

NOTICE OF A HEARING

Enbridge Gas Inc. has applied for approval to renew its Natural Gas Franchise with the Town of Essex

Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas) is asking the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for:

- An order approving the renewal of a natural gas franchise agreement with the Town of Essex. This would continue Enbridge Gas's right to construct, operate and add to the natural gas distribution system and to distribute, store and transmit natural gas in and through the Town of Essex for the next 20 years.
- An order directing that the acceptance of the municipal electors of the Town of Essex is not required in relation to the by-law approving the natural gas franchise agreement.

YOU SHOULD KNOW

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING

There are three types of OEB Hearings: oral, electronic and written. If you have a preference for the type of hearing, you can write to us to explain why. During this hearing, we will question the applicant about its application. We will also hear questions and arguments from participants that have registered as Intervenors. After reviewing all the evidence, we will decide whether to approve this application.

HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information about this application and to participate in the process. Visit **www.oeb.ca/participate** and use file number **EB-2024-0351** to:

- Review the application
- Apply to become an intervenor
- File a letter with your comments

IMPORTANT DATES

You must engage with the OEB on or before February 3, 2025 to:

- Provide input on the hearing type (oral, electronic or written)
- Apply to be an intervenor

If you do not, the hearing will move forward without you, and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.

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. If you are a business or if you apply to become an intervenor, all the information you file will be on the OEB website.

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Monday - Friday: 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

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This hearing will be held under sections 9(4) and 10 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55.

Ce document est aussi disponible en français.



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