to help meet the rapidly growing electricity demands of homes, businesses, and public transit initiatives in the City of Toronto.

Planning Process

Minimizing the impact of our projects and operations on the environment and community is important to us. Planning will follow the "Class Environmental Assessment for Minor Transmission Facilities" (Class EA, 2022), in accordance with the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*. This planning process applies to transmission infrastructure projects that are carried out routinely and have predictable environmental effects that can be readily managed.

Following completion of the Class EA, approval from the Ontario Energy Board under Section 92 (Leave to Construct) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act* will be required. The in-service date for this project is anticipated for 2026.

Reimagining the Corridor

As a key part of the Class EA, we are committed to working closely with the community to create a shared vision for how the hydro corridor could be used once the project has been completed.

Your Input Matters

Feedback from residents, interest groups, elected officials, and Indigenous communities will be used to inform all aspects of the Class EA, the project, and how we create a vision for the corridor. We invite you to join our upcoming inperson and virtual Community Open Houses to learn more about the project, ask our team questions and provide feedback. Information on additional opportunities to get involved will be shared throughout the summer.

To learn more, please visit our website HydroOne.com/Etobicoke

All personal information included in your request – such as name, address, telephone number and property location – is collected, under the authority of section 30 of the Environmental Assessment Act and is collected and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public. As this information is collected for the purpose of a public record, the protection of personal information provided in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) does not apply (s.37). Personal information you submit will become part of the available public record unless you request that your personal information remain confidential.



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Community Open Houses

Registration for upcoming meetings is encouraged, please visit HydroOne.com/Etobicoke.

Community Open House #1

July 6, 2022 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. EST St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Islington 3819 Bloor Street West

Community Open

House #2 July 14, 2022 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. EST Martin Grove Baptist Church 35 Hedges Boulevard

Virtual Community Open House July 21, 2022 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. EST

To participate dial 1-800-581-4127 and visit EtobicokeGreenway.ca to view the live stream

We're here to help

If you would like any further information or have any questions, please contact Community Relations at:





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