

## **COVID-19 update as of Feb. 8, 2021**

The Province of Ontario has announced that the Provincial State of Emergency under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act will expire Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 11:59 p.m.

We are awaiting the regulations but understand this means that all residential construction can continue as of February 10 when the Emergency Orders expire, including excavation and low-rise residential construction where permits have been issued.

We will confirm this information when we receive the specific regulations.

Stay-at-Home orders remain in place in most regions until Feb. 16 with the exception of Peel, Toronto and York regions which will remain under Stay-at-Home orders until Feb. 22. When Stay-at-Home orders expire in each region, the province returns back to the [COVID-19 Response Framework](#) to assess phased re-opening. This framework is being updated.

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