Notice of Public Information Centre

Highway 15 and County Road 42 Intersection Improvements, Township of Rideau Lakes Preliminary Design and Class Environmental Assessment Study Update (GWP 4315-06-00)

The Ministry of Transportation, Ontario (MTO) has retained Dillon Consulting Limited to update a Preliminary Design and Class Environmental Assessment (EA) Study that was completed in 2017 for improvements to the intersection of Highway 15 and County Road 42, located at the Village of Crosby in the Township of Rideau Lakes, United Counties of Leeds and Grenville.

PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

The MTO has developed long-term intersection alternatives for consideration. A Public Information Centre (PIC) is being held to:

- Provide an update on the project
- Present the criteria used to evaluate the alternatives
- Present and seek input into the comparative evaluation
- Present and seek input on the Technically Preferred Alternative
- Outline the preliminary construction staging and traffic management approach.

The PIC will be a drop-in format with MTO and Dillon staff available to discuss the study and answer questions. Project information, including the Class EA process, design alternatives, how the alternatives were evaluated, the technically preferred alternative and project team contact details will be posted on the project website at www.hwy15crosby.com.

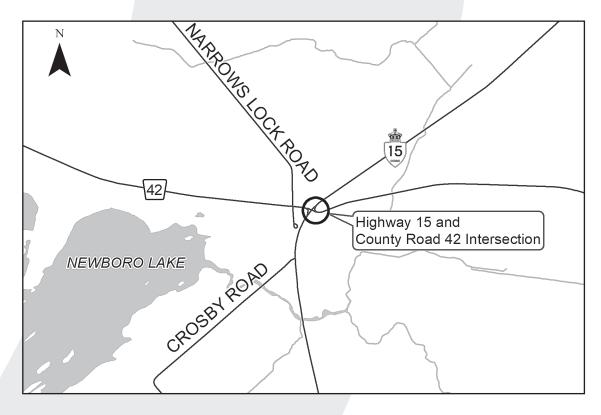
The PIC will be held on:

Date: September 13, 2022
Time: 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Location: Newboro Community Hall,

15 Drummond Street, Newboro, ON

THE PROCESS

The project is being completed in accordance with the MTO *Class EA for Provincial Transportation Facilities* (2000) as a Group "B" undertaking. Group "B" projects are considered approved, subject to compliance with the Class EA. A TESR Addendum will be prepared at the end of this study to document the changes to the preliminary intersection improvements design and will be made available for a 30-day public comment period.



COMMENTS

The Project Team is interested in receiving any comments or concerns that you have regarding this project. The website includes a "Contact Us' page for you to request to be added to the project Contact List and a link to submit your comments to the project team. Your comments are requested by **September 27**, **2022**. If you would like to speak with a project team member directly, please contact one of the team members listed below.

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If you have any accessibility requirements in order to participate in this project, please contact one of the Project Team members listed above. Comments and information collected during the study will be used in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and Access to Information Act.* With the exception of personal information, all comments will be part of the public record.

