





# Update on Oak-VGH Station construction – Summer 2025

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Construction of the first above-ground walls at Oak-VGH Station is now visible, after crews completed the upper-level exterior walls and emergency exit structure this year. This summer, work will focus on constructing the station roof, the above-ground walls, and the train platform, reinstating permanent utilities and installing track in the tunnels. Curious to learn more about how track is installed? Check out our infographic.

To complete this work efficiently, we will continue working primarily during the day and intermittently overnight. We remain committed to keeping residents and businesses informed as this important transit project moves forward in your neighbourhood.

## What to expect during daytime work

- Typical hours of work are from Monday to Saturday from 6 a.m. until 10 p.m. There may be occasional work that starts earlier or work on Sunday and holidays.
- Some elevated noise during specific activities.
- Ventilation fans are required to comply with WorkSafeBC requirements and will be active during all hours of work to ensure the safety of crews.
- Temporary traffic changes related to materials delivery and concrete pours.

## What to expect at night

- When overnight work is required, work hours can range from 10 p.m. to 5 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. See below for further information.

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 project. For photos of construction progress at all six future stations visit the Broadway Subway Project Flickr album.

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.













### **Further details**



#### **Construction Activities**

- Pouring concrete
- Delivering materials using trucks and cranes.
- Welding, waterproofing and installing rebar.
- Activities to support construction inside the tunnels.
- Station construction is expected to continue through 2026.



#### **Traffic**

- Regular temporary lane closures on W. Broadway on weekdays between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m., overnight or on weekends to support construction activities.
- Temporary lane closures on W. Broadway, Oak Street and Laurel Street may also be implemented outside the 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. window.
- Some work may require the temporary restriction of parking on Laurel Street.



#### **Impacts**

- Some elevated noise related to activities that include, but are not limited to, rebar installation, crane movement, ventilation fans and deliveries.
- Concrete trucks are required to keep their engines running to keep their drums turning and use traditional back-up alarms for crew safety.
- Trucking activity to accommodate deliveries of equipment and materials during the day or night.
- 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 site lights away from residential buildings.
- Using quieter models of equipment at night, such as hand tools.
- Wayfinding signage for local businesses has been installed to facilitate access throughout the construction period.

