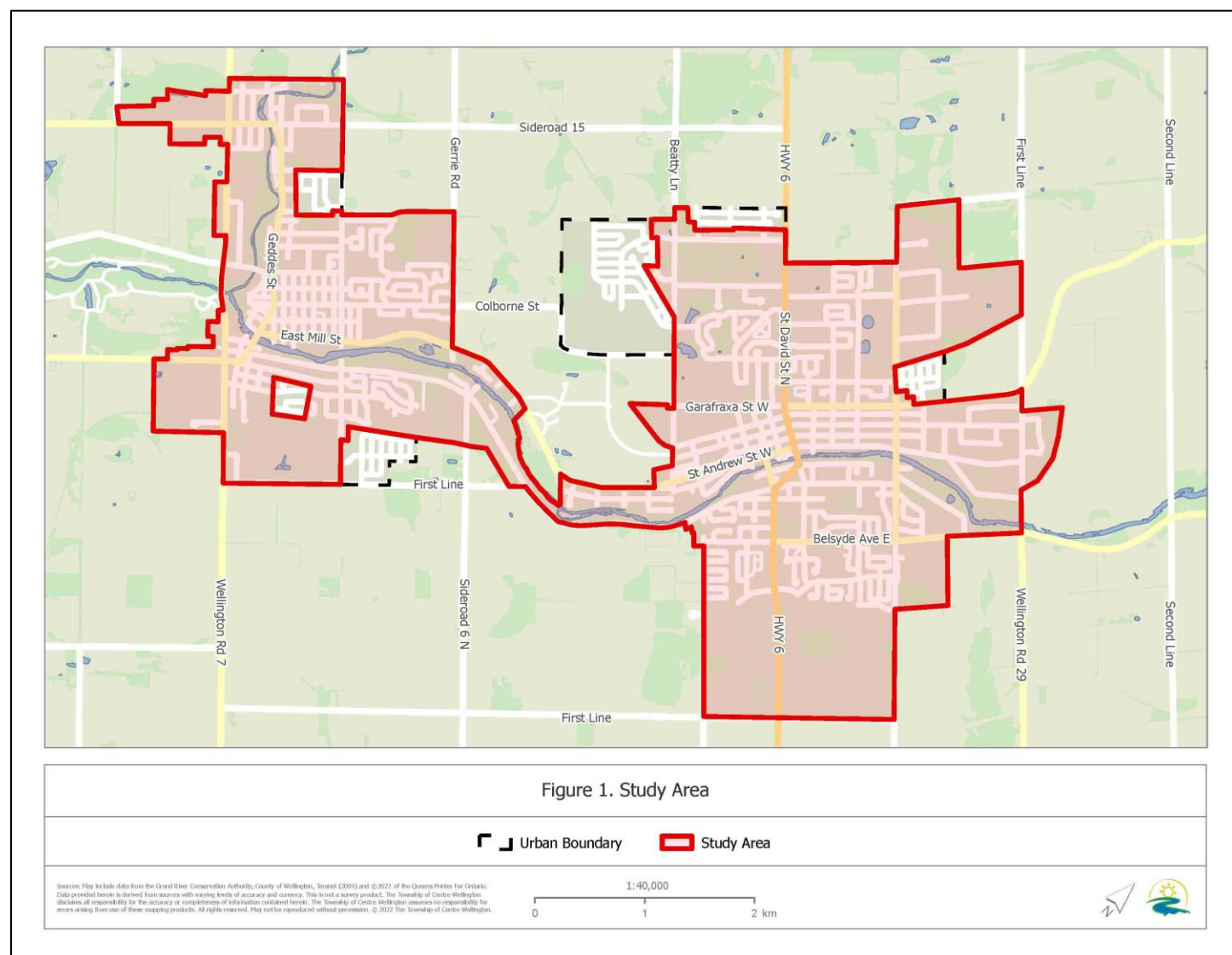


Notice of Public Information Centre #1 Stormwater Management Master Plan for the Township of Centre Wellington

The Project

The Township of Centre Wellington has initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study to prepare a Stormwater Management Master Plan for the communities of Fergus and Elora to ensure that stormwater (runoff generated by rainfall and snowmelt) is effectively managed. This assessment will help identify the capacities and constraints of the existing stormwater management system, evaluate opportunities to improve conveyance and water quantity and quality control, and provide short- and long-range planning alternatives to improve the Township's stormwater infrastructure including an implementation plan. The Study Area for this assessment is shown below:



The Study Process

This Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study is being carried out in accordance with the requirements for Master Plans as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association's Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) document (October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015). This study will address Phases 1 and 2 of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

process to identify any problems or opportunities within the Stormwater Management System, identify alternative solutions and establish preferred solutions.

You are Invited to Participate

A key component of this Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study is consultation with the Indigenous Communities, the public, government agencies and interested stakeholders. Two (2) Public Information Centres are planned to share study information and to provide an opportunity to receive feedback on the study finding and recommendations. At this time, the Township is planning to host Public Information Centre (PIC) #1. The intent of this event is to share preliminary findings of this study and gather feedback on the key areas of concerns within the Township, as it relates to stormwater management. This PIC is being hosted in two formats:

In-person Open House: The Township will be hosting “Key Projects Open House” on Thursday, October 19, 2023, from 6pm – 8 pm at the Centre Wellington Community Sportsplex. Interested individuals are invited to attend this event where they will have the opportunity to meet with staff and team members on major Township projects and initiatives, including the Stormwater Management Master Plan Study Team.

Virtual Information: In addition to the in-person event, a project presentation package will be made available on Township’s community engagement platform, Connect CW, starting October 19, 2023. Interested individuals are invited to review this information on their own time and submit any comments by November 2, 2023. The project presentation package and online comment form will be available on: <https://www.connectcw.ca/swm-master-plan>

Alternatively, you may contact one of the Project Team Members identified below to submit any questions or comments:

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