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Subject: Request for Oral Public Hearing for the Enbridge 2021 Dawn Parkway Expansion Project'

Attn: Board Members of the Ontario Energy Board

The mandate of the Ontario Energy Board includes 'thinking about the long-term needs of the energy sector and developing regulatory policy to meet emerging challenges'. Its mission includes 'strengthening and sustaining the confidence of consumers during a period of accelerating change'. The Ontario Energy Board has the potential to take a leadership role in safeguarding the public interest and confidence in the context of Climate Change -in particular the long term interests of our children and grandchildren- by rejecting the Enbridge proposal to build a new fracked gas pipeline through Ontario, rejecting new gas infrastructure in general, and investing in alternative energy sources instead.

At a minimum, the OEB should <u>hold a fully transparent oral hearing into the Enbridge 20201 Dawn Parkway Expansion Project.</u>

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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