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**Statement by Residential and Civil Construction Alliance of Ontario (RCCAO)  
Executive Director, Nadia Todorova, in response to the Reducing Gridlock, Saving  
You Time Act:**

“RCCAO welcomes the Ontario government’s efforts to remove unnecessary regulatory delays by designating projects like Highway 413 and the Bradford Bypass as priority transportation projects.

Accelerating these critical infrastructure initiatives—through measures like streamlining utility relocations and allowing for extended construction hours—will not only support Ontario’s growing economy, but also create thousands of jobs, enhance economic growth, and improve connectivity in the province’s fastest-growing regions. These steps will deliver long-term benefits for all Ontarians by ensuring that vital projects are completed more efficiently and effectively.

RCCAO has been a leading advocate for Highway 413 since its inception. Our polling, conducted since 2021, consistently shows robust support for not only Highway 413 but also the Bradford Bypass and the development of new critical roads, bridges, and highways throughout the province.”

***RCCAO Executive Director Nadia Todorova is available for interviews.***

***Background on RCCAO:*** *The Residential and Civil Construction Alliance of Ontario (RCCAO) is a labour-management construction alliance. Since its formation in 2005, RCCAO has been a leading industry advocate for infrastructure investment. It has commissioned 61 independent, solutions-based research reports to help inform decision makers.*

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