



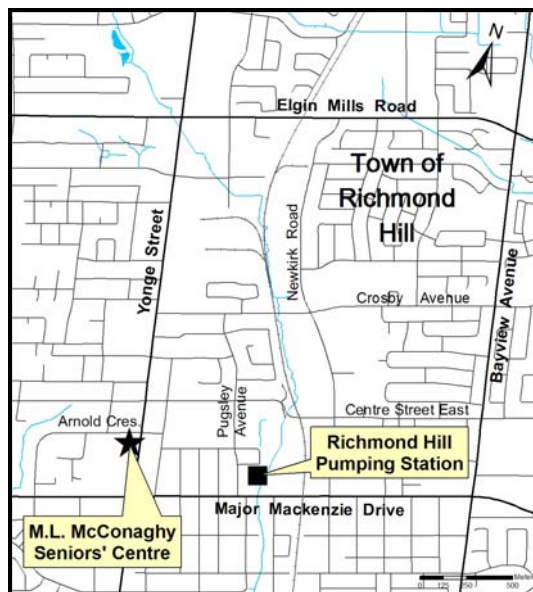
THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF YORK

**CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY FOR THE
RICHMOND HILL PUMPING STATION STANDBY POWER AND UPGRADES
TOWN OF RICHMOND HILL**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION CENTRE

The Regional Municipality of York (York Region) has initiated a Class Environmental Assessment (EA) to improve performance and replace equipment that has reached the end of its design life. Planned upgrades include a new standby power system, increasing pumping capacity and replacing the transformer and primary electricity power cable.

The Class EA study is proceeding under **Schedule B** of the Municipal Engineers Association "Municipal Class Environmental Assessment," (October 2000, as amended 2007) under the Ontario *Environmental Assessment Act*. The location of the Richmond Hill Pumping Station is shown below:



The purpose of this Class EA study is to select a preferred solution to provide standby power, ensuring York Region will meet all regulatory requirements for emergency power at the Richmond Hill Pumping Station. Phase 2 of the Class EA process is now underway and various design alternatives are being assessed.

As part of the Class EA process, members of the public and review agencies are invited to provide input and comment for incorporation into the overall planning and design for the standby power upgrades and the increase in pumping capacity. York Region will be hosting an open house Public Consultation Centre (PCC) to discuss the project and residents and stakeholders attending the PCC are encouraged to view display material, meet the study team, ask questions and provide input and comments.

This Public Consultation Centre will be held on:

Date: Wednesday, January 12, 2011
Time: 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Location: M.L. McConaghy Seniors' Centre
10100 Yonge Street, Room 205, Richmond Hill



Any person attending this public meeting who has accessible accommodations, such as hearing or mobility impairments should contact York Region at (905) 830-4444 ext. 5037 to advise of any specific requirements.

Written comments are also invited for further consideration and incorporation in to the Class EA record for this project. If you are unable to attend this PCC and wish to obtain more information or provide written comments, please contact:

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Thank you for your participation in this study

Comments and information regarding this project are being collected in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Assessment Act. Other than personal information, all information received may be included in the project documentation which will become part of the public record