

## West Caledon Storage Facility and Transmission Main Schedule 'C' Class Environmental Assessment (EA)

### Summary of Public Information Centre No. 1

Throughout this study, public consultation continues to be a key component to success. A Public Information Centre (PIC) serves as a forum for information exchange between the residents, interested stakeholders, Indigenous Rightsholders and the project team. The West Caledon Storage Facility and Transmission Main study is being undertaken as a Schedule 'C' Municipal Class EA and will ensure public feedback is requested and accepted at the three prescribed PIC milestone events.

The first PIC event was held on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Margaret Dunn Valleywood Library and Community Room. The PIC No. 1 introduced the study's Schedule 'C' Class EA process and presented the problem and opportunity statement, existing study area conditions and short-listed wastewater servicing alternatives. As well, project team members were present to discuss study next steps, concerns, and additional opportunities for public involvement.

The PIC No. 1 materials were also available online for public comment via the West Caledon project website and will remain posted as the study progresses:

- Project Website: <https://www.peelregion.ca/public-works/environmental-assessments/caledon/west-caledon-storage-facility.asp>

Following PIC No. 1, comments were received by email from the residents, interested stakeholders, and Indigenous Rightsholders and interest holders during the 2-week engagement period between November 9<sup>th</sup> to November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022. The following table on Pg. 2-3 of this document is a ***Summary of PIC No. 1 Comments Received and Responses Provided***.

These comments and feedback will be considered during evaluation to select a preliminary preferred storage facility site and transmission main alignments. The selected site and alignment will be presented at the study's second PIC, anticipated for Fall 2023.

**Summary of PIC No. 1 Comments Received and Responses Provided**

| <b>Correspondent</b>                     | <b>Date Received</b>  | <b>General Comment</b>   | <b>Action/ Response Provided</b>   |
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| ██████████<br>██████████<br>(Resident)   | October 21,<br>2022 via email                                       | Requesting to be added to the mailing list.  | Study Contact List updated.  |
| ██████████<br>(Resident)                 | October 24,<br>2022 via email                                       | Requesting to be added to the mailing list.<br><br>Would like to be informed regarding the location of the project and would like to know what their rights are to refuse the project to be located on their property.   | Study Contact List updated.<br><br>Project Team is still evaluating different alternatives for the storage facility type and location as well as the transmission main route. Invitation extended to further discuss details of the project.           |
| Sonia Laine<br>(Huron-Wendat)            | October 26,<br>2022 via email                                       | Requesting Maxime Picard and Tina Durand to be removed from mailing list and replaced by Dominic Ste-Marie.  | Study Contact List updated.  |
| ██████████<br>(Resident)                 | October 29,<br>2022 via email<br><br>November 23,<br>2022 via email | Would like to know what the storage facility is, what is will be used for, and what would it mean for daily life.<br><br>Would like to know why those in the study area were not notified by letter. Would like to know how the project is going to affect those within the study area and if the water tower will allow residents to come off their well. | Study Contact List updated.<br><br>Project Team is still evaluating different alternatives for the storage facility type and location as well as the transmission main route. Invitation extended to further discuss details of the project.           |
| Valerie Naso<br>(Infrastructure Ontario) | October 31,<br>2022 via email                                       | Requesting for all future notices and communications to be sent to the Notice Review email.<br><br>The initial scan completed by Infrastructure Ontario indicates that property owned by the Minister of Government and Consumer Services is within and adjacent to the project study area.  | Study Contact List updated.<br><br>Project Team will review Ministry owned properties as part of property screening.   |
| Graham Routledge<br>(MTO)                | November 1,<br>2022 via email                                       | Requesting to include Paul Nunes for any future notifications.<br><br>Requesting plans which show the proposed location/s of the storage facility/s and transmission mains and lines in order to identify the specific areas requiring MTO review.   | Study Contact List updated.<br><br>Project Team is still evaluating different alternatives for the storage facility type and location as well as the transmission main route and are not yet in the construction phase. Invitation extended to provide |

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|   |                             |   | comment or feedback on the study area shown in the Notice of PIC1.   |
| Fish and Fish Habitat Protection Program (DFO)              | November 2, 2022 via email  | Confirming receipt for the submission of a Request for Review form.   | Project Team awaits to hear back from DFO.   |
| Shirin Varzgani (TRCA)                                      | November 4, 2022 via email  | Requesting a link to the digital copy of the materials presented at PIC No. 1.  | Project Team directed TRCA towards the Project Website where accessible slides are available to view and download. |
| Christina Bras (IproRealty Ltd)                             | November 7, 2022 via email  | Requesting to be kept informed with any future notifications.   | Study Contact List updated.  |
| Bruno Romano (Muniron Technologies Inc.)                    | November 14, 2022 via email | Providing comments on behalf of the landowners at [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Requesting that the water storage facility not be placed on these lands as they are slated for residential development and would not be conducive to the future land uses. | Study Contact List updated.<br>Project Team will consider the landowner's comments and concerns in the study.      |
| David Leighton (Urbantech Consulting)                       | November 17, 2022 via email | Requesting to be added to the mailing list.   | Study Contact List updated.  |
| Christina Early (Regional Councilor of the Town of Caledon) | November 21, 2022 via email | Requesting a meeting with the Project Team to further discuss details of the project and answer some questions.   | A meeting was scheduled to be held the week of December 5th-9th.   |
| Susan Sun (HydroOne)  | December 12, 2022 via email | Confirming that there are existing HydroOne distribution assets within the study area. Requesting to continue to be consulted during all stages of the project.   | Project Team confirms that HydroOne will continue to be consulted during all stages of the project.                |