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# Sheppard Subway Extensions

## Analysis of Funding Options for TTIL and the City of Toronto

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# Background

## Two key questions when funding a large capital project:

- ‡ Where will the money come from?
  - Cash in hand + debt that can be raised
- ‡ What types of revenue can support the investment?

## Scope of our analysis:

- ‡ Assess the following funding sources:
  - Contributions from the Provincial and Federal governments
  - Selling City owned properties in the Sheppard corridor
  - Revenue bonds supported by:
    - ‡ Incremental property tax along both Sheppard and Eglinton-Scarborough corridors
    - ‡ Special City wide transit related development charges
  - Project debt must not be guaranteed by the City
- ‡ Analyze “traditional” and Public-Private Partnership (“P3”) approaches
- ‡ If a gap remains, identify other potential funding sources

# Project Overview

## Total project cost estimated to be \$4.3 billion (nominal)

- ‡ \$2.7 billion for East Extension
- ‡ \$1.6 billion for West Extension
- ‡ Long term operations and maintenance costs excluded due to data availability

## The analysis focused on 7 year construction period for the East Extension



# Funding Sources

## **Federal government contribution of \$333 million previously committed**

- | PPP Canada could provide additional funds
- | City could pursue a “federal guarantee”, as recently provided for Lower Churchill hydro project in Labrador

## **Savings from Eglinton-Scarborough project of \$650 million**

## **Estimated value of real estate in the corridor \$221 million**

## **Estimated bond proceeds:**

- | \$156 million from incremental taxes
- | \$292 million from development charges
- | More up front capital could be raised if:
  - Debt was guaranteed; and/or
  - More secure revenue source(s) were used



# Summary of Funding Requirements for Sheppard East

## “Traditional” approach

- ‡ Estimated \$914 million of additional funds needed throughout construction (ie, years 1-7)
- ‡ However, the City benefits from significant incremental cash flow during operations

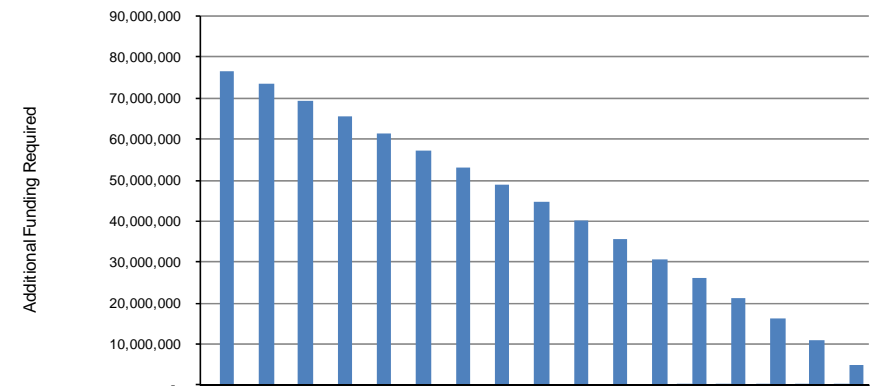
## Concession P3

- ‡ Estimated \$739 million of additional funds needed throughout construction
- ‡ \$0 additional cash flow during operations

## “Availability Payment” P3

- ‡ \$0 throughout construction
- ‡ Estimated \$736 million needed in years 8-24 to offset developer payments
- ‡ Remaining surplus cash flow retained by the City

Additional Funding Required During the Operating Period  
(Total Requirement = \$736 million)



# Other Funding Sources

## Other potential sources of funding for consideration include:

- | Zone based tolls (eg, London)
- | Expressway tolls (eg, Highway 407)
- | High-occupancy toll lanes (eg, San Diego Fas Trak)
- | Vehicle Kilometers traveled (eg, Germany)
- | Parking sales tax (eg, San Francisco)
- | Parking space levy (eg, Sydney)
- | Regional sales tax (eg, New York City)
- | Gasoline tax (eg, British Columbia)
- | Passenger vehicle charges (eg, Quebec)
- | Employer/payroll taxes (eg, Oregon)

**Future cash flows could either be monetized or used to offset future payment obligations**