



Water, Wastewater, Drainage, Transportation Master Plans

NOTICE OF COMPLETION

The City of Barrie has completed the six Master Plans under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Master Planning Process:

- Water Supply Master Plan
- Water Storage and Distribution Master Plan
- Wastewater Treatment Master Plan
- Wastewater Collection Master Plan
- Drainage Master Plan
- Transportation Master Plan

The Master Plans follow the planning process outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment document (October 2000, amended in 2007, 2011 and 2015). The Master Plans inform the City of Barrie of recommendations aimed at expanding and improving its water, wastewater, transportation and drainage infrastructure to meet the demands of the City's future population and employment. This was achieved through a combination of review of existing conditions, modeling, outreach, and collaboration to determine the long-term needs and priorities of the City.

The associated Schedule A, A+, B and C projects have been recommended as part of the study to accommodate the projected growth and are documented in the Master Plans and available on the City of Barrie website at barrie.ca → City Hall → Environmental Assessment Studies.

With Schedule A and A+ projects being pre-approved, this Notice of Completion only pertains to the Schedule B projects. Schedule C projects will have further public consultation components in the future associated with subsequent phases under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process.

The Master Plans have been conducted under Approach #2 of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process. The project included Public Information Centres where the public and stakeholders could provide comments on the project details and recommendations. Public and review agency comments received have been considered in the development of the recommended networks and infrastructure improvements. The Master Plans and a list of the Schedule A, A+, B and C projects have been placed in the public record for review and the documents are available during regular business hours on the City of Barrie website at barrie.ca → City Hall → Environmental Assessment Studies. If you wish to view a paper copy, please make an appointment with Tom Reeve using the contact information below.

Questions or concerns related to the above noted Master Plans or recommendations may be directed to Tom Reeve, within thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this notice:

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If concerns arise that cannot be resolved with the City of Barrie, a person or party may request that the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks make an Order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act (referred to as a Part II Order), which addresses individual environmental assessments. Part II Orders cannot be submitted in respect of the Master Plan itself, but must be made in respect to individual Schedule B projects listed in association with this notice. Requests must be received by the Minister at the address provided below within thirty (30) calendar days of this notice being issued. More information on making a Part II Order request, including the Part II Order request form, can be found at: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/class-environmental-assessments-part-ii-order>.

If no requests are received, the City of Barrie, upon receipt of necessary approvals from the provincial ministry, plans to proceed to the implementation of the recommended Schedule A, A+ and B projects identified in the Master Plan through a phased approach, dependent on future budget approvals. Schedule C projects will require further study.

This notice issued June 6, 2019 and June 13, 2019.

Information will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of public record.

Wendy Cooke
City Clerk

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