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CITY OF MISSISSAUGA – NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study: Sheridan Creek Erosion Control Project

(Lushes Avenue to Clarkson Road South)

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The City of Mississauga (City) has initiated a project to address the erosion impacts to Sheridan Creek from Lushes Avenue to Clarkson Road South (see map on right). Sheridan Creek originates in the industrial lands north of the Queen Elizabeth Way, flowing southeast through the study area and ultimately discharging to Rattray Marsh and Lake Ontario further southeast. Through the City's ongoing erosion monitoring program, it has been identified that this section of Sheridan



Creek is in need of rehabilitation. Excessive erosion has led to some of the following impacts: bank and valley wall destruction; slumping of gabion banks; and elevated storm sewer outfalls.

MUNICIPAL CLASS EA PROCESS

The Project is being carried out in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule 'B' projects as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association "Municipal Class Environmental Assessment", (October 2000, as amended in 2015). Through the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) process, alternative solutions will be developed and evaluated by the Project Team leading to a preferred solution based on public and agency consultation. The Project Team will assess the potential impacts associated with the preferred solution and develop appropriate mitigation measures. Following this, a Project File Report will be prepared documenting the MCEA process and will be made available for public and agency review.

GET INVOLVED!

Consultation is an important part of the MCEA process and we want to hear from you. Public input is invited throughout the planning and design process for the Project. A Public Information Centre (PIC) is anticipated to be held in early 2021 to enable the public to gain a further understanding of the Project and provide feedback to the Project Team. The PIC will be advertised via direct and/or electronic mail to those on the Project mailing list, on the City's website, and in the Mississauga News.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the project, or would like to be placed on the project mailing list, please contact either one of the following Project team members:

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COVID-19 Community Engagement Update: While we continue to respond to this pandemic, we are working hard to deliver essential services and projects to keep our City moving and safe. While we can't connect in-person at this time, we still want to connect! Opportunities to connect with the Project Team and share your input are noted above.

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