

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

### Conservation Ontario Class Environmental Assessment

#### Teeterville Dam

**The Study:** The Long Point Region Conservation Authority (LPRCA), through their consultant Montrose Environmental (Montrose) (formerly Matrix Solutions Inc.) is undertaking a Conservation Ontario Class Environmental Assessment (CO Class EA) for the Teeterville Dam, located within Norfolk County, within the Hamlet of Teeterville. A Dam Safety Review (DSR) of the structure, commissioned by the LPRCA and completed in 2016, categorized the structure as having a “Low Hazard Potential” for both Sunny Day and Flood conditions. While minor issues were identified in regard to the earthen embankment portion of the dam, the concrete control dam elements failed to meet standard safety criteria and represents a risk of failure.

The LPRCA is completing this CO Class EA to assess various options to addressing the structural deficiencies identified in the DSR, and to meet their requirements with respect to water management, public safety, dam failure, natural heritage, fish and wildlife and recreational considerations. The project is being carried out under the guidance of the CO Class EA for Remedial Flood and Erosion Control Works document and, as such, includes a thorough characterization of the project environment and a broad program of consultation.

**Public Information Centre:** A key component of the EA process is consultation with interested stakeholders (public, landowners and agencies). As part of this study, consultation is being undertaken, and your participation is encouraged. An initial Public Information Centre (PIC) is planned to share the study background, explain the EA process, outline existing environmental conditions, and outline the various alternative solutions being considered.

#### Public Information Centre

Wednesday, February 19, 2025

Drop-in format from 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Simcoe Recreation Center (Norfolk Meeting Room)

182 South Drive, Simcoe, ON

<https://www.lprca.on.ca/teeterville-dam-class-environmental-assessment/>

A second PIC will be held later this Spring to present the evaluation of alternative solutions and the selection of a preferred approach.

**We’d like to hear from you:** Your input is important to us and can shape the project decision. We invite you to join our upcoming PIC to learn more about the project, the alternative solutions, ask our team questions and provide feedback. If you are unable to attend the PIC, the presentation boards will be made available on the project website. To submit a comment or question via email please contact one of the representatives below:

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Please note that comments will be maintained for reference throughout the project and will become part of the public record. Under the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Environmental Assessment Act, any personal information such as name, address, and telephone number included in a submission will become part of the public record unless the comments specifically request that such personal details not be included in the public record.