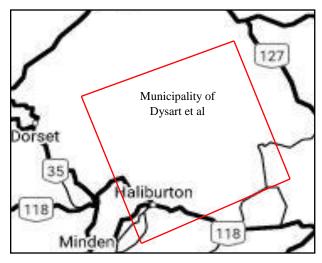


NOTICE OF PROJECT COMMENCEMENT

CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Municipality of Dysart et al Septage Management Study

The Municipality of Dysart et al is undertaking a Schedule B Class Environmental Assessment (EA) Study to establish the preferred approach for providing septage and holding tank waste disposal services to the residents of the Municipality. The Village of Haliburton, within the Municipality of Dysart et al, is serviced by a wastewater treatment system. Residents outside of the village collect and dispose of septage and holding tank waste using private haulers. In 2004, septage has was been identified as a threat of potential concern by the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change (MOECC). Under the recent nutrient management initiative, the government of Ontario is planning to ban land application of untreated holding tank and septic tank waste. Consequently, the Municipality needs to examine alternative solutions for the disposal of septage and holding tank waste.



This study is being carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015). A key component of the study will being consultation with agencies, residents and interested stakeholders. There will be opportunities for public input and comment throughout the Class EA process. Public Information Centres (PICs) will be scheduled during the course of the study. A notice of PIC will be advertised in advance of each public meeting. The purpose of the PIC will be to review and provide comment on the problem statement for the study, the potential alternative solutions and the preferred alternative(s).

As the study progresses, information will also be posted on the Municipality's website at: www.dysartetal.ca

Comments Invited

Public input and comments are invited for incorporation into the Class EA process. Upon completion of the study, a Project File Report will be prepared, summarizing the assessment process, and will be available for public review and comment for a period of 30 days.

If you have any questions or comments, wish to receive additional information on the study, or wish to be added to the mailing list to receive further notifications of the study, please contact either of the following study team members:

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Information will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record. This Notice first issued on July 27, 2017.

