



CTC SOURCE
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DRINKING WATER
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TORONTO AND REGION SOURCE PROTECTION AUTHORITY

September 7, 2012

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FOR THE ATTENTION OF COUNCIL Deadline for Comment – October 8, 2012

FINAL Consultation on the CTC Proposed Source Protection Plan Pursuant to the *Clean Water Act, 2006*, and *Ontario Regulation 287/07*

Final Public Consultation on the CTC Proposed Source Protection Plan is scheduled for September 7th through October 8th, 2012. You are receiving this notice as all or part of your municipality is located within the CTC Source Protection Region, which is comprised of the following Source Protection Areas: Credit Valley, Toronto and Region, and Central Lake Ontario.

The Source Protection Plan

Under the *Clean Water Act, 2006*, the CTC Source Protection Committee (SPC) must develop policies which address significant drinking water threat activities which are or could be present in vulnerable areas around municipal drinking water supplies. The SPC may also develop policies to address low and moderate drinking water threats. These areas and the threats have been identified in the previously prepared and provincially approved Assessment Report for each Source Protection Area.

Public Consultation

The respective Source Protection Authorities must now consult with municipalities, other implementing bodies and persons who commented previously on the CTC Draft Proposed Source Protection Plan during the first public consultation (March 19 to May 1, 2012). The second period of public consultation is scheduled for September 7th through October 8th, 2012.

Please find enclosed digital copies of the CTC Proposed Source Protection Plan. Also included are high resolution versions of the maps where policies may apply and the Explanatory Document. The Explanatory Document provides the rationale behind the policy development and a summary of how the comments received during the first public consultation were considered by the CTC SPC. You may also view this material on the CTC website www.ctcswp.ca. If you have any questions, please contact CTC staff noted below. Comments on the Proposed Source Protection Plan can be submitted by staff or by Council resolution (preferred).

Comments on the Proposed Source Protection Plan must be submitted **in writing by October 8, 2012 5:00 pm.**

Address comments to:

Chair, Source Protection
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Should you or your Council require further information, please discuss your needs with your municipal representative, Don Goodyear or contact staff at 416-661-6600 extension 5752 or email sourcewater@trca.on.ca and they will be please to provide you with the necessary information.

The CTC Proposed Source Protection Plan and Explanatory Document will be submitted to the Minister of Environment by October 22, 2012, along with any resolutions from council and comments received in the second public consultation, for his approval decision.

Yours truly,



Gerri Lynn O'Connor, Toronto and Region SPA Chair

Cc:

Don Goodyear, SPC member
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Attachment package enclosed to clerk only