

MUNICIPALITY OF WEST GREY MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR THE LANTZ BRIDGE

NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT



The Municipality of West Grey has initiated a Class **Environmental Assessment** (Class EA) process to consider options associated with the Lantz Bridge (#28) which spans the Saugeen River along Concession 2 WGR, located approximately 2.5 km northwest of the community of Durham (as shown on the accompanying key plan). Recent inspections of the structure have identified significant deterioration with many bridge components. The Municipality is considering all reasonable options including, but not limited to: 1) Replacement of the existing steel truss bridge with a new two lane bridge in the

same or new alignment, 2) Replacement of the existing steel truss bridge with a single lane bridge in the same or new alignment or 3) Repair or rehabilitation of the existing bridge.

THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PROCESS: The planning for this project is following the planning process established for Schedule 'B' activities under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) document. Schedule 'B' projects are approved subject to the completion of a screening process. The purpose of the screening process is to identify potential environmental impacts associated with the proposal and to plan for appropriate mitigation of any impacts. The process includes consultation with the public, First Nation and Métis communities, stakeholders and review agencies. This notice is being issued to advise of the start of study investigations. There will be additional opportunities for public input and involvement as the study progresses.

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT: Public input and comments are invited for incorporation into the planning and design of this project and will be received until July 27, 2020. Any comments collected in conjunction with the study, will be maintained on file for use during the project and may be included in project documentation. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record. For further information regarding this project, please contact the project engineers: B.M. Ross and Associates: 62 North Street, Goderich, Ontario, N7A 2T4. Telephone (Toll Free): (888) 524-2641. Fax: (519) 524-4403. Lisa Courtney, Environmental Planner (e-mail: locurtney@bmross.net), within 30 days from the date of this Notice

This Notice Issued June 25, 2020 Vance Czerwinski, Director of Infrastructure & Public Works

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