



Summerhill Station Easier Access Pre-Construction Update

July 2021



Easier Access – Program Wide

- TTC's Easier Access Program will make all subway stations accessible to everyone.
- The TTC supports the goals of the *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act* (AODA), 2005 and the Ontario Human Rights Code and is committed to providing equal treatment and equitable benefits of the TTC services, programs and facilities in a manner that respects the dignity and independence of people with disabilities.
- TTC works with the Advisory Committee on Accessible Transit on effective design.
- **53 Stations are currently accessible.**

Advisory Committee on Accessible Transit

- The Advisory Committee on Accessible Transit (ACAT) are a group of Toronto citizens who advise the TTC on removing accessibility barriers and improving the customer experience for persons with disabilities and seniors.
- One of the committee's responsibilities is to inform the standards and objectives for TTC's Accessibility Plan.

Easier Access Projects & ACAT

- ACAT advises the TTC on priority and plans for Easier Access projects. All stations must have elevator access at the main station entrance to provide a direct, equitable accessible connection to destinations at street level.



Easier Access at Summerhill Station

- Two elevators will be installed at Summerhill Station to access both the northbound and southbound Line 1 subway platforms.
- A building extension and **new** main entrance will be constructed at the east end of the station to accommodate elevators and accessible design features including automatic sliding doors and accessible fare gates.
- Elevators are scheduled to be in service by the end of 2023.

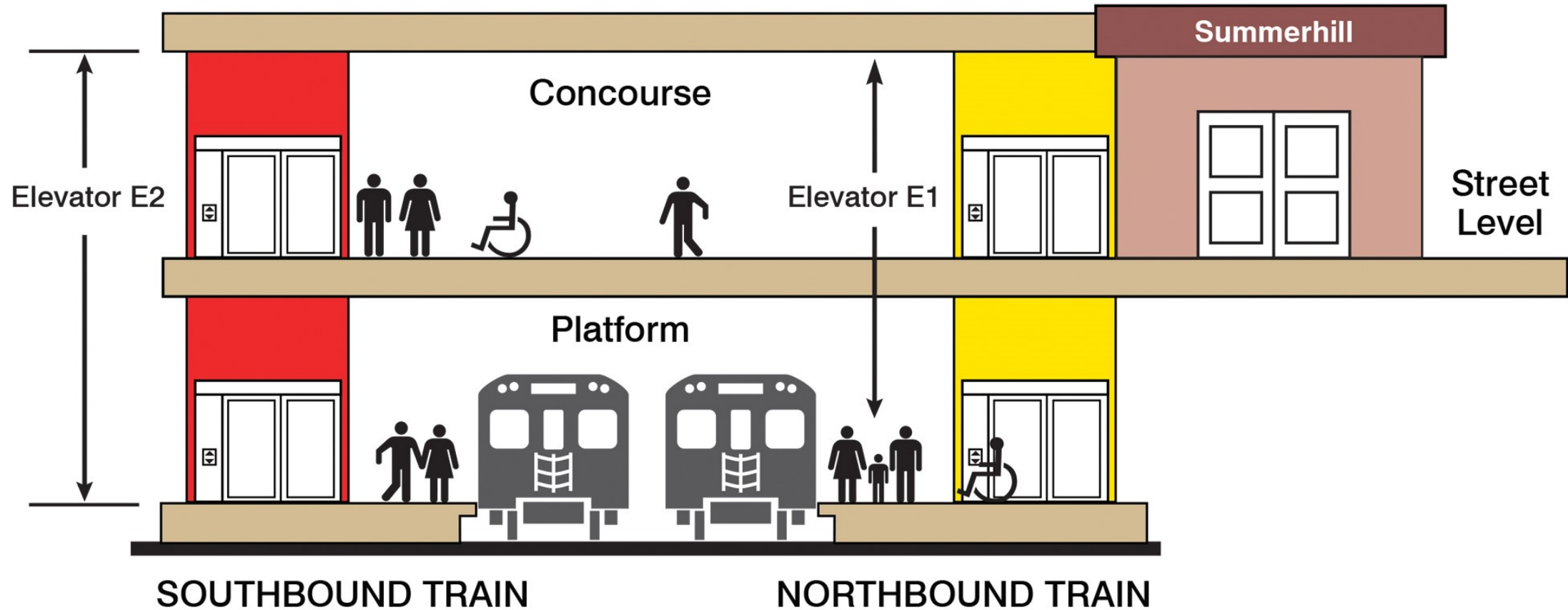
Summerhill Station will also have a second exit/entrance which will be incorporated within a private development on Scrivener Square.

Summerhill Station – Rendering

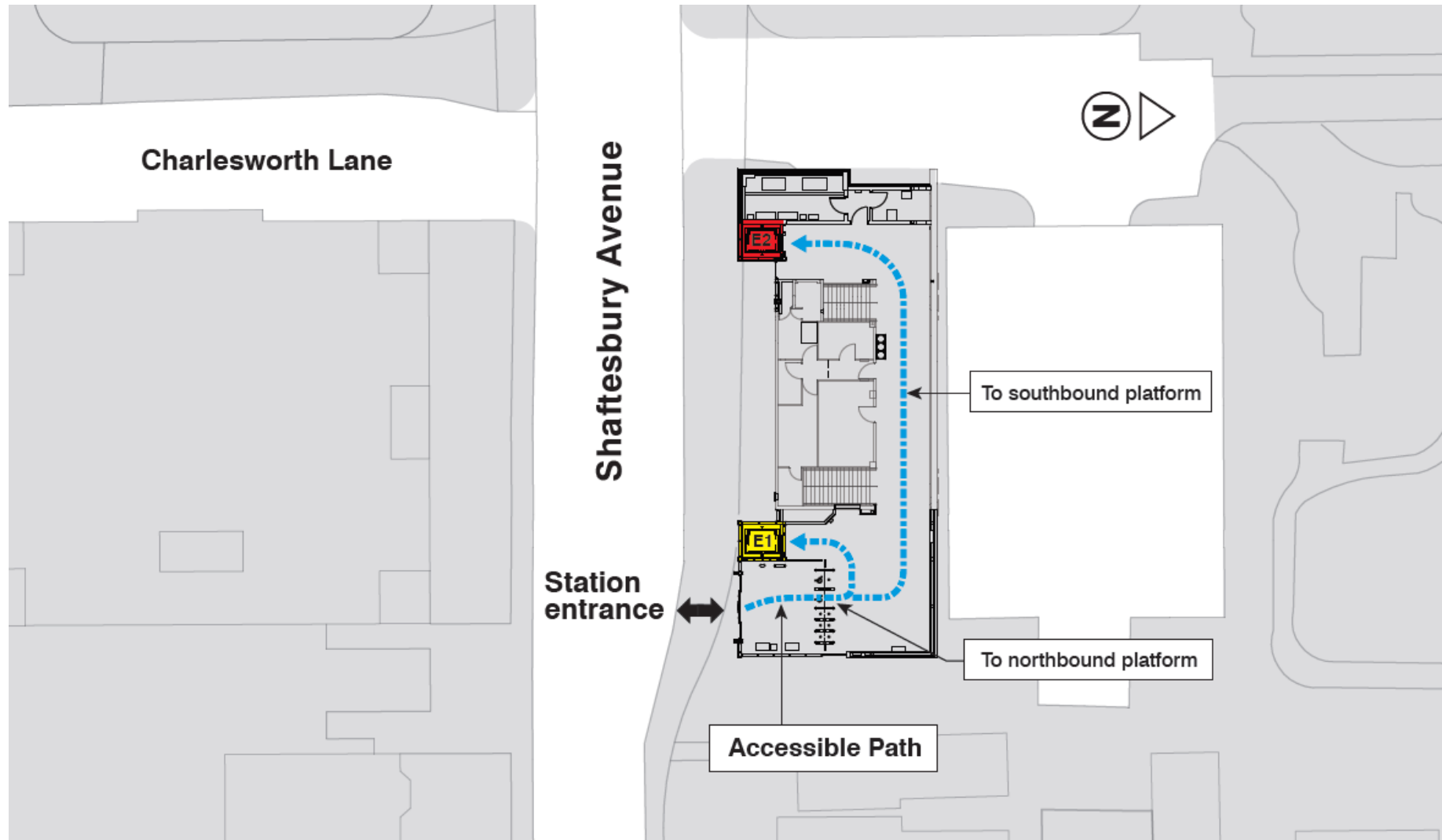


Rendering of new entrance at Summerhill Station looking north

Summerhill Station – Elevation Plan

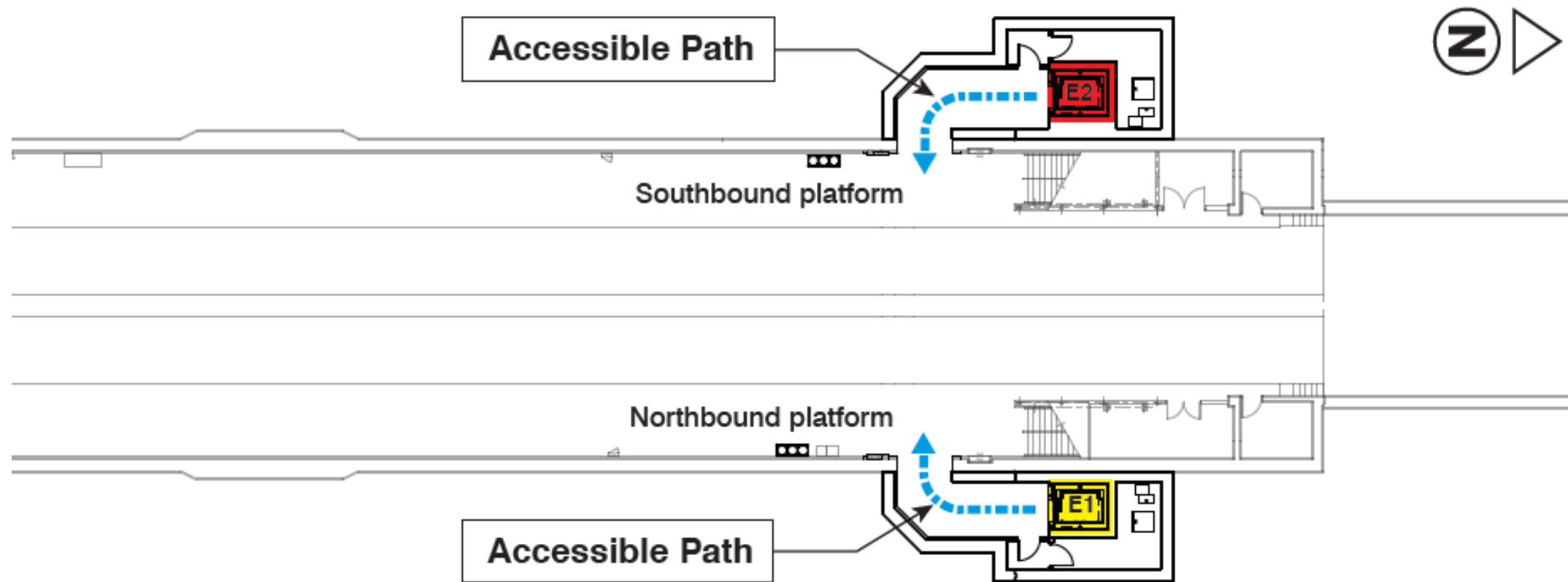


Summerhill Station – Accessible Path



Access from street level

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Platform level

Summerhill Station – Rendering



Interior view of new entrance at Summerhill Station

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Interior view of elevator to southbound platform

What to expect during construction

- Dust, noise and vibration depending on the stage of work.
- Watermain relocation work.
- Delivery of construction material and equipment (from Yonge Street).
- Traffic impacts on Shaftesbury Avenue. TTC's contractor will work with City Transportation to implement a traffic management plan during each phase of construction to ensure access to driveways, waste collection and deliveries are maintained.
- Construction will typically occur between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on weekdays, with some evening and weekend work when required.

TTC Commitment During Construction

- Community Liaison to be single point of contact for the community
- Regular updates to individuals on the project mailing list
- Provide clear, accurate and timely information
- Provide regular updates on a dedicated page at projects.ttc.ca
- Maintain access to the station at all times
- Ensure contractor complies with local bylaws.

Summerhill Station – Schedule

Construction Update: July 2021

Construction Start: Q3/Q4 of 2021

Elevators in service: End of 2023

Construction Completion: 2024

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