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To: BoardSec < BoardSec@oeb.ca >

Subject: Comments on Enbridge gas pipeline proposal EB-2019-0159

To Ontario Energy Board,

At a time when Canada and Ontario should show it's commitment to reducing greenhouse gas emissions I am dismayed to hear that Enbridge want to expand the transmission of natural gas. We are in a climate emergency and should be acting accordingly.

We have the technology to build energy neutral housing so there is no argument for expanding fossil fuel infrastructure. The anticipated \$120 million in costs to the consumer can better serve the public if it was used as incentives for building energy neutral housing.

In the review process alternative options that fits into a climate emergency must be considered.

In light of 70% species loss we must preserve any available wetland especially those found near cities.

I urge you to show your commitment to dealing with climate emergency as this project is reviewed.

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