NOTICE OF STUDY COMPLETION



WOOLER ROAD/COUNTY ROAD 40 CNR/CPR OVERPASS BRIDGE

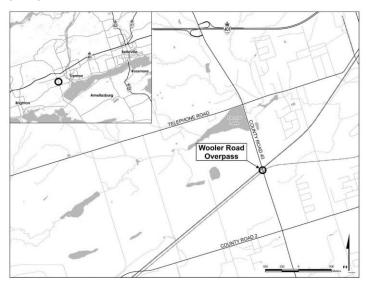
MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (SCHEDULE B)

THE STUDY

The City of Quinte West initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) study to identify, develop and impliment a solution to address deficiences noted in the Wooler Road (County Road 40) Canadian National Railway (CNR)/ Canadian Pacific Railway (CPR) Overpass Bridge, located approximately 2.3 km south of Highway 401 and 950 m north of Highway 2, as illustrated on the key map below.

The MCEA study was carried out as a Schedule 'B' undertaking in accordance with the Class EA process (October 2000, amended 2007, 2011, 2015 and 2023), approved under the Ontario *Environmental Assessment Act*.

Through consultation with Agencies, Members of the Public, and Indigenous Communities, the Technically Preferred Alternative for the Wooler Road CNR/CPR overpass bridge is Like-for-like Full Structure Replacement in its the current location. The evaluation and the resulting recommendation were made public through an online Public Information Centre on April 23, 2023.



Project File Report

In accordance with the Class EA process, a Project File Report (PFR) has been prepared to document the planning and decision-making process for this study.

By this Notice, the PFR is being placed on the public record for a 30-day review period from May 30, 2023 to June 30, 2023. The PFR is available for review on the City's website at https://quintewest.ca/council-city-administration/plans-studies-strategies/studies/.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns regarding this study, please contact one of the Project Team members below by **June 30, 2023**.

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A request may be made to the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks for an order requiring a higher level of study, or that conditions may be imposed, only on the grounds that the requested order may prevent, mitigate or remedy adverse impacts on constitutionally protected Aboriginal and treaty rights. Request on other grounds will not be considered. Requests should include the requesters contact information and full name for the ministry.

Requests should specify what kind of order is being requested, how an order may prevent, mitigate or remedy those potential adverse impacts, and any information in support of the statements in the request. The request should be sent in writing or by email to the project contacts noted above and the following:

Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks

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135 St. Clair Ave. W, 1st Floor Toronto, ON M4V 1P5 EABDirector@ontario.ca

Comments submitted to the City of Quinte West for the purpose of providing feedback regarding this Municipal Class Environmental Assessment are collected under the authority of the *Environmental Assessment Act*. Information will be collected in accordance with the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record. Questions relating to the collection, use and disclosure of this information may be addressed to Tim Colasante, Manager of Engineering at 613-392-2841 x. 4408 or timc@quintewest.ca.