



**TOWN OF TECUMSEH
IMPROVEMENTS TO MANNING ROAD
RIVERSIDE DRIVE EAST TO ST. GREGORY'S ROAD
CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT**



Notice of Commencement and Public Information Centre

The Town of Tecumseh is initiating the planning and design of corridor improvements on Manning Road from Riverside Drive East to north of St. Gregory's Road. Dillon Consulting Limited has been retained to assist the Town in this undertaking. The opportunity to improve this portion of Manning Road arises from the proposed enclosure of the open roadside drain (East Townline Drain) and replacement of the existing pump station outlet, which are being planned and designed separately under the *Ontario Drainage Act*. These drainage improvements will allow for an urban cross section that accommodates pedestrians, cyclists and urban design features to create an aesthetically pleasing gateway.

This project is proceeding in accordance with the planning and design process for a Schedule C project, as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association's *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (2007)*. The Class EA process involves the collection and integration of input from various engineering, social, and scientific studies, as well as public and agency consultation. Improvements to the East Townline Drain within this Manning Road corridor are being completed separately under the *Ontario Drainage Act*.

PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE NO. 1

Public Information Centre (PIC) No. 1 will be held to provide information on this project and to obtain public and agency feedback, as follows:

Date: Monday, June 22, 2009
Time: 4:00pm until 8:00pm (Drop-in/open house format)
Location: Town of Tecumseh Municipal Offices
Council Chambers
917 Lesperance Road

Representatives from the Town of Tecumseh and the consultant's project team will be available during this time to discuss this project and to answer questions.

A second public information centre will be held in several months to present the recommended design of the improvements. Upon completion, an Environmental Study Report will be available for public review and comments. Advertisements will be published at these times.

PUBLIC COMMENTS INVITED

There is an opportunity at any time during this project for interested persons to review outstanding issues and bring concerns to the attention of the project team. Information collected will be used 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.

For further information or to be added to the mailing list, please contact:

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