

City of Vaughan Black Creek Stormwater Optimization Study Master Plan Class EA

NOTICE OF COMPLETION

The City of Vaughan has completed the Black Creek Stormwater Optimization Master Plan Class Environmental Assessment (EA) Study to determine the optimal stormwater management measures that can be implemented to improve stormwater quantity and quality, and to minimize erosion and flooding potential within the Black Creek subwatershed. The overall goal of the Study looks at the available alternative solutions to better optimize the existing conditions including source, conveyance and end of pipe controls

The Schedule A/A+ and B projects are permitted to proceed to implementation as this Master Plan Class EA document has satisfied Phases 1 and 2 of the MEA Class EA. A separate Class EA will be required to complete the channel expansion and construction of bridges / culverts at all crossings, utilizing the information presented in this Master Plan Class EA.

The Study was conducted in accordance with the Master Plan process and as required by the *Municipal Class EA*, the Study was documented in a Report and is available for viewing at the City website and following location(s) during normal business hours:

City of Vaughan

Clerks Department and Development / Transportation Engineering Department

2141 Major Mackenzie Drive

Vaughan, Ontario

Please contact either one of the following two Project Team members if you have any comments or concerns on the Study within 30 calendar days from the date of this Notice:

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If after consulting with the City of Vaughan or AECOM, your concerns remain unresolved, a request may be made to the Minister of the Environment to require that any one of the elements of the Master Plan comply with Part II of the EA Act before proceeding. This request must be made in writing to the Minister of the Environment at the following address and copied to The City of Vaughan before the end of the 30 calendar day review period.

Minister of the Environment 2 St. Clair Avenue West 12th A Floor, Toronto, ON M4V 1L5

Andrew Pearce, Director of Development / Transportation Engineering
This Notice issued March 22, 2012

If there are no outstanding Part II Order requests received by **April 23, 2012**, the elements of the Master Plan will proceed to detailed design and construction (Phase 5 of MEA Class EA) as presented in the Study Report.