

Library launches new program for avid readers

Working in a library is a book-lover's version of working in a candy store. Every week or so, another shipment of books, DVDs, CDs, audiobooks or magazines arrives and we lucky staff members get to have a bit of a browse before we put everything out on the shelves. We know there are probably lots of other book enthusiasts out there who would love to have this kind of privilege.

Well, now you can!

The Halton Hills Public Library is launching a new program this month. We call it *Coffee, Books and Conversation*. We have set aside an hour each month when anyone interested can come and enjoy some refreshments with us while you browse some of our newest materials and join us for a book talk and some friendly chat.

Our first session will be held on Friday, November 30, from 2 to 3 p.m. There will be sessions at both the

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Georgetown and Acton branches.

We are asking participants to register in advance. You can register at any library service desk or phone 905-873-2681 for the Georgetown session or 519-853-0301 for the Acton session. All of the new items you see at the session will be available for you to borrow, and we will extend

the due date for you to the date of the next session.

Speaking of new books... have you ever been frustrated by long waiting lists for your favourite bestsellers? If so, then check out our new Rapid Reads Collection. Rapid Reads are extra copies of best-selling books that are available to borrow directly from the library display shelves. These special copies can be borrowed for seven days only, with no renewals. They cannot be reserved and regular fines apply. We will continue to have regular copies of bestsellers that you can reserve.

So take some time to come to your local library and see what's new! For more information you can visit our website at www.library.hhpl.on.ca.

—Clare Hanman is a circulation supervisor at the Halton Hills Public Library



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NOTICE OF COMPLETION

GEORGETOWN WATER PURIFICATION PLANT EXPANSION AND UPGRADES CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Halton Region has undertaken a Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) study for the provision of additional water treatment capacity at the Georgetown Water Purification Plant (WPP) and upgrades to the existing facility including a new standby generator, office space and workshop.

receipt of necessary approvals (including the Cedarvale Well Field re-rating project) and funding, Halton Region intends to proceed with the design and construction of this project immediately. If the Cedarvale Well Field re-rating project does not proceed, the upgrades to the Georgetown WPP will still proceed to design and construction.

An Environmental Study Report (ESR) for the Georgetown WPP Expansion and Upgrades Class EA which documents all phases of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process has been prepared. The ESR is posted on the Halton Region website and is also available for viewing for 30-calendar days from November 9, 2007 to December 10, 2007 at the following locations:

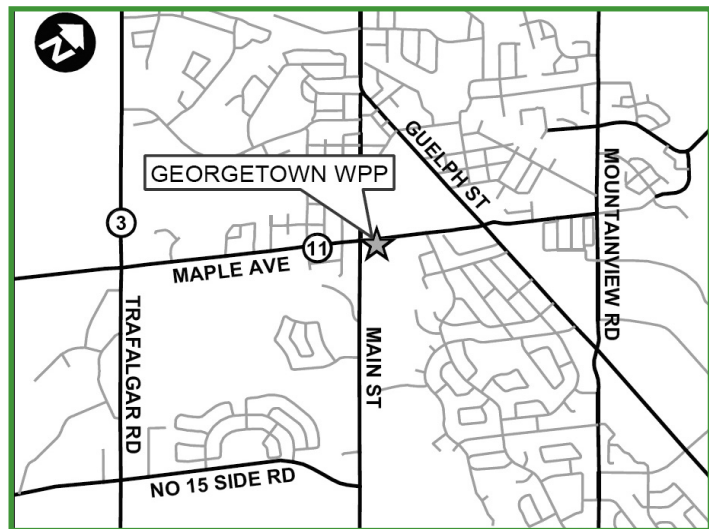


Figure 1 – Study Area Map

One of the projects identified in the *Georgetown Water Supply Master Plan Review* (Halton Region, June 2003) is to provide future growth in the Georgetown urban area and nearby hamlets of Stewarttown, Glen Williams and Norval with municipal water supply through a re-rating of the Cedarvale Well Field. Groundwater pumped from the Cedarvale Well Field is treated at the Georgetown WPP. If approvals are granted for the Cedarvale Well Field re-rating project, the Georgetown WPP will require a treatment system expansion. Also, as part of Halton Region's ongoing Asset Management program, the Georgetown WPP requires a number of upgrades including, a new standby generator, office space and workshop.

The preferred solution for the Georgetown WPP Expansion is to increase the existing plant's rated capacity from 100 L/s (8,640 m³/day) to 151 L/s (13,091 m³/day) by adding a third filter and new ultra-violet (UV) disinfection unit. The preferred solution for the Georgetown WPP Upgrades is to install a standby generator in a new building extension to the west of the existing building, construct a new workshop to the east of the filtration building, and construct a building extension for offices to the south of the filtration building.

The study is being conducted in accordance with the approved requirements of a Schedule 'C' project under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (June 2000), which is an approved process under the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*. Subject to comments received as a result of this Notice, the

The Regional Municipality of Halton Citizen's Reference Library 1151 Bronte Road Oakville Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Town of Halton Hills Clerk's Department 1 Halton Hills Drive Halton Hills (Georgetown) Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Halton Hills Public Library Georgetown Branch 9 Church Street Georgetown Tuesday to Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday to Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
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During this 30-day review period, anyone who has any outstanding concerns with the project, which cannot be resolved in discussion with Halton Region may request that the Minister of the Environment 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. Requests must be submitted to the Minister of the Environment at the following address:

The Honourable John Gerretsen
Minister of the Environment
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Toronto, Ontario
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Copies of the Part II Order requests should also be sent to:

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