





Notice of Study Commencement **City of Hamilton** Water, Wastewater and Stormwater (W/WW & SW) Master Plans

What is this Study All About?

The City of Hamilton has initiated a strategic and comprehensive growth planning and infrastructure master planning study to provide



a basis for decision making to shape the City's future growth. The study will determine the short and long-term water, wastewater and stormwater infrastructure needs to support growth to the year 2051. The integrated Master Plans will:

- Provide a strategic vision for the next 30 years to accommodate future growth, and ensure safe, clean drinking water and environmental protection
- Ensure safe, sustainable and optimized water and wastewater services
- Provide a business case for the need, timing and cost of water, wastewater and stormwater infrastructure in an integrated process

How is this Study Being Undertaken? This study is being undertaken in accordance with Approach #2

of the Master Planning process as set out in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) (October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 and 2015), which is an approved process under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act. This approach involves the preparation of a master study document at the conclusion of Phases 1 and 2 of the Class EA process where the level of investigation, consultation and documentation will satisfy the planning requirements for Schedule A, A+ and B projects and provide the basis for future investigations of any identified C projects.

The City wishes to ensure that anyone with an interest in this study

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How can I Participate in this Study?

has the opportunity to be involved and to provide input. To better engage City residents and stakeholders in ongoing projects and initiatives, the City of Hamilton has launched "Engage Hamilton"; an interactive online space dedicated to public engagement. All project news, updates and public participation will take place via the Engage Hamilton site: engage.hamilton.ca/wwsmasterplan. Questions and comments regarding the project are encouraged.

hamilton.ca/wwsmasterplan. If you wish to submit comments or would like to be added to the project mailing list for future project notifications, please contact:

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during the Class EA process will become part of the public record of the study.