

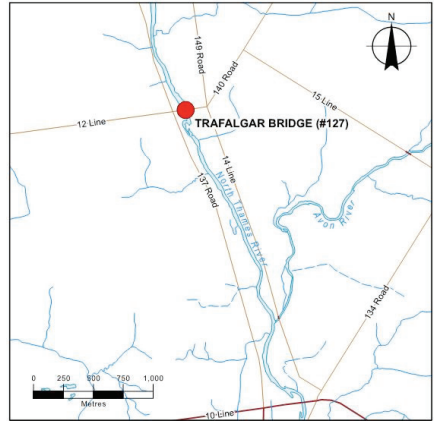


**Township of Perth South/Municipality of West Perth  
Notice of Study Completion  
Trafalgar Bridge (#127) Improvements  
Class Environmental Assessment Study**

**The Study**

The Township of Perth South ("Township") and the Municipality of West Perth ("Municipality") have completed a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) for improvements to the Trafalgar Bridge (#127) located on Line 12, 0.1 km east of Road 137 over the Thames River. The existing single span steel through truss structure has been identified as being deficient with respect to load capacity, lane width, physical condition and barrier protection. The Preferred Alternative is the Removal of the Bridge.

This study was carried out in accordance with the requirements of a Schedule B undertaking as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment document (2000, as amended in 2007 and 2011). A Notice of Study Commencement inviting initial input was first published on July 16, 2014. A Presentation to the Public was held October 14, 2015.



**Project File Report**

The Project File Report has been prepared to document the planning and decision making process undertaken for this study. By this notice, the PFR is being placed on the public record for a 30-day review period starting July 29, 2015, and ending August 28, 2015, in accordance with the requirements of the Class EA process. The PFR is available for viewing at the following locations as well as on the Township and Municipality websites at [www.perthsouth.ca](http://www.perthsouth.ca) and [www.westperth.com](http://www.westperth.com).

**Municipality of West Perth**

169 St. David St.,  
Mitchell, ON N0K 1N0  
8:30am to 4:30pm Mon-Fri

**West Perth Public Library**

105 St. Andrew St.  
Mitchell, ON N0K 1N0  
See website for hours:  
<http://www.westperth.library.on.ca>

**Township of Perth South**

3191 Road 122  
St. Pauls, ON N0K 1V0  
8:30am to 4:30pm Mon-Fri

Please provide written comment to the Township and Municipality, addressed to its Burnside representative (see below), by 4:30 pm, August 28, 2015. If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved through discussion with the Township and Municipality, the person/party with the concern may submit a written request to the Minister of Environment to make an order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment (referred to as a "Part II Order"), which addresses individual environmental assessments. Requests for a Part II Order must be received by the Minister, at the address below, by 4:30 pm, August 28, 2015. A copy of the request for Part II Order must also be sent to the Township and Municipality, addressed to its Burnside representative (see below) by this time and date. If no request is received, the Township and Municipality intend to proceed with the project as outlined in the PFR.

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Minister of the Environment and Climate  
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Project and notice information will be made accessible upon request in accordance with the Accessibility Standard for Information and Communication under the *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005*. Information will be collected in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. All comments will become part of the public record.

This Notice first issued on July 29, 2015.