



High Park Station Easier Access

Pre-construction Update

Spring 2022

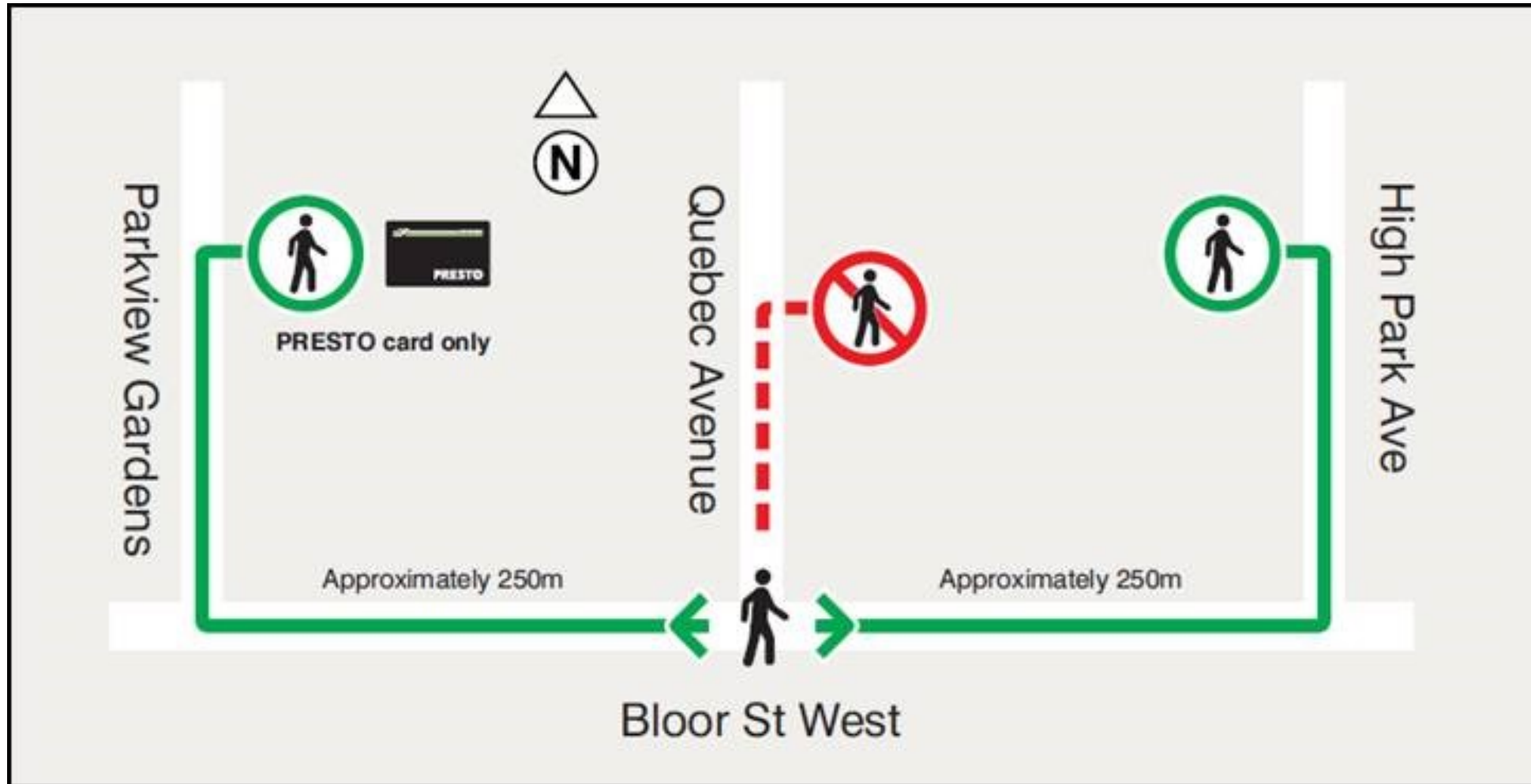
Before construction - High Park Station, Quebec Ave entrance



After construction - High Park Station, Quebec Ave entrance



Customers redirected to Parkview Gardens or High Park Avenue entrance until end of 2024



Status of Easier Access program



- 55 stations are now accessible.
- Yorkdale was the latest station to become accessible in 2021.
- Easier access work continues at the following stations:
 - Donlands, College, Summerhill, Yorkdale, Glencairn, Castle Frank, Rosedale, Dupont, Greenwood and Lansdowne.
- In 2022, the TTC is scheduled to begin Easier Access construction at the following stations:
 - **High Park**, Lawrence, Museum, Spadina, Christie, King, Old Mill, and Warden.

Advisory Committee on Accessible Transit (ACAT)



ACAT Overview

- Toronto citizens who advise the TTC on difficulties faced by people with disabilities and seniors.
- Recommends the elimination of barriers to accessible public transit in the City of Toronto.
- ACAT consists of 15 volunteer committee members who are appointed by the TTC Board.

ACAT's Role

- Represents the needs and concerns of persons with disabilities and seniors who use public transit services provided by the TTC.
- Advises the TTC on the provision of accessible public transit.
- Advises the TTC on necessary policy issues for services that pertain to the interests of persons with disabilities and seniors.
- Supports TTC staff in consulting, educating and advising persons with disabilities, seniors and the community at large.
- Subcommittees: Design Review, Service Planning, Communications, Wheel-Trans Operations.
- Advises the TTC on priority and plans for Easier Access projects.

Nearby stations – accessibility schedule



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Status of Easier Access Program

TTC's Easier Access Program will make all subway stations accessible to everyone, regardless of their level of mobility. Today, more than half of our stations are accessible to people with disabilities.

- 55 stations are now accessible.
- Station accessibility construction is currently underway at:
 - *Lansdowne, Donlands, College, Summerhill, Rosedale, Castle Frank, Glencairn and Greenwood stations*

All stations will be made accessible by 2025.

High Park Station elevator construction is scheduled to start Spring 2022*.

The station is scheduled to be accessible by end of 2024.

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Project details

Expected timeline – Q2 2022* to end of 2024

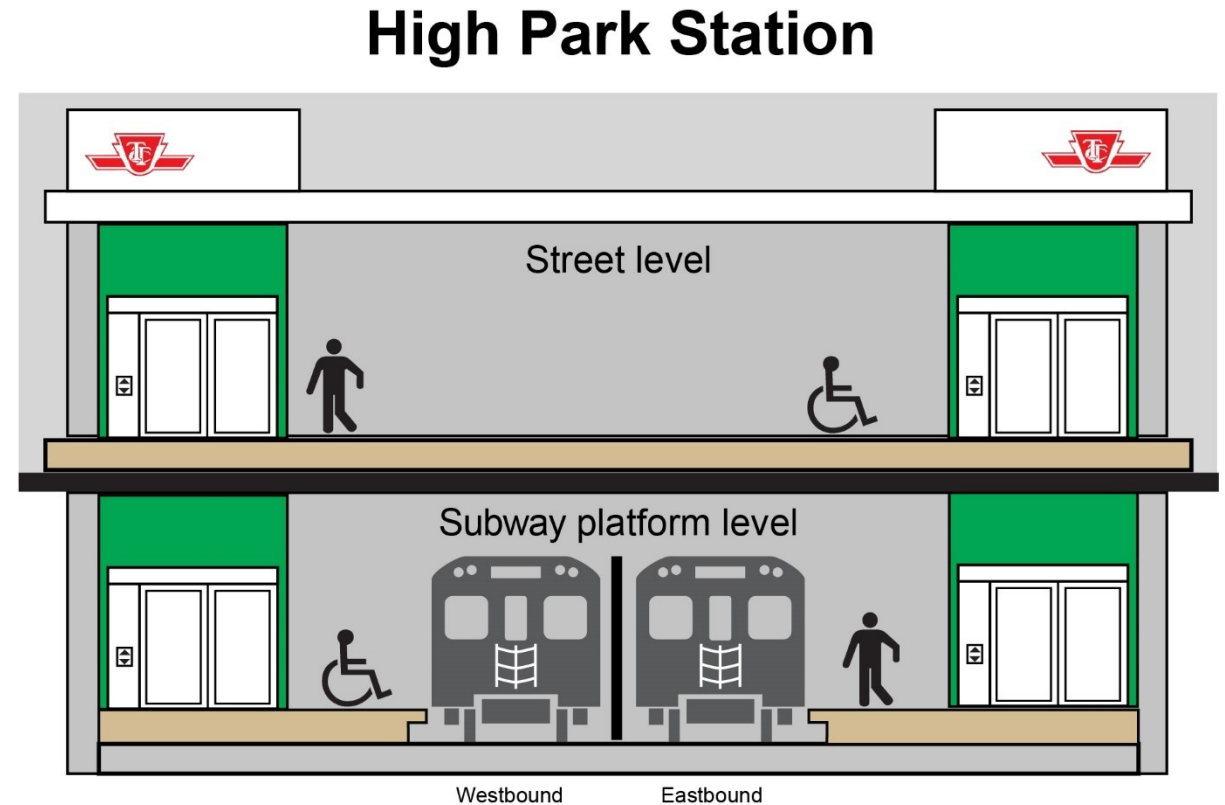
During construction:

- Quebec Avenue entrance closed for duration of construction. All customers will be redirected to Parkview Gardens or High Park Avenue entrance
- Buses maintained inside the station, subway service maintained
- No Wi-Fi at street level, only at concourse and subway platform level
- Benches at street level relocated
- Bike racks on Quebec Avenue removed and restored at end of project. Bike parking on High Park Avenue maintained.

Project details

After project completion:

- Accessible station with two elevators – street to subway platform level
- New entrance structure on Quebec Avenue



Scope of work

Phase 1 and 2 will require a temporary lane reduction on Quebec Avenue. City Transportation to finalize traffic plan with contractor.

Phase 1

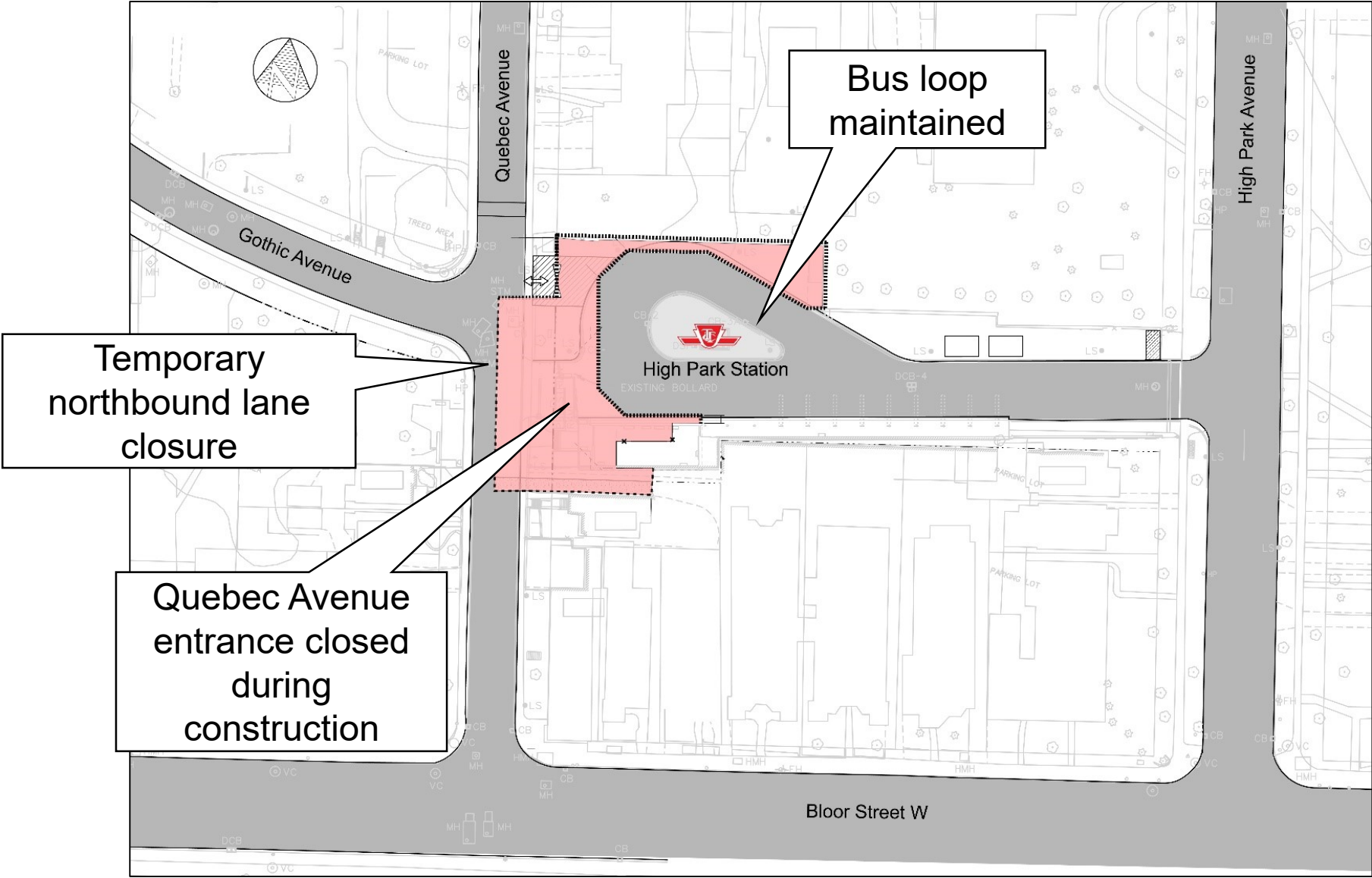
- Duration: Q2 2022* start for approximately one month
- Scope: street level work involving service reconnections, maintenance holes, utility work, hoarding installation, preliminary caisson and shoring work, excavation

Phase 2

- Duration: Q2/Q3 2022* for approximately seven months
- Scope: caisson work, shoring, removal and demolition at street level, excavation of elevator shafts

Phase 1 and 2 – Q2/Q3 2022* for approx. 8 months

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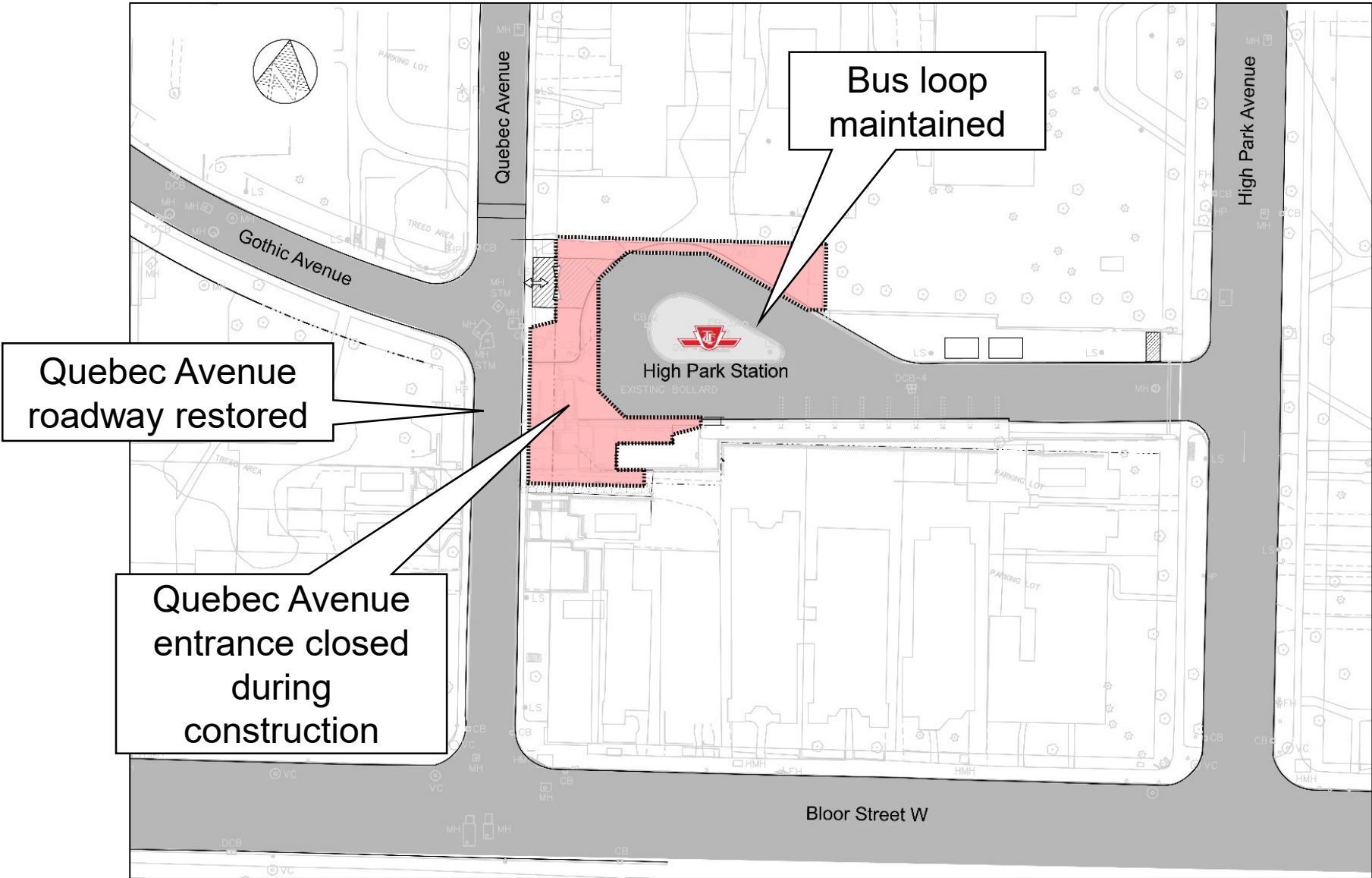
Scope of work

Phase 3 to 5

- Duration: Q2 2023* to end of 2024
- All work within TTC property
- Scope: Elevator shaft construction, structural, electrical and mechanical work, restore area impacted by construction
- Quebec Avenue re-open to two-way traffic during these phases

Phase 3 to 5 – Q2 2023* to end of 2024

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Construction Details and Transit Information:

- Major construction activities include shoring and excavation of elevator shafts
- Most work will take place from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Some work will occur overnight such as scaffolding installation and deliveries
- Efforts will be made to keep disruption associated with noise and dust to a minimum
- Access to stations and subway service will be maintained throughout construction



Questions or comments?

Connect with the community liaison for this project for any questions or comments, or to be added to the project mailing list:

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