

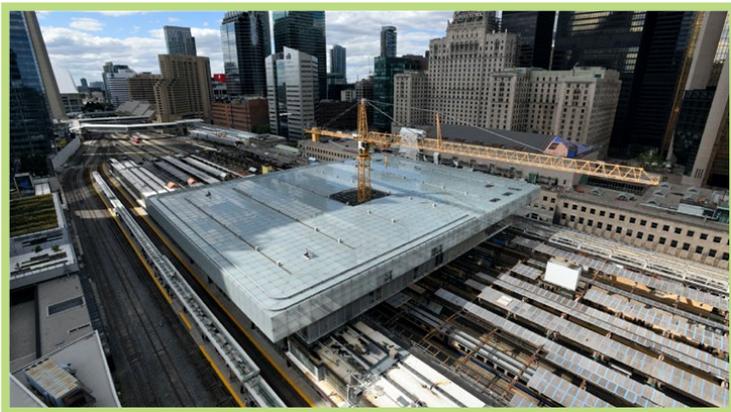
GO Expansion - Union Station

New information shared in Round 3

Purpose of a Strategic Conservation Plan

The purpose of a Strategic Conservation Plan (SCP) is to detail how an identified provincial heritage property will be conserved. Ministries and prescribed public bodies (like Metrolinx) need to prepare an SCP for a property when it is identified as having cultural heritage value or interest through a Heritage Identification and Evaluation Process. A SCP:

- Sets out overall objectives and goals for the conservation of a provincial heritage property;
- Identifies strategies to guide decision making to achieve those goals;
- Explains how the property's cultural heritage value or interest will be conserved; and
- Describes how the planned conservation approach conforms to the Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries' Standards and Guidelines for Conservation of Provincial Heritage Properties.



Community Engagement and Feedback

Community engagement takes place during the development of the Draft SCP to provide communities an opportunity to influence the plan's recommendations and conclusions. Final SCPs must include:

- A summary of community engagement, including who was engaged;
- How, when, what the comments and concerns were; and
- How Metrolinx considered the feedback.

Potential audiences engaged through the SCP process include (but are not limited to):

- Local municipalities;
- Indigenous communities;
- Historical societies;
- Heritage museums,
- Local archives, etc.;
- Local heritage interest groups, and;
- Individuals interested in the property.

[We'd like to hear from you about the SCP](#)

Strategic Conservation Plan for Union Station

Metrolinx is completing a SCP to meet MHSTCI requirements and satisfy regulatory obligations under the Ontario Heritage Act. The scope of the SCP will follow the Standards and Guidelines for Conservation of Provincial Heritage Properties and MHSTCI guidance on SCPs. The SCP will include the Metrolinx-owned portions of the Union Station Complex as a whole and address all short-term proposed work, such as the GO Expansion scope of work (Electrification, vertical access, platforms, track, Head House South Wall & York Street Bridge) in addition to the USEP Platform 20/21 project, USEP Alliance project and USEP Early Works project.