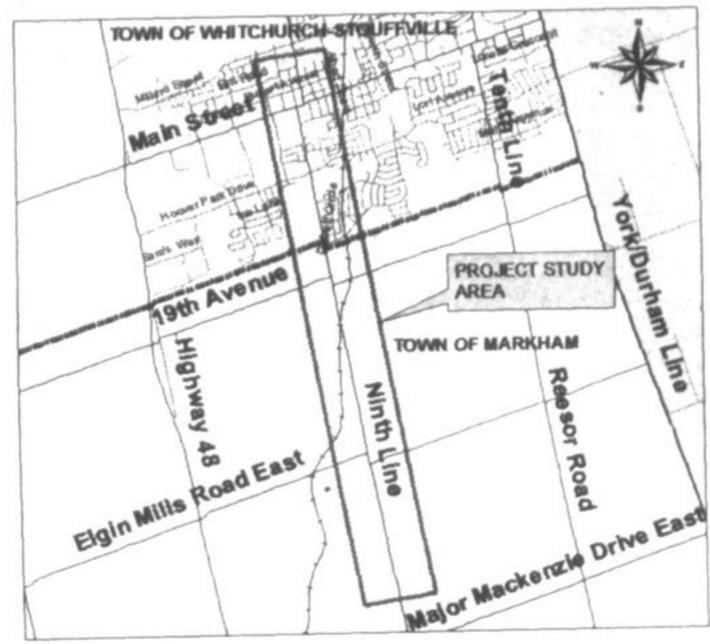
The Regional Municipality of York

NOTICE OF COMPLETION

CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY REPORT ADDENDUM NINTH LINE (Regional Road 69) IMPROVEMENTS NORTH OF MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE TO NORTH OF MAIN STREET (STOUFFVILLE) Towns of Markham and Whitchurch-Stouffville

The Regional Municipality of York has completed a Class Environmental Study Report Addendum for the improvements to Ninth Line (Regional Road 69) from north of Major Mackenzie Drive to north of Main Street (Stouffville) in the Towns of Markham and Whitchurch-Stouffville.

The study has been conducted as a Schedule C Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (October 2000, as amended in 2007) under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.



Subject to the comments received as a result of this Notice and the receipt of approvals; The Regional Municipality of York intends to proceed with the detailed design and construction of this project.

The purpose of this project is to implement improvements within the Ninth Line Corridor. The recommended design includes extending the four lanes on Ninth Line north of Major Mackenzie Drive, providing turn lanes at sideroad intersections, improving drainage, rehabilitating pavement and eliminating jogs at the intersections of Elgin Mills Road, 19th Avenue and Main Street (Stouffville).

A Schedule C Environmental Study Report Addendum has been prepared for this project. The Report describes the problem, the assessment of alternatives and the preferred solution, as well as the consultation conducted during the Study.

This Notice places the Environmental Study Report Addendum on public record, which is available for review at the following locations during normal business hours:

The Regional Municipality of York

Clerk's Department 17250 Yonge Street Newmarket, ON

(905) 895-1231 ext 1300

The Regional Municipality of York **Transportation Services Department** 90 Bales Drive East

East Gwillimbury, ON (905) 830-4444

Town of Markham Clerks Department 101 Town Centre Boulevard

Markham, ON (905) 475-4744 Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville **Clerk's Department**

37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor Stouffville, ON (905) 640-1900 ext. 224

Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library 30 Burkholder St Stouffville, ON

L4A 4K1 (905) 642-7323

Town of Markham Public Library 6031 Highway 7 Markham, ON

L3P 3A7 (905) 513-7977

The public review period will commence on November 4th, 2008. Interested persons may provide written comments to the Region representative listed below within the review period:

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If concerns cannot be resolved through discussions with The Regional Municipality of York, a person may request the Minister of the Environment issue a Part II Order to this project. A Part II Order request must be received by the Minister at the address below no later than December 4, 2008.

The Honourable John Gerretson, Minister of the Environment 12th Floor, 135 St. Clair Avenue West, Toronto, Ontario M4V 1P5

A copy of the Part II Order request shall be sent to:

The Regional Municipality of York Clerk's Department

17250 Yonge Street Newmarket, ON L3Y 6Z1

Bill Fisch Kathleen Llewellyn-Thomas

York Region Chairman and CEO Commissioner of Transportation Services

Thank you for your participation in this study

This notice issued on November 4, 2008.

You're invited to help honour Mac Keith

It's only fitting Mac Keith is being honoured with a tree-plant-

The Stouffville senior is a friend of the environment, through his longtime volunteer work with the Stouffville Horticultural Society, Whitchurch-Stouffville Recycling Depot and The Care and Share Thrift Shoppe.

TREE-PLANTING

The horticultural group is planting a tree in Mr. Keith's name Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library.

Friends of Mr. Keith and his causes are encouraged to attend the ceremony.

"We want as many to be there as possible for this caring helpful person in our midst," said Diane Ward of the society. "When we have a job to do with our group, including planting or weeding, Mac is there."

The library is on Burkholder Street in Stouffville Memorial Park.

- Jim Mason

Stouffville home tour assists kids' charity

Youcangetalookinside seven of Whitchurch-Stouffville's most magnificent homes next month while helping a children's charity.

Stouffville's inaugural Home For Christmas tour stops at homes on Main and Millard streets, O'Brien Avenue, Cam Fella Boulevard, Loretta Crescent, Mauro Vista Court and St. John's Sideroad Saturday, Nov. 8, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Funds raised will go to the Jennifer Ashleigh Foundation, which helps parents pay for illnessrelated expenses when they have no other way to do so.

Stouffville Country Market owner Stouffville Country Market owner Norm Clements established the charity in 1990 in memory of his granddaughter, Jennifer Ashleigh Clements.

The Stouffville girl died at age six months from

▶ For more information, go to www.homeforchristmas.ca or call 416-667-4700.

a degenerative, muscular disease. Her younger sister, Danica, died in infancy of the same illness two years later.

SEVEN STOPS

Tickets for the tour are \$25 from Jolana's Home Exceptional Decor, Fame International Salon and Spa, Canadian Tire, Shoppers Drug Mart and Headlines Salon and Spa in Stouffville and Svengali Hair Salon in Markham.

"We hope that each home on the tour will inspire you to create magic in your own home with ideas that you never thought possible," said tour spokesperson Rosemary Mauro.

For more information on the foundation, go to www.jenniferashleigh.org



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