

Project to optimize the 315-kV underground lines route

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As part of the project to build the 315/25-kV Hochelaga substation, the route of one of the segments of the 315-kV underground lines was modified.

In-depth analyses showed that the **initially proposed line route** along Rue Notre-Dame between Avenue Émile-Légrand and Rue des Futilles **posed major technical constraints** that compromised the project's feasibility.

Owing to the clearance distances from existing infrastructure, the route would have involved complex work, extended disruptions on major roads and significantly longer timelines.

To **limit the impacts on the environment** and ensure well-considered project planning, the route was optimized.

The **proposed solution** moves the routes of circuits 3212 and 3213 northward, outside the Rue Notre-Dame right-of-way.

Circuit 3212 will now run along Rue Beauclerk. The route for circuit 3213 along the same road remains unchanged.

The studies and analyses carried out on this new route confirm that it **will not affect any environmentally sensitive elements**.

In addition, to reduce temporary nuisances during undergrounding work, Hydro-Québec will set out **specific measures for the local community that is affected**.

Hydro-Québec is investing every effort to propose the **solution with the least impact** and remain fully committed to ensuring the facilities' seamless integration.



The work to build the underground lines is planned for the first quarter of 2026.



More information

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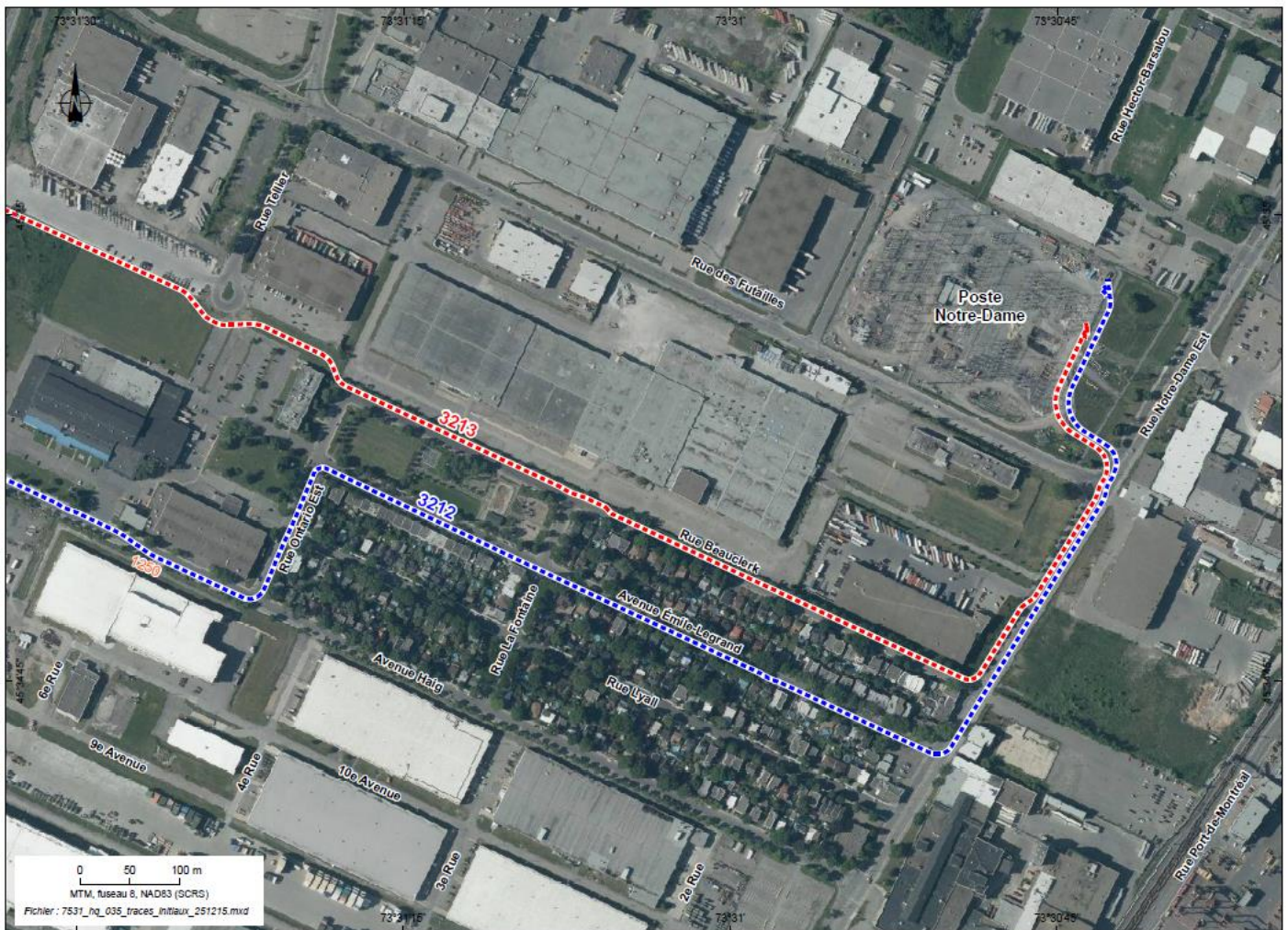
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