

East Don Trail

Public Event #3

The City of Toronto and Toronto and Region Conservation (TRCA) are hosting the last of three public meetings for the East Don Trail Study. Join us for a public event to learn more, and provide your feedback on the design concepts for what the preferred trail alignment might look like. An overview of the design concepts will be presented at 6:30 p.m.

Date: Tuesday, June 24, 2014
Open House: 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Presentation: 6:30 p.m.
Place: The Victoria Park Hub,
1537 Victoria Park Avenue (north of Eglinton)



This venue is wheelchair accessible.
Please contact to arrange for additional accommodations.

Background

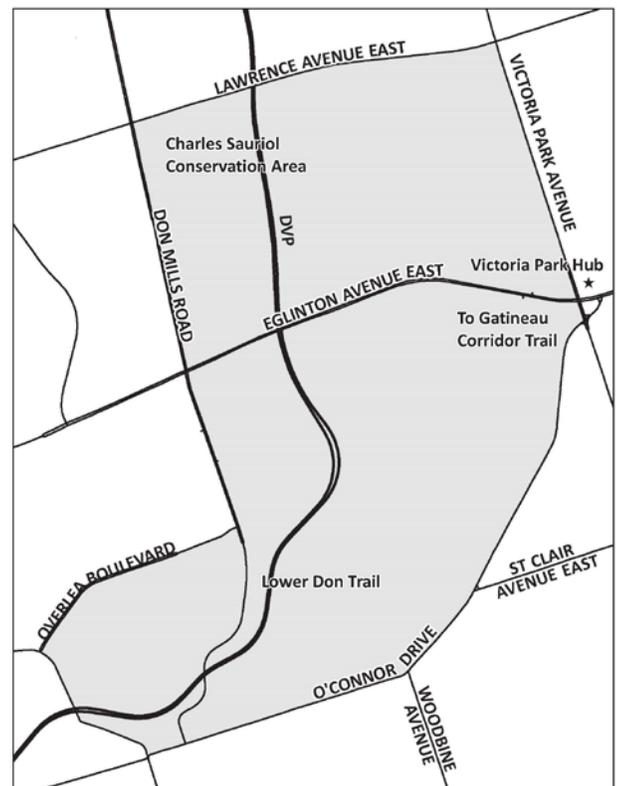
The City of Toronto and TRCA are studying options for a multi-use trail system within the East Don Corridor. The proposed trail would provide a key connection in the multi-use trail network, joining the existing East Don Trail (East of Wynford Heights Crescent), Gataineau Corridor Trail (at approximately Bermondsey Rd), and the Don Trail System.

The Process

The East Don Trail study is being carried out in accordance with the requirements of a Schedule 'C' project under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Act and provides opportunities for public input at key stages.

We would like to hear from you

The first two meetings were held in 2013 to receive feedback on the project objectives, discuss the key issues and opportunities, and assist in the selection of the preferred trail alignment. We are now asking for you to be part of the conversation to select the best design concept for the preferred trail alignment. **To ensure comments are incorporated into the planning and design of this project, please provide them by July 11, 2014.**



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East Don Trail Project Update – May 2014

What we heard at the second public event...

The project team met with members of the public in September of 2013 to discuss the proposed trail alignments for the study area. From the feedback received by the project team, there were two general contributions:

1. General agreement with the evaluation criteria and the evaluation of the proposed trail alignments presented.
2. Although the majority of people who provided feedback felt there were no trail alignments missing, there were requests to look at additional trail alignments in Areas 1 and 2 of the study area.

To address these comments the project team developed additional trail alignments and evaluated them with the help of the Technical Advisory Committee, Community Liaison Committee, and key stakeholders. A preferred trail alignment was then chosen.

Design concepts for the preferred trail alignment are now underway and will be presented at the next public event. For a complete list of the trail alignments reviewed, visit www.toronto.ca/eastdontrail and click on the Community Liaison Committee link and go to Meeting #5.

Field Work Update

Fieldwork began in the study area in March of 2013. The project team was planning to have all work completed this spring, however with a long snowy winter survey crews had some difficulty getting out on site every day. Topography surveys and the tree inventory will be completed this spring, and geotechnical surveys this winter.

If you are out in the study area and see orange paint markings on the ground and trees, and wooden and/or metal stakes in the ground, these are evidence of our team at work and will stay in place until the design work for the project has been completed.



Project team on site for field work in 2013

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