

# Notice of Completion of Environmental Project Report Grimsby GO Station TRANSIT AND RAIL PROJECT ASSESSMENT PROCESS

## Grimsby GO Station

Niagara Region in partnership with Metrolinx has completed an Environmental Project Report (EPR) in accordance with Ontario Regulation 231/08 for the Grimsby GO Station. Niagara Region is an upper-tier municipal government that provides regional services and coordinates infrastructure and transit across its twelve local municipalities. The Region plays a key role in supporting sustainable growth, transportation and economic development throughout the Niagara area.

## The Project

Metrolinx is expanding transit infrastructure along the Lakeshore West rail corridor between Hamilton and Niagara Region, extending from the Hamilton Junction to Niagara Falls. This expansion includes future enhancements to the track, rail corridor facilities, associated station improvements and new GO stations.

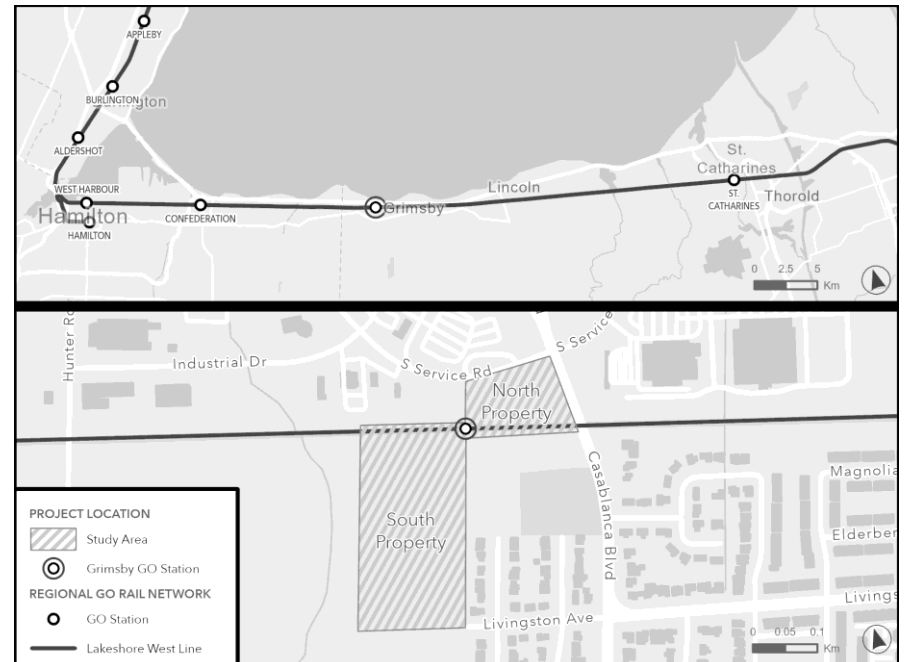
The Grimsby GO Station project will add a new GO station between Confederation GO Station in east Hamilton and St. Catharines GO Station, offering more access to the GO Transit network in Niagara Region.

Grimsby GO Station will be delivered in phases and proposed to include such features as:

- A customer platform to access train service
- Station infrastructure required for operations
- A bus loop for customers to access GO Bus and Niagara Transit services
- Customer shelters, fare payment kiosks, digital information screens for trip information/wayfinding, parking lot, bicycle racks, pick up and drop off zone, and pedestrian access to the station

The Transit and Rail Project Assessment Process identified and assessed potential environmental impacts of this project along with mitigation measures and future commitments to avoid or reduce negative effects.

The assessed Study Area was located south of the Queen Elizabeth Way (QEW) interchange and west of Casablanca Boulevard, within the Town of Grimsby, Region of Niagara.



The map shows the approximate limits of the study area for the TRPAP assessment south of QEW, West of Casablanca Boulevard, East of Hunter Road and in the municipal boundary of Town of Grimsby.

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### 30 Day Public Review: May 16 to June 15, 2026

The proponent has completed a Transit and Rail Project Assessment Process (TRPAP) for the Project in accordance with the Ontario Regulation 231/08 (made under the Environmental Assessment Act). As part of the TRPAP, an EPR was prepared to evaluate the project's potential environmental impacts, and to identify appropriate mitigation measures and monitoring activities.

This notice is to inform you that the EPR is available for comment at the following website address: <https://www.niagararegion.ca/transportation/go-train/grimsby/>

Interested persons may provide written comments to the following Project contact for 30 calendar days from May 17, 2026 to June 15, 2026 to:

**GrimsbyGO@Niagararegion.ca**  
**(905) 521-1003**

There are circumstances where the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks has the authority to require further consideration of the transit project or impose conditions on it. These include if the Minister is of the opinion that:

- The transit project may have a negative impact on a matter of provincial importance that relates to the natural environment or has cultural heritage value or interest; or
- The transit project may have a negative impact on a constitutionally protected Aboriginal or treaty right.

Before exercising the authority referred to above, the Minister is required to consider any written objections to the transit project that he or she may receive within 30 days of first publishing the EPR Notice of Completion. If you have discussed your issues with the proponent and you object to the project, you can provide a written submission to the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks by **no later than June 15, 2026**, to the email provided below. All submissions must clearly indicate that an objection is being submitted and describe any negative impacts to matters of provincial importance (natural/cultural environment) or Aboriginal rights.

### Environmental Assessment Branch

Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks  
135 St. Clair Avenue West, 1st Floor  
Toronto, ON M4V 1P5  
Attention: Stephen Deneault, Special Project Officer  
Tel: 416-314-8001/1-800-461-6290  
Fax: 416-314-8452  
Email: EABDirector@ontario.ca

Requests should also be copied to the Project contact (see above).

If this information is required in an accessible format, please notify the project team.

Members of the public may arrange to view the EPR upon request by contacting the Project contact email or phone number provided above.

All personal information included in a submission – such as name, address, telephone number and property location – is collected, maintained and disclosed by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) for the purpose of transparency and consultation. The information is collected under the authority of the Environmental Assessment Act or is collected and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public as described in section 37 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Personal information you submit will become part of a public record that is available to the general public unless you request that your personal information remain confidential. For more information, contact the MECP Freedom of Information and Privacy Coordinator.

**This Notice was issued on May 15, 2026.**