



# YORK REGION PUBLIC WORKS RUTHERFORD ROAD IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT UPDATE

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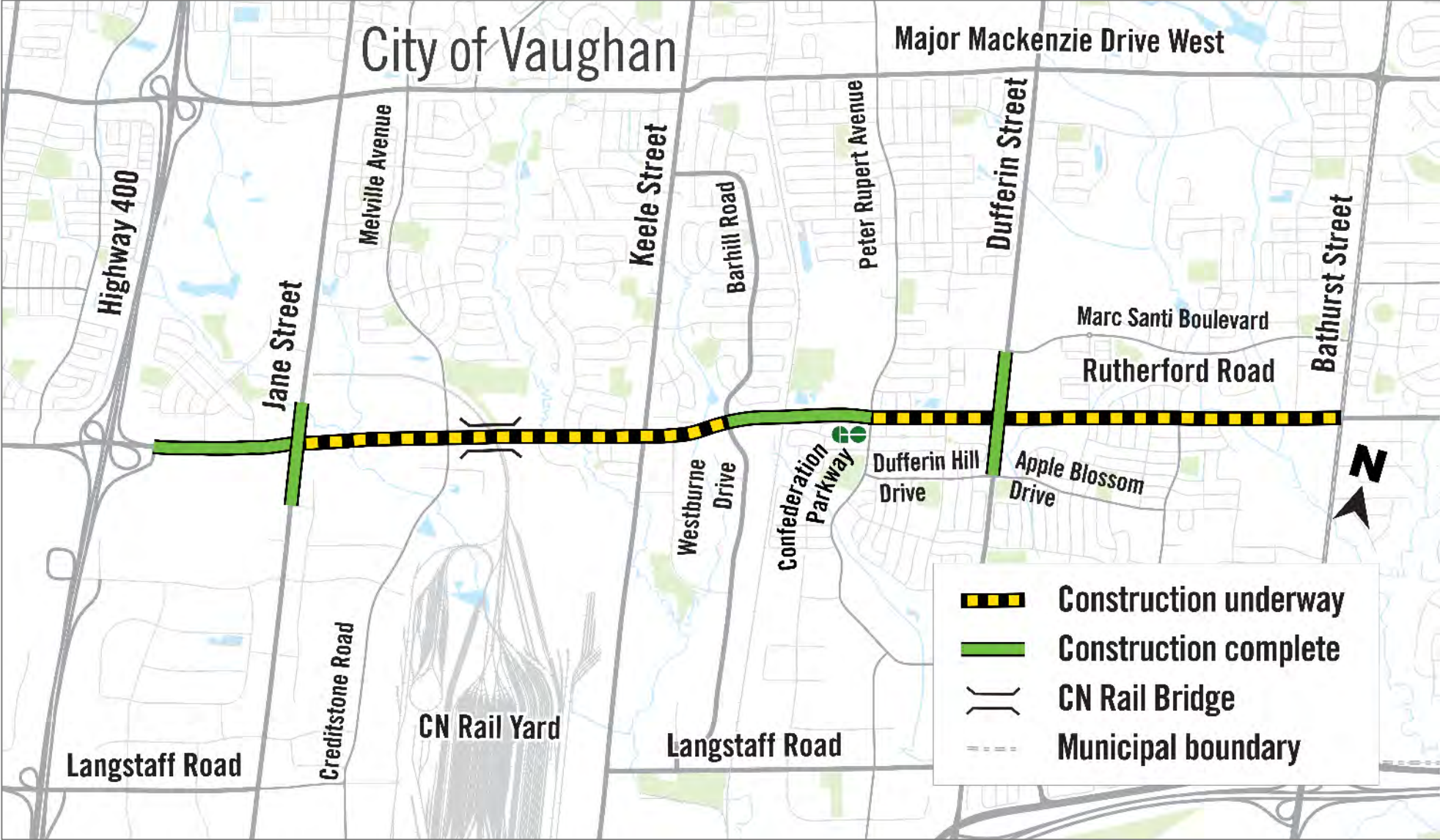
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# PRESENTATION OBJECTIVES

- Project overview
- Progress update
- Next steps and construction timelines

# Rutherford Road, Highway 400 to Bathurst Street





Rendering of proposed Rutherford Road looking west at Creditstone Road/Melville Avenue

**RUTHERFORD ROAD,  
JANE STREET TO WESTBURNE DRIVE**

# Rutherford Road, Highway 400 to Westburne Drive





Complex underground utility work, including sewers and watermain work



Unexpected utility conflicts discovered during construction





Existing  
MH 402

Alignment of new  
storm line as per  
N-7 rev 1

Existing Bell  
conduits/ cables  
as per locate

Utility (Bell) with  
concrete encased  
block is found in the  
way of proposed  
storm line

Unexpected utility conflicts discovered during construction



Night work undertaken to prepare for scheduled culvert installation on Rutherford Road, east of Jane Street



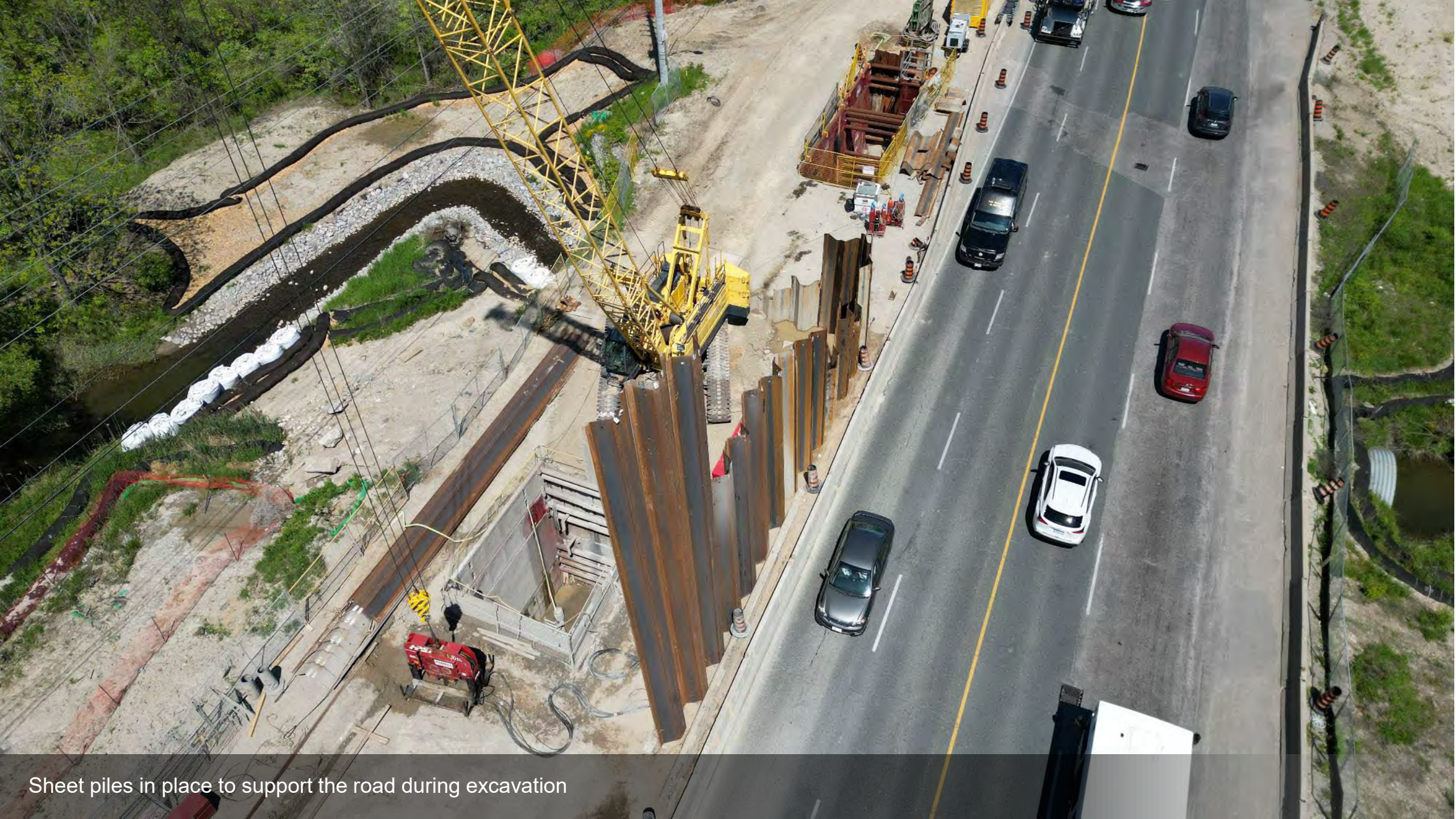
New larger culvert being installed on Rutherford Road, east of Jane Street



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New and extended culverts on Rutherford Road, east of Jane Street



Sheet piles in place to support the road during excavation

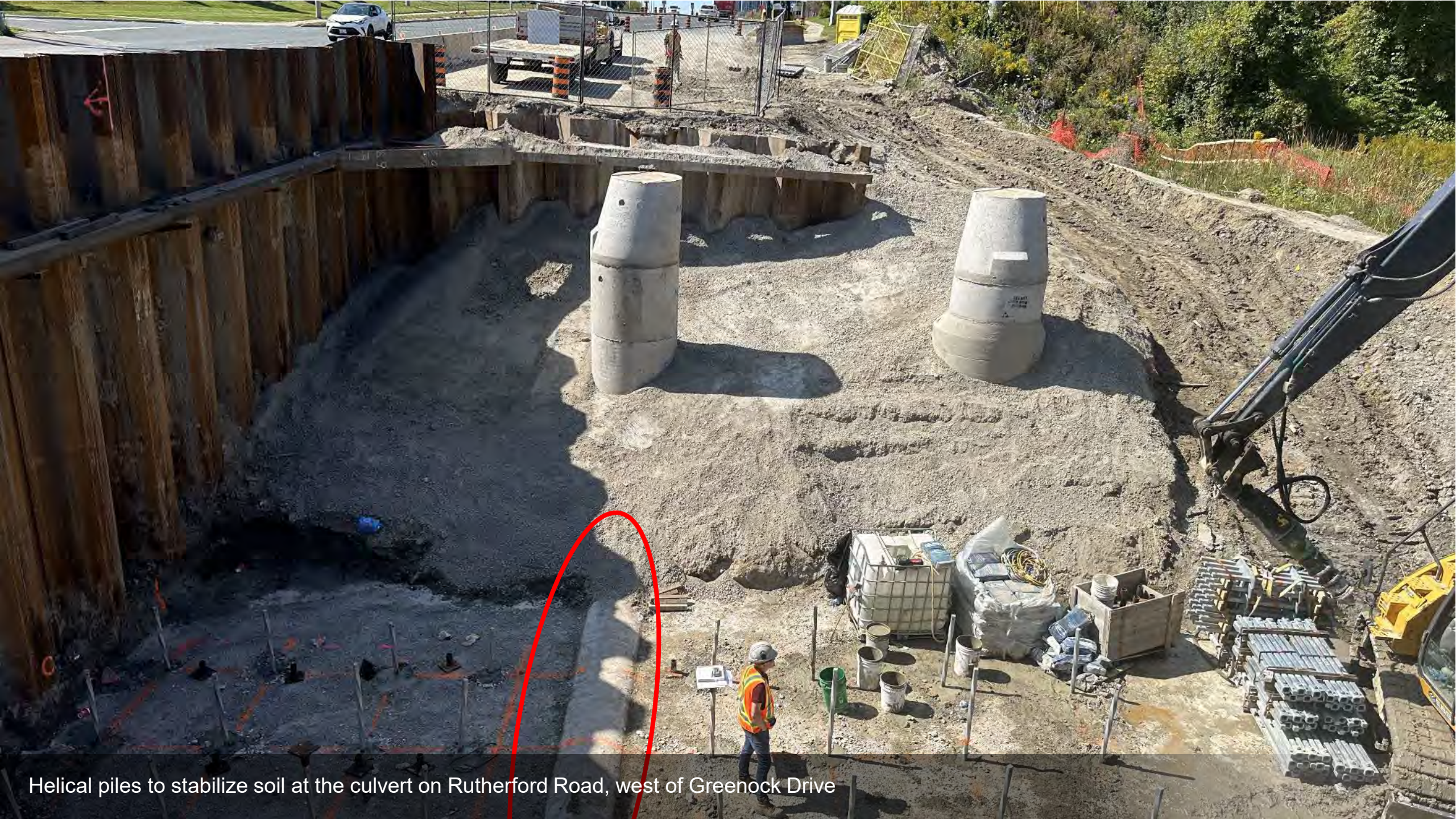


Unexpected ground conditions discovered during construction



Helical piles to stabilize soil at the culvert on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive





Helical piles to stabilize soil at the culvert on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive



Reinforcement for concrete slab



Concrete slab to support culvert



Installation of new culvert on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive



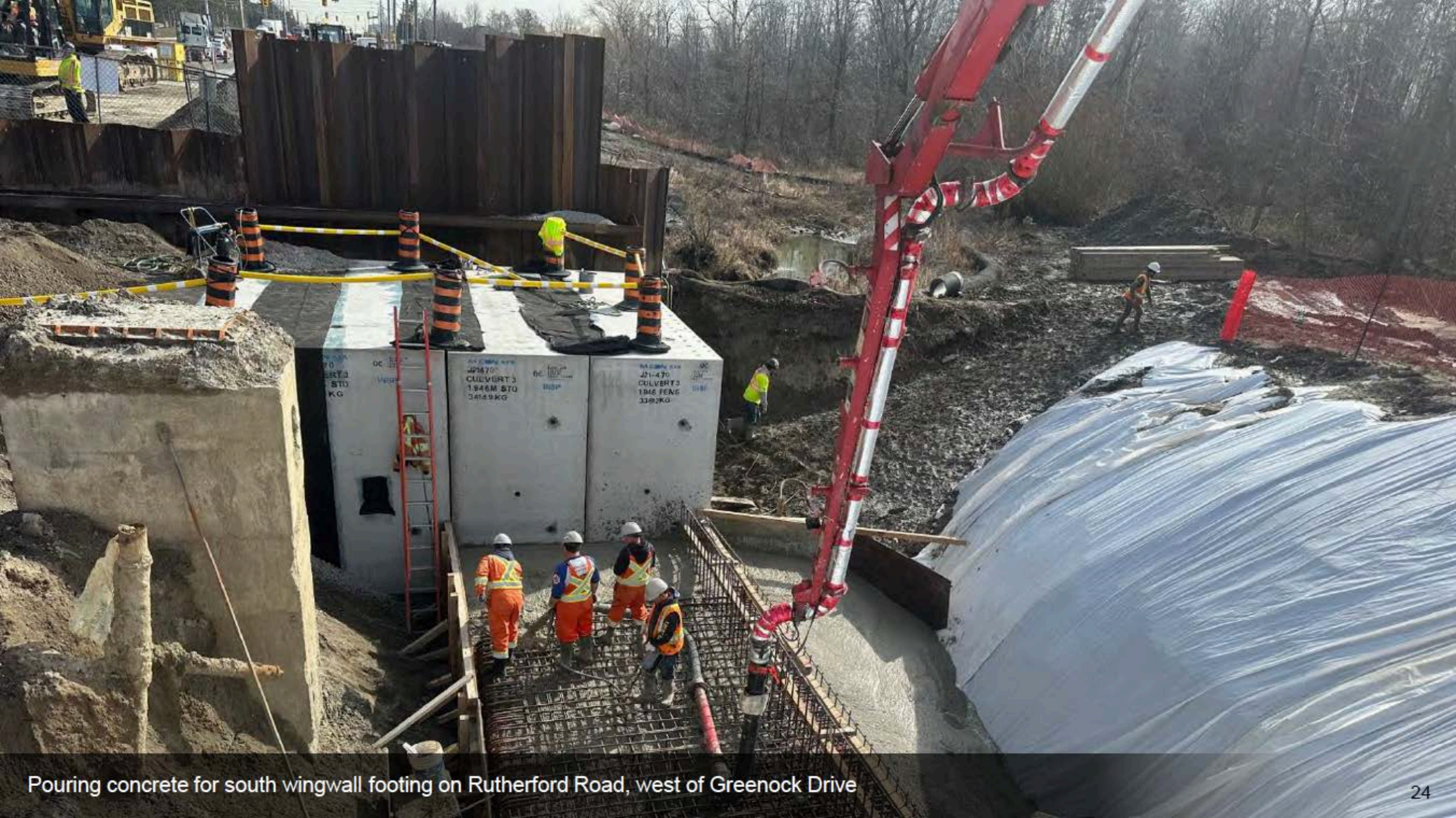
Work at culvert paused due to high water levels on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive



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Pouring concrete for south wingwall footing on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive





Concrete footing for south wingwall on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive



Completed culvert on Rutherford Road, west of Greenock Drive



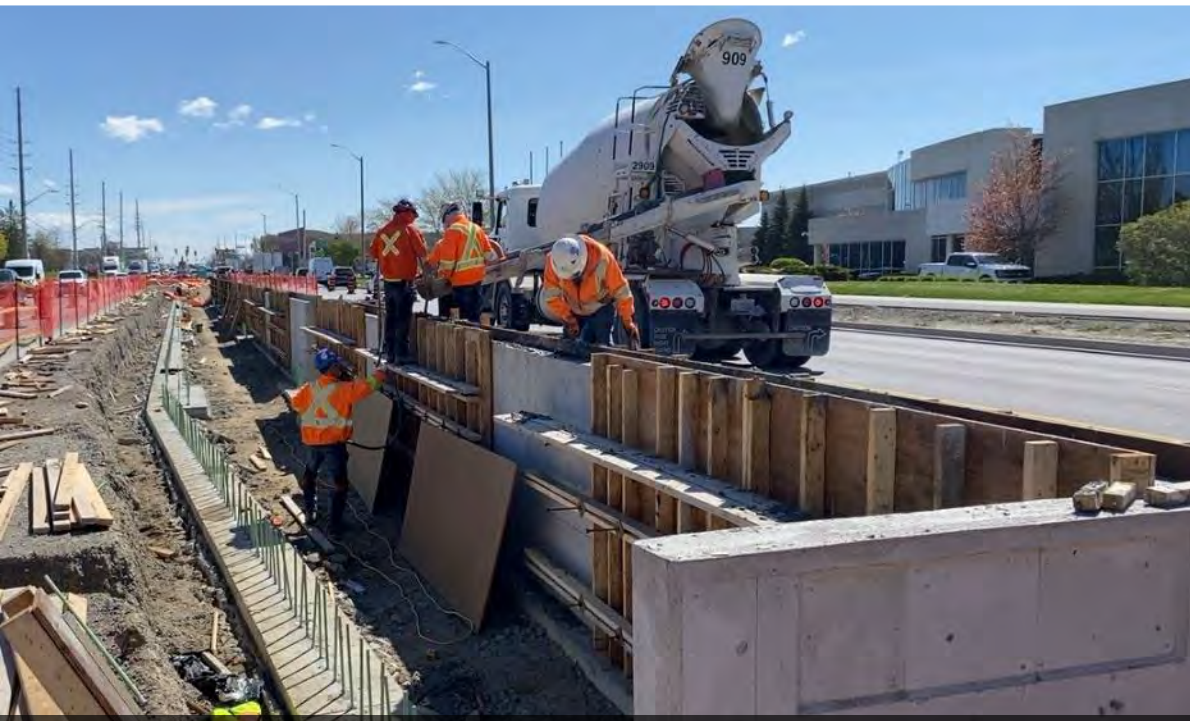
Widened road and new median, Rutherford Road, east of Keele Street



New sidewalks and cycle tracks on Rutherford Road



Rutherford Road and Melville Avenue intersection improvements include exclusive left turn lanes to improve traffic flow



Medians are being installed to reduce the risk of serious collisions, increase pedestrian safety and provide streetscaping



Protection and rescue of snapping turtle eggs on active construction site and hatching at Ontario Turtle Conservation Centre, Peterborough



Rescued snapping turtle being released to wetlands surrounding Rutherford Road



# Bridge over CN Rail tracks



Aerial view of the MacMillan Yard, looking south from south of Rutherford Road

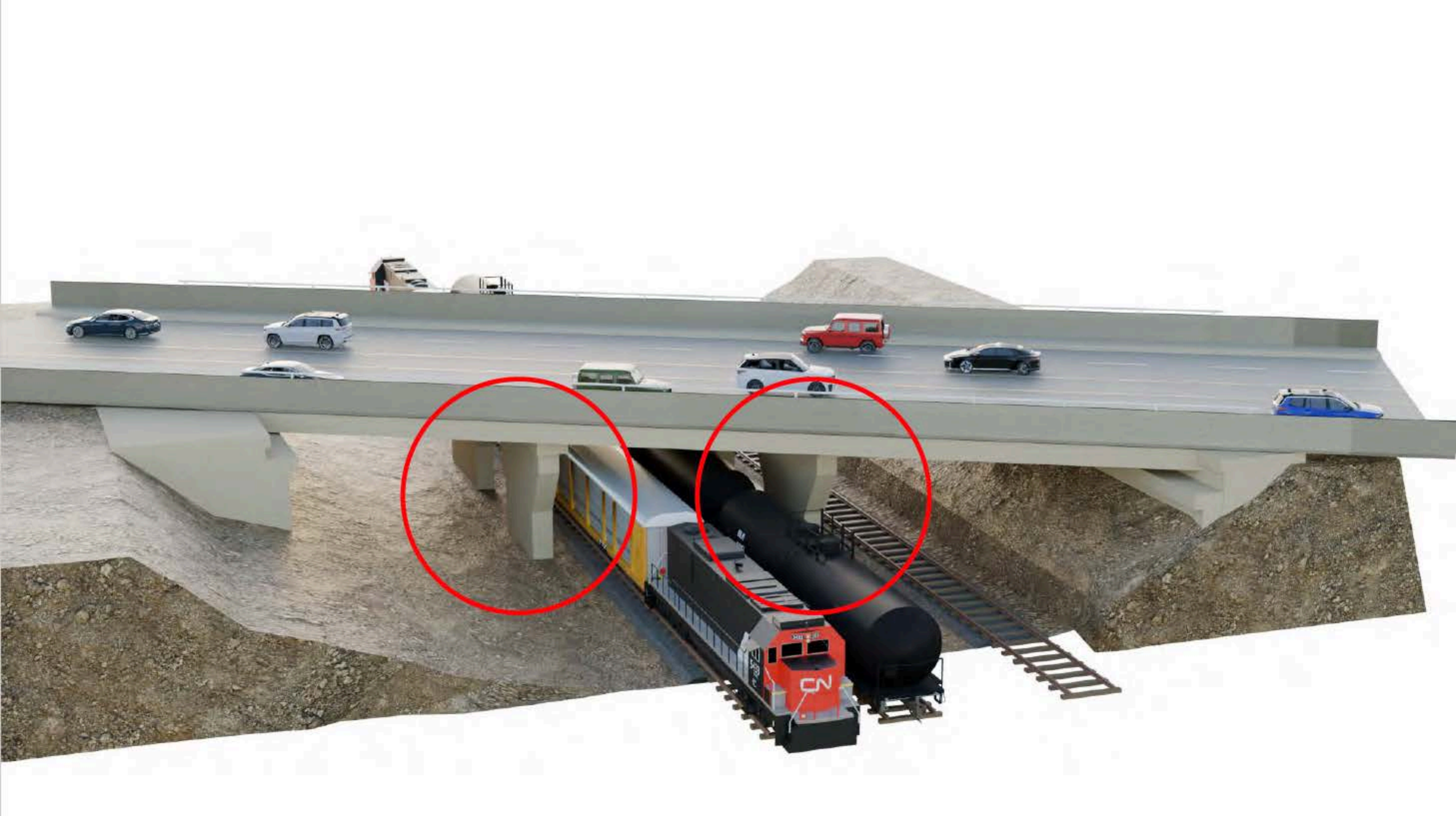


Aerial view of the Rutherford Road bridge over the CN Rail track





Access road and construction of bridge abutments to widen bridge over CN Rail tracks





CN track realignment to allow for bridge widening on Rutherford Road



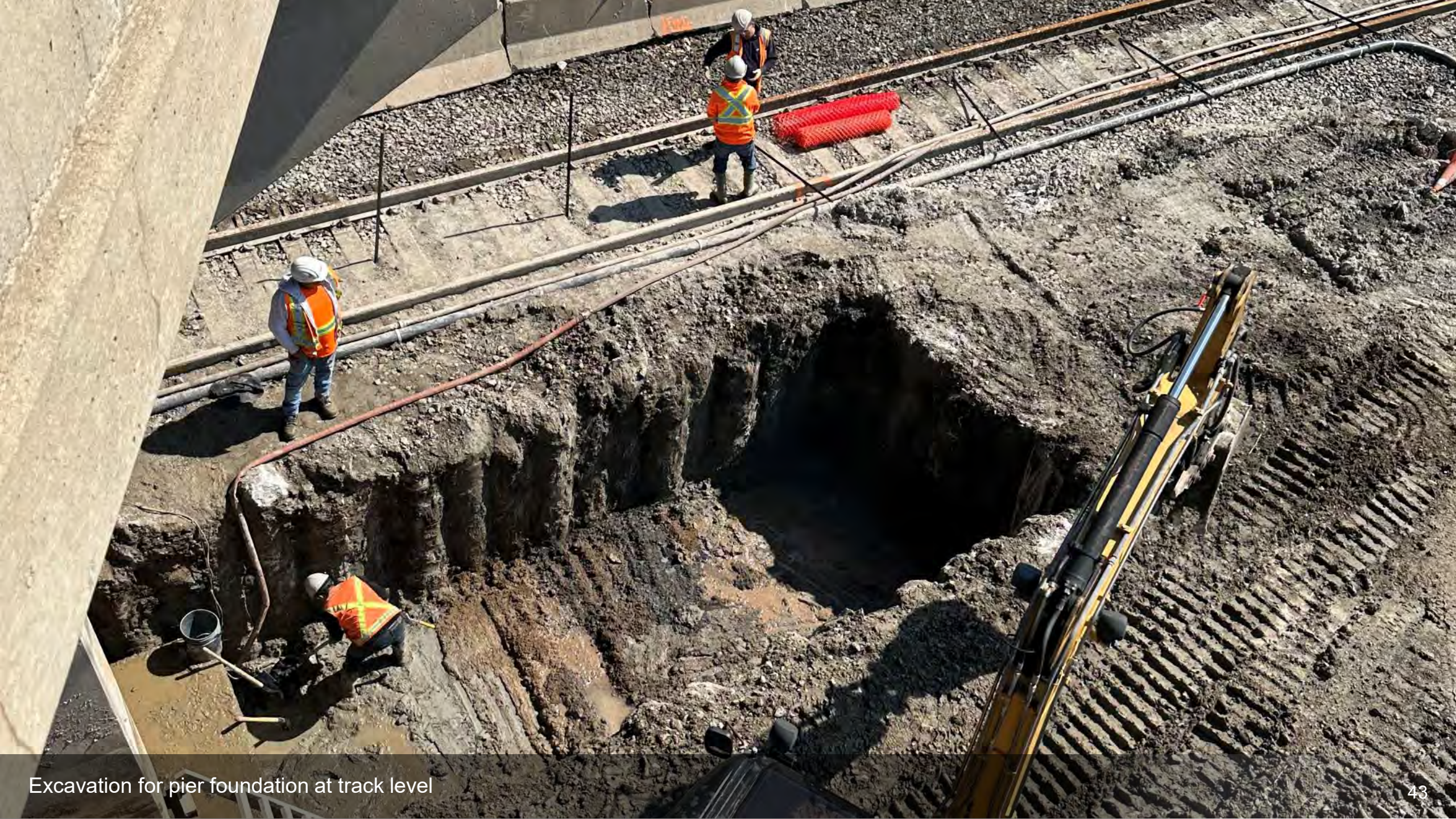




Working at track level to install caissons



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Excavation for pier foundation at track level





New west pier of Rutherford Road bridge over CN Rail tracks



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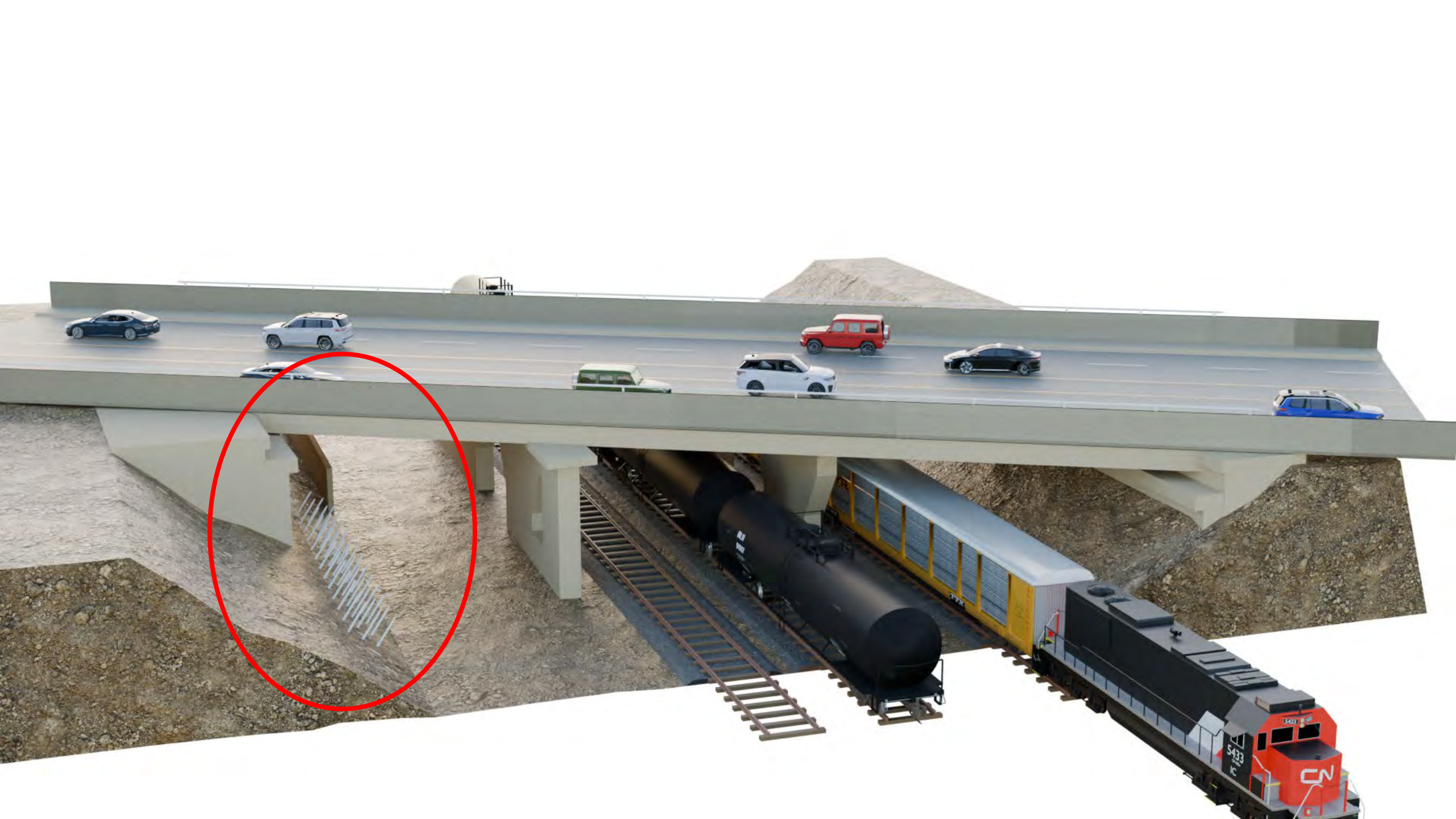


Train on realignment track with widened west pier



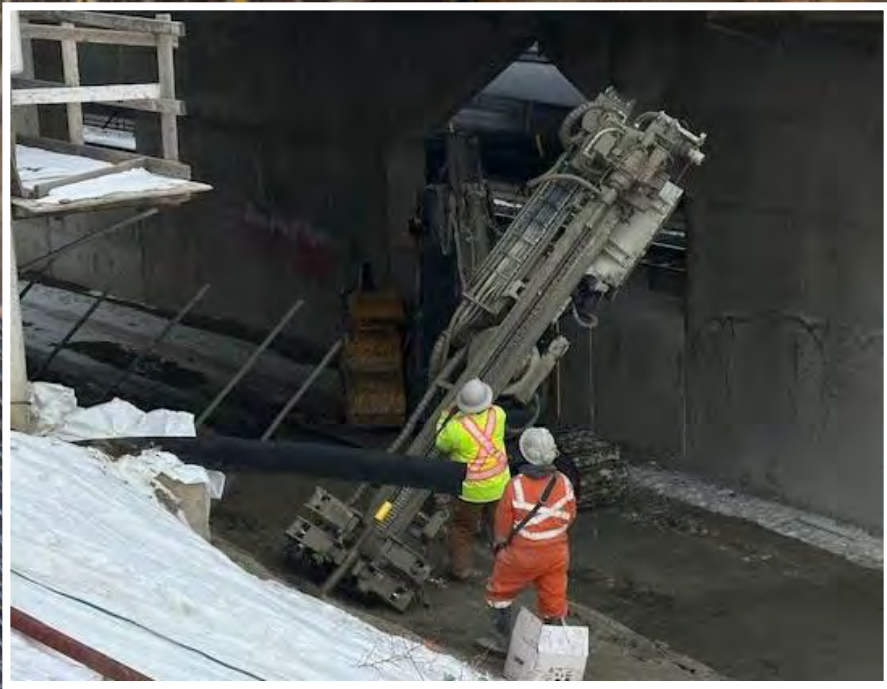








Slope stabilization underway using soil nailing and shotcreting



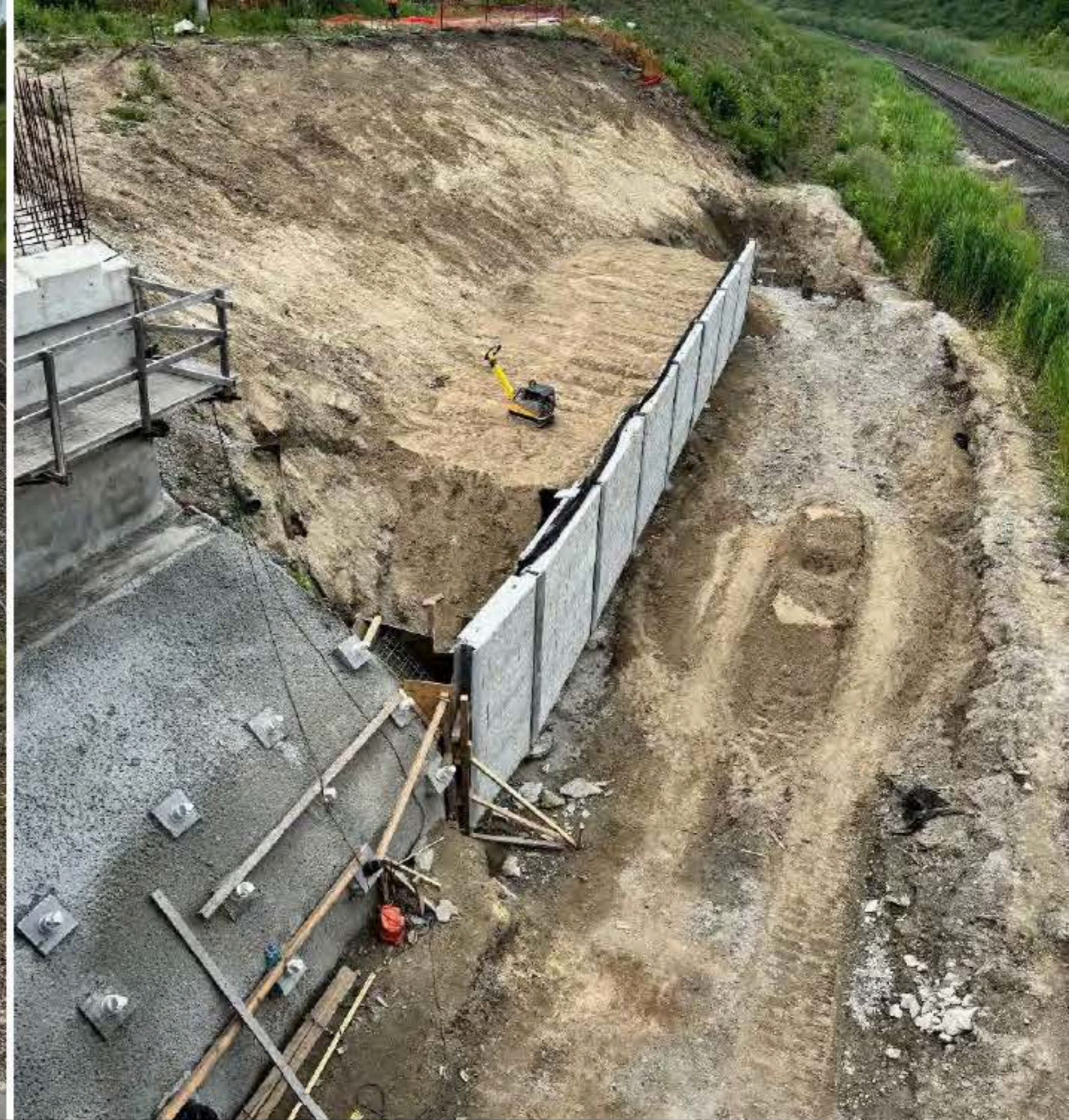
Slope soil nailing and shotcreting under CN Rail bridge on Rutherford Road



Construction of watermain protection under CN Rail bridge on Rutherford Road



Watermain protection installation under CN Rail bridge on Rutherford Road, City of Vaughan



Retaining wall construction under CN Rail bridge on Rutherford Road







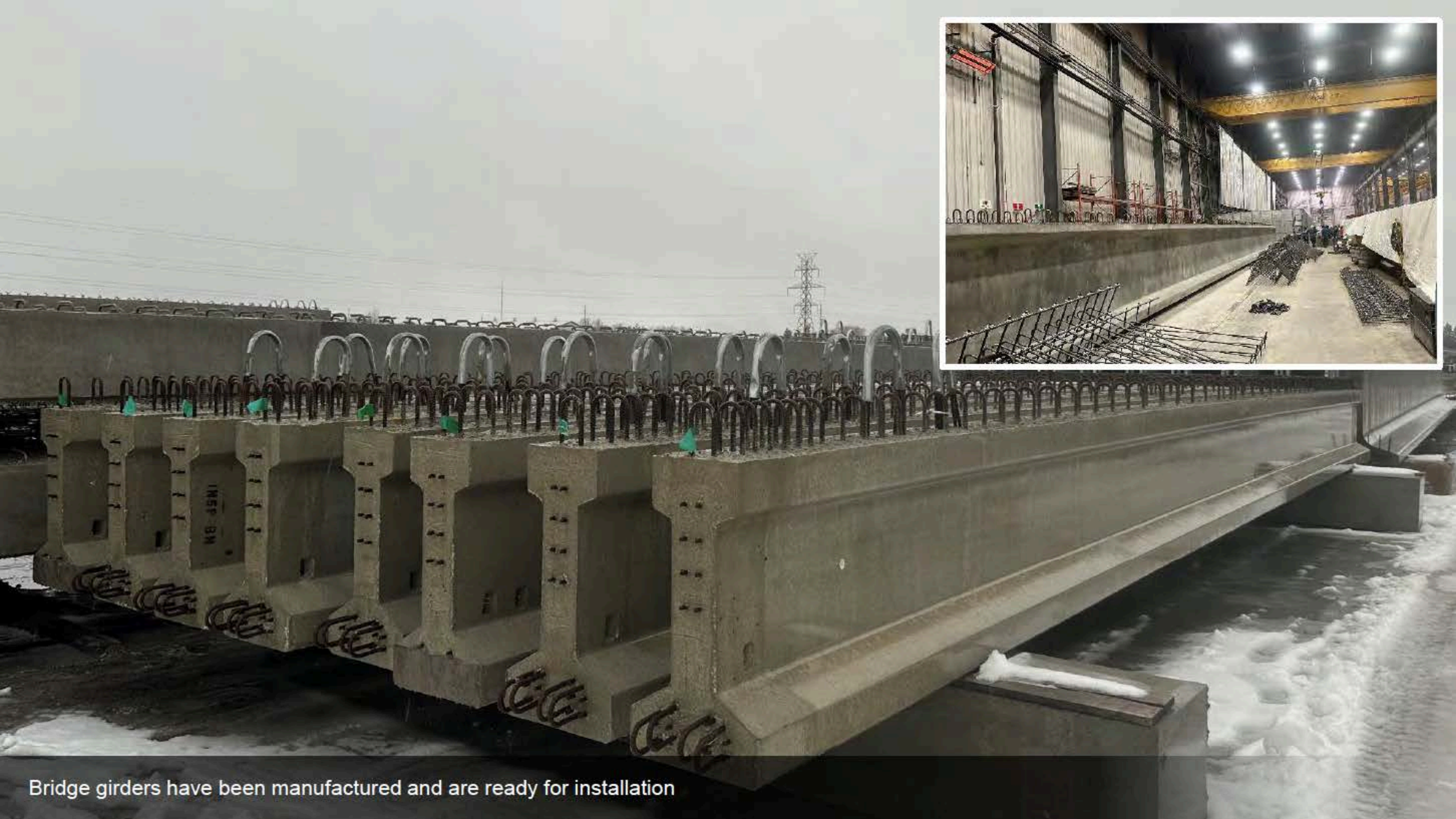
Work Zone











Bridge girders have been manufactured and are ready for installation

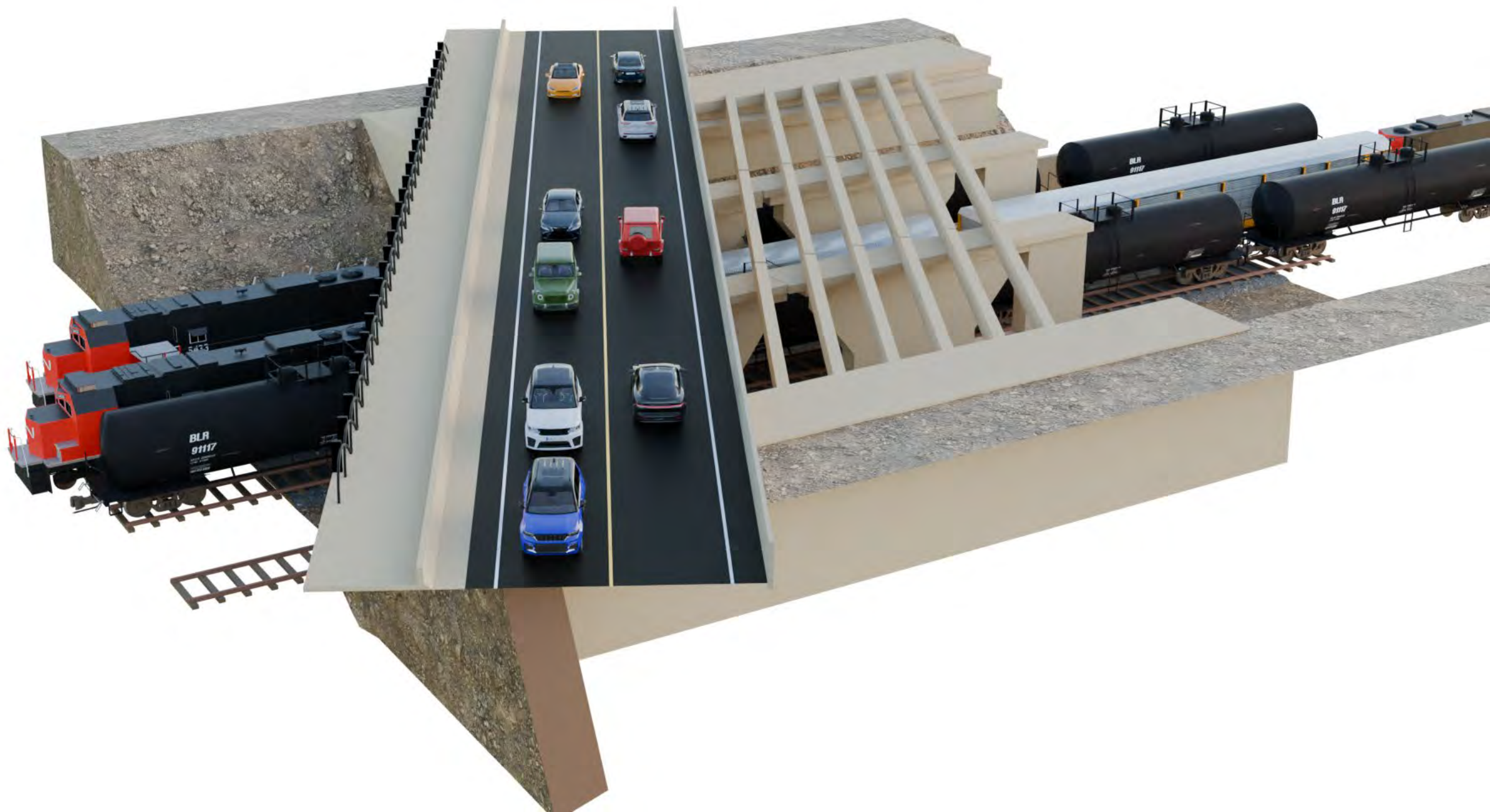










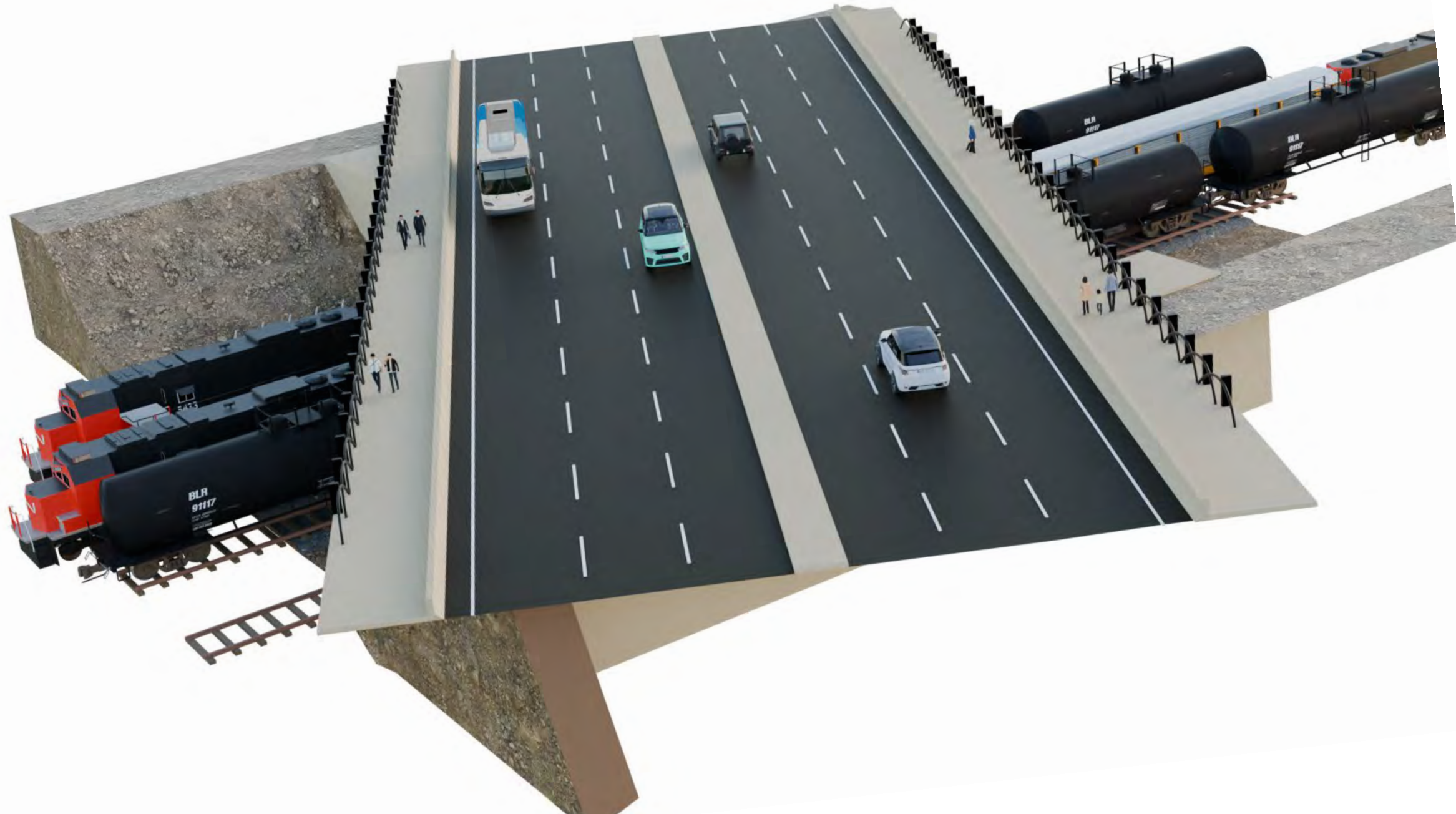










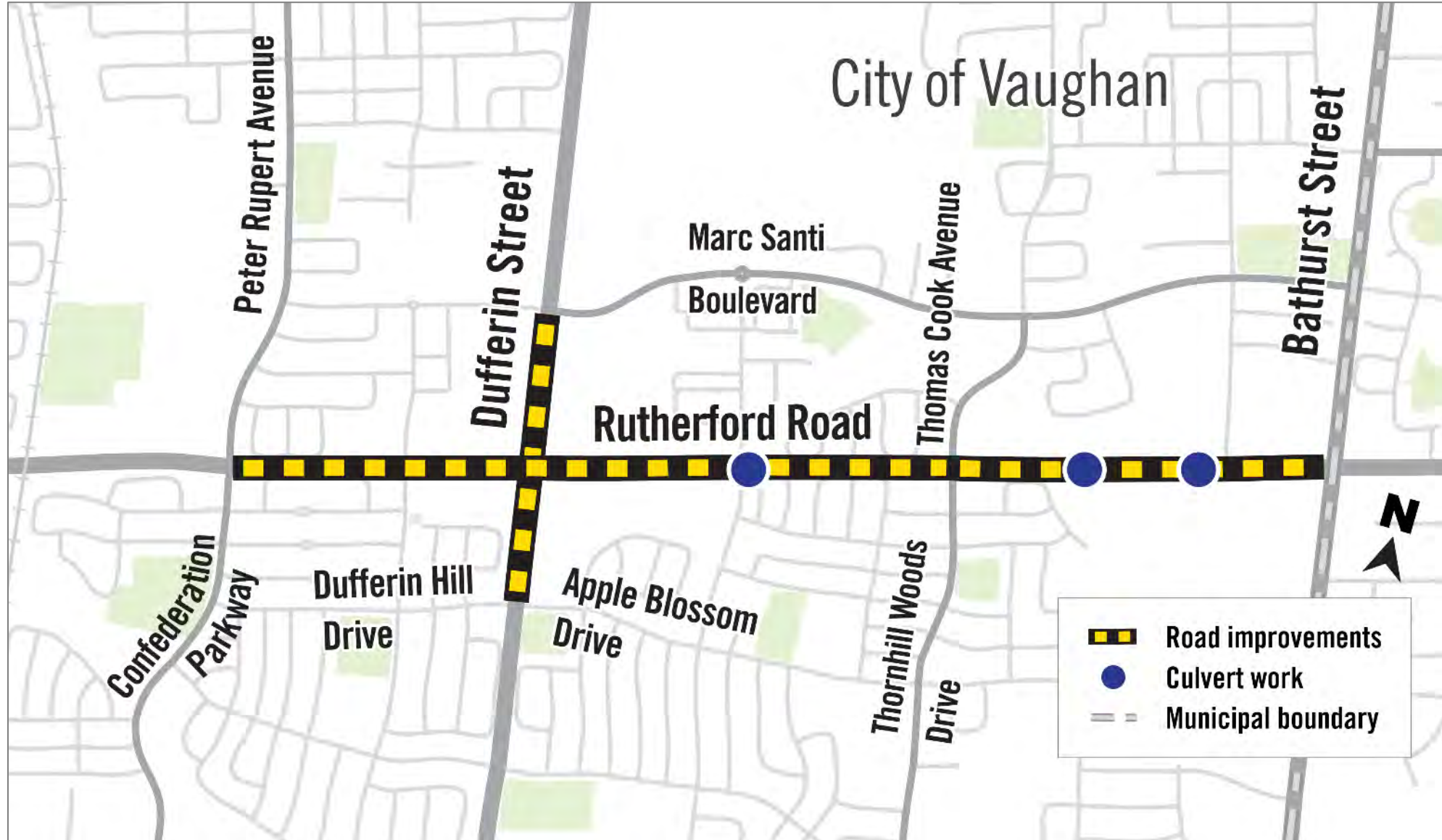






**RUTHERFORD ROAD,  
PETER RUPERT AVENUE TO BATHURST STREET**

# Rutherford Road, Peter Rupert Avenue to Bathurst Street





Reconstructed intersection of Dufferin Street and Marc Santi Boulevard



Preparation for installation of culvert extension on Rutherford Road



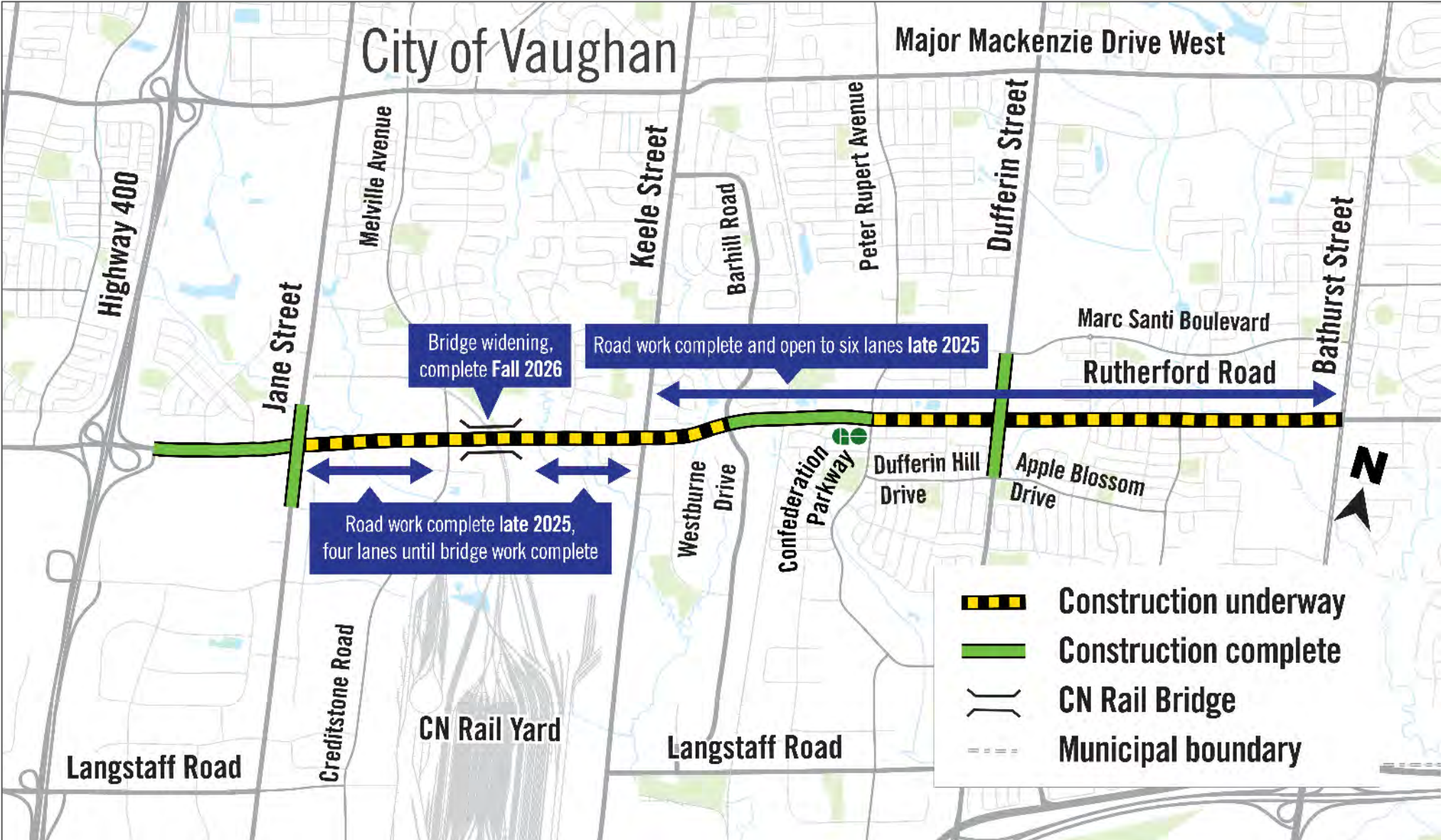
Road widening and median construction on Rutherford Road, looking east from Dufferin Street



Night paving on Rutherford Road at Thornhill Woods Drive

# NEXT STEPS AND CONSTRUCTION TIMELINES

# Rutherford Road, Highway 400 to Bathurst Street





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# Thank you

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