

# TOWN OF ST. MARYS NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

## FUTURE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL NEEDS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

The Town of St. Marys has completed their "Future Solid Waste Disposal Needs Environmental Assessment". As required under section 6.2(1) of the Environmental Assessment Act and according to the terms of reference approved by the Minister of the Environment on December 29, 2014, the Town of St. Marys has submitted its environmental assessment to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks for review and approval.

### THE STUDY

The Town of St. Marys (Town) and R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited (Consultant) have prepared an Individual Environmental Assessment (EA) under the Environmental Assessment Act for the identification and selection of a preferred solid waste disposal option. This involved a review of options to manage solid waste over the next 40 years. The preferred alternative is to expand the existing landfill at 1221 Water Street South. We have also reviewed alternative methods of site expansion and have determined a combined vertical and horizontal expansion of the St. Marys landfill is preferred.

### PUBLIC REVIEW

As required under the Environmental Assessment Act, the environmental assessment will be available for public review and comment from August 13, 2021 to October 1, 2021. You may review the environmental assessment at the following locations:

1. Town of St. Marys, Municipal Operations Centre  
408 James Street South, St. Marys, ON N4X 1B6  
519-284-2340,  
Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
2. St. Marys Public Library  
15 Church St. N., St. Marys, ON, N4X 1B4  
519-284-3346  
Monday to Thursday, 10:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Friday, 10:30 am. to 5:00 p.m.  
Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
3. Online at [www.townofstmarys.com/LandfillEA](http://www.townofstmarys.com/LandfillEA)

Please call numbers provided to confirm any COVID-19 capacity restrictions before arriving. Pre-arranged appointments are recommended.

### COMMENTS

Anyone wishing to provide comments on the environmental assessment must submit their comments to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks by October 1, 2021. All comments must be submitted to:

**Kendrick Doll, Special Project Officer (A)**  
Environmental Assessment Branch  
135 St Clair Ave W, Toronto, ON M4V 1P5  
Phone: 289-980-0466  
Email: [kendrick.doll@ontario.ca](mailto:kendrick.doll@ontario.ca)

A copy of all comments will be forwarded to the Town of St. Marys for its consideration.

If you have any questions or need further information about this project, please contact either:

**Dave Blake, C.E.T.**  
The Corporation of the Town of St. Marys  
408 James Street South, PO Box 998  
St. Marys ON N4X 1B6  
Phone: 519-284-2340 Ext. 209  
Email: [dblake@town.stmarys.on.ca](mailto:dblake@town.stmarys.on.ca)

**James Hollingsworth, P.Eng.**  
R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited  
1465 Pickering Parkway, Suite 200  
Pickering ON L1V 7G7  
Phone: 289-545-1051  
Email: [St.Marys.Waste.EA@rjburnside.com](mailto:St.Marys.Waste.EA@rjburnside.com)

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