

The ROCKWOOD Miller



ROCKWOOD FC

Rep Soccer Tryouts & In/Outdoor Registration

Sat. 29^{Sept.} & Sun. 30^{Sept.}

Indoors at the
ROYAL DISTRIBUTING ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE CENTER,
in Marden

U10G.....12:30	U10B.....12:30
U13G.....1:45	U11/12B.....1:45
U16G.....11:15	U14B.....3:00
	U16B.....10:00

- > Please arrive 1/2 hour before tryouts so you are prepared to go on the field promptly.
- > Additional tryouts may occur for certain teams, to be held at a date to be announced on Sept 29th by individual coaches, at no additional cost.

\$15 Fee for Tryouts

For more information or to register for tryouts contact
Tara Zandstra @ rfdc REGISTRAR@gmail.com
or visit the Club website at www.rockwoodfc.com

Public comment invited on sewage treatment option

Guelph/Eramosa Township wants to know what taxpayers think about its proposal to spend an estimated \$3-million to upgrade a sewage pre-treatment plant and purchase additional capacity in the City of Guelph's system, which treats wastewater from the village.

At a recent council meeting, Guelph/Eramosa Township politicians endorsed the option presented following an environmental assessment conducted by R.J. Burnside & Associates Ltd. to service the remaining developable lands within the village.

Other options included building a new treatment plant just to handle the expected development—estimated between \$6 and \$9-million—to handle the increase from the village, or building a new treatment plant—at \$15-million—to handle all of the village's sewage.

Since 1977, Eramosa

has had an agreement with the City of Guelph to service the village's wastewater. Average daily sewage flows in the Village have steadily increased over the years and are now reaching the agreed upon treatment capacity with the City, prompting the Class Environmental Assessment (EA) to determine the best alternative to provide sewage treatment to the remainder of the developable lands within the boundaries of Rockwood.

Burnside project manager Jackie Kay said the preferred alternative includes upgrades to the existing pre-treatment plant on Alma Street, and would have minimal natural environmental impacts over existing conditions.

Councillor Doug Breen asked if the estimated \$3-million price tag includes replacing the existing pipe from the village to Guelph, Kay said the existing pipeline

is "adequate," and is only 20 to 30 years into an anticipated 80-year life span.

Councillor John Scott questioned if the upgraded facility would have the capability to handle waste from village residents who are on septic systems. Kay said that option was not considered and would require a "future and larger" study.

Council's approval of option three triggers a mandatory 30-day review period for further public comment. Following that period, detailed designs would be developed, permits would be issued, and construction would begin.

Details of the project are available on the Township's website at www.get.on.ca

To provide comment or to request additional information contact either Mark Robertson at 519-856-9951, email: mrobertson@get.on.ca or Jackie Kay, 519-823-4995, or email Jackie. Kay@rjburnside.com



Notice of Study Completion Village of Rockwood Sewage System Upgrades Class Environmental Assessment Study



The Study

The Township of Guelph/Eramosa (Township) has an agreement with the City of Guelph (City) to provide treatment of the wastewater from the Village of Rockwood (Village). The Township, the Ministry of the Environment (MOE) and the City entered into this agreement in 1977, with the MOE transferring their responsibility and obligations associated with the Village's communal water and wastewater systems to the Township. Average daily sewage flows in the Village have steadily increased over the years and are now reaching the agreed upon treatment capacity with the City. The Township has undertaken a Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) to determine the best alternative to provide sewage treatment to the remainder of the developable lands within the Village.

The Process

The study was carried out in accordance with the requirements of a Schedule "B" undertaking as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association MCEA document (2000, as amended in 2011). A Notice of Study Commencement inviting initial input was first published on October 28, 2010 and a Public Information Centre (PIC) was held August 30, 2012. As the project developed and alternatives were refined, further consultation was completed with the City to determine the feasibility of revising the sewage treatment agreement for the additional treatment capacity for the remaining developable lands within the Village. The preferred alternative includes amending/developing a new agreement with the City for additional sewage capacity and converting the existing siphon system, which conveys wastewater from Rockwood to Guelph, into a pumped system at the Pre-treatment Plant. Controls would be changed, piping/flow modifications would be made, and the addition of operation storage and accommodation for dedicated standby power would be provided. Building modifications and site works will also be required to incorporate the design upgrades. This preferred alternative is a continuation of the Village's current treatment method.

Project File Report

The Project File Report (PFR) has been prepared to document the planning and decision making process undertaken for this study. By this notice, the PFR is being placed on the public record for a 30-day review period (starting September 20, 2012 and ending October 22, 2012) in accordance with the requirements of the MCEA. The PFR is available for viewing at the following locations and has been placed on the Township's website: <http://www.get.on.ca/>

Township of Guelph/Eramosa
8348 Wellington Road 124
Rockwood, ON N0B 2K0
Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Rockwood Library
85 Christie Street
Rockwood, ON N0B 2K0
Monday to Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday to Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

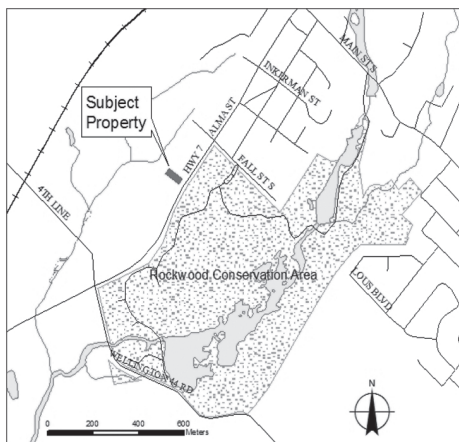
R. J. Burnside & Associates Limited
292 Speedvale Avenue, West Unit 20
Guelph, ON N1H 1C4
Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Jackie Kay, P. Eng., MBA, Project Engineer or Mark Robertson, Manager of Public Works (see contact information below). If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved in discussion with the Township, a person or party may request that the Minister of Environment make an order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act (referred to as a Part II Order). Requests for a Part II Order must be received by the Minister, at the address below, by 4:30 pm October 22, 2012. A copy of the request must also be sent to the Township (see below) by this time and date. If no request is received, the Township intends to proceed with detailed design and construction as outlined in the PFR.

Minister of the Environment
12th Floor, 135 St. Clair Avenue West
Toronto, ON M4V 1P5

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The map above shows the approximate location of the study area.

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 September 20, 2012.



East Wellington
Family Health Team

Check out our FREE workshops this fall to help improve the health and quality of life of those living in East Wellington

HEART HEALTH NUTRITION

Rockwood: Tuesday, Oct 16 9:30 am – 11:30 am

WALK FIT – 6 WEEK WALKING GROUP

Erin: Starting Friday Oct 5 9:00 am

PRE-DIABETES: YOUR CHANCE TO CHANGE THE FUTURE

Erin: Tuesday Oct 23 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

LIVING WELL WITH DIABETES

Erin: Tuesday Oct 9 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Rockwood: Thursday Oct 4 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

HEALTHY YOU- 6 WEEK SERIES

Erin: Thursday Oct 4th, Oct 11, Oct 18, Oct 25

9:30 am - 11:30 am

Rockwood: Tuesday Oct 2, Oct 9, Oct 16, Oct 23, Oct 30

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

RELAXATION AND STRESS MANAGEMENT

Erin: Thursday Oct 4 7:15 - 8:45 pm

DIABETES DROP IN

Rockwood: Oct 29th 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

To register please go to www.ewfht.ca and click on workshops or call Leah at 519-833-9396 Ext 362.

Erin Location: ERIN WELLNESS CENTRE - 6 THOMPSON CRESCENT
Rockwood Location: ROCKWOOD CLINIC - 175 ALMA