# Provincial and Federal Consultation Alert



# **Environmental Assessment Modernization:**

# **Ministry**

Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks

#### **Consultation Deadline**

August 22, 2020

#### **Summary**

The Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks is currently modernizing the environmental assessment (EA) process, including class environmental assessments. Class EAs establish a planning and approval process for a variety of municipal infrastructure projects. Recent legislation also introduced changes to the EA process.

# **Proposed Form of Input**

Staff will submit comments addressing the province's EA modernization work.

#### **Rationale**

EA modernization impacts a number of departments that undertake municipal class environmental assessments and other EA processes. An interdepartmental team response is appropriate for this review.

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# **Link to Ministry Website**

https://ero.ontario.ca/notice/019-1712 https://ero.ontario.ca/notice/019-2051

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