

Important Update

May 26, 2010

Service Connection for the Scarborough RT to go Underground

This notice is to advise that at its meeting of May 17, 2010, the City of Toronto Executive Committee recommended that Toronto City Council approve the Scarborough Rapid Transit (SRT) project with an underground service connection to the Sheppard East Maintenance and Storage Facility, as shown below. Executive Committee made this recommendation in response to community concerns about the surface connection via Progress Avenue.

If this recommendation is approved by Toronto City Council, there will be no LRT tracks on Progress Avenue between Milner Avenue and Sheppard Avenue (as presented at the April 12 and 15, 2010 public open houses). Instead, the service tracks will run underground to a portal (transition from underground to surface) located on Sheppard Avenue. Because the portal will be located in the centre of the road, turning movements to and from Gateforth Drive will be restricted to right in/ right out only. TTC will issue individual letters to property owners impacted by the underground service connection.

The Executive Committee recommendations, including the underground service connection, will be forwarded to Toronto City Council for consideration at its meeting of June 8 and 9, 2010. If you wish to submit comments for consideration of City of Toronto Councillors, you may contact your local Councillor (Councillor Raymond Cho) councillor_cho@toronto.ca or the TTC Chair (Chair Adam Giambrone) councillor_giambrone@toronto.ca. For further information, please contact:

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