

# ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO ALL ONTARIO ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS

**Hydro One Networks Inc. has applied for approval of the allocation of construction costs of the Supply to Essex County Transmission Reinforcement project.**

**Learn more. Have your say.**

**In 2015, the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) granted Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One Networks) approval to build the Supply to Essex County Transmission Reinforcement project and to record the construction costs in a deferral account for recovery at a later date (EB-2013-0421).**

**Hydro One Networks has applied to the OEB for approval of the allocation of the project's costs between the triggering transmission customer and all Ontario electricity consumers. If the application is approved as filed, it would result in approximately 73% of the total project cost of \$54.3 million being recovered from the triggering transmission customer and the remaining 27% recovered from all Ontario electricity consumers.**

**The OEB's decision on this application will have an effect on all Ontario electricity consumers.**

## **THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING**

The OEB will hold a public hearing to consider the application filed by Hydro One Networks. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide what, if any, change should be made to the proposed allocation of costs.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

## **BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY**

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process.

- You can review Hydro One Networks' application on the OEB's website now.
- You can file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- You can become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by **[applicant will insert actual date 10 calendar days from the date the notice is posted on the applicant's website]** or the hearing will go ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- At the end of the process, you can review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

## **LEARN MORE**

Our file number for this case is **EB-2019-0120**. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case, please select the file number **EB-2019-0120** from the list on the OEB website: [www.oeb.ca/notice](http://www.oeb.ca/notice). You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

## **ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS**

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. The OEB will determine at a later date whether to proceed by way of a written or oral hearing]. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **[applicant will insert actual date 10 calendar days from the date the notice is posted on the applicant's website]**.

## **PRIVACY**

*If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.*

*Hydro One Networks' application was filed under section 6.3.18A of the Transmission System Code.*

