



NOTICE OF COMPLETION

Empey Street Wastewater Pumping Station Upgrades Municipal Class Environmental Assessment

The Study

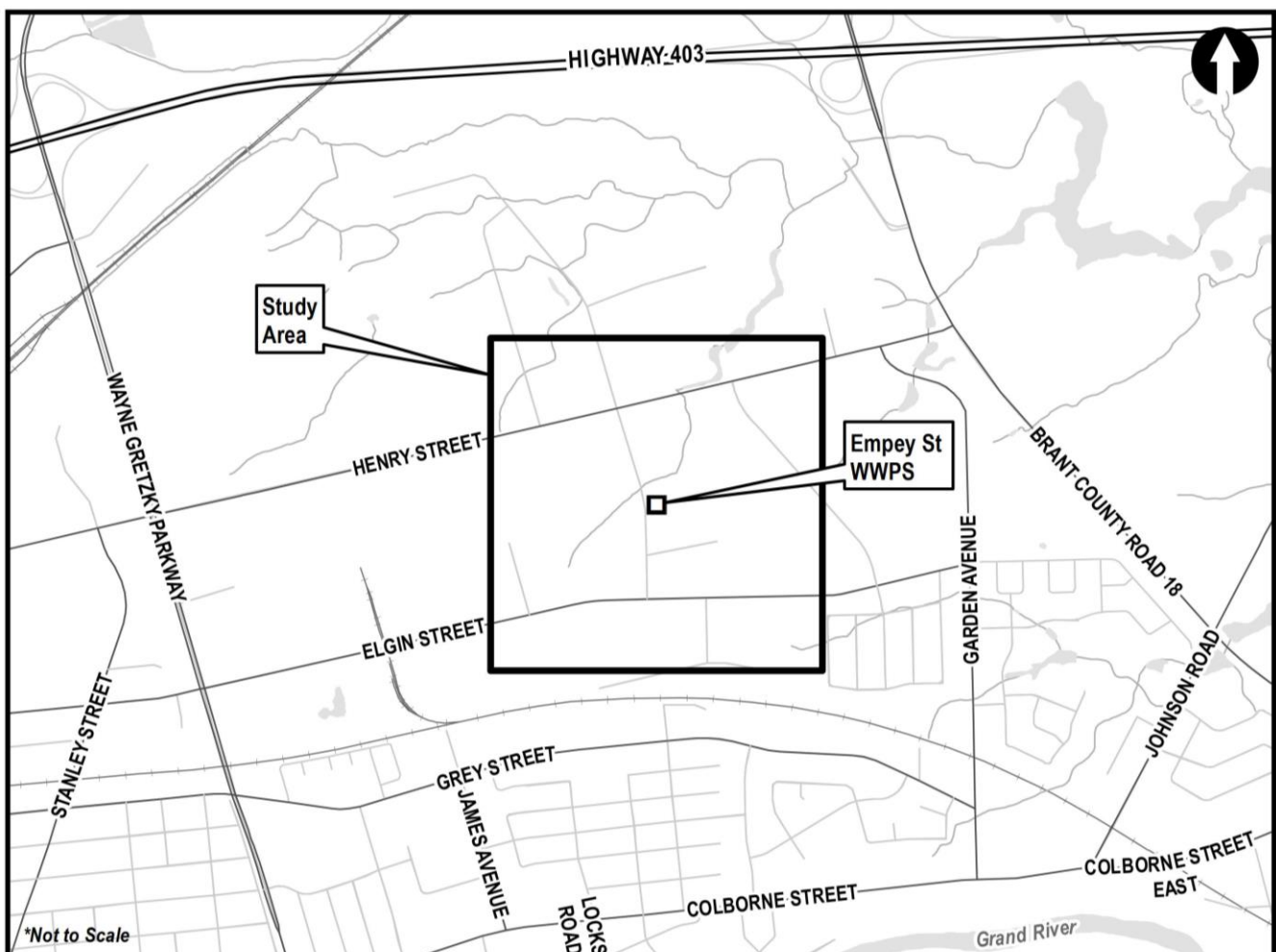
The City of Brantford has completed a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) for the upgrades to the Empey Street Wastewater Pumping Station (WWPS). The need for increasing the capacity of the Empey Street WWPS was identified in the recent City of Brantford Water, Wastewater and Stormwater Master Servicing Plan Update and is required to meet planned growth.

The Study evaluated various alternatives for the WWPS. The preferred solution is to upgrade the existing Empey Street WWPS on site. The project will also incorporate new emergency storage tank and other upgrades to the existing WWPS necessary to meet future service area demands. All works will be constructed on the Empey WWPS property and within the existing road right of ways.

The Process

The Study has been completed in accordance with Phases 1 and 2 of the Schedule 'B' Municipal Engineers Association "Municipal Class Environmental Assessment," (October 2000, as amended in 2015) planning process which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

Study Area



How to Review the Project File

The Project File documenting the MCEA planning process is available for public review and comment for a period of 30 calendar days starting on **November 24, 2022** and ending on **December 24, 2022**. To facilitate public review of this document, the Project File report is available on the City's website: brantford.ca/EmpeyWWPS. All comments and concerns should be sent directly to the Project Managers:

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In addition, a Section 16 Order request may be made to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks for an order requiring a higher level of study (i.e., requiring an individual/comprehensive EA approval before being able to proceed), or that conditions be imposed (e.g., require further studies), only on the grounds that the requested order may prevent, mitigate or remedy adverse impacts on constitutionally protected Aboriginal and treaty rights. Requests on other grounds will not be considered. Requests should include the requester contact information and full name.

Requests should specify what kind of order is being requested (request for conditions or a request for an individual/comprehensive environmental assessment), how an order may prevent, mitigate or remedy potential adverse impacts on Aboriginal and treaty rights, and any information in support of the statements in the request. This will ensure that the Ministry is able to efficiently begin reviewing the request.

The request should be sent in writing or by email by **December 24, 2022** to both contacts below:

**Minister of the Environment,
Conservation and Parks**
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Conservation and Parks
777 Bay Street, 5th Floor
Toronto, Ontario M7A 2J3
email: minister.mecp@ontario.ca

**Director, Environmental
Assessment Branch**
Ministry of Environment,
Conservation and Parks
135 St. Clair Avenue West, 1st Floor
Toronto, Ontario M4V 1P5
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Requests should also be copied to the City of Brantford Project Manager by mail or by e-mail. Please visit the Ministry's website for more information on requests for orders under Section 16 of the Environmental Assessment Act at: ontario.ca/page/class-environmental-assessments-section-16-order.

All personal information included in your request – such as name, address, telephone number and property location – is collected, under the authority of Section 30 of the Environmental Assessment Act and maintained for the purpose of creating a record that is available to the general public. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record of the Study.

This notice first issued on November 17, 2022.