## Presentation begins: 6:30 p.m.

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Virtual Information Meeting – Pierrefonds-Roxboro

February 11, 2021

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## **Agenda**



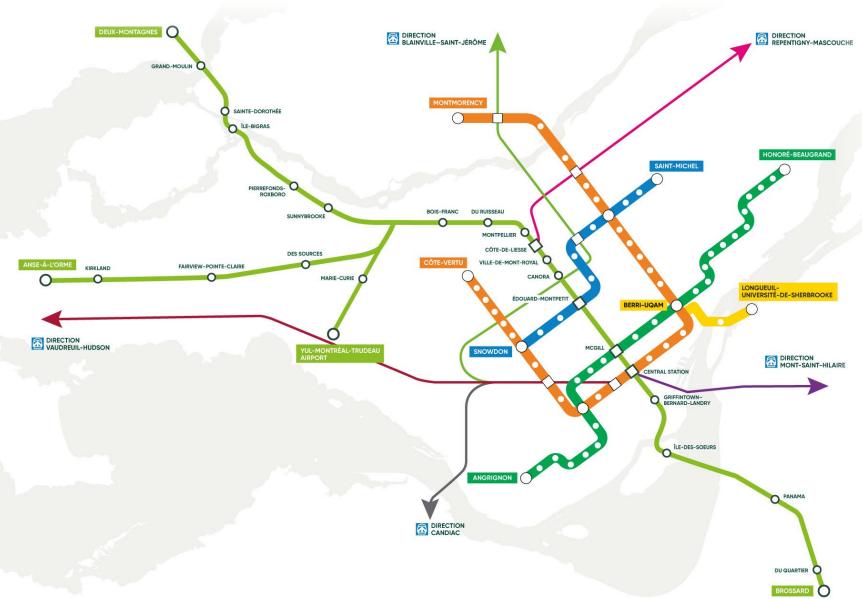
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- Question period



# O Background

## Réseau express métropolitain





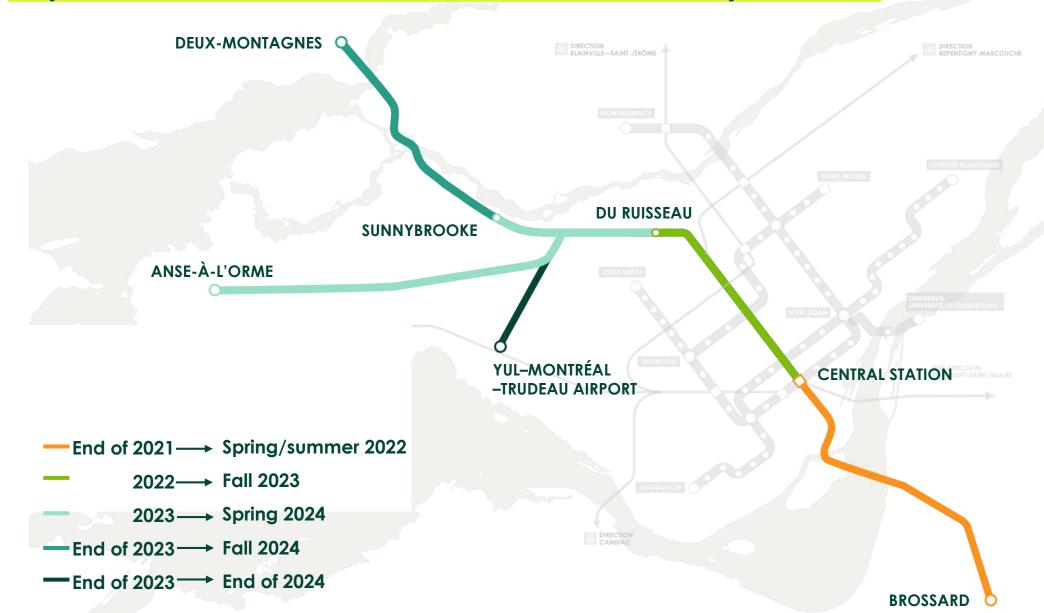
Largest public transit project in Québec in the last 50 years

Light rail
100% electric
and automated

26 stations, 67 km

## Updated project schedule

Impact of COVID-19 and issues in the Mont-Royal Tunnel







# The REM in Pierrefonds-Roxboro





Lines to suggest movement

Glass for **transparency** and natural lighting

Wood for its **warmth** and as a hallmark

**Blue** to underscore the proximity of the Rivière des Prairies

## Sunnybrooke sector





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### Pierrefonds-Roxboro sector

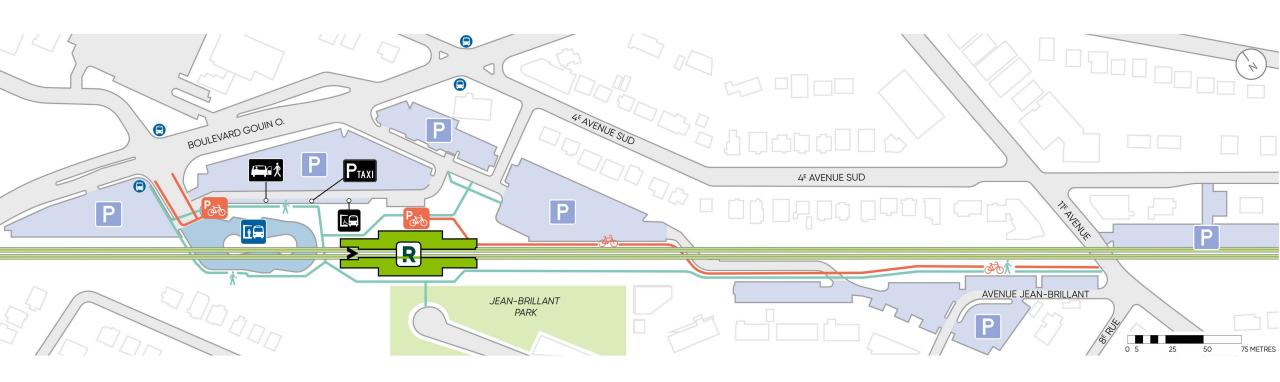




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#### Pierrefonds-Roxboro station – Implementation plan











# O Upcoming work in 2021

- Along the railway right-of-way
- Overhead crossings, elevated structure and railway bridge
- Construction of 2 stations

## Along the railway right-of-way





### Along the railway right-of-way



#### Removal of existing infrastructure – Starting February 2021

- Removal of the catenary system and its components, rails, platforms, etc.



#### Installation of anti-intrusion fences



# Objective: To ensure the necessary space for the doubling of the railway tracks

#### Spring 2021

- Dismantling of the existing fence, except on the
   1.6-km elevated segment
- Reconstruction of the new fence at the railway right-of-way boundary



In the Pierrefonds-Roxboro borough, the new double railroad tracks are located approximately 4 to 10 metres from the right-of-way boundary, depending on the location

Along the railway right-of-way

# Reconstruction and doubling of the railway track – Starting May 2021

- Excavation and drainage
- Gradual installation of the new infrastructure
- Reconstruction of railway tracks (ground, embankment or retaining wall, depending on the location)
- Finalization of the repair work on the existing bridge in the Bois-de-Liesse nature park



### Along the railway right-of-way



#### Vegetation cutting started – End of January 2021

- Work required to make way for REM infrastructure, in particular:
  - Doubling of the railway track
  - Change of right-of-way fence
  - Station construction

#### Every effort are made to cut as little vegetation as possible

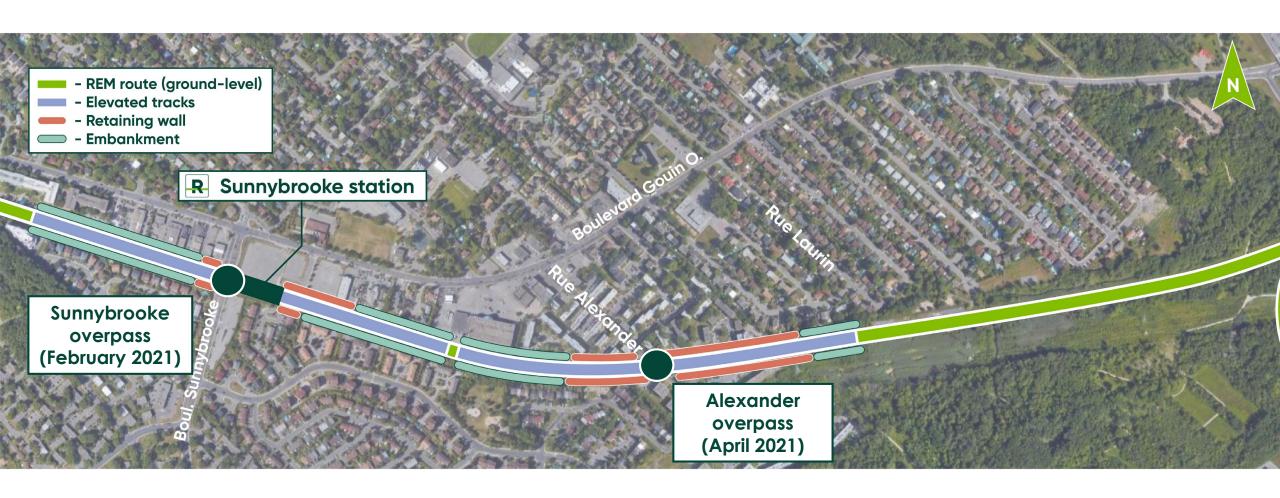
## Convert 5 level crossings by raising the railway tracks





## 2 railway overpasses





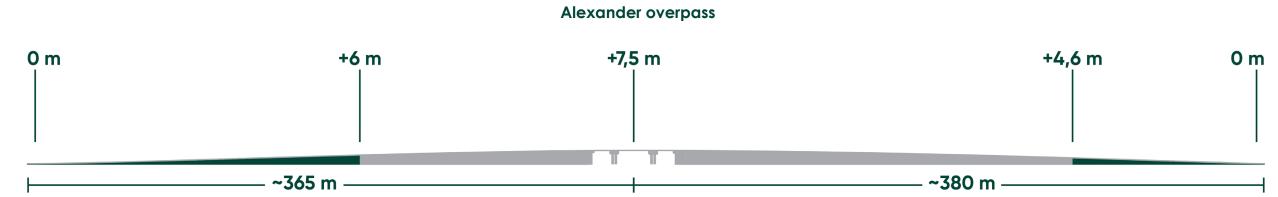
### Construction of railway overpasses



#### Raised railway tracks to eliminate level crossings

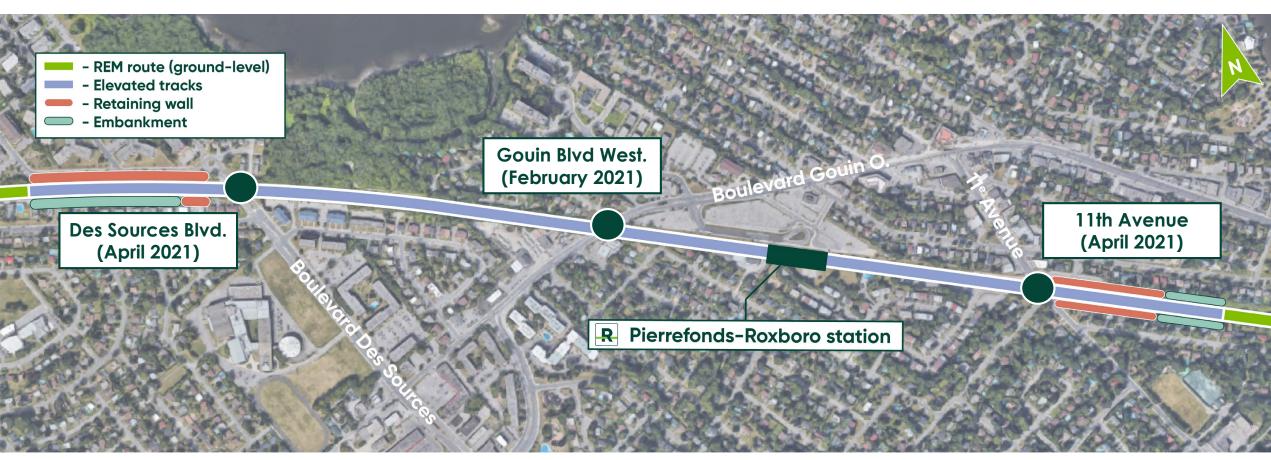
- Gradual ascent and descent
- Maximum height above the street: approximately 7.5 metres (including a 5.3-metre clearance under the structure)
- The approaches of the raised structures will be covered by a sloping plant embankment to mitigate their presence in the environment
- Traffic obstructions (5 to 9 months)





## 1.6 km of elevated structure





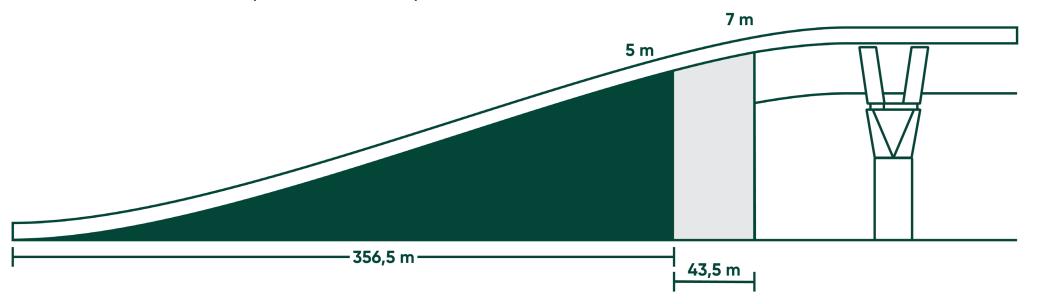
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#### Construction of the elevated structure



#### Raised railway tracks to eliminate level crossings

- Gradual ascent and descent, east of 11th Avenue and west of Des Sources Boulevard, consisting of retaining walls and plant embankments
- Maximum height above the street: approximately 7.5 metres, including a 5.3-metre clearance under the structure
- Traffic obstructions (5 to 9 months)



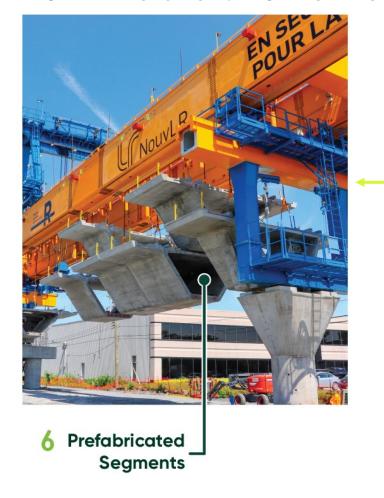
### Construction sequence of elevated structure



#### **Starting February 2021**



#### 2022 - Duration: ≈ 6 months



Launching gantry

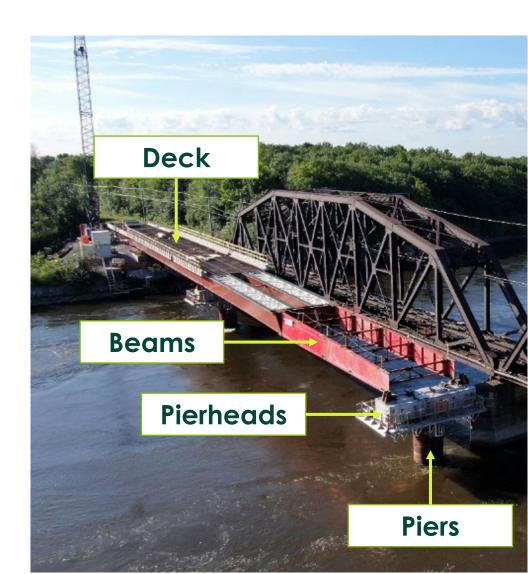


### Rivière-des-Prairies 1 railway bridge



# Construction of a new bridge next to the existing bridge

- Continuation of work on the south side of the shoreline (Du Celtis sector – Perron Street, Pierrefonds-Roxboro)
- Bridge retaining wall construction
- Installation of bridge structures (pierheads, beams, deck)





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# June 2021 – Construction of a railway underpass

- Installation of the pedestrian and bike path at Parc des Arbres
- Excavation and construction of crossing



## 2 stations

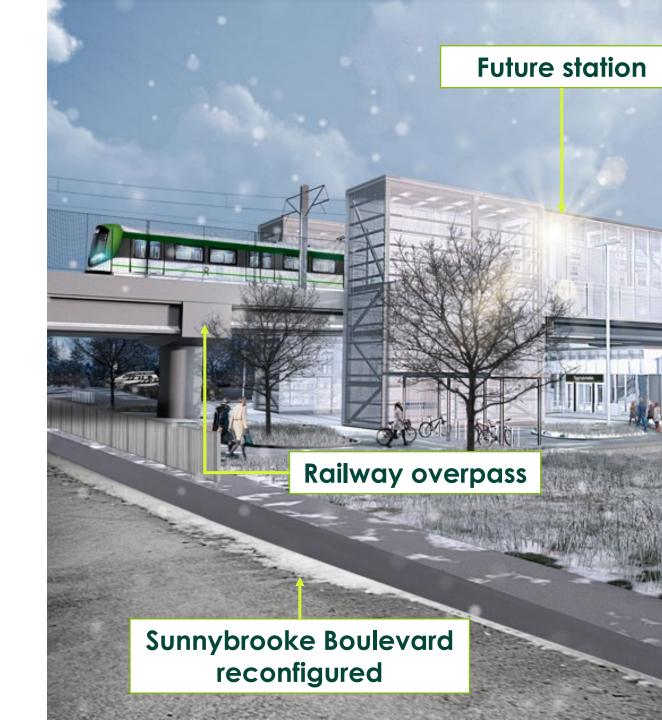




#### Sunnybrooke station

#### Construction of the station

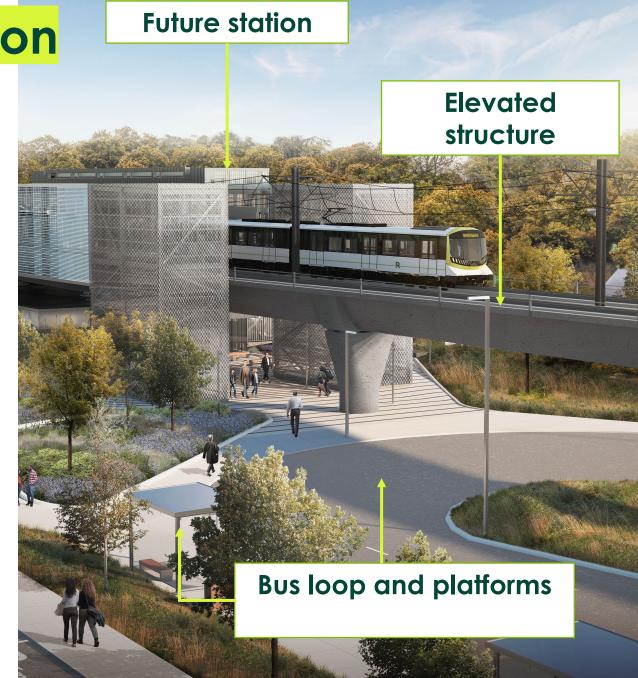
- Gradual installation of the site since January
- Excavation work
- Drilling of the station's foundations, etc.
  - Driving of 102 piles
  - Drilling of 7 caissons



Pierrefonds-Roxboro station

#### Construction of the station

- Installation of the construction site for transitional measures since January 2021
- Gradual installation of the site
- Excavation work
- Drilling of the station's foundations, etc.



### Main anticipated impacts in 2021

## Presence of a construction site near residential areas

- The work could cause noise, dust and vibrations
- Environmental monitoring (noise, vibration)
- Preventive residential inspections for vibration where required, before and after the work

#### Impacts on mobility

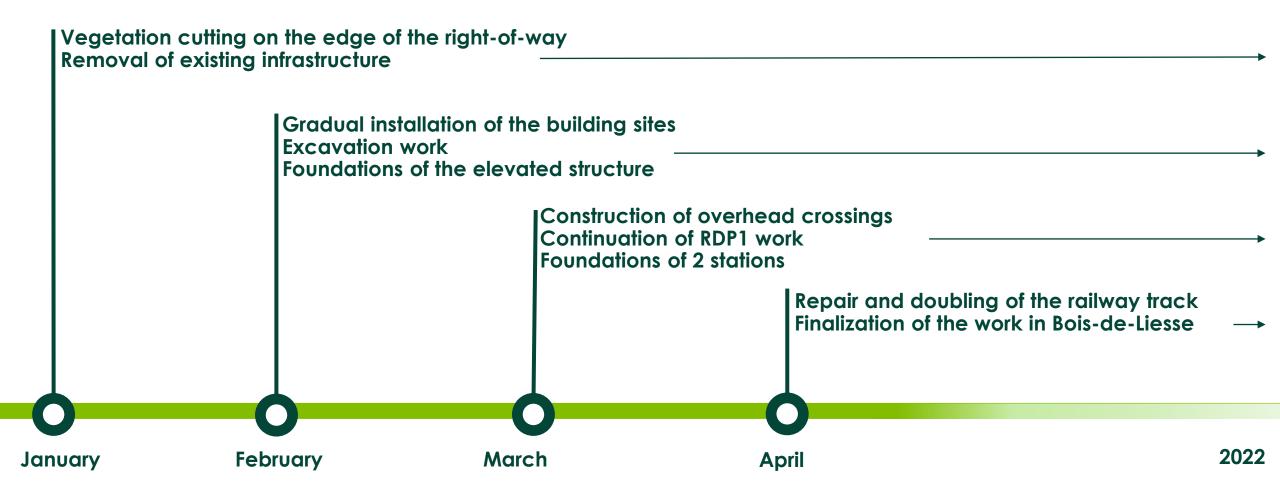
- Transport of material
- Partial and complete closures
- Detours or detour lanes set up



### 2021 summary – Work schedule



Pierrefonds-Roxboro borough





### O Noise barriers

#### **Noise barriers**



- Installed at locations where significant impacts were identified by sound modelling
- Exterior: 100% PVC, white
- Interior: acoustic insulation
- Prefabricated panels, installed on steel posts



Railway face

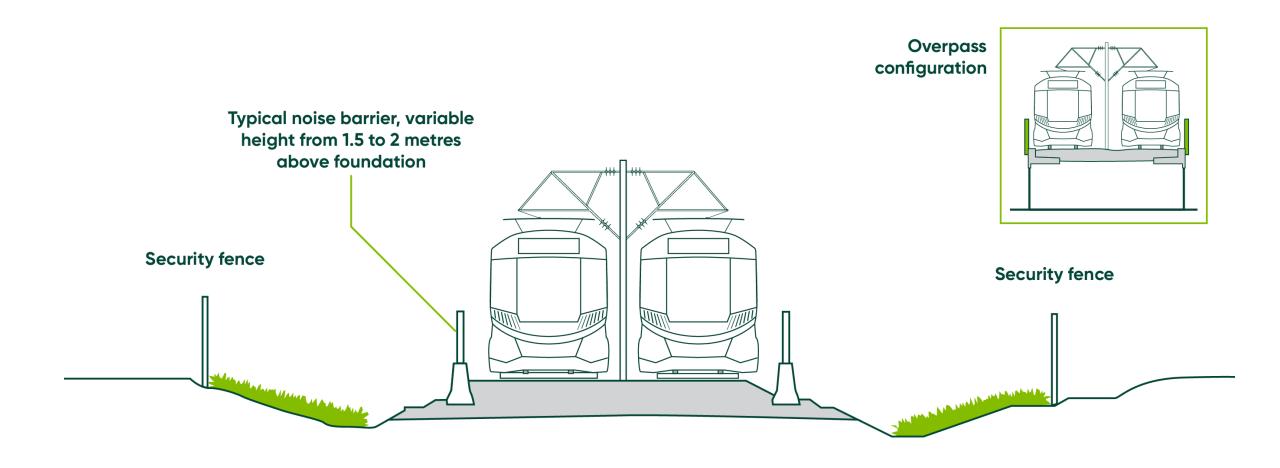


**Acoustic insulation** 



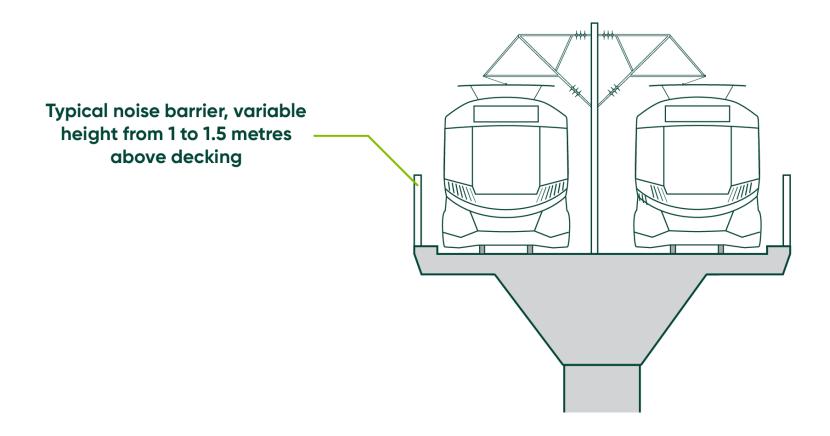
### Cross-section - Sunnybrooke sector





### Cross-section - Pierrefonds-Roxboro sector





### Location of noise barriers



Locations determined using conservative assumptions



#### Location of noise barriers



Locations determined using conservative assumptions





## O Communication tools

### For information on upcoming work





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## O Question period

# O Live polling

### Voting – Question 1



In your opinion, was the information provided on future work clear and complete?

- Yes
- More or less
- No

### **Voting – Question 2**



#### What would you like more information on? Multiple choices.

- Work near the Sunnybrooke station
- Work near the Pierrefonds-Roxboro station
- Work near the RDP1 bridge (Du Celtis-Perron)
- The new Alexander and Sunnybrooke overpasses
- The elevated structure
- Noise barriers and sound modeling
- REM stations
- REM in operation
- The general progress of the project
- Other topics (specify in the question box))

### **Voting – Question 3**



What are the best ways to inform the community about REM and the work ahead? Multiple choices.

- REM Newsletter
- REM.info West Island Citizen Space
- REM.info Work info map
- Postal delivery
- Public information meetings
- Exchanges with the neighbors of the work
- Rem-info phone line and email
- Local Newspapers

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