

NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

Class Environmental Assessment Study

Lindsay Court Well Field Expansion

Background

Halton Region initiated a Class Environmental Assessment (EA) Study in November, 2007 for the provision of additional water supply capacity from Lindsay Court Well Field to the Georgetown urban area and Halton Hills hamlets of Stewarttown, Glen Williams and Norval (see map of study area). The project was identified in the Georgetown Water Supply Master Plan Review (June 2003) to provide additional municipal water supply for future growth in the Georgetown urban area.

Problem Statement

To supply additional municipal water to the Georgetown Urban Area by evaluating an increase in the daily water taking at the Lindsay Court Well Field from 6,545 m³/day to 7,500 m³/day.

The Process

The study is being conducted in accordance with the requirements of a Schedule 'B' project under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (October 2000, as amended in 2007), which is an approved process under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act. The Class EA process will include public and review agency consultation, an evaluation of alternatives, an assessment of the potential environmental effects of the proposed improvements, and identification of reasonable measures to mitigate any adverse impacts that may result.

Public Information Centre

A Public Information Centre (PIC) has been planned to obtain input on the work completed to date, including a list of alternatives and the proposed process to evaluate the alternatives. The PIC is scheduled for:

Date: Wednesday June 2, 2010
Time: 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Location: Acton Arena and Community Centre (Seniors Centre)
 415 Queen Street East, Town of Halton Hills

Representatives from Halton Region and its consulting team will be present to answer questions and discuss the findings and next steps for the study. You are encouraged to attend the PIC and provide your comments so that they may be included in the study. Comments and information regarding this study are being collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and to assist the project team in meeting the requirements of the Class EA process. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.

At the study's conclusion, a Project File Report will be prepared to document the planning process followed and will be available for a 30-day public review period. Notification of the review period and locations where the public will have access to the report will be made by means of a similar newspaper notice and a letter mailed to those on the project contact list.

Comments

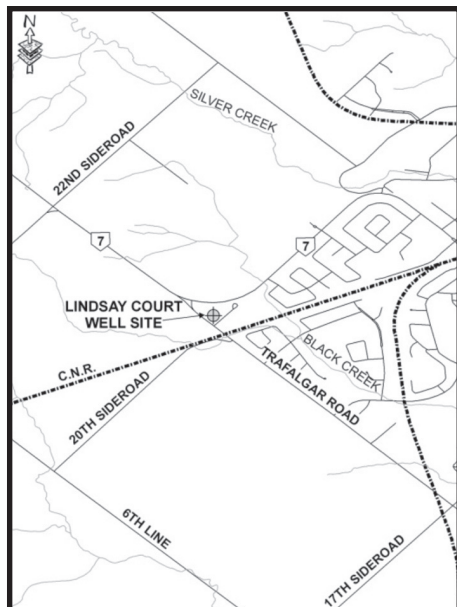
We are interested in any comments you may have concerning this project. Please contact one of the following project team members if you have any questions or comments, wish to obtain more information on the project, or would like to be added to the project mailing list:

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The map below shows the approximate limits of the study area.



Additional information related to the study and consultation process may be obtained through the study website: www.halton.ca/waterwastewaterEAs.

This notice was first issued May 21, 2010.

Rain Barrel Sales Events

Halton Region will be hosting four rain barrel sales events to promote wise outdoor water use. Diverting water from a downspout into a rain barrel allows you to capture rain water and store it for future use to water gardens, shrubs and potted plants.

This year's rain barrels have a new look and price at only **\$36 each (cash only)**.



Date	Location
Saturday, May 1 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <i>Complete</i>	Mohawk Raceway, 9430 Guelph Line, Campbellville (parking lot)
Saturday, May 8 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <i>Complete</i>	Oakville Place Mall, 240 Leighland Avenue, Oakville (lower parking lot)
Saturday, May 15 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. <i>Complete</i>	Robert C. Austin Operations Centre, 11620 Trafalgar Road, Georgetown
Saturday, May 29 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Mapleview Mall, 900 Maple Avenue, Burlington (lower parking lot)

- Limit of one per purchase, per household
- Must provide proof of Halton Region residency (i.e. Driver's License)
- 208 litre (55 gallon) capacity
- Comes equipped with secure mosquito screen and handy dispensing hose

For more information visit www.halton.ca/waterconservation.

Georgetown well water sample bottle pick up and drop off location changes

The Health Department office on Main Street is no longer accepting well water samples or giving out sample bottles. Water sample bottles can be picked up and dropped off at any of the following well water depots:

Halton Hills Civic Centre
 1 Halton Hills Drive
 Operating Hours:
 Mon. – Thurs.
 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Georgetown Library
 9 Church St.
 Operating Hours:
 Tue. – Thu.
 9:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Sample water bottle pick-up only:
Canadian Tire Store
 315 Guelph St.
 Operating hours:
 Mon. – Fri. 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
 Sat. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
 Sun. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

For more information on well water or to order a free sample bottle, contact Halton Region.

Building a Better Halton

Residents have identified the need to maintain current infrastructure and to plan for the future of Halton as top priorities. Halton Region has made a commitment to meeting infrastructure needs – \$362 million this year alone.

To help keep you up to date about our 2010 infrastructure program, we have started the *Building a Better Halton* campaign that provides you with information on what we're doing in 2010.

To find out more about Halton's construction plans, dial 311 or visit www.halton.ca/construction.



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

June 2	9:30 a.m.	Regional Council Meeting	Meetings can be viewed at www.halton.ca
June 15	9:30 a.m.	Health & Social Services Committee	
June 16	9:30 a.m.	Planning & Public Works Committee	
June 16	1:30 p.m.	Administration & Finance Committee	