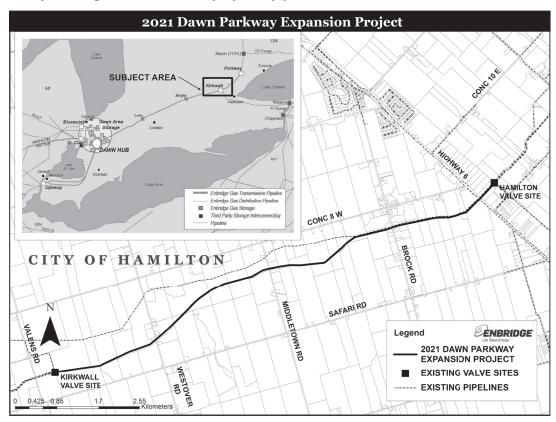
# **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE**

Enbridge Gas Inc. has applied to the Ontario Energy Board for approval to construct 10.2 kilometres of natural gas pipeline and associated facilities in the City of Hamilton.

Enbridge Gas Inc. has also applied the Ontario Energy Board for approval of its Integrated Resource Planning Proposal.

Learn more. Have your say.

If the application is approved as filed, Enbridge Gas Inc. proposes to construct 10.2 kilometres of 48-inch diameter natural gas pipeline between the Kirkwall Valve Site and the Hamilton Valve Site, including associated facilities. A map showing the location of the proposed pipeline is below:



Enbridge Gas Inc. is also asking the Ontario Energy Board to approve the form of agreement it offers to landowners to use their land for routing or construction of the proposed pipeline and associated facilities.

Enbridge Gas Inc. says that the pipeline is needed to increase transportation capacity on the Dawn Parkway System.

Enbridge Gas Inc. has also applied to the Ontario Energy Board for approval of its Integrated Resource Planning Proposal, as it applies to the proposed project and future projects. Enbridge Gas Inc. says that its Proposal will allow the Ontario Energy Board to better assess future projects.

Please review the application carefully for a complete list of approvals and to determine whether you will be affected.

# THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hold a public hearing to consider the application filed by Enbridge Gas. During this hearing, we will question Enbridge Gas and hear questions and arguments from participants (intervenors) who have registered to participate in the hearing. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide whether to approve the application.

As part of its review of this application, the OEB will assess Enbridge Gas' compliance with the OEB's Environmental Guidelines for the Location, Construction and Operation of Hydrocarbon Pipelines and Facilities in Ontario.

The OEB will also assess whether the duty to consult with Indigenous Communities potentially affected by the proposed pipeline has been discharged with respect to the application.

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 the application filed by Enbridge Gas 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). As an intervenor, you can ask questions about Enbridge Gas'
  application and make arguments on whether the OEB should approve Enbridge Gas' request. Apply by January 20, 2020 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-2019-0159.** 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-2019-0159** from the list on the OEB website: **http://www.oeb.ca/noticeltc.** 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. Enbridge Gas has applied for a written hearing. The OEB is considering this request. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **January 20, 2020.** 

# 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.

This hearing will be held under sections 90(1) and 97 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15 (Schedule B).

