



**City of London
Long Term Water Storage
Municipal Class Environmental Assessment**

**NOTICE OF PROJECT COMMENCEMENT
& PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE #1**

The City of London is supplied with water from two lake based sources, the Lake Huron Regional Water Supply System and the Elgin Area Water Supply System (Lake Erie). In the event of a disruption or reduction in water supply, and to supply adequate water pressure, the City has reservoirs to maintain uninterrupted service. These reservoirs are shown in Figure 1 and include the Arva Reservoir and Pump Station, the Springbank Reservoirs and Pump Station, and the Southeast Reservoir and Pump Station. To address future water storage needs, the City is undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) study to determine a preferred site (or sites) for additional water storage to meet future growth and ongoing emergency supply and distribution needs. Additionally, this project will consider the feasibility of retiring the existing Springbank Reservoir #2 and the McCormick Reservoir disconnected previously, as well as options for standby power for the water distribution pumps at the existing Arva Pump Station.

Public Information Centre

Public involvement is an important part of the Class EA process. Comments and information regarding this project are being collected to assist the project team in meeting the requirements of the Environmental Assessment Act. Residents and community organizations are encouraged to participate by providing input and attending the Public Information Centres (PICs). The first of two PICs will be held to present background information and the issues to be addressed through the Class EA process. Project team members will be available to discuss the project and to receive your input. This PIC will be a drop-in event with no formal presentation.

You are invited to attend the PIC to be held:

Date: Wednesday June 20, 2018

Time: 5pm to 7pm

Location: City Hall, 300 Dufferin Avenue, London (Committee Room #1, Second Floor)

Display materials will be available on the City of London website.

To provide comments, receive additional information or be added to the study mailing list, please visit <http://www.london.ca/residents/Environment/EAs/Pages/default.aspx> or contact either of the following team members below:

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With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record of the study. The study is being conducted according to the requirements of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment, which is a planning process approved under Ontario's Environmental Assessment Act.

Existing Water Reservoirs



Arva Reservoir and Pump Station



Springbank Reservoir and Pump Station



McCormick Reservoir (Not in service)



Southeast Reservoir and Pump Station



Elgin-Middlesex Reservoir

