

NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT Sub-Trunk #1 Sanitary Sewer, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville Class Environmental Assessment Study

THE STUDY

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, through their engineering consultant Chisholm, Fleming and Associates, has initiated a Class Environmental Assessment for the proposed Sub-Trunk #1 Sanitary Sewer extension to service lands east of the Tenth Line in the community of Stouffville.

Watermain system extensions will also be considered where appropriate to extend servicing or improve circulation in the distribution system.

THE PROCESS

This project is planned as a Schedule 'B' project as outlined in the Municipal Engineer's Association (MEA) Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (October 2000, as amended in 2007 & 2011), which is an approved process under the Environmental Assessment Act.

A key component of the study will be consultation with interested stakeholders (public and agencies). Two Public Information Centres (PIC) will be held as part of the consultation process, at which the project and scope will be presented; alternative solutions and the evaluation criteria will be reviewed; and the environmental impacts and mitigation measures will be presented and discussed.

COMMENTS INVITED

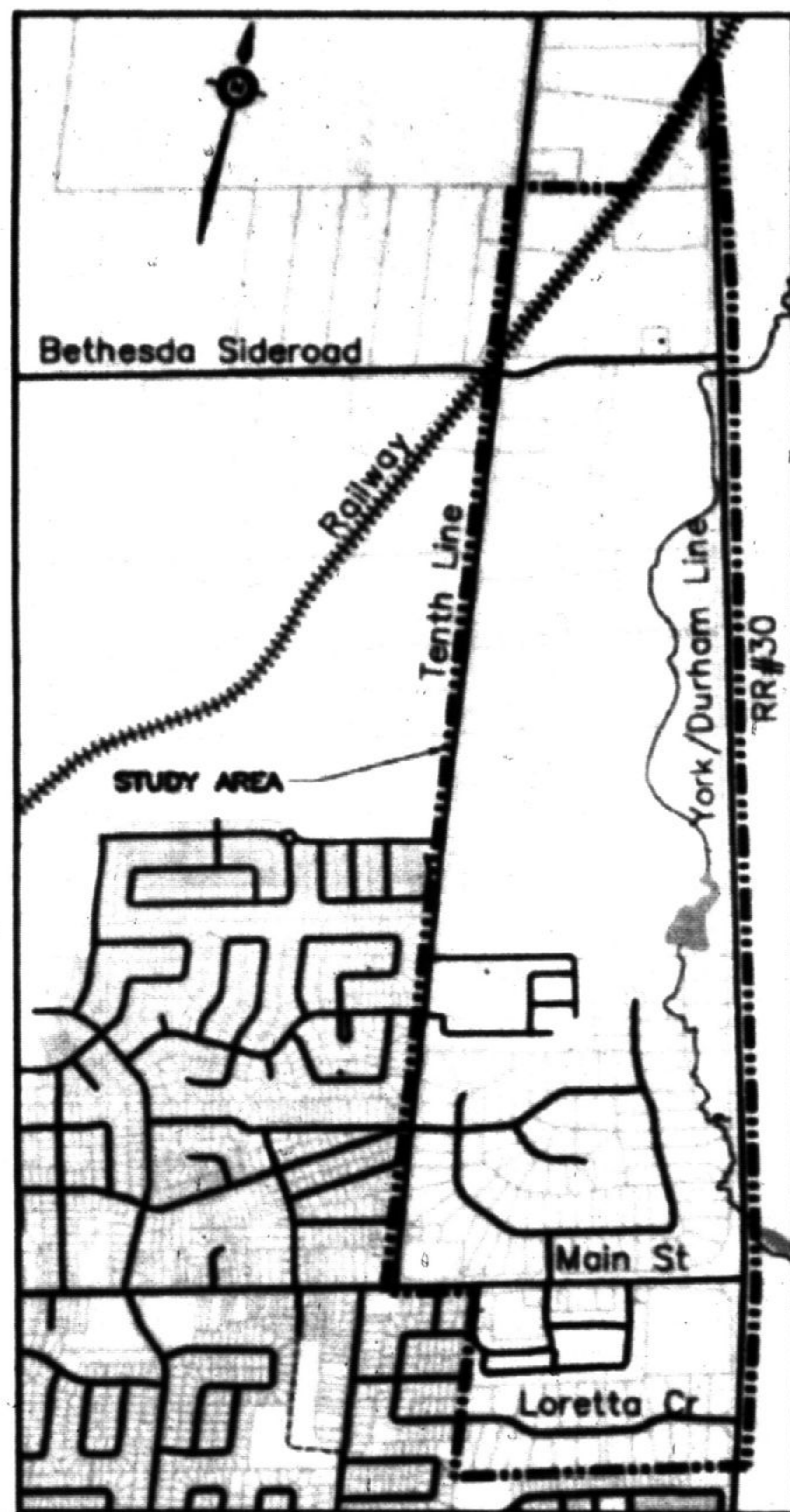
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This Notice first issued January 3, 2013.



One York officer back on duty after crash

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Two York Regional Police officers are on the mend after their cruiser collided with another vehicle.

Sgt. Kelly Bachoo and Const. Andy Patten-den had just left the scene of another crash on Mount Albert Road in East Gwillimbury when their eastbound vehicle and a westbound pickup truck collided.

The two media officers were taken to hospital by air ambulance.

Const. Patten-den, who is also the co-ordinator of the Stouffville Community Policing Centre, was back to work Monday on modified duties while he continues his recuperation.

Sgt. Bachoo, however, was not as lucky, but did escape major injury. She has been transferred to a rehabilitation and physiotherapy ward. Although police wouldn't release the specific injuries to either officer, they did say Sgt. Bachoo suffered lower body injuries.

The crash remains under investigation.

The department has received many messages of support since the crash, something it appreciates, Const. Blair McQuillan said.

Lucky 191 now adopted

One York Region family has been granted its holiday wish after being given the go ahead to adopt Lucky 191 from the Ontario SPCA.

Although it was requested that the organization keep most of their details secret, the

POLICE BRIEFS

Ontario SPCA announced the adoptive family was that of a York Regional Police officer.

The news comes two months after the hound dog was discovered injured, bloodied and emaciated in Aurora by a police officer.

Initially, images of the dog shocked many residents and the wider nation as photographs were beamed across the country.

However after the initial story broke, yorkregion.com learned the dog was chemically branded with temporary hair dye rather than freeze burned, a crueler technique.

Canadians showed their goodwill toward Lucky, donating \$5,000 in 2-1/2 weeks to help fund the health costs and recovery of the dog. After the dog gained almost two kilograms in weight, so his ribs were no longer visible, about 50 people came forward to adopt the animal.

During the adoptive process Lucky was labeled as having a "goofball" personality, the Ontario SPCA's Brad Dewar said.

The number 191 scrawled on the dog's fur has now largely grown out, he added.

Mr. Dewar said the officer who found Lucky, Const. Netashia McLellan, who, at the time, told yorkregion.com she would consider adopting the dog, was not the new owner.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE The Ballantrae - Musselman Lake and Environs Secondary Plan / Highway 48 Corridor Review - Final Consultant Reports

You are invited to attend a Public Information Centre hosted by the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, being conducted as part of the Ballantrae - Musselman Lake and Environs Secondary Plan / Highway 48 Corridor Review

Date: January 16, 2013

Time: 6:30 - 9:00 PM

Location: Council Chambers, Municipal Offices, 111 Sandiford Drive, Stouffville

On December 4, 2012, Town Council considered a staff report presenting the Final Consultant Reports on the Ballantrae - Musselman Lake and Environs Secondary Plan / Highway 48 Corridor Review. At that meeting, Town Council adopted a resolution to commence the statutory process under the Planning Act to adopt amendments to the Ballantrae Musselman Lake and Environs Secondary Plan and the Zoning By-law following a public information centre on the final consultant report(s) and recommendations.

The Public Information Centre meeting will provide an opportunity to obtain more information about the Final Consultant Report(s) and provide input on the Consultant recommended Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendments prior to the commencement of a future statutory process under the Planning Act.

6:30 Doors Open
6:30 - 7:30 Review Presentation Boards/Staff and Lead Consultant available for questions / discussion
7:30 - 8:30 Introduction / Presentation/General questions and comments
8:30 - 9:00 Staff and the Lead Consultant available for questions / discussion

The final Consultant Reports are available for review in the offices of the Department Planning and Building, Municipal Offices or on-line at

http://www.townofws.ca/ballantrae_musselman_lake_sec_plan.asp

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