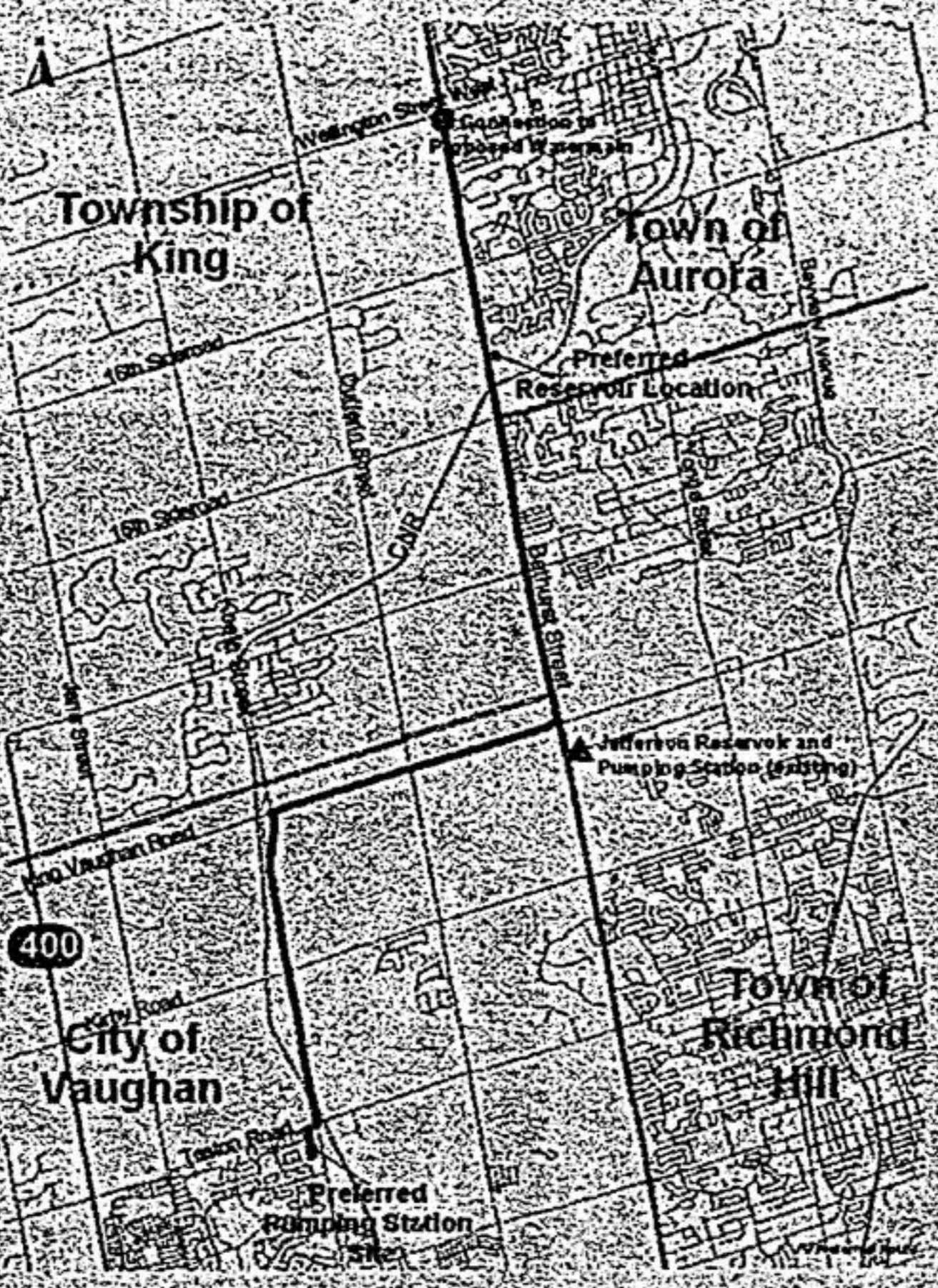


The Regional Municipality of York

Aurora / Newmarket Water Supply: Schedule B Class Environmental Assessment NOTICE OF COMPLETION

The Regional Municipality of York has completed a Class Environmental Assessment (EA) study to determine a preferred route for a new water supply from the Maple Reservoir (near Keele Street and Teston Road) in the City of Vaughan to a proposed feedermain along Wellington Street (at Bathurst Street) in the Town of Aurora and the preferred sites for a new pumping station and reservoir. The study is being undertaken to allow the Region to meet future water servicing requirements created by population and employment growth in Aurora and Newmarket.

The preferred route for the watermain is within existing road allowances on Keele Street (from Teston Road) north to the King-Vaughan Road then east to Bathurst Street and north to Wellington Street, plus an additional connection that is located south on Bathurst Street from King-Vaughan Road to the Jefferson Reservoir. The preferred location for the pumping station is on land owned by York Region adjacent to the existing Maple Reservoir with the watermain route accessing the site south from Teston Road (west of Keele Street) and extending south into the property through an allowance to be provided by the City of Vaughan to the pumping station. The reservoir locations require the negotiation of land that is not owned by the Region. Therefore, dependent on successful land negotiations the recommended location for the in-ground reservoir is the property located on the east side of Bathurst Street (north of Bloomington Sideroad).



The study has been conducted in accordance with the requirements for Schedule B projects as described in the Municipal Engineers Association's Municipal Class Environmental Assessment document (June 2000).

Two Public Information Centres were held and a Schedule B Environmental Assessment Report has been prepared. The EA Report describes the problem, the assessment of alternatives, the preferred alternative and mitigation and monitoring measures, as well as the public and agency consultation program and its results. This Notice places the EA Report on public record for the mandatory 30-day review period. Subject to comments received as a result of this Notice and receipt of necessary approvals, York Region intends to proceed to the construction phase with this project.

The EA Report is available for review at the following locations:

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Aurora, ON L4G 6J1
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Sun., 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Interested parties should provide written comments to Ms. Adrian Coombs, Project Manager, York Region Transportation and Works Department and to Mr. Stan Holden, Project Manager, MacViro Consultants Inc. by November 3, 2003.

If concerns arise regarding this project that cannot be resolved in discussions with the Region, a person/party 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. The Minister must receive requests, at the address below, for Part II Orders by November 3, 2003. A copy of the Part II Order request must also be sent to Ms. Adrian Coombs at the Regional Municipality of York. If there are no Part II Order requests received, the Aurora/Newmarket Water Supply Project will proceed to the construction phase as presented in the EA Report.

The Honourable Jim Wilson
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Toronto, Ontario M4V 1P5

For further information, please contact one of the following:

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