

Ontario-Toronto New Deal - Advancing the Upload of the Don Valley Parkway and Frederick G. Gardiner Expressway to the Province

Date: June 17, 2026

To: City Council

From: City Manager

Wards: All

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to advise that the City Manager will be submitting a supplementary report that provides a response to Council directive 2026.CC.38.1 to provide an update on the negotiations between the City and Province on executing a memorandum of understanding for uploading the Garinder Expressway and Don Valley Parkway.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The City Manager recommends that:

1. City Council receive this report for information.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Further information on financial impacts will be outlined in the forthcoming supplementary report.

The Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer has reviewed this report and agrees with the Financial Impact Section as presented in this report.

DECISION HISTORY

At its meeting on February 10, 2026, City Council directed the City Manager to report to the June 16, 2026, meeting of the Executive Committee with an update and progress report on negotiations between the City of Toronto and the Province of Ontario on executing a Memorandum of Understanding for the uploading of the Gardiner Expressway and Don Valley Parkway.

<https://secure.toronto.ca/council/agenda-item.do?item=2026.CC38.1>

COMMENTS

The purpose of this report is to advise that the City Manager will be submitting a supplementary report that provides an update on the negotiations between the City and Province on the execution of the upload of the Gardiner Expressway and Don Valley Parkway. It will include recommendations on advancing and executing the upload.

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ATTACHMENTS
