

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE Ontario Energy Board Act, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B, and in particular Section 21(2) thereof;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the Assessment Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.A.31, and in particular Section 25(3) thereof;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Lagasco Inc. for an Order determining whether or not the natural gas pipelines owned and operated by Lagasco Inc. in Haldimand County are gas transmission pipelines;

**MUNICIPAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT CORPORATION ("MPAC")
SUBMISSIONS ON THE MERITS OF AN ORAL HEARING**

1. In its Application, Lagasco has requested an oral hearing.
2. The Ontario Energy Board (Board) issued Procedural Order 2 (Amended) on August 10, 2020 which invited submissions on the merits of an oral hearing by September 8, 2020.
3. Although MPAC does not believe an oral hearing is required for Lagasco to have a full and fair opportunity to be heard in this case, it takes no position on Lagasco's request.

All of which is respectfully submitted this 8th day of September, 2020

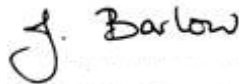
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