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[NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT](#) – May 11, 2017

Metrolinx is formally beginning the Transit Project Assessment Process (TPAP) for the Barrie Rail Corridor Expansion (BRCE) Project to support expanding GO service to get people moving. This assessment reviews the addition of a second track modifying some bridges, upgrading some stations and a new train layover facility from Lansdowne Avenue in the City of Toronto to the Allandale Waterfront GO Station in Barrie.

The community and stakeholders will continue to be engaged through the TPAP and have their questions and concerns addressed. The only thing that is changing is that we are beginning the formal assessment process to ensure that the project remains on schedule so that Metrolinx can deliver electrified rapid transit to get people moving.

CONTINUING THE CONVERSATION

To continue the conversation, Metrolinx is hosting an [online survey](#) for the Project to provide you with an opportunity to offer further feedback. Copies of the draft environmental studies and preferred design drawings are

available at Metrolinx.com/rerbarrie for review prior to completing the survey.

Listed below are key TPAP dates that outline the steps taken to complete the environmental assessment.

Notice of Commencement	May 11, 2017
Notice of Completion	August 8, 2017
Start of 30-Day Public Review	August 9 – September 7, 2017
Start of 35-Day Minister Review	September 8 – October 12, 2017
Statement of Completion	October 12, 2017

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Georgina Collymore at 416-202-4921 or RERBarrie@metrolinx.com.

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