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ATTN: Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

RE: Letter of Comment - EB-2009-0079 - Hydro One Networks' Section 92
Woodstock East Transmission Line Upgrade

Dear Ms. Walli:

Thank you for providing the County with a copy of the Ontario Energy Board's Notice of Application and Hearing for the above referenced project.

The Woodstock TS is located on the same site as the Southside Water Treatment and reservoir facility. A significant portion of the City's drinking water supply passes through the facility. Additionally, the site contains one of the City's drinking water supply wells.

The proposed project has the potential to cause serious adverse affects to the municipal drinking water system. The County must be involved in the design of the transmission route including tower location and design.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any further questions.

Yours truly,



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