

Mayor : Welcome to Ottawa City Hall. It's great to have so many Grade 4 students here, at our Council Chamber. My name is Jim Watson and I am the Mayor of the City of Ottawa.

You are a very important group of young men and women, because you participated in a contest to name the machines that are digging the big hole as we speak under the City of Ottawa for the Light Rail System.

So we had many entries, I think close to 50 different schools and it came down to these top three winners. So give yourselves a big round of applause.

Ha ha... These are the machines that are going down underground and shearing away and digging up the tunnel.

Now, who knows what this thing is? Anyone have an idea? A tooth. You're right. It's called... I am not sure if that's the technical term, but it acts like a tooth. These are the things that turn away the rocks and the sand and this was the very first one that... I think that we hammered in Royal along with Bob Chiarelli and they gave me the first one. So we're going to put this in the archives, because this is a little bit of our history.

Royal Galipeau : You're here, from l'École Saint-Joseph

... from Agincourt and from Roberta Bondar and you are part of history.

Yasir Naqvi : One day, when you are in the train, you can talk about the big machine that actually dug that tunnel and you got to name that big machine.

Your transit trips are going to be faster, they will be quieter, more comfortable...

Travel by public transport will be faster in the City of Ottawa.

Chewrocka

She came up with the name.

Jawbreaker

Crocodile rouge

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