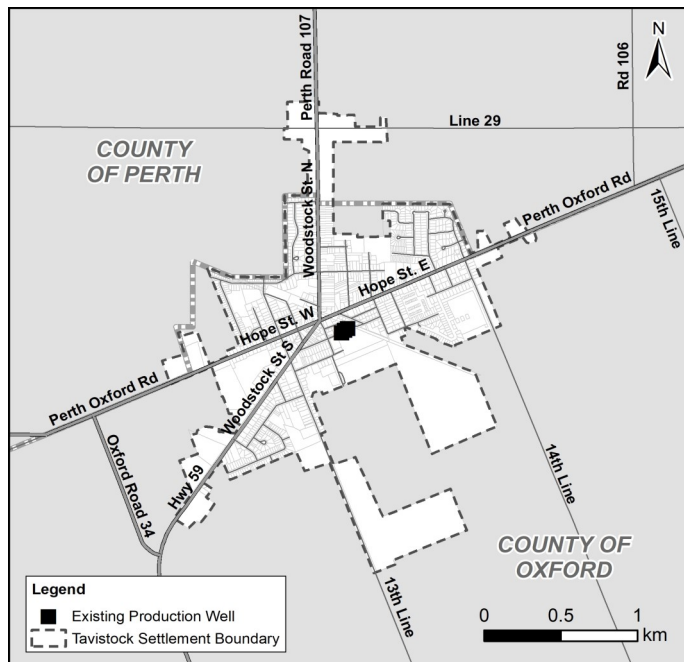


Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

New Well Supply, Tavistock



THE STUDY

The Village of Tavistock currently receives water services from three wells located within the Centre of the Village, near Queen's Park. Oxford County is initiating a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) Study to explore potential opportunities for a new well supply to improve the security and supply of drinking water for the community.

THE PROCESS

This notice signals the commencement of the Municipal Class EA Study, a study which will define the problem, identify and evaluate alternative solutions, and develop a preferred design and location for a new well supply, in consultation with adjacent property owners, regulatory agencies, Indigenous communities, members of the local business community and the public.

The Class EA Study is being planned in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule C projects as outlined in the *Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Document* (2000, as amended 2007, 2011, 2015), which is an approved process under *Ontario's Environmental Assessment Act*.

COMMENTS INVITED

Consultation with stakeholders is a key component of the study process and input will be sought throughout the Study. You can get involved by:

- Contacting a member of the project team to be added to the study's mailing list or provide comments;
- Attending Public Consultation Centres (PCCs) during the study to review information and provide feedback on the Study. Notices regarding the date, location, and opportunities to participate in the PCCs will be published and distributed prior to each event. Considering the current physical distancing measures due to COVID-19, PCCs may be held online.

Comments received will be considered and documented in an Environmental Study Report. Additional information on the project will be available at www.oxfordcounty.ca/projects-studies.

If you would like more information, or would like to be added to the study's mailing list, please reach out to one of the project team members listed below:

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