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MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, Town of Milton/Town of Halton Hills PR-3130A

Study

Halton Region is initiating a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for Regional Road 25 from Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, in the Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills. The need for additional capacity in the Regional Road 25 Corridor was identified in the Region's Transportation Master Plan – The Road to Change.

To address both public safety and the future 2031 travel demand along Regional Road 25, a number of road improvement alternatives will be examined as part of this Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study. Road improvements, such as active transportation, and intersection operations as well as structural, drainage, cross-sectional and natural environment requirements will be assessed through the study.

Process

This notice signals the commencement of the MCEA Study, which will define the problem, identify and evaluate alternative solutions, and determine a preferred solution in consultation with the Town of Milton, Town of Halton Hills, regulatory agencies and the public. This Study is being conducted in compliance with Schedule C of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (October 2000, amended 2007, 2011 and 2015), which is approved under the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*.

Public and review agency consultation is a key element of the MCEA process and input will be sought throughout this study. Details regarding the forthcoming Public Information Centre (PIC) will be advertised as the study progresses. Upon completion of the study, an Environmental Study Report (ESR) will be prepared and placed on the public record for a minimum 30-day review period. The document will detail the planning and consultation process and the preferred alternative.

Comments

Comments received through the course of the study will be considered and documented in the MCEA Study Report. Additional information related to the study and consultation process may be obtained through the website: **halton.ca/EAprojects**



The map shows the approximate limits of the study area.

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May 29, 2017 File: 165010586

Attention: Attention Recipient's Address

Stakeholder Letter/TAC Invitation

Dear Recipient's Name,

Reference: Notice of Study Commencement and Invitation to Participate in Technical Agency
Committee for Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study
Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements
Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, Town of Milton/Halton Hills

Halton Region is initiating a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for Regional Road 25 from Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road in the Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills. The need for additional capacity in the Regional Road 25 Corridor was identified in the Region's Transportation Master Plan – The Road to Change. To address both public safety and the future 2031 travel demand along Regional Road 25, a number of road improvement alternatives will be examined as part of this MCEA Study. Road improvements such as active transportation facilities, intersection operations, as well as structural, drainage, cross-sectional and natural environment requirements will be assessed through the Study.

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- Contact information of individuals that represent your agency or organization that we should include as a potential participant and primary contact throughout the Study;
- Description of the existing conditions or sensitivities within the study area; and
- Specific issues or concerns that your agency or organization may have.

If you or your agency would like to be a member of the TAC, or if you have any questions and/or concerns in relation to this Study, please fill in and return the attached response form to the contact shown either by fax or email by June 23, 2017.

If you decide to become a member of the TAC, you will be invited to participate in two meetings during the course of the Study; one meeting to review the alternative solutions under consideration for the corridor and one meeting to review the alternative design concepts.

Design with community in mind



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Committee for Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements

Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, Town of Milton/Halton Hills

Invitations to attend these TAC meetings will be emailed to TAC members at least two (2) weeks in advance of each meeting.

Upon completion of the Study, an Environmental Study Report (ESR) will be prepared and placed on the public record for a 30-day review period. The ESR will document the planning and design process followed as part of this Study, including how public and agency input was received and considered as part of the process. A Notice of Study Completion will be issued at that stage.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me directly by telephone (519)675-6666 or by email <u>paula.burnard@stantec.com</u>.

Regards,

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Good Morning,

Zayo has no existing plant in the area indicated in your submission. No markup and no objection. Thank you.

Ian Fleming Utility Circulations

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July 10, 2017 (EMAIL ONLY)

Ms. Paula Burnard Senior Environmental Planner Stantec paula.burnard@stantec.com

RE: MTCS file #: 0006856

Proponent: Halton Region

Subject: Notice of Commencement and Technical Agency Committee

Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements

Steeles Avenue to 5 Side Road

Location: Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills, Ontario

Dear Ms. Burnard:

Thank you for providing the Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport (MTCS) with the Notice of Commencement for your project, as well as the invitation to participate in the technical Agency Committee for the project. MTCS's interest in this Environmental Assessment (EA) project relates to its mandate of conserving Ontario's cultural heritage, which includes:

- Archaeological resources, including land-based and marine;
- Built heritage resources, including bridges and monuments; and,
- Cultural heritage landscapes.

Under the EA process, the proponent is required to determine a project's potential impact on cultural heritage resources. The recommendations below are for a Schedule C Municipal Class EA project, as described in the notice of study commencement. If any municipal bridges may be impacted by this project, we can provide additional screening documentation as formulated by the Municipal Engineers Association in consultation with MTCS.

While some cultural heritage resources may have already been formally identified, others may be identified through screening and evaluation. Aboriginal communities may have knowledge that can contribute to the identification of cultural heritage resources, and we suggest that any engagement with Aboriginal communities includes a discussion about known or potential cultural heritage resources that are of value to these communities. Municipal Heritage Committees, historical societies and other local heritage organizations may also have knowledge that contributes to the identification of cultural heritage resources.

Archaeological Resources

Your EA project may impact archaeological resources and you should screen the project with the MTCS <u>Criteria for Evaluating Archaeological Potential</u> to determine if an archaeological assessment is needed. MTCS archaeological sites data are available at <u>archaeology@ontario.ca</u>. If your EA project area exhibits archaeological potential, then an archaeological assessment (AA) should be undertaken by an archaeologist licenced under the *OHA*, who is responsible for submitting the report directly to MTCS for review.

Built Heritage and Cultural Heritage Landscapes

The MTCS <u>Criteria for Evaluating Potential for Built Heritage Resources and Cultural Heritage</u>
<u>Landscapes</u> should be completed to help determine whether your EA project may impact cultural heritage resources. The Clerk/s for the Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills can provide information on property registered or designated under the <u>Ontario Heritage Act</u>. Municipal Heritage Planners can also provide information that will assist you in completing the checklist

If potential or known heritage resources exist, MTCS recommends that a Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA), prepared by a qualified consultant, should be completed to assess potential project impacts. Our Ministry's *Info Sheet #5: Heritage Impact Assessments and Conservation Plans* outlines the scope of HIAs. Please send the HIA to MTCS and the Town of Milton for review, and make it available to local organizations or individuals who have expressed interest in review.

Environmental Assessment Reporting

All technical heritage studies and their recommendations are to be addressed and incorporated into EA projects. Please advise MTCS whether any technical heritage studies will be completed for your EA project, and provide them to MTCS before issuing a Notice of Completion. If your screening has identified no known or potential cultural heritage resources, or no impacts to these resources, please include the completed checklists and supporting documentation in the EA report or file.

Technical Agency Committee

MTCS is interested in participating in the Technical Agency Committee meetings. Please accept my apologies for the delayed response to that request. Please send future meeting invitations to my email address below.

Thank-you for consulting MTCS on this project: please continue to do so through the EA process, and contact me for any questions or clarification.

Sincerely,

Laura Hatcher Heritage Planner laura.e.hatcher@Ontario.ca

Copied to: Jeffrey Reid, Project Manager, Halton Region

It is the sole responsibility of proponents to ensure that any information and documentation submitted as part of their EA report or file is accurate. MTCS makes no representation or warranty as to the completeness, accuracy or quality of the any checklists, reports or supporting documentation submitted as part of the EA process, and in no way shall MTCS be liable for any harm, damages, costs, expenses, losses, claims or actions that may result if any checklists, reports or supporting documents are discovered to be inaccurate, incomplete, misleading or fraudulent.

Please notify MTCS if archaeological resources are impacted by EA project work. All activities impacting archaeological resources must cease immediately, and a licensed archaeologist is required to carry out an archaeological assessment in accordance with the Ontario Heritage Act and the Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists.

If human remains are encountered, all activities must cease immediately and the local police as well as the Cemeteries Regulation Unit of the Ministry of Government and Consumer Services must be contacted. In situations where human remains are associated with archaeological resources, MTCS should also be notified to ensure that the site is not subject to unlicensed alterations which would be a contravention of the Ontario Heritage Act.

From: Kemper, Dean (MTO)
To: Burnard, Paula

Cc: <u>Van Roon, Pauline (MTO)</u>; <u>Siddiqui, Fayyaz (MTO)</u>; <u>Zhou, Miao (MTO)</u>

Subject: RR 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements Class EA

Date: Thursday, June 22, 2017 3:56:03 PM

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Paula:

Here is the form for Fayyaz Siddiqui to participate in your study. I filled it out on his behalf.

Thx Dean Kemper

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Hi Stephanie

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Thanks Paula

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Subject: NEATS 44901 Class EA - Regional Road 25 Improvements from Steeles Ave to 5 Side Road, Milton & Halton Hills

Greetings,

Thank you for your correspondence.

Please note Transport Canada does not require receipt of all individual or Class EA related notifications. We are requesting project proponents to self-assess if their project:

- 1. Will interact with a federal property and/or waterway by reviewing the Directory of Federal Real Property, available at at www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/dfrp-rbif/; and
- 2. Will require approval and/or authorization under any Acts administered by Transport Canada* available at http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/acts-regulations/menu.htm.

Projects that will occur on federal property prior to exercising a power, performing a function or duty in relation to that project, will be subject to a determination of the likelihood of significant adverse envionrmental effects, per Section 67 of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act, 2012.

If the aforementioned does not apply, the Environmental Assessment program should not be included in any further correspondence and future notifications will not receive a response. If there is a role under the program, correspondence should be forwarded *electronically* to: EnviroOnt@tc.gc.ca with a **brief description of Transport Canada's expected role**.

*Below is a summary of the most common Acts that have applied to projects in an Environmental Assessment context:

- Navigation Protection Act (NPA) the Act applies primarily to works constructed or placed in, on, over, under, through, or across scheduled navigable waters set out under the Act. The Navigation Protection Program administers the NPA through the review and authorization of works affecting scheduled navigable waters. Information about the Program, NPA and approval process is available at: http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/programs-621.html. Enquiries can be directed to NPPONT_PPNONT@tc.gc.ca or by calling (519) 383-1863.
- Railway Safety Act (RSA) the Act provides the regulatory framework for railway safety, security, and some of the environmental impacts of railway operations in Canada. The Rail Safety Program develops and enforces regulations, rules, standards and procedures governing safe railway operations. Additional information about the Program is available at: https://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/railsafety/menu.htm. Enquiries can be directed to RailSafety@tc.gc.ca or by calling (613) 998-2985.
- Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act (TDGA) the transportation of dangerous goods by air, marine, rail and road is regulated under the TDGA. Transport Canada, based on risks, develops safety standards and regulations, provides oversight and gives expert advice on dangerous goods to promote public safety. Additional information about the transportation of dangerous goods is available at: https://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/tdg/safety-menu.htm. Enquiries can be directed to TDG-TMDOntario@tc.gc.ca or by calling (416) 973-1868.
- Aeronautics Act Transport Canada has sole jurisdiction over aeronautics, which includes aerodromes and all related buildings or services used for aviation purposes. Aviation safety in Canada is regulated under this Act and the Canadian Aviation Regulations (CARs). Elevated Structures, such as wind turbines and communication towers, would be examples of projects that must be assessed for lighting and marking requirements in accordance with the CARs. Transport Canada also has an interest in projects that have the potential to cause interference between wildlife and aviation activities. One example would be waste facilities, which may attract birds into commercial and recreational flight paths. The Land Use In The Vicinity of Aerodromes publication recommends guidelines for and uses in the vicinity of aerodromes, available at: https://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/civilaviation/publications/tp1247-menu-1418.htm. Enquires can be directed to CASO-SACO@tc.gc.ca or by calling 1 (800) 305-2059 / (416) 952-0230.

Please advise if additional information is needed.

Thank you,

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PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE 1 CORRESPONDENCE











NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE #1

MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, Town of Milton/Town of Halton Hills PR-3130A

Study

Halton Region has initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for Regional Road 25 from Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road in the Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills. The MCEA Study will consider a wide range of road improvement alternatives as well as intersection improvements, active transportation and overall traffic operations. The impact of road improvements on social, cultural, economic and natural environments will also be evaluated and assessed during the study.

Process

The study is being conducted in compliance with Schedule C of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (October 2000, amended 2007, 2011 and 2015), which is approved under the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*.

A key component of the study will be consultation with interested stakeholders (public and regulatory agencies) through Public Information Centres (PIC). The first Public Information Centre has been arranged for:

Date: Thursday, March 8, 2018

Time: Drop-in between 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. **Location:** Bob Rumball Canadian Centre of

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The purpose of the PIC is to review and obtain public input on the problem being addressed, background information and the planning alternatives being considered. Anyone with an interest in this study is invited to attend and participate.

Comments

If you are unable to attend the Public Information Centre and would like to provide comments, please forward them by Friday, March 23, 2018 to either Project Team member. For more information on this project, please visit the project website at **halton.ca/EAprojects**.



The map shows the approximate limits of the Study Area.

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This Notice first issued on February 22, 2018. halton.ca/EAprojects

Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements - Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road Municipal Class Environmental Assessment

Welcome Public Information Centre #1 March 8, 2018

Members of the Project Team are available to discuss and answer any questions you may have.

Please Sign In





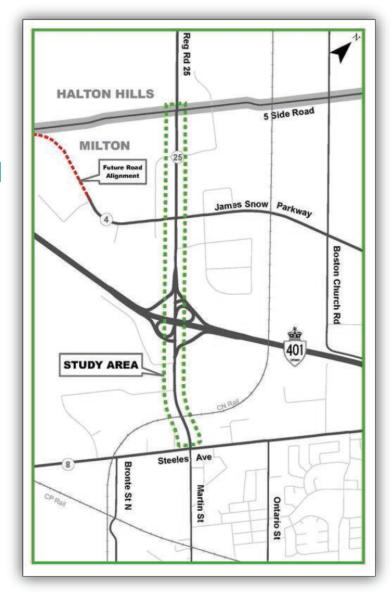




STUDY AREA

Halton Region is carrying out a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor from Steeles Avenue to 5 Side Road in the Town of Milton/ Town of Halton Hills.

- Study area is approximately 3km in length;
- Regional Road 25 serves local and inter-regional travel;
- Two structures are located within the study area:
 - CNR Overpass, north of Steeles Avenue
 - 2. Highway 401 Overpass (currently under construction)













PURPOSE OF THE PIC

The purpose of this Public Information Centre (PIC) is to present and discuss the work completed to date and collect public input on:

- Study process;
- Background information, including the existing socio-economic, cultural and natural environment;
- Traffic analysis and future traffic forecasts;
- Problem and opportunities;
- Planning alternatives considered;
- Factors for analysis and evaluation; and
- Next steps.

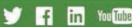
Comment sheets are available and we encourage you to fill one out at the PIC or submit it to the Project Team by

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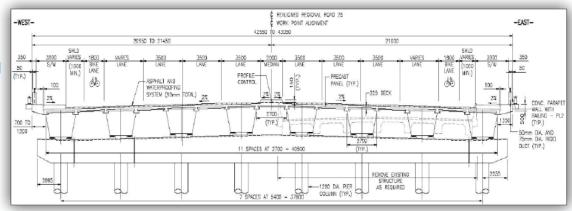


RELATED STUDIES AND PROJECTS

Regional Road 25/Highway 401 Interchange Improvements, Ministry of Transportation (MTO)

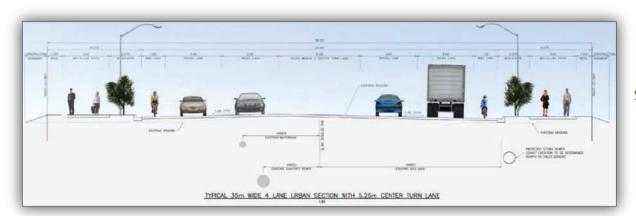
MTO is currently replacing the Regional Road 25 structure over Highway 401 to accommodate 8 core lanes and 4 collector lanes. The new structure will accommodate a future 6 lanes on Regional Road 25 and active transportation facilities (both sides).

Future Regional Road 25 Cross Section over Highway 401



Steeles Avenue Widening and Reconstruction

Construction is ongoing for the widening of Steeles Avenue (2 to 4 lanes), from Industrial Drive to Regional Road 25/Martin Street.



Typical Cross Section Steeles Avenue MCFA







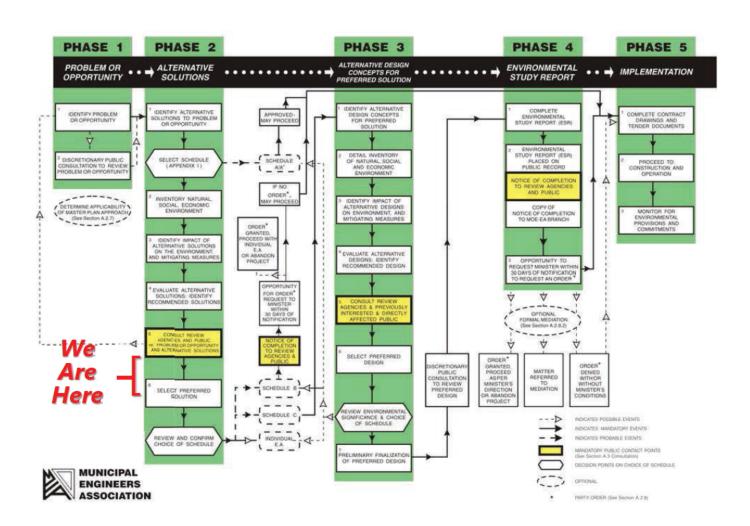




STUDY PROCESS

The Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) is an approved process for planning and designing municipal projects, including roads. The MCEA describes the process that proponents must follow in order to meet the requirements of the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*.

Based on the scope of this project, the Regional Road 25 MCEA Study is being planned as a Schedule 'C' project, which will complete Phases 1 to 4 outlined below.













STUDY SCHEDULE

PHASE 1 Problem/Opportunity

Notice of Study Commencement (June 2017)

PHASE 2 **Alternative Solutions**

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Public Information Centre #1 (Winter 2018)

We Are Here

PHASE 3

Alternative Design Concepts for Preferred Solution

Public Information Centre #2 (Fall 2018)

PHASE 4

Environmental Study Report

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STUDY ORGANIZATION









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BACKGROUND

Halton Region Official Plan (ROPA 38)

- The Official Plan guides the land use planning within Halton Region through the goals, objectives and policies in the plan
- Regional Road 25 is classified as a Major Arterial Road. The purpose of a Major Arterial as defined in the Official Plan are:
 - Serve mainly inter-regional travel demands
 - May serve an Intensification Corridor
 - Accommodate all truck traffic
 - Accommodate higher order transit services and high occupancy vehicle lanes
- Connect Urban Areas in different municipalities
- · Carry high volumes of traffic
- Distribute traffic to and from Provincial Freeways and Highways
- Accommodate active transportation

Halton Region Transportation Master Plan (TMP) to 2031 - The Road to Change

 The TMP identified a need for Regional Road 25 to be widened to 6 travel lanes



Halton Region Active Transportation Master Plan (ATMP) Study to 2031

- On Regional Road 25 (Steeles Avenue to 5 Side Road), the following active transportation facilities are proposed:
 - On-road bike lanes (both sides)
 - Sidewalks (both sides)







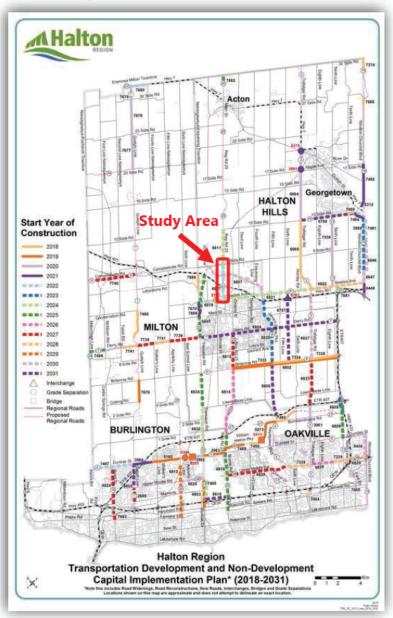






HALTON REGION ROADS CAPITAL PROJECTS

To support the overall growth in Halton Region, the Halton Roads Capital Projects has identified improvements to various roadway infrastructure to 2031. These are being taken into consideration when reviewing the need for improvements on regional read 20.



Note: The Road Capital Projects plan is subject to annual Regional Council review



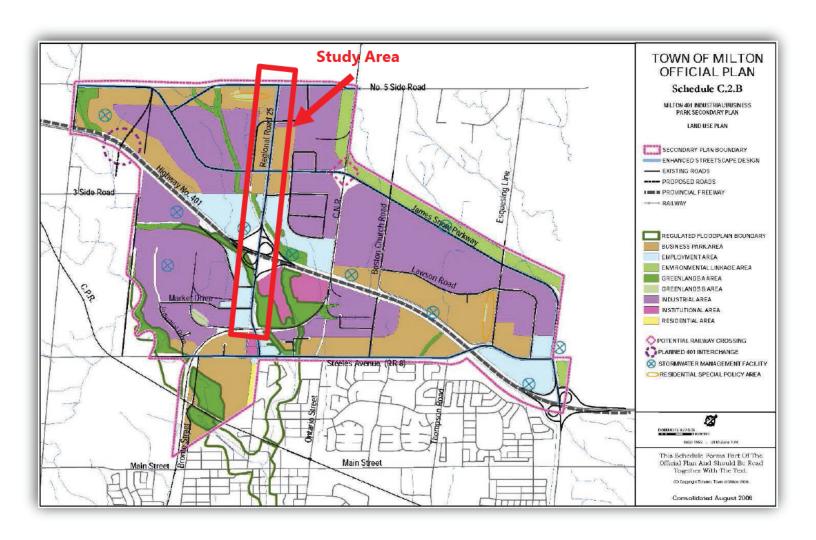


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EXISTING CONDITIONS

Social-Economic Environment

The study area is located within the Milton 401 Industrial/ Business Park Planning Area. Land uses along the corridor include Employment, Industrial, and Institutional.













EXISTING CONDITIONS

Cultural Environment

Built Cultural Heritage/Cultural Heritage Landscapes

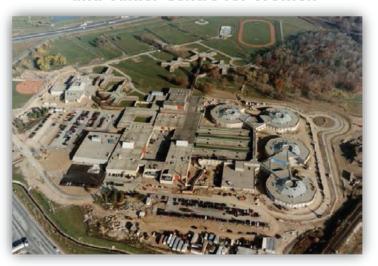
A review of potential built heritage and cultural heritage landscapes within the study area was undertaken. Two heritage resources were identified:

Milton Train Station



- Constructed late 19th / 20th century
- Originally located on Bronte Street North approximately 1.25km south of the current location
- Train Station moved to Unity Park (now Chris Hadfield Park) in 1974 and restored in 1975

Maplehurst Correctional Complex and Vanier Centre for Women



- Opened in September 1975 as one of the first super jails in Ontario
- The complex's buildings, podstyle design, landscape arrangement of circulation routes, and work and recreational areas, are identified heritage attributes











EXISTING CONDITIONS

Cultural Environment

Archaeology

A Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment has been completed along the corridor to identify areas of archaeological potential:

- The majority of the study area is disturbed by previous construction or ditching, with little to no archaeological potential
- Three areas of archaeological potential were identified along the corridor
- A Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment will be required as part of detail design

















EXISTING CONDITIONS

Natural Environment

Natural Heritage Background Data

- One recent record (1987) of a Species at Risk and provincially rare species (Redside Dace) was noted.
- No designated natural features (e.g., Provincially Significant Wetlands) are present within the study area.

Results of Field Investigations

- Cultural woodlands, thickets and meadows are associated with vacant lots, railway embankments and watercourses.
- Wetland vegetation is associated with watercourses and stormwater management facilities.
- Notable species observations include Barn Swallow (threatened), Monarch Butterfly (special concern) and Big Bluestem grass (locally uncommon).













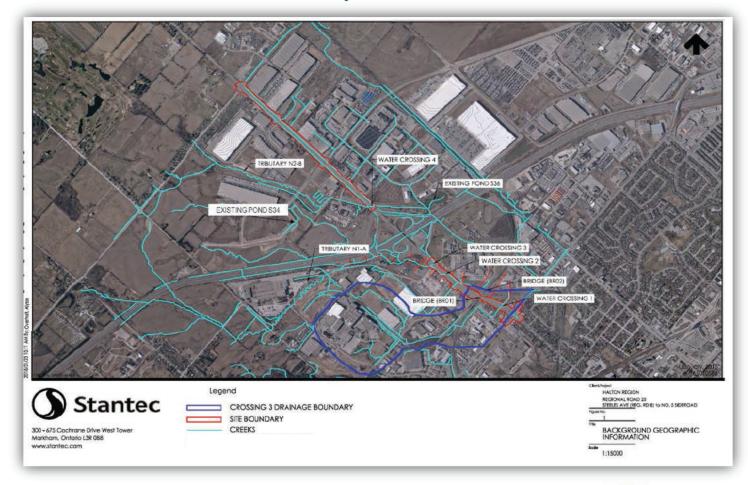
EXISTING CONDITIONS

Stormwater Drainage

The study area contains tributaries and channels of Sixteen Mile Creek that ultimately drain to Lake Ontario.

Two stormwater management ponds in the vicinity of the study area provide quantity and quality control, including:

- S34 southwest of the Regional Road 25/James Snow Parkway intersection
- S36/Milton Pond northeast of the Highway 401/Regional Road 25 intersection
- Road runoff between Highway 401 and 5 Side Road collects via storm sewers on Regional Road 25 and outlets to the Milton Pond
- Road runoff between Highway 401 and Steeles Avenue collects via storm sewers, and drains to a tr.b., and tr.











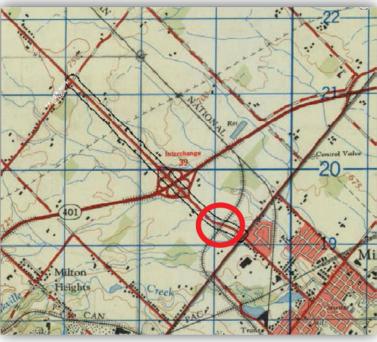


EXISTING CONDITIONS CN Rail Crossing

- The railway line was part of the Grand Truck Railroad until 1923. Canadian National Railways is the current operator. In 1963, a new spur of the line was constructed that carried the railroad over Regional Road 25. The rail spur connects to the main CN line approximately one kilometer south of Steeles Avenue.
- Currently four lanes of traffic, (two in each direction), are accommodated under the overpass.

















TRANSPORTATION

Existing Conditions

- Regional Road 25 is an existing four-lane major arterial road.
- Posted speed limit of 50 km/h between Steeles Avenue and James Snow Parkway, and 70 km/h between James Snow Parkway and 5 Side Road.
- There is a CNR over-pass rail north of Steeles Avenue.
- Daily travel demand ranges between 18,000 (near 5 Side Road) to 34,000 vehicles (near Steeles Avenue).
- Trucks are approximately 8% to 13% of all traffic.

Future Conditions

- Future corridor travel demand to 2031 is predicted to have average peak hour growth rates between approximately 2% and 4% per year.
- Daily travel demand projections for 2031 are estimated to range between 27,000 to 52,000 vehicles:
 - Steeles Avenue to Hwy 401 WB Off-Ramp -49,000 to 52,000 vehicles; and
 - Hwy 401 WB Off-Ramp to 5 Side Road -52,000 to 27,000 vehicles.













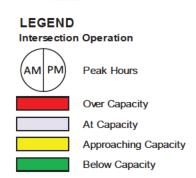
EXISTING AND FUTURE CONDITIONS Transportation

A traffic assessment was completed to understand the operating conditions at the signalized intersections on Regional Road 25 under the following Scenarios

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EXAMPLE: At Steeles Avenue in 2031, the intersection is over-capacity in the PM peak hour

- Under the "Do Nothing" scenario, with no improvements to Regional Road 25, many intersections are projected to operate at or over capacity by 2031.
- Intersection improvements to Regional Road 25 (i.e., widening to 6 lanes) will alleviate capacity issues at major intersections and will support future growth and development.











^{*} Existing conditions represent 2016.

PROBLEM AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Without improvements Regional Road 25 is expected to experience delays during peak periods as travel demand continues to grow by 2031.
- To support future growth and travel demand, improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor are required.
- The improved corridor should support all modes of transportation (i.e. active transportation, transit services, inter-regional travel, agricultural vehicles and goods movement).
- Therefore, Halton Region is carrying out this study to address these requirements in accordance with the MCEA process.







PLANNING ALTERNATIVES

Improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor are required to support existing and future transportation needs while respecting the social, cultural and natural environment. The following Planning Alternatives have been considered.

| Alternatives | Description | Evaluation Summary | Recommendation |
|--|--|---|--|
| Do Nothing | Status quo; only planned improvements will be in place, including the widening of Steeles Avenue, the James Snow Parkway extension, and the Tremaine Road realignment (with interchange) | Does not address needs within the study area | Not recommended for further consideration (for comparison purposes only) |
| Limit Development | Limit development within the Town of Milton/Town of Halton Hills | Future projections have been based on approved future urban area within the Halton Region and local municipal Official Plans | Do not carry forward |
| Travel Demand Management Measures | Measures to manage travel demand, such as carpooling, flexible work hours, telecommute, etc. | On their own, TDM measures do not address the problem, and are part of the Region's overall transportation strategy | Carry forward within overall strategy |
| Improved Transit Service/ Other Modes of Transportation | Continue to support transit services and provide facilities for active transportation use to accommodate pedestrians and cyclists | On their own, these measures do not address the problem, while part of the Region's overall transportation strategy | Carry forward within overall strategy |
| Intersection and/or Operational Improvements | Enhance operations of roadways through minor improvements (i.e. traffic signals, provision of turning lanes, etc.) | On their own, do not address the problem while part of the Region's overall transportation strategy | Carry forward within overall strategy |
| Improvements to Other Roadways | Widen regional roadways in the immediate study area beyond planned improvements (e.g. Steeles Avenue, James Snow Parkway, and Tremaine Road) | Part of the Region's overall transportation strategy (Transportation Master Plan) | Part of overall Regional transportation strategy |
| Improvements to Regional Road 25 | Improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor, including provision for active transportation | Needs identified in Halton Region Transportation Master Plan to support future growth | Carry forward within overall strategy |

A combination of improvements are carried forward as part of the overall improvement strategy.







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FACTORS FOR ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION

The design concepts will be reviewed based on comments received from agencies, stakeholders and members of the public, and evaluated based on the following factors:

Socio-Economic Environment



- Existing and Future Land Uses
- Industrial/Commercial Operations
- Institutional/Recreational Uses
- Potential Property Requirements

- Property Access
- Noise Levels
- Illumination
- Air Quality

Cultural Environment



- Built Cultural Heritage
- Cultural Heritage Landscapes
- Archaeological Resources

Natural Environment



- Vegetation
- Wildlife
- Creek Crossings
- Natural Hazards
- Policy Areas

Transportation



- Corridor Capacity and Operations
- · Intersection Capacity and Operations
- Geometric Standards
- Access Management
- Construction Staging
- Active Transportation

Engineering Considerations



- Structural Requirements (CNR Overpass, Culverts)
- Municipal Services/Utilities
- Construction Staging
- Drainage and Stormwater Management

Preliminary Cost Estimate



- Construction
- Operations and Maintenance
- Utility Relocation











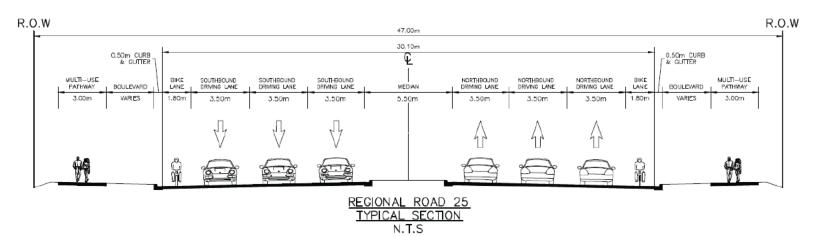


TYPICAL CROSS-SECTION FOR REGIONAL ROAD 25

The proposed cross-section for Regional Road 25 is based on the Region's Right-of-Way Guidelines, as part of the Transportation Master Plan.

The typical cross-section will accommodate the following improvements:

- 47 metre right-of-way
- 6-lane roadway
- Accommodates continuous pedestrian and cycling facilities
 - 3.0 metre multi-use trail (both sides of the road)
 - 1.8 metre exclusive bicycle lane (both sides of the road)
- Opportunity for landscaping within right-of-way









CONSIDERATION FOR DESIGN CONCEPTS

A number of alternative design concepts will be developed to find the 'best-fit' for Regional Road 25 improvements throughout the corridor.

In developing the design concepts, a number of key constraints and design elements will be considered:

- Compatibility with existing and future development, and potential property impacts;
- Access to/from adjacent properties;
- Provision for pedestrians and cyclists;
- Geometric design requirements;
- Intersection and turning lane requirements; and
- Existing structures (including Highway 401, CN Rail).















NEXT STEPS

After this Public Information Centre, the following will be carried out:

- Review and incorporate the input received from the public, review agencies, and Indigenous Communities.
- Confirm preferred alternative solution.
- Develop design alternatives to implement the preferred solution.
- Continue to consult with technical agencies and other stakeholder groups.
- Conduct PIC #2 to receive input on the preferred preliminary design.

Information presented is available on the Region's website:

www.halton.ca/EAprojects

Please Complete a Comment Sheet

Please provide input by completing a Comment Sheet. Completed sheets can either be dropped in the comment boxes or submitted by mail, fax or e-mail to either of the following Project Team members:

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Please provide all comments by Friday March 23, 2018.

Thank You For Attending!







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Subject: Reg Rd. 25 MCEA - Notice of Public Information Centre #1

Date: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 2:17:00 PM

RR 25 PIC #1 Notice (Final).pdf Attachments:

Please see the attached Notice of Public Information Centre (PIC) for the Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements – Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study being undertaken by Halton Region.

The first PIC has been arranged for:

Thursday, March 8, 2018 6:30 - 8:30 pm **Bob Rumball Canadian Centre of Excellence for the Deaf** 7801 5 Side Road, Milton

Please feel free to contact members of the study team identified on the attached Notice if you have any questions.

Regards, Maddie

Maddie Benner

Co-op Student, Transportation and Natural Environment

Direct: 519-432-4211 Stantec Consulting Ltd. 600-171 Queens Avenue London ON N6A 5J7 CA

From: Reid, Jeffrey

To:

Subject: RE: E/A-3130A

Date: Thursday, March 08, 2018 10:27:10 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

From what I understand, you are unable to attend tonight's Public Information Centre (PIC) #1. Below is a link to the project web-page and includes the information being presented.

http://www.halton.ca/cms/One.aspx?portalId=8310&pageId=154353

Thanks,

Jeff

Jeffrey Reid, HBA, C.E.T., LET

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From:

Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 4:04 PM

To: Reid, Jeffrey

Subject: FW: E/A-3130A

Good Afternoon Gentleman,

I will not be able to attend the open house on the 8th of March.

I will provide some preliminary comments.

our properties stay as they are. Our properties were designed with full moves, and need them to maintain due to fuel deliveries, flow of traffic and business viability.

I would expect and think that the next plan is to totally urbanize all the ditches and add sidewalks. As we already have the hydro poles on our side and the fact that we have the gas bar with vehicles close to the road, we would like to see the sidewalk on the west side of 25.

As I didn't have a chance to review any boards, I have no idea what is being proposed at this time.

Thanks for now





Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

Public Information Centre #1 Thursday, March 8, 2018 Bob Rumball Canadian Centre of Excellence for the Deaf, 7801 5 Side Road, Milton

COMMENT SHEET

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PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE 2 CORRESPONDENCE





NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE #2

MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY

Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements
Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, Town of Milton/Town of Halton Hills
PR-3130A

Study

Halton Region is undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for Regional Road 25 from Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road, in the Town of Milton and Town of Halton Hills. The MCEA Study has considered a wide range of road improvement alternatives as well as intersection improvements, active transportation and overall traffic operations. The impact of road improvements on social, cultural, economic and natural environments have been evaluated and assessed during the study.

Process

The study is being conducted in compliance with Schedule C of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (October 2000, amended 2007, 2011 and 2015), which is approved under the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*.

A key component of the study is consultation with interested stakeholders (public and regulatory agencies) through Public Information Centres (PIC). A previous Public Information Centre was held on March 8, 2018.

The final Public Information Centre to present the design concepts, evaluation of alternatives and the recommended preliminary preferred design alternative has been arranged for:

Date: Tuesday, June 11, 2019 **Time:** Drop-in: 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Location: Milton Sports Centre – Meeting Room #2

605 Santa Maria Boulevard

Milton ON, L9T 6J5

Comments

If you are unable to attend the Public Information Centre and would like to provide comments, please forward them by Friday, June 28, 2019 to either Project Team member. For more information on this project, please visit the project website at **halton.ca**.



The map shows the approximate limits of the study area.

Mr. Jeffrey Reid, C.E.T., LET

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This notice first issued May 30, 2019.

Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements – Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

Welcome

Public Information Centre #2 Tuesday, June 11, 2019

Members of the Project Team are available to discuss and answer any questions you may have.

Please Sign In











STUDY AREA

Halton Region is carrying out a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study for improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor from Steeles Avenue to 5 Side Road in the Town of Milton/Town of Halton Hills.

- Study area is approximately 3km in length
- Regional Road 25 serves local and inter-regional travel













PURPOSE OF THE PIC

The purpose of this Public Information Centre (PIC) is to present and discuss the work completed to date and collect public input on:

- Activities since PIC #1 (March 8, 2018);
- Analysis and evaluation of Design Alternatives;
- Identification of Preliminary Preferred Design;
- Proposed improvements on Regional Road 25 corridor to address future travel demand;
- Potential impacts and proposed mitigation; and
- Next steps.

Comment sheets are available and we encourage you to fill one out at the PIC or submit it to the Project Team by **Friday, June 28, 2019**.





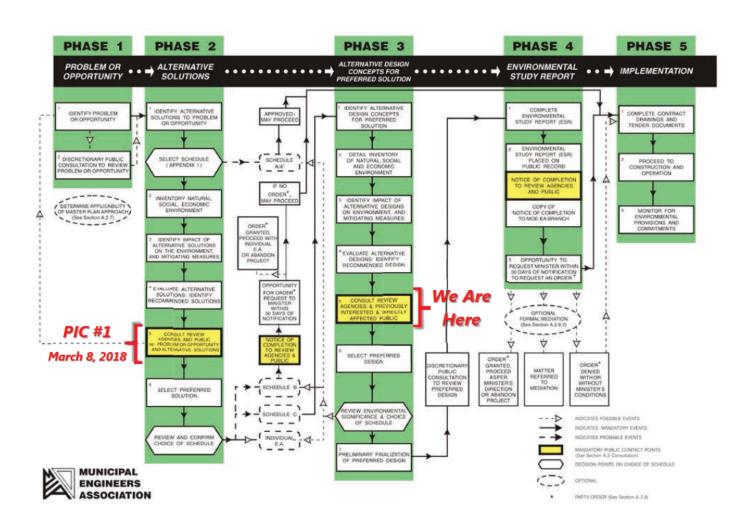




STUDY PROCESS

The Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) is an approved process for planning and designing municipal projects, including roads. The MCEA describes the process that proponents must follow in order to meet the requirements of the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*.

Based on the scope of this project, the Regional Road 25 MCEA Study is being planned as a Schedule 'C' project, which will complete Phases 1 to 4 outlined below.













STUDY SCHEDULE

PHASE 1 Problem/Opportunity

Notice of Study Commencement (June 2017)

PHASE 2 Alternative Solutions **Public Information** Centre #1 (March 8, 2018)

PHASE 3

Alternative Design Concepts for Preferred Solution

Public Information Centre #2 (June 11, 2019)

We Are Here

PHASE 4

Environmental Study Report

File Environmental Study Report (Fall 2019)

STUDY ORGANIZATION









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PROBLEM AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Without improvements Regional Road 25 is expected to experience delays during peak periods as travel demand continues to grow by 2031.
- To support future growth and travel demand, improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor are required.
- The improved corridor should support all modes of transportation and provide improved safety for all road users.
- Therefore, Halton Region is carrying out this study to address these requirements in accordance with the MCEA process.







PLANNING ALTERNATIVES

Improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor are required to support existing and future transportation needs while respecting the social, cultural and natural environment. The following Alternative Solutions have been considered.

| Alternatives | Description | Evaluation Summary | Recommendation |
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| Improvements to Regional Road 25 | Improvements to the Regional Road 25 corridor, including provision for active transportation | Needs identified in Halton Region Transportation Master Plan and Active Transportation Master Plan to support future growth | Carry forward within overall strategy |

A combination of improvements was confirmed to be the preferred alternative solution.





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PIC #1 SUMMARY (March 8, 2018)

Key PIC #1 Comments:

- General understanding and support for the preferred solution
- Support for active transportation facilities along Regional Road 25
- Opportunity to synchronize traffic signals along Regional Road 25

After PIC #1:

- Reviewed and responded to comments
- Confirmed the preferred Alternative Solution
- Developed Design Alternatives to implement the preferred alternative solution
- Consulted with Technical Agencies and Stakeholders
- Identified Preliminary Preferred Design



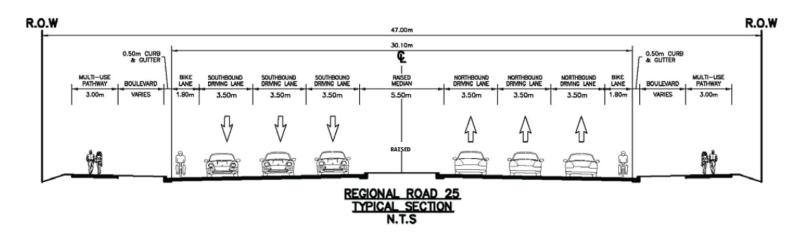




DEVELOPMENT OF DESIGN ALTERNATIVES

The typical cross-section will generally accommodate the following improvements (adjustments as required for "Best Fit"):

- 47 metre right-of-way
- Widening from four to six lanes with raised centremedian
- Continuous pedestrian and cycling facilities
 - 3.0 metre multi-use trail (both sides of the road)
 - 1.8 metre exclusive bicycle lane (both sides of the road)
- Left turns at signals only
- Opportunity for landscaping within right-of-way













DEVELOPMENT OF DESIGN ALTERNATIVES

Consideration was given to the following widening alternatives (four to six lanes) for improvements to Regional Road 25 between Steeles Avenue and 5 Side Road:

- Alternative 1 Widen to the west of existing centerline (holding east property line)
- Alternative 2 Widen to the east of existing centerline (holding west property line)
- Alternative 3 Widen symmetrically on both sides of existing centerline
- Alternative 4 "Best Fit" (combination of Alternates 1, 2 & 3)





DEVELOPMENT OF DESIGN ALTERNATIVES

The design alternatives have been reviewed based on comments received from agencies, stakeholders and members of the public, and evaluated based on the following factors:

Transportation



- Corridor Capacity and Operations
- Intersection Capacity and Operations
- Geometric Standards
- Access Management
- Construction Staging
- **Active Transportation**

Cultural Environment



- **Built Cultural Heritage**
- Cultural Heritage Landscapes
- Archaeological Resources

Socio-Economic Environment



- Existing and Future Land Uses
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Engineering Considerations



- Structural Requirements
- Municipal Services/Utilities
- Construction Staging
- Drainage and Stormwater Management

Preliminary Cost Estimate



- Construction
- Operations and Maintenance
- Utility Relocation











EVALUATION OF DESIGN ALTERNATIVES FOR REGIONAL ROAD 25 WIDENING

The design alternatives have been evaluated based on transportation, cultural, socio-economic, natural environment, engineering considerations and preliminary costs, in order to determine the preferred alternative design.

| | ALTERNATIVE 1 WIDEN TO THE WEST | ALTERNATIVE 2 WIDEN TO THE EAST | ALTERNATIVE 3 WIDEN SYMMETRICALLY | ALTERNATIVE 4 BEST FIT |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transportation | No prefer | ence – all alternatives | meet transportation | objectives |
| Cultural Environment | Moderately Preferred | Moderately Preferred | Most Preferred | Most Preferred |
| Socio-economic Environment | Least Preferred | Least Preferred | Moderately Preferred | Most Preferred |
| Natural Environment | Least Preferred | Least Preferred | Moderately Preferred | Most Preferred |
| Engineering Considerations | Moderately Preferred | Least Preferred | Least Preferred | Most Preferred |
| Preliminary Cost Estimate | Least Preferred | Least Preferred | Most Preferred | Moderately Preferred |
| SUMMARY | NOT RECOMMENDED | NOT RECOMMENDED | NOT RECOMMENDED | RECOMMENDED |

Preliminary Preferred Design:
Widening from 4 to 6 lanes along existing Regional
Road 25 based on a "best fit" design.











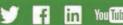
PROPOSED MITIGATION MEASURES

Key highlights include:

- Work with impacted property owners during detailed design
- A Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment will be carried out during detailed design, as required
- Provisions will be made to minimize disruption to cultural landscapes during construction
- Limit encroachment into natural vegetation through design and construction methods
- Minimize removal of vegetation and re-stabilize and re-vegetate disturbed areas following construction
- Vegetation clearing and removal activities to avoid breeding bird period and to avoid direct impacts to wildlife
- Use enhanced erosion and sediment control measures, where required
- Confirm construction staging during detailed design







NEXT STEPS

Following this PIC, the Project Team will:

- Review, address and incorporate comments received on the Preliminary Preferred Design
- Meet with agencies and other stakeholders as required
- Confirm the Preliminary Preferred Design
- Prepare the Environmental Study Report (ESR) which documents the study decision making process and recommendations
- File the Study ESR for a minimum of 30 day review period (Fall 2019)

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Thank you for attending!







From:

Bcc: "Bikram.Dhillon@BVDPetroleum.com"; "chirag@floradesigns.net" Subject: Reg Rd 25 MCEA - Notice of Public Information Centre #2

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2019 3:50:00 PM

Attachments: RR 25 - PIC #2 Notice.pdf

Good afternoon.

On behalf of Halton Region, please see the attached notice for details regarding the upcoming Public Information Centre for the Regional Road 25 Municipal Class Environmental Assessment project.

Tuesday, June 11, 2019 Time: Drop-in 6:30 - 8:30 pm Location: Milton Sports Centre

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you and regards,

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Subject: Reg Rd 25 MCEA - Notice of Public Information Centre #2

Wednesday, May 29, 2019 12:02:00 PM Date:

RR 25 - PIC #2 Notice.pdf Attachments:

Good morning,

On behalf of Halton Region, please see the attached notice for details regarding the upcoming Public Information Centre for the Regional Road 25 Municipal Class Environmental Assessment project.

Tuesday, June 11, 2019 Time: Drop-in 6:30 - 8:30 pm Location: Milton Sports Centre

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you and regards,

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PROPERTY OWNER MEETING CORRESPONDENCE



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From: Reid, Jeffrey

Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 3:48 PM

Subject: Regional Road 25 MCEA Study

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As a follow-up to our meeting last summer (July 11, 2018) the Region would like to meet to review the preliminary preferred alternative for improvements to Regional Road 25. The Region has completed additional design work and have refined the preliminary design adjacent to both 8501 Chudleigh Way and 8470 Regional Road 25.

At our previous meeting we heard your concerns regarding setback, security fencing, guy poles, as well as the your proposed expansion plans at 8470 Regional Road 25. We would like to arrange a meeting with you to review the preliminary preferred alternative, which we believe addresses your concerns.

Would you be available to meet with the Region's Project Team on May 2, 2019.

If this date is not convenient, please let me know and we can arrange for another date at your facility.

Please do not hesitate to call if you would like to discuss.

Thanks, Jeff

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401 Wheelabrator Way Milton ON L9T 3C1

Re: Regional Road 25 Transportation Corridor Improvements

Steeles Avenue (Regional Road 8) to 5 Side Road Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

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8584 Regional Road 25, RR 3 Milton ON L9T 2X7

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April 18, 2019

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