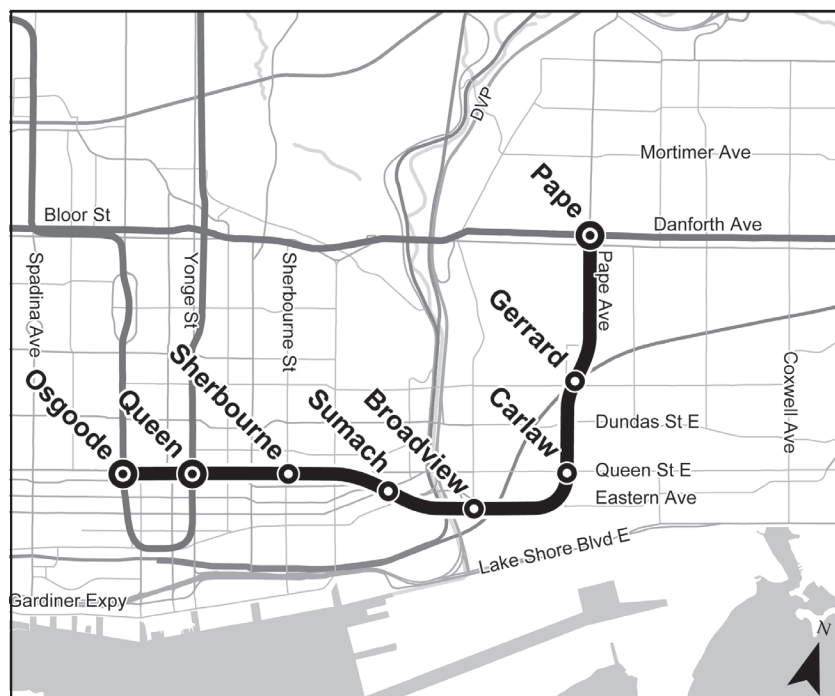


## Notice of Completion of Environmental Project Report Relief Line South, City of Toronto and Metrolinx Transit Project Assessment Process

The City of Toronto, Toronto Transit Commission and Metrolinx, an agency of the Province of Ontario, are working collaboratively to bring more transit to communities across the city. To achieve this, we are looking at ways to improve the connectivity of the transit network through the introduction of the Relief Line South, a proposed new subway line.

**THE PROJECT** The proposed Relief Line South, which is a 7.5km long subway line with 8 stations, will connect the Yonge-University-Spadina Subway (Line 1) downtown to the Bloor-Danforth Subway (Line 2). The Relief Line South will help to relieve crowding on Line 1 south of Bloor, at the Bloor-Yonge Station, and on the surface transit routes coming in and out of downtown.



**THE PROCESS** The environmental effects of this transit project were assessed and an Environmental Project Report (EPR) has been prepared to document the findings, as well as proposed mitigation according to the Transit Project Assessment Process as prescribed in *Ontario Regulation 231/08* made under the Environmental Assessment Act.

The EPR for the Relief Line South is now available at [www.reliefline.ca/south](http://www.reliefline.ca/south) and at the following locations for a **30-day public review period starting August 14, 2018 and ending on September 13, 2018.**

**City Hall Library**  
100 Queen Street West  
1st Floor  
Toronto, ON M5H 2N3  
Tel: 416-393-7650  
Monday to Friday  
10:00 am to 6:00 pm

**Metrolinx  
Head Office**  
97 Front Street  
2nd Floor Reception  
Toronto, ON M5J 1E6  
Tel: 416-874-5900  
Monday to Friday  
8:30 am to 4:30 pm

**Toronto Transit  
Commission**  
5160 Yonge Street  
6th Floor  
Toronto, ON M2N 6L9  
Monday to Friday  
8:30 am to 4:30 pm

**Ministry of the Environment,  
Conservation and Parks**  
Central Region Office  
– Toronto District Office  
Place Nouveau, 8th Floor  
5775 Yonge Street  
North York, ON M2M 4J1  
Tel: 416-326-6700  
Toll-free: 1-800-810-8048  
Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

**Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks**  
Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch  
135 St. Clair Ave West,  
1st Floor  
Toronto, ON M4V 1P4  
Tel: 416-314-8001  
Toll-free: 1-800-461-6290  
Mon. to Fri. 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

**Toronto Public Library – Pape/Danforth**  
701 Pape Avenue  
Toronto, ON M4K 3S6  
Tel: 416 393-7727  
Mon. to Fri. 9:00 am to 8:30pm  
Sat. 9:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Sun. 1:30 pm to 5:00 pm

**Toronto Public Library – Jones**  
118 Jones Avenue  
Toronto, ON M4M 2Z9  
Tel: 416 393-7715  
Mon. 10:00 am to 6:00 pm  
Tues. 10:00 am to 8:30 pm  
Wed. 12:30 pm to 8:30 pm  
Thurs. 12:30 pm to 8:30 pm  
Fri. 10:00 am to 6:00 pm  
Sat. 9:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Sun. Closed

**Toronto Public Library – Queen/Saulter**  
765 Queen Street East  
Toronto, ON M4M 1H3  
Tel: 416 393-7723  
Mon. Closed  
Tues. 12:30 pm to 8:30 pm  
Wed. 10:00 am to 6:00 pm  
Thurs. 12:30 pm to 8:30 pm  
Fri. 10:00 am to 6:00 pm  
Sat. 9:00 am to 5:00pm  
Sun. Closed

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Interested persons are encouraged to review this document and provide comments by September 13, 2018 to:

**Paul Martin**  
**Senior Public Consultation**  
**Co-ordinator**  
City of Toronto

100 Queen St. West,  
20th Floor, East Tower  
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2  
Tel: 416-338-1065 or  
Email: [reliefline@toronto.ca](mailto:reliefline@toronto.ca)

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There are circumstances where the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks has authority to require further consideration of the transit project or to impose conditions on it. These include if the Minister is of the opinion that:

- The transit project may have a negative impact on a matter of provincial importance that relates to the natural environment or has cultural heritage value or interest; or
- The transit project may have a negative impact on a constitutionally protected Aboriginal or treaty right.

Before exercising the authority referred to above, the Minister is required to consider any written objections to the transit project received within 30 days after the Notice of Completion of the EPR is first published.

If you have discussed your issues with the City of Toronto, TTC and Metrolinx and you object to this transit project you can provide a written submission to the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks no later than September 13, 2018, to the address provided below.

All submissions must clearly indicate that an objection is being submitted and describe any negative impacts to matters of provincial importance (natural/cultural environment) or Aboriginal rights. Objections must be received within 30 days after the Notice of Completion of the EPR is first published.

**Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks** – Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch – Attention: **Cindy Batista, Special Project Officer** – 135 St. Clair Avenue West, 1st Floor, Toronto, ON M4V 1P4 – Tel: 416-314-7225 – Toll-free: 1-800-461-6290 – Email: [cindy.batista@ontario.ca](mailto:cindy.batista@ontario.ca)

If not already provided, a copy of the objection will be forwarded to the proponent by the Ministry.

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All personal information included in a submission – such as name, address, telephone number and property location – is collected, maintained and disclosed by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) for the purpose of transparency and consultation. The information is collected under the authority of the Environmental Assessment Act or is collected and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public as described in section 37 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Personal information you submit will become part of a public record that is available to the general public unless you request that your personal information remain confidential.

For more information, please contact the City of Toronto or the MECP Freedom of Information and Privacy Coordinator at 416-212-8912.

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