



NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT

Dorchester Road & Oldfield Road Intersection Improvements

BACKGROUND: The City of Niagara Falls (City) and through their consultant Associated Engineering (Ont). Ltd. (AE) has initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) for the intersection improvements at Dorchester Road and Oldfield Road, in the City of Niagara Falls.

The MCEA Study will develop and evaluate a variety of intersection improvement alternatives including: do nothing, convert to a signalized intersection, and implement a roundabout.



THE PROCESS: In accordance with the Municipal Engineers Association's (MEA) *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment*, this Study is being planned as a *Schedule B*. The Study process includes public and stakeholder consultation, development and evaluation of alternatives, an assessment of the impact of the proposed improvements, and identification of measures to mitigate any adverse impacts.

Public and stakeholder consultation is a key element of the MCEA process and input is invited for incorporation into the planning and design of this project. Comments received from the public will be considered in the development and evaluation of alternatives and preparation of the Project File Report. A Public Information Centre (PIC) will be held in the upcoming months to offer an opportunity to review the Study alternatives and provide input into the MCEA process.

For further information or to provide input into the MCEA process, please contact one of the project team members identified below:

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