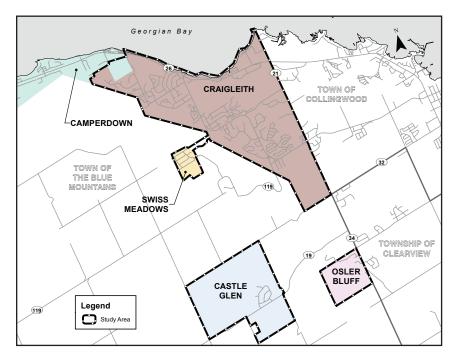
Notice of Commencement and Public Information Centre

Schedule B/C Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) for Drinking Water Storage and Supply Deficiencies in the Town's East Pressure Zones





The Town of The Blue Mountains has initiated a MCEA to select the preferred solution to address the Town's water storage needs and supply deficiencies in the Town's Eastern Pressure Zones.

How Will This Affect Me?

In November 2019, Water Distribution System Master Plan was completed to evaluate the Town's long-term water distribution and storage needs. As part of the Master Plan, potential near and long-term storage and/or supply deficiencies were identified in the Town's East Pressure Zones in the settlement areas of Craigleith, Swiss Meadows, Osler Bluff and Castle Glen. The purpose of this Schedule B and C MCEA is to evaluate and select the preferred water storage and supply alternative(s) for these pressures zones. The supply and storage alternatives proposed may have an impact on stakeholders and property owners, therefore, public consultation will be a key element of the process and input will be sought throughout the study.

This study is being conducted according to the requirements of Phases 1 to 4 of the MCEA which is an approved process under the Environmental Assessment Act.

How Do I Get More Information?

A dedicated project page has been added to the Town's website at:

www.thebluemountains.ca/EastSideWaterStorageEA.

This notice was originally issued on March 3, 2022.

Contact Information

If you have any questions regarding the study, please contact one of the people listed below.

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Project Timeline

Study Commencement Q1 2022

Study Completion

Q1 2023 (est.)

Public Consultation

A Virtual Public Information Centre (PIC) is being held to gather input from stakeholders and residents. All those interested in the project are invited to attend. The meeting will include a public comment and question period.

Date: March 24, 2022 Start Time: 5:00 p.m. Platform: Microsoft Teams

Registration for the meeting is mandatory to receive a link to attend the virtual meeting. Please visit the project web page to register for the meeting and to sign up for notifications as project updates become available.