

NOTICE OF ADDENDUM

DOWNTOWN BRAMPTON FLOOD PROTECTION MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

CITY OF BRAMPTON AND TORONTO REGION CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

The Downtown Brampton Flood Protection Project Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) was completed by Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (TRCA) and the City of Brampton (the City) in late 2020. During the EA, the City worked with CN Rail (CN) to achieve a workable solution for the CN crossing of Etobicoke Creek in the south end of the study area. However this alternative resulted in the disturbance and removal of grave sites from St Mary's Heritage Cemetery owned and operated by Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services. Detailed discussions with the cemetery owner and the Bereavement Association of Ontario would be required to understand these impacts and seek to minimize them. During the detailed design phase, detailed discussions have been held with CN, Metrolinx, Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services, and the Bereavement Association of Ontario. As a result of these discussions, additional alternatives for the CN crossing of Etobicoke Creek were assessed. This addendum documents the choice of a new preferred alternative for the CN rail crossing only.

An addendum has now been completed to the Environmental Study Report issued in September 2020. The Downtown Brampton Flood Protection project was planned through the Schedule C Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process. The Addendum contains details of the revised alternative to provide the required flow conveyance capacity for the Etobicoke Creek through the CN rail corridor.

The City and TRCA are seeking comments on the proposed changes as outlined in the Addendum. The Addendum is available for public, government agency and Indigenous Community review in accordance with the requirements of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment. Subject to comments received following this Notice, the City and TRCA intend to proceed with the construction of this project in 2025.

The addendum is available for review at the online locations below:

<https://www.brampton.ca/riverwalk>

<https://trca.ca/conservation/infrastructure-projects/dbfpea/#EA-docs>

Hard copies are available upon request.

Interested persons may provide written comments to our project team by November 30, 2024. All comments and concerns should be sent directly to the City of Brampton at the address below, or by email to riverwalk@brampton.ca. Please address mail-in comments to:

Director, Environment & Development Engineering

3rd Floor, City Hall
City of Brampton
2 Wellington Street West
Brampton, Ontario
L6Y 4R2

In addition, a request to the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks for an order imposing additional conditions or requiring a comprehensive environmental assessment may be made on the grounds that the requested order may prevent, mitigate or remedy adverse impacts on constitutionally protected Aboriginal and treaty rights. Requests should include your full name and contact information.

Requests should specify what kind of order is being requested (additional conditions or a comprehensive environmental assessment), explain how an order may prevent, mitigate or remedy potential adverse impacts, and can include any supporting information. The request should be sent in hardcopy or by email to:

Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
777 Bay Street, 5th Floor Toronto
ON M7A 2J3
minister.mecp@ontario.ca

and

Director, Environmental Assessment Branch
Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
135 St. Clair Ave. W,
1st Floor Toronto ON,
M4V 1P5
EABDirector@ontario.ca

Requests should also be sent to the City of Brampton by mail or by e-mail. Please visit the ministry's website for more information on requests for orders under section 16 of the Environmental Assessment Act at: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/classenvironmental-assessments-part-ii-order>

All personal information included in your request – such as name, address, telephone number and property location – is collected, under the authority of section 30 of the Environmental Assessment Act and is collected and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public. As this information is collected for the purpose of a public record, the protection of personal information provided in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) does not apply (s.37). Personal information you submit will become part of a public record that is available to the general public unless you request that your personal information remain confidential.

This Notice is issued 31 October, 2024.