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## New Light Rail Transit Vehicle (LRV) Fleet Maintenance and Storage Facility Ashbridges Bay Site

### Preliminary Planning Public Open House

#### Public Consultation

The City of Toronto and the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) are hosting a Public Open House where you can learn more about this transit project, discuss the project with City and consultant staff, and provide input into the planning process. The Public Open House is a follow-up to the June 2009 public event which was held to present the site options identified for the proposed facility. The preferred site has now been selected. The upcoming Open House will engage the public on key aspects of the study, prior to the official Notice of Commencement for the Transit Project Assessment process. Details are as follows:

**Date: Thursday, February 18, 2010**



**Time: 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

**Location: EMS Academy, 895 Eastern Avenue**

#### Background

The City of Toronto and the TTC are planning a New Light Rail Transit Vehicle Fleet Maintenance and Storage Facility to support the 204 new low floor light rail vehicles that the TTC is acquiring to replace the current fleet of streetcars and to enhance accessibility. The existing maintenance and storage facilities at Roncesvalles and Russell Carhouses cannot support the full maintenance requirements of the new LRV fleet. Therefore, the construction of a new facility is required. The preferred site is located at the southeast corner of Lake Shore Boulevard East and Leslie Street. New tracks are proposed along Leslie Street to connect the proposed facility with the existing streetcar tracks on Queen Street East. A transit museum may also be developed within this site.



At the upcoming Open House, City of Toronto and TTC staff will present details of the site selection process for the Fleet Maintenance and Storage Facility, as well as the evaluation of alignments considered for the connecting track. Conceptual layouts for the facility will be presented and preliminary evaluation details will be provided.

#### Next Steps

The TTC will review public comment, conduct detailed analyses and select a preferred site layout. A third open house will be scheduled for Spring 2010 to present the preferred site layout and the detailed Transit Project Assessment.

#### We would like to hear from you

Public consultation is an important part of this study. If you would like more information, please contact:

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