The City of Belleville has prepared a Master Plan in accordance with the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment, October 2000, as amended in 2007 – Master Plan. The Master Plan addresses water pressures and system flow requirements for the Cannifton Planning Area in the City of Belleville to meet planning area needs. The objective of the study is to develop and evaluate alternative solutions that will provide adequate pressure and system flows to the Cannifton Planning Area based on near-term, mid-term, and full build-out development scenarios.

The Master Plan has been completed and by this Notice is being placed in the public record for review. Subject to comments received as a result of this Notice and the receipt of necessary approvals, the City of Belleville intends to proceed with the implementation of this project. The schedule for construction of the works will be dependent on population growth and community needs. However, the near-term preferred solution to upgrade the Adam Street Booster Station is forecast to directly follow the completed Master Plan study.

The Master Plan report, which contains a summary of pertinent information compiled during the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process, is available for public review for a 30-day period from December 7, 2012 to January 6, 2013 at the following location:

The City of Belleville, Corporate Services Department
169 Front Street, Belleville, Ontario K8N 2Y8

The report is also posted on the City web site at the following link: http://tinyurl.com/cu3t797. Alternately, visit the City’s website (www.city.belleville.on.ca), click on City Hall Departments, click on Engineering & Development, click on Engineering Studies, and click on Cannifton Planning Area Water Pressure Study and Storage Master Plan.

Interested persons should provide comments in writing to the City of Belleville at the address below within 30 calendar days from the date of this Notice. If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved in discussion with the City, a person or party may request that the Minister of the Environment issue an order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act (referred to as a Part II Order), which addresses individual environmental assessments. Requests must be received by the Minister at the address below within 30 calendar days of the first publication of this notice, with a copy sent to the City. If there is no request received by January 6, 2013, the project will proceed to design and implementation as outlined in the Master Plan Study report.

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