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## Notice of Meeting to Consider the Engineer's Report Drainage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. D.17, subs.42

## To: Affected Property Owners, Road Authorities and Utility Owners for the Nicklas Drain

In accordance with section 42 of the Drainage Act, you as an owner of land affected by the proposed drainage works for the Nicklas Drain 2025, are requested to attend a Council Meeting to consider the final report filed with the Township of Wilmot on February 28, 2025.

The meeting will take place on Monday, April 28, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers at the Township of Wilmot Administrative Complex located at 60 Snyder's Road West, Baden, ON N3A 1A1.

**Failure to attend meeting:** If you do not attend the meeting, it will proceed in your absence. If you are affected or assessed by this proposed project, you will continue to receive notification as required by the *Drainage Act.* 

## Activities at the meeting to consider the report:

- Usually the engineer will present a summary of the report to Council;
- For drains initiated by petition:
  - Petitioned will be given an opportunity to withdraw their name from the petition; and,
  - Other owners that benefit from the drain will be given an opportunity to add their name to the petition;
- Council must decide whether or not to proceed with the project by provisionally adopting the engineer's report by by-law; they also have the option to refer the report back to the engineer for modifications;
- All property owners affected by the drain will have an opportunity to influence council's decision; and,
- There is no right to appeal assessments or other aspects of the engineer's report at this meeting; these appeal rights will be made available later in the procedure. *Drainage Act,* R.S.O. 1990, s. 47-54.

**Petitioners:** After the meeting to consider the final report, if the petition does not comply with section 4, the project is terminated and the original petitioners are responsible for the costs in shares proportional to their assessment in the engineer's report. *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.D. 17 s. 43.

If you have any questions regarding the engineer report, please contact the project engineer Curtis MacIntyre, P. Eng 519.748.1199 x252 or <u>cmacintyre@ksmart.ca</u>.

Yours Sincerely,

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