

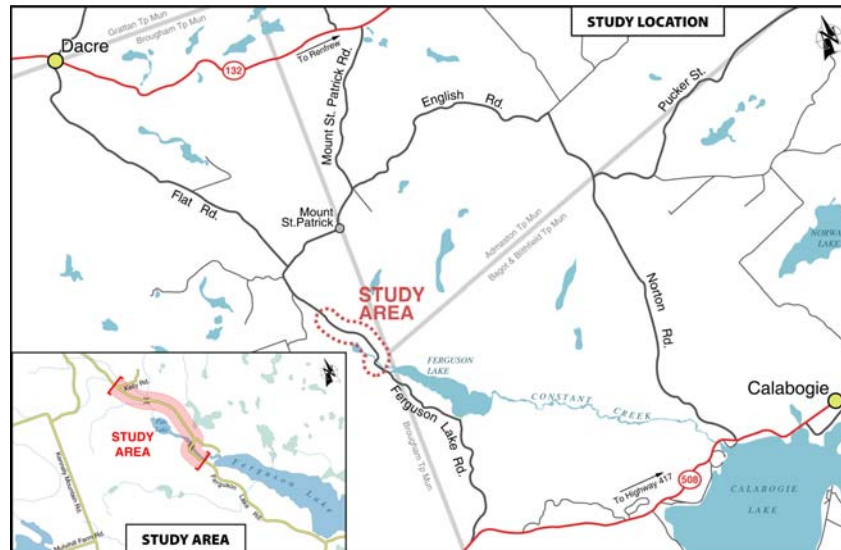
Notice of Study Commencement and Public Open House No. 1
Constant Creek Bridge Rehabilitation/Replacement
Environmental Assessment Study

Thursday, June 18th, 2009
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
DACA Centre
111 Flat Road
Dacre, ON

The County of Renfrew has initiated a Class Environmental Assessment Study for the Rehabilitation/Replacement of the Constant Creek Bridge which is nearing the end of its service life. The purpose of this study is to define a Recommended Plan to rehabilitate or replace the Constant Creek bridge that will improve roadway operations and safety of Ferguson Lake Road and to define a bridge management plan for the immediate or future replacement of the bridge infrastructure. The study will assess bridge replacement options to improve overall traffic operations of the Constant Creek bridge. The study will identify the bridge and roadway solutions that best address safety and operational concerns while minimizing environmental impacts.

The project is being planned as a Schedule 'B' or 'C' type project under the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (2007) document. The schedule to be followed will depend on the scope of the final study recommendation.

The EA Study will confirm the project type, need and justification, document environmental conditions, examine alternatives and potential impacts, and recommend mitigation measures.



There is an opportunity at any time during the EA process for interested persons to provide comments. Any information or comments received pertaining to this Environmental Assessment study (including your name and address), form part of the public record and may be disclosed/made available by the County to such persons at the County's discretion, including anyone requesting such information. Accordingly, in providing any such information, you shall be deemed to have consented to its use and disclosure as part of this planning process.

Two Public Open Houses will be held during the course of the study. The purpose of the first open house will be to present and obtain public input on the following:

- Environmental assessment process;
- Study process and schedule;
- Existing conditions;
- Preliminary bridge and roadway alignment alternatives; and
- To obtain your comments.

At the completion of the study, an Environmental Study Report documenting the effects anticipated by the project and the corresponding mitigation measures will be prepared and placed on the public record for public and agency review.

For more information, or if you wish to be placed on the study's mailing list, please contact:

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