NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT
Municipal Class Environmental Assessment
Arterial Roads within Highway 427 Industrial Secondary Plan Area (Area 47)

The Study
The City of Brampton, in partnership with the Region of Peel, has initiated two Schedule ‘C’ Municipal Class Environmental Assessments (Class EAs) for the following roads (ref. Key Plan):

Part A
- North-South Arterial (Arterial A2), a new north-south arterial roadway from Mayfield Road to Major Mackenzie Drive/Regional Road 50.
- Coleraine Drive from Arterial A2 to Mayfield Road including possible realignment at Arterial A2 west of Regional Road 50.

Part B
- East-West (E-W) Arterial, a new east-west minor arterial roadway from The Gore Road to Arterial A2.
- Clarkway Drive from Castlemore Road to Mayfield Road.
- Countryside Drive from west of Clarkway Drive to Regional Road 50 including possible realignment at Regional Road 50.

In order to address transportation capacity needs in the area, a number of alternatives will be examined as part of the study including the overall impacts of alternatives on the social, cultural and natural environments.

The Process
The City of Brampton recently completed the Highway 427 Industrial Secondary Plan (Area 47) Transportation Master Plan Study which fulfilled the requirements of Phases 1 and 2 of the Municipal Class EA process. The City is proceeding with Phases 3 and 4 of the Municipal Class EA process as part of this study. This notice marks the start of this Class EA Study, which will review and confirm the solutions recommended by the Transportation Master Plan Study in consultation with regulatory agencies, and the public. The study is being carried out in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule ‘C’ projects as outlined in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (October 2000, as amended in 2007 and 2011), which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

Consultation with stakeholders (public and agencies) is a key component of the study. At least two Public Information Centres (PICs) will be held to discuss issues related to the project, including alternative solutions, evaluation criteria, environmental impacts and mitigation measures. PIC dates and details will be advertised as the study progresses. Upon completion of the study, Environmental Study Reports (ESRs) will be prepared and made available for public review and comment.

Comments Invited
If you have any questions or comments regarding the study, or wish to be added to the study mailing list, please contact either of the following project team members:

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Information will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.

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