

NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

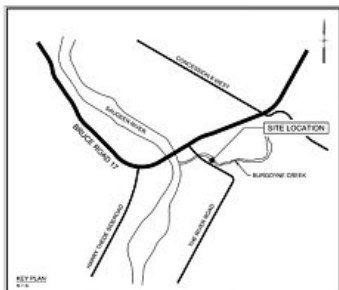
The River Road Bank Stabilization, Town of Saugeen Shores

The Study

The Town of Saugeen Shores (Town) is initiating a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) to consider options to address the erosion of the slope between The River Road and Burgoyne Creek. Options for improvements may include bank or slope regrading, slope stabilization, relocation, realignment or channelization of the watercourse.

The site location and approximate extent of the Study Area are shown on the map. Alternative solutions being considered for improvements include:

- 1) Do Nothing
- 2) Protect the Creek Bank In Place
- 3) Relocate the Creek
- 4) Relocate the River Road



The Process

The Study will follow Schedule B of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (Municipal Engineers Association, October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011, & 2015) process, which is an approved process under the *Ontario Environmental Assessment Act*. The study will evaluate alternative solutions with consideration for the natural, cultural, technical and economic environment, and recommend a preferred solution in consultation with the public, Indigenous communities and agencies. At the conclusion of the study, the process will be documented in a Project File Report (PFR), prepared for public review.

Input Invited

Consultation is important to this study. The Town would like to ensure that anyone interested in this study has the opportunity to provide input into the planning and design of the project. The Town is inviting public input on local experience with road conditions in the study area and the alternative solutions being considered. Information about this project can be found at <https://www.saugeenshores.ca/en/town-hall/town-hall-reports-studies-and-plans.aspx?mid=12972>.

The website will be updated with project information as it becomes available throughout the study. To provide comment or to request additional information concerning this Study or if you would like to be added to the Project Contact List to receive future project notices, please contact either of the following Project Team members:

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