



The Regional Municipality of Durham

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November 9, 2018

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There are no Early Release Reports

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There are no Durham Municipalities Correspondence

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1. [AECOM](#) – re: Notice of Study Commencement and Community Open House (COH) for the Road Modifications to Brock Street South and Water Street Environmental Assessment (EA), and Notice of Public Information Centre (PIC) for the Pringle Creek Bridge EA.
2. [Mike Schreiner, Member of Provincial Parliament, Guelph](#) writing to Ralph Walton, Regional Clerk, Regional Municipality of Durham, regarding the Resolution from the Town of Ingersoll concerning landfill approval by municipalities. That local residents and municipalities should be consulted when the province designates areas of their community as a landfill site

Advisory Committee Minutes

There are no Advisory Committee Minutes

Members of Council – Please advise the Regional Clerk at clerks@durham.ca, if you wish to pull an item from this CIP to be included on the next regular agenda of the appropriate Standing Committee, beginning with the new term of Council in December 2018.

(Note: Items will be included on the next regularly scheduled Committee meeting if the Regional Clerk is advised by Wednesday noon the week prior to the meeting)



The Regional Municipality of Durham Information Report

From: Commissioner of Corporate Services
Report: [#2018-INFO-148](#)
Date: November 9, 2018

Subject:

2018 Municipal Election Accessibility Plan – Follow up

Recommendation:

Receive for information

Report:

1. Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to meet the legislated requirements under section 12.1(3) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 and report to Council, within 90 days after voting day, about the identification, removal and prevention of barriers that affect electors and candidates with disabilities.

2. Background

2.1 On April 6, 2018 the 2018 Municipal Election Accessibility Plan was presented to Regional Council through Report #2018-INFO-50. The Plan largely built off the Region's 2016 – 2021 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan and the Corporate Accessibility Policy, both of which seek to ensure equal participation for persons with disabilities, including candidates and electors.

2.2 The Plan identified potential accessibility considerations for both candidates and electors while attending Regional Headquarters, attending candidate information sessions, or accessing information via [durham.ca](#) or by telephone.

2.3 As part of the Plan, the Regional Clerk solicited feedback on the manner in which services were provided to persons with disabilities during the Election process.

3. Discussion

3.1 During the election period Corporate Services – Legislative Services staff received a number of inquiries and had numerous interactions with candidates and electors, in -person, online and via phone. Voting day was on October 22, 2018 and a small number of electors along with members of the media, attended Regional Headquarters to view the results for the Office of Regional Chair.

3.2 During the election period and following voting day, no feedback was received on the services provided to persons with disabilities during the Election process.

4. Conclusion

4.1 While the role of the Region in the municipal election process is somewhat limited, the Region will continue to strive to provide barrier-free access to ensure that persons of all abilities are able to participate in the municipal election process.

4.2 Going forward, should any feedback be received on the manner in which services were provided to persons with disabilities during the Election process, it will be taken into consideration for the 2022 municipal election.

4.3 For additional information, contact: Ralph Walton, Regional Clerk/Director of Legislative Services, at 905-668-7711, extension 2100.

Prepared by: Leigh Fleury, Legislative Officer, at 905-668-7711, extension 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Original signed by

D. Beaton, BCom, M.P.A.
Commissioner of Corporate Services



Interoffice Memorandum

Date: November 9, 2018
To: Committee of the Whole
From: Dr. Robert Kyle
Subject: Health Information Update – November 2, 2018

Health
Department

Please find attached the latest links to health information from the Health Department and other key sources that you may find of interest. Links may need to be copied and pasted directly in your web browser to open, including the link below.

You may also wish to browse the online Health Department Reference Manual available at [Board of Health Manual](#), which is continually updated.

Boards of health are required to “superintend, provide or ensure the provision of the health programs and services required by the [Health Protection and Promotion] Act and the regulations to the persons who reside in the health unit served by the board” (section 4, clause a, HPPA). In addition, medical officers of health are required to “[report] directly to the board of health on issues relating to public health concerns and to public health programs and services under this or any other Act” (sub-section 67. (1), HPPA).

Accordingly, the Health Information Update is a component of the Health Department’s ‘Accountability Framework’, which also may include program and other reports, Health Plans, Quality Enhancement Plans, Durham Health Check-Ups, Performance Reports, business plans and budgets; provincial performance indicators and targets, monitoring, compliance audits and assessments; RDPS certification; and accreditation by Accreditation Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

Original signed by

R.J. Kyle, BSc, MD, MHSc, CCFP, FRCPC, FACPM
Commissioner & Medical Officer of Health

*“Service Excellence
for our Communities”*

UPDATES FOR COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
November 2, 2018

Health Department Media Releases/Publications

<https://goo.gl/hNnA7f>

- Health Department recognizes World Mental Health Day Oct 10 (Oct 9)

<https://goo.gl/DHVdmc>

- The Regional Municipality of Durham expands work with community partners to help the homeless (Primary Care Outreach Pilot) (Oct 11)

<https://goo.gl/3zYjCb>

- Water samples results indicate presence of blue-green algae in Frenchman's Bay Pickering area (Oct 12)

<https://goo.gl/UJV5R8>

- Health Department recognizes National Infection Control Week, Oct 15 to 19 (Oct 15)

<https://goo.gl/EvbM6P>

- 2018 report indicates low-income families in Durham Region continue to struggle to buy nutritious food (Oct 15)

<https://goo.gl/YB14A9>

- Influenza Vaccine is now Available for the General Public (Oct 22)

<https://goo.gl/NRTQXn>

- Be You, You Belong campaign connects parents and caregivers to community supports (Oct 23)

<https://goo.gl/mkrKgk>

- Don't get caught without your flu shot! (Oct 23)

<https://goo.gl/C4bxvJ>

- "What's Up Doc?" Vol 11 No 3 (Oct 25)

<https://goo.gl/nnUAxY>

- Influenza Vaccine: Product Availability Update (Oct 26)

<https://goo.gl/ddRS3q>

- It's Time to Fall Back! Change Your Batteries for the Fall! (Oct 29)

<https://goo.gl/6SJq4i>

- Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP) Surveillance (Oct 31)

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

Department of Finance Canada

<https://goo.gl/8nYJhB>

- Department of Finance Announcing Climate Action Incentive Payments and Launch of Fuel Charge Consultations (Oct 23)

Employment and Social Development Canada

<https://goo.gl/Ss7yR5>

- Minister Hadju highlights the importance of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA) and benefits to Canadian workers (Oct 10)

Environment and Climate Change Canada

<https://goo.gl/qZL5TF>

- The Government of Canada takes measures to ban asbestos and asbestos-containing products (Oct 18)

Health Canada

<https://goo.gl/8EL6iK>

- Canada legalizes and strictly regulates cannabis (Oct 17)

<https://goo.gl/a8qv5y>

- Government of Canada proposes new regulations to support Canadians who use reproductive technologies (Oct 26)

<https://goo.gl/ec36yx>

- Health Canada Releases Latest Federal Data on Tobacco, Alcohol and Drug Use – Results point to the need for continued work to help Canadians lead healthier lives (Oct 30)

Indigenous Services Canada

<https://goo.gl/StqbA1>

- Canada and Mississaugas of Scugog Island First Nation celebrate addition of lands (Nov 2)

Infrastructure Canada

<https://goo.gl/HLknyy>

- Government of Canada launches data hub on the economic aspect of infrastructure investment (Oct 29)

Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada

<https://goo.gl/3G935K>

- Ensuring the safety and security of Canadians' personal information (Nov 1)

Public Health Agency of Canada

<https://goo.gl/6R3aq9>

- Health Minister Announces Funding for National Information Network on Autism (Oct 22)

<https://goo.gl/rupHhu>

- Preventing Problematic Substance Use in Youth (Oct 23)

<https://goo.gl/hyc88g>

- Council of Chief Medical Officers of Health remind Canadians of the harms and risks associated with cannabis use (Oct 25)

GOVERNMENT OF ONTARIO

Office of the Premier

<https://goo.gl/kZcgZz>

- Promises Made, Promises Kept: Ontario's Government for the People Marks 100 Days of Unprecedented Action (Oct 9)

<https://goo.gl/TMJbCZ>

- Ontario's Government for the People Taking Immediate Action to Replace the Province's Crumbling Public Safety Radio Network (Oct 11)

Ontario Ministry of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade

<https://goo.gl/fU7MaA>

- Ontario's Government for the People Cutting Red Tape in Order to Help Create and Protect Jobs (Oct 23)

Ontario Ministry of Education

<https://goo.gl/LzZyBC>

- Ontario Continues to Keep Students Safer to Provide better Learning (Oct 25)

Ontario Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks

<https://goo.gl/AVxcVe>

- The Province Wants Your Ideas for a Made-in-Ontario Plan (Oct 19)

<https://goo.gl/wxJgDm>

- Relief on the Way: Ontario Passes Legislation to End Cap and Trade Carbon Tax (Oct 31)

Ontario Ministry of Finance

<https://goo.gl/rvjrvb>

- Statement from the Finance Minister on the Passage of the Cannabis Statute Law Amendment Act, 2018 (Oct 17)

Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care

<https://goo.gl/a19m2U>

- Statement from Christine Elliott, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health and Long-Term Care (Oct 19)

<https://goo.gl/FfHjiD>

- Ontario Government Connecting People with Addictions to Treatment and Rehabilitation (Oct 22)

<https://goo.gl/kbpx7X>

- Flu Shot Now Available (Oct 29)

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Association of Local Public Health Agencies

<https://goo.gl/TCsLrD>

- *Smoke-Free Ontario Act, 2017* Regulation 268/18 Letter (Oct 11)

<https://goo.gl/yMEFRC>

- aPHa Presents on Bill 36, *Cannabis Statute Law Amendment Act, 2018* (Oct 12)

<https://goo.gl/Qs4Hms>

- Vape Promotion Letter (Oct 22)

Canadian Institutes of Health Research

<https://goo.gl/6Nd97R>

- Family physician and expert in population health, Dr. Rick Glazier, named Scientific Director of the CIHR Institute of Health Services and Policy Research (Oct 9)

<https://goo.gl/pCNzcT>

- Government of Canada takes action to address Lyme disease (Oct 15)

Canadian Partnership Against Cancer

<https://goo.gl/mRJZUJ>

- Take #30MinutesThatMatter to shape the future of cancer care (Oct 15)

Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

<https://goo.gl/jGQAr3>

- New CAMH youth-developed guide offers science-based info on cannabis use (Oct 10)

Council of Ontario Medical Officers of Health

<https://goo.gl/7X57Bd>

- *Smoke-Free Ontario Act, 2017* Regulation 268/18 Letter (Oct 9)

Financial Accountability Office of Ontario

<https://goo.gl/cZZWuh>

- FAO estimates cancelling cap and trade will worsen Ontario's budget balance by \$3 billion over four years (Oct 16)

Institute of Clinical Evaluative Sciences

<https://goo.gl/1ntQJN>

- Common arthritis medications routinely prescribed to high-risk patients (Oct 8)

<https://goo.gl/o2o3K6>

- Emergency department as first contact for mental health services more common for immigrant and refugee youth compared to those born in Canada (Oct 9)

<https://goo.gl/SZCKSG>

- One in five physicians were responsible for ordering nearly 40 per cent of low-value screening tests (Oct 12)

Mental Health Commission of Canada

<https://goo.gl/vsTKSm>

- World Mental Health Day: Helping Young People Build Resilience in a Changing World (Oct 10)

Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada

<https://goo.gl/siAJf1>

- Canada's research community to benefit from largest investment in discovery science in Canadian history (Oct 9)

Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada

<https://goo.gl/jXejiR>

- New data breach reporting requirements come into force this week (Oct 29)

<https://goo.gl/NPYMLf>

- Privacy Commissioner launches investigation into Statistics Canada (Oct 31)

Ontario Power Generation

<https://goo.gl/oeLxRe>

- Darlington Refurbishment Open House (Oct 22)

Parachute

<https://goo.gl/WE4dqR>

- Keep trick-or-treaters safe on our roads this Halloween (Oct 29)

ParticipACTION

<https://goo.gl/fNzh6k>

- Want to poop better? How about think and sleep better? Get active! (Oct 29)

Public Health Ontario

<https://goo.gl/NrQ3ek>

- Public Health Connections (Oct 24)

<https://goo.gl/PNDRci>

- Ontario sees high antibiotic use, raising concerns about resistance (Oct 31)

Statistics Canada

<https://goo.gl/rUvVwy>

- Statistics Canada launches crowdsourcing consultation on measuring poverty (Oct 15)

Transportation Safety Board of Canada

<https://goo.gl/9D1bkv>

- TSB releases Watchlist 2018: a call to action on safety management and fatigue issues across the transportation industry (Oct 29)



Township of McKellar

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October 24, 2018

Municipalities of Ontario

Re: Governance Models

Please be advised that at its regular meeting held, Monday October 1, 2018 the Council of the Township of McKellar passed the following resolution:

18-317 WHEREAS on September 17, 2018 the following statement was issued from the AMO Office of the President "We urge the Ontario government to clearly state its interests in having governance review, and how it will proceed. And we urge the Ontario government to work with AMO and the municipal order of government to change requirements that undermine municipal finance, infrastructure investment and efficient service delivery all across Ontario" as per the attached letter;

AND WHEREAS the current President of AMO is the Mayor of Parry Sound;

AND WHEREAS the goals for a "Governance Review" may not be the same for the Town of Parry Sound as they are for other municipalities in the District of Parry Sound;

AND WHEREAS AMO has no mandate from the District of Parry Sound Municipalities to speak on their behalf on governance models such as Regional Government or Amalgamations;

AND WHEREAS the Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing sent out the attached letter indicating there will be discussion with municipal partners regarding governance models;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township of McKellar requests that any discussions that AMO has with the Province be preceded with an open meeting between AMO, all members of Council and members of the public to determine the desires of each municipality in regard to governance models;

AND FURTHERMORE BE IT RESOLVED that our MPP Norm Miller and the Province of Ontario also have an open dialogue with the Township of McKellar and respect the opinions of the township as it regards to any review of the local governance model.

YEAS: Councillors Beier, Haskim, Kekkonen, Zulak and Reeve Hopkins

NAYS:

Carried

Sincerely,

Ina Watkinson
Administrative/Treasury Assistant
Township of McKellar



Municipal Class Environmental Assessment for the Pringle Creek Bridge

Works Department

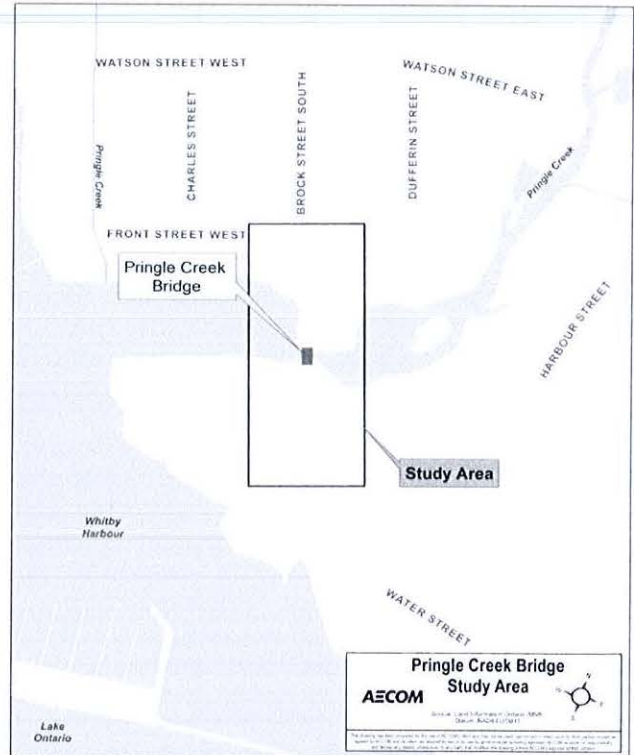
Public Notice

Brookfield Residential, in partnership with the Regional Municipality of Durham, is undertaking a Schedule 'C' Environmental Assessment (EA) study to address improvements to the Brock Street South (Reg. Rd. 46) bridge over Pringle Creek, which is located approximately 700 m south of Victoria Street (Reg. Rd. 22) in the Town of Whitby. The existing bridge, constructed in 1962, requires rehabilitation and is subject to potential flooding across adjacent lands due to the limited width of the creek under the bridge. The Study will also include consideration of existing and future traffic needs for the area, and improvements for better pedestrian, cycling and Waterfront Trail connections.

Brookfield Residential is undertaking this study as part of the preparation for development of its lands located east and west of Brock Street, south of the bridge. As the owner of the bridge, the Regional Municipality of Durham will be involved throughout the study, including reviewing and approving the resulting recommendations.

This Study is being conducted in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule 'C' projects, as outlined in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process (Municipal Engineers Association, October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 and 2015), which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

Brookfield Residential is hosting the second Public Information Centre (PIC #2) to share the results of the evaluation of the alternative design concepts and identify the preferred design for the Pringle Creek Bridge. Brookfield invites all interested parties to attend the second PIC on **Monday, November 19, 2018 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Port Whitby Marina Avalon Lounge located at 301 Watson Street West**. The format of this PIC will follow an "open house" style event where attendees can drop-in between the hours specified above to speak with representatives from the Study Team who will be present to answer questions and discuss any Project comments or concerns. This PIC will be combined with PIC #1 for the Class EA Study of Modifications to Brock Street and Water Street, which will provide a broader view of planned works in the area. If you have any questions or comments regarding the Study, or wish to be added to the Project mailing list, please contact:



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For more information, please visit: durham.ca/WorksProjects and search keyword "Pringle Creek"

If you require this information in an accessible format, please contact 1-800-372-1102 ext. 3753





Town of Whitby Notice

Public Works Department
575 Rossland Road East, Whitby, ON L1N 2M8
www.whitby.ca

Notice of Study Commencement and Community Open House No. 1

Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study – Road Modifications to Brock Street South and Water Street

The Town of Whitby and the Regional Municipality of Durham (Region) are undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study (this Study) to investigate road modifications to **Brock Street South/Regional Road 46** (from Victoria Street to Front Street; and from south of the existing Pringle Creek Bridge to Water Street) and **Water Street** (from Brock Street South to South Blair Street). Please see Figure 1 for the study area.

This Study is being conducted in accordance with the planning and design process for a Schedule 'C' Municipal Class Environmental Assessment under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act. This Study will define the problem, identify and evaluate alternative solutions to the problem, evaluate alternative design concepts for the preferred solution, and recommend a preferred design concept. The recommended road modification work will address road alignment and drainage issues, facilitate future land use, and accommodate future traffic demand and active transportation needs. A total of three Community Open Houses (COH's) will be held to present this Study.

The first COH is scheduled as follows:

Date: Monday, November 19, 2018

Time: 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Location: Port Whitby Marina Avalon Lounge, 301 Watson Street West, Whitby

This COH is intended to introduce the Study and to obtain initial input from the public and stakeholders. All interested parties are invited to attend this COH to share their ideas and concerns on this project. If you cannot attend this COH but wish to obtain information about this Study or provide comments, you can visit the project website at www.whitby.ca/studies, which will be available starting November 20, 2018. If you have any questions or wish to be added to the project mailing list, you can contact either one of the following team members:

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This COH will be held together with Public Information Centre No. 2 for the on-going Pringle Creek Bridge Environmental Assessment Study. While the two studies are separate, residents who attend the COH will have the opportunity to obtain project information and provide input on both of them.

Please note that information related to this project will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments received will become part of the public record and may be included in Study documentation prepared for public review.

This notice was first issued on October 31, 2018.

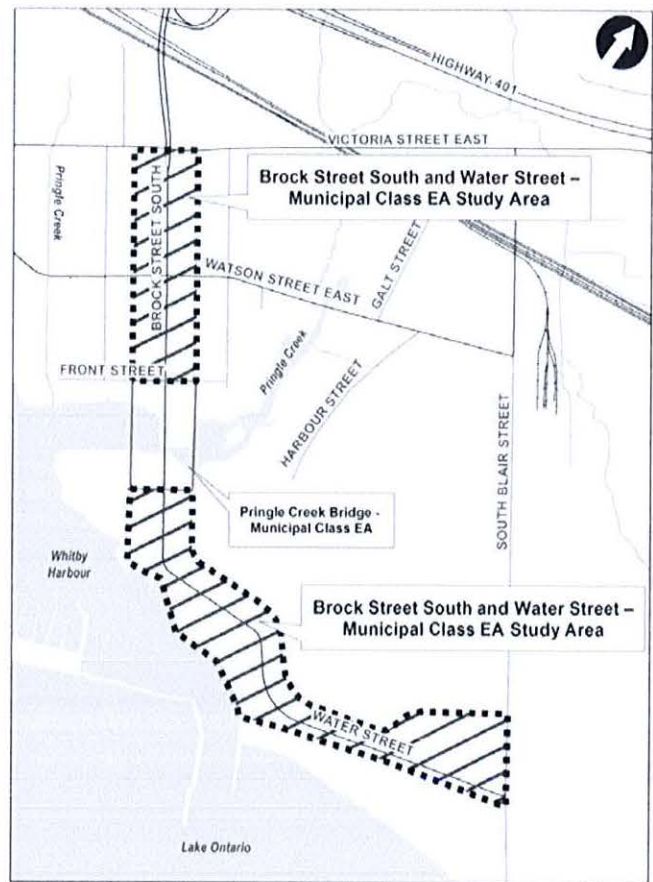


Figure 1: Study Area

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October 25, 2018

Attn: Mr. Ralph Walton
Regional Clerk/Director of Legislative Services
The Regional Municipality of Durham
605 Rossland Rd. E
Whitby ON L1N 6A3

Dear Mr. Walton,

Re: Resolution from the Town of Ingersoll concerning landfill approval by municipalities

I greatly appreciate the resolution adopted by the Town of Ingersoll on September 12, 2018 in relations to the Demand the Right Campaign.

I agree that local residents and municipalities should be consulted when the province designates areas of their community as a landfill site. By delegating municipalities the authority to approve landfill projects, it encourages companies to increase waste diversion and allows municipalities negotiate better revenue-sharing formula with waste operators.

I believe municipalities are in a better position to protect their local environment and should be delegated the authority to approve landfill projects within their boundary. I will continue be supportive of your efforts and will be delighted to work with you in your campaign.

Thank you very much for raising this important issue.

Sincerely,

Mike Schreiner
Member of Provincial Parliament, Guelph

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