Good evening,

Thank you for the call earlier today and sharing your community's concerns regarding construction around the Davenport Diamond project and the opportunity to respond. I appreciate this work may cause an inconvenience to the residents in the area. We are doing our best to limit the noise and get the necessary work done as quickly as possible.

## **Construction Overview**

- The work is being done overnight so as not to impact rail service on the Barrie corridor.
- It is part of the construction schedule and will continue in this area overnight throughout the remainder of the week and into the weekend; however, the current work task in this specific area of the corridor will be done by Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>.
- They plan to get most of this work completed during the day on Saturday, since there won't be any train service on the Barrie corridor that day.
- After this north part is done this weekend, they will move south for clearing and grubbing/vegetation removal.
- Additional construction work will be required to be completed in this area in the coming months to complete other elements of the project such as grading (mid-April to late May), shoring wall installation (mid-May to late June) and track installation.

## Safety & Noise/Vibration Mitigations

Working safely is our priority. But, as always, we work with our third-party construction partners to ensure activities are carried out safely and also in a way to mitigate noise-, lighting- and other construction-related impacts.

We continue to follow the Province's direction that transit infrastructure is considered essential. Our contractors are taking the appropriate measures to protect their staff and ensure their well-being. This is a very fluid situation, one we are monitoring closely. Adjustments will be made if required and we will proactively communicate those changes.

Noise levels are being monitored as well to ensure any noise associated with the work remains within the allowable dB range over a certain timeframe. Metrolinx is following up closely with the contractor and will keep monitoring the situation to ensure compliance with the Project Agreement's noise control requirements.

## **Proactive Communication**

Rest assured, we will continue to proactively communicate with residents as we did with this phase of the work, through construction notices and email notifications. Residents can also stay up to date on the project by:

- · visiting the Davenport Diamond project website here.
- subscribing to our weekly Toronto West e-newsletter <u>here</u> to stay up-to-date on all of the work in their neighbourhood.

We appreciate your patience and understanding as we work to deliver the Province's vision for a modern, integrated rapid transit system across the Greater Golden Horseshoe.

Should you have any other questions, concerns or feedback, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Thank you,

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