

NOTICE OF COMPLETION **Waldemar Water Storage** Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study Township of Amaranth

The Study

The Township of Amaranth retained R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited to complete a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment to identify and evaluate alternatives to expand water storage to meet future water system requirements for land designated in the Official Plan for future development and those on the existing water system in Waldemar. The preferred alternative is to expand the in-ground storage at the existing pumphouse site located at 10 Station Street in Waldemar.

The Process

This study was carried out in accordance with the requirements of a Schedule "B" undertaking (Phase 1 and 2) as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment document (2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 and 2015). The Class EA planning process includes public and regulatory agencies consultation, evaluation of alternatives, assessment of the effects of the proposed upgrades and identification of measures to mitigate adverse impacts.

The Class EA process included consultation with the public, agencies, and stakeholders. A Notice of Study Commencement was placed on the Township's website on October 4, 2018 to inform residents that the study was being initiated and that the Township would be holding a future Public Information Centre (PIC). The PIC was held on March 4, 2019. Along with the notice for the PIC, letters were sent to agencies and stakeholders.

Project File Report

In accordance with the EA Act, the project file documenting Phase 1 and 2 of the project has been placed on the public record and is available for review for 30 days starting September 4, 2019 and ending October 3, 2019. An electronic copy is available on the Township's website (www.amaranth.ca) and a hard copy of the project file will be available at the Township office, located at 374028 6th Line, Amaranth, ON L9W 0M6.

Comments can be provided by contacting the following Project Team members (contact details below) by October 3, 2019.

Burnside Project Manager Gord Feniak, P.Eng. 15 Townline

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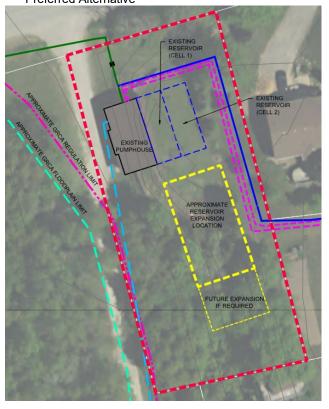
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Study Area Station-S Preferred Alternative



If concerns arise regarding this project which cannot be resolved through discussion with the Township, the person or party with the concern may submit a written request to the Minister of the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks to make an order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act (referred to as a Part II Order), which addresses Individual Environmental Assessments. Part II Order Requests must be submitted using a standard form available on the Provincial Forms Repository website (http://www.forms.ssb.gov.on.ca/). The form can be found by searching either "Part II Order" or "012-2206E" (the form ID number) on the Repository's main page. The completed form for Part II Order Request must be received by the Minister and the Director of the Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch (addresses are provided on the bottom of the form) by October 3, 2019. A copy of the completed form for Part II Order Request should also be sent the Christine Gervais at the Township and Gord Feniak at Burnside. If no request is received by October 3, 2019, the Township intends to proceed with detailed design and construction as outlined in the project file report subject to approvals needed for detail design, municipal priorities and budgets.

Project and notice information will be made accessible upon request in accordance with the Accessibility Standard for Information and Communication under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005.

Information will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.

This Notice first issued on September 4, 2019.