

Work to build the future Great Northern Way-Emily Carr Station continues through fall 2024 – includes night work

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The Great Northern Way-Emily Carr Station is taking shape in your neighborhood. With major station structures now complete, crews are focused on completing the tunnel structures that connect the elevated guideway to the future station, as well as the underground station structure. To complete this work efficiently, we will continue primarily working during the day, with intermittent overnight work. We are committed to keeping residents and businesses informed as we advance this major transit project in your community.

What to expect during daytime work

- Regular work hours are from Monday to Friday from 6 a.m. until 11 p.m. There may be occasional work that starts earlier or work on Sunday and holidays.
- Some elevated noise during specific activities.
- Temporary traffic changes and increased trucking activity related to materials delivery and concrete pours.
- Pedestrians will be detoured around work as required.

What to expect at night

- When overnight work is required; work hours can range from 11 p.m. until 6 a.m.
- Overnight lighting focused on our sites to ensure crew safety.

We strive to minimize impacts of construction activities on our neighbours, and we are regularly monitoring and adapting mitigations as needed.

When travelling through construction zones, please plan extra time, watch for wayfinding information, and obey traffic control personnel and all signs.

Thank you for your patience

We know that construction can be disruptive, and we are working hard to minimize impacts in your neighbourhood. Thank you for your continued patience while we build this important transportation infrastructure.

Please note, this information is current at the time of sending, however schedules are subject to change. For the most current details, visit www.broadwaysubway.ca.

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Further details



Construction Activities

- Concrete pours.
- Deliveries of materials using trucks and cranes.
- Welding, waterproofing, rebar installation, carpentry and mechanical and electrical work.
- Intermittent work by hydrovac truck.
- Activities to support construction inside the tunnels.
- Station construction is expected to continue through 2026.



Traffic

Closures:

- Earl Finning Way between Fraser and Foley streets.
- Foley Street north of parking access lane.
- Fraser Street north of Great Northern Way is closed at E. 1st Avenue and Earl Finning Way.

No parking:

- Along the north side of Great Northern Way, from 565 Great Northern Way west to Thornton Street.



Impacts

- Elevated noise related to construction activities that include, but are not limited to, rebar installation, crane movement, ventilation fans and deliveries.
- During concrete pours, trucks are required to keep their engines running to keep their drums turning and use traditional back-up alarms for crew safety.
- Lighting focused on our sites to ensure crew safety.
- Trucking activity to accommodate deliveries of equipment and materials and concrete pours.
- Access for all abilities will be maintained to residences, businesses, and services.



Mitigations

- Mitigation measures include, but are not limited to:
 - Noise barriers installed around some sources of noise.
 - White noise back-up signals on equipment when possible.
 - Directing lights away from residential buildings.
 - Using quieter equipment at night, such as hand tools.

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