



# The Evergreen Line Project: Over 90% Complete

## Construction Milestones

The Evergreen Line Project is over 90% complete:

- The elevated and at-grade guideways are complete
- Trackwork on the guideways is complete
- Tunnel boring is complete
- Installation of trackwork and systems in the tunnel are complete
- Station buildings are complete
- Initial testing and commissioning is complete for all sections of the line except the tunnel

## What's Next?

- Completion of station plaza areas and Park and Ride facilities
- Testing and commissioning in the tunnel
- "Trial running" along the alignment
- Landscaping, final roadworks, tree planting and restoration along the alignment



Testing and Commissioning at Burquitlam Station



Lincoln Station in Coquitlam

## About the Evergreen Line Project

The Evergreen Line Project is an 11-kilometre extension to the existing SkyTrain system in Metro Vancouver. It will be a fast, frequent and convenient SkyTrain service, connecting Coquitlam City Centre through Port Moody to Lougheed Town Centre in approximately 15 minutes. It will connect without transfer to the current SkyTrain network at Lougheed Town Centre Station and will integrate with regional bus and West Coast Express networks. When the line opens, Metro Vancouver's SkyTrain system will become the longest fully automated rapid transit system in the world.

## Evergreen Line Project Benefits

Evergreen will bring many benefits to Metro Vancouver and the Northeast sector, including:

- Stimulating community growth and development;
- Creating compact, liveable communities and faster commutes;
- Providing a one-seat-ride on the Millennium Line to Vancouver; facilitates easier and faster connections to Richmond and Surrey;
- Offering frequent service;
- Increasing transportation choices and better connections between regional centres in Metro Vancouver from Port Moody to Coquitlam to Richmond to Surrey; and
- Generating an estimated 8,000 direct and indirect jobs during construction.

## Fast Facts

*Length:* **11km**

*Number of Stations:* **7**

**(6 new stations; upgrades to Lougheed Town Centre Station)**

*Travel Time:*

**Approximately 15 minutes from Coquitlam City Centre to Lougheed Town Centre Station**

*Speed:*

**Maximum Operating Speed of 80 km/hour**

*In Service:*

**Evergreen will be complete and in service in late 2016**



Guideway and road improvements on North Road

If you would like to learn more about the Evergreen Line Project or have your name added to the information email subscription list, please visit the Project Office (2900 Barnet Highway, Coquitlam) weekdays from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm or contact us:

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