



Notice of Public Information Centre #2

Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study for Bridges 1-P, 28-P, 30-P, 32-P & 33-P

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You Are Invited!

The Township of Centre Wellington welcomes your attendance at the second Public Information Centre (PIC) meeting for the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study for Bridges 1-P, 28-P, 30-P, 32-P & 33-P. This PIC will present project information to the community and stakeholders and will be an avenue for you to provide your comments relating to the role of these structures within the local community.

Date & Time: December 6, 2023, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Location: Bethel Mennonite Church, 6772 8th Line W., Elora, ON N0B 1S0

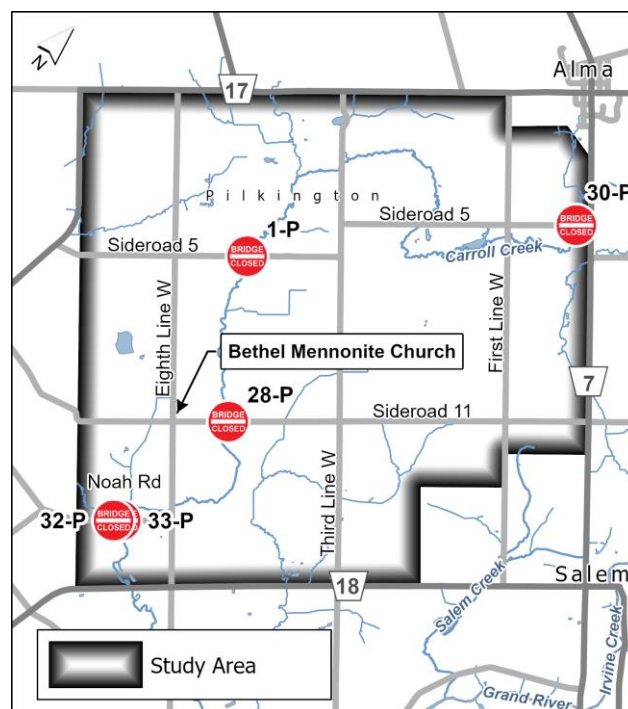
The Project

The Township of Centre Wellington has initiated a Schedule 'B' Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) to evaluate options and select a preferred alternative for five (5) bridge structures (Structures 1-P, 28-P, 30-P, 32-P & 33-P) within the former Township of Pilkington. The structures are currently closed to vehicular traffic due to their deteriorated state. This study is evaluating the role of these structures within the overall transportation network and connectivity in the local community and determine the most suitable alternative at each location.

The locations of the structures are shown in the key plan herein.

The Study Process

An evaluation to review which bridges, if any, should be reopened is underway. The evaluation is being conducted in accordance with the planning and design processes for Schedule 'B' projects, as outlined in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (2023), which is approved under the Environmental Assessment Act. The preferred alternatives resulting from the preliminary findings of the study will be presented at this Public Information Centre. The preliminary findings to be presented are subject to final analysis and input from the public, agencies and Indigenous communities. At the conclusion of the Study, a Project File Report will be prepared for public review.



Consultation and Input

At the PIC, the preliminary evaluation and preferred alternatives will be provided, and attendees will have the opportunity to direct any comments or questions related to the project directly to the Project Team.

If you are unable to attend the PIC, a webpage containing study information is available. An online forum will be made available at this webpage from **December 6th to 21st, 2023** to allow stakeholders to share, collaborate, exchange ideas and learn more about this project. To access the online forum and review ongoing project updates, visit the webpage at:

<https://www.connectcw.ca/centre-wellington-5-bridge-eas-in-former-pilkington-township>

If you have questions or comments regarding the study, or would like to be included on the mailing list to receive future notices and study updates, please contact one of the Project Team members below:

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