



Enbridge Gas Inc.
50 Keil Drive North
Chatham, Ontario, Canada
N7M 5M1

March 10, 2025

Ms. Nancy Marconi
Registrar
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc.
Approval of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
Township of Champlain
Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2024-0335**

In accordance with instructions set out by the Ontario Energy Board's Letter of Direction dated March 6, 2025, enclosed is my Affidavit of Service related to the Decision and Order in regard to the above-noted proceeding.

Yours truly,

Patrick McMahon
Technical Manager
Regulatory Research and Records
patrick.mcmahon@enbridge.com
(519) 436-5325

Encl.

IN THE MATTER OF the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990 c. M.55, as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Enbridge Gas Inc. for an Order cancelling and superseding the EB-2015-0284 Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity related to the Township of Champlain and replacing it with a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct works to supply natural gas in the current Township of Champlain.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, Patrick McMahon, of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario, make oath and say as follows:

1. I am an employee in the Chatham Office of Enbridge Gas Inc., the Applicant in the matter referred to in the preamble to this my Affidavit and I have personal knowledge of the matters herein deposed to.
2. By Courier, at Chatham, Ontario, on March 7, 2025, I did cause to be sent to the Township of Champlain a true copy of the Decision and Order issued by the Ontario Energy Board on March 6, 2025, to the above preamble and a covering letter, attached hereto as Exhibit "A".
3. The courier bill of lading is attached hereto as Exhibit "B".
4. I make this Affidavit in good faith and for no improper purpose.

SWORN BEFORE ME, at the)
City of Toronto in the Province)
of Ontario this 10th day of)
March, 2025.)

Patrick McMahon

A Commissioner, etc.



Enbridge Gas Inc.
50 Keil Drive North
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Exhibit A

March 7, 2025

This is Exhibit "A" to the Affidavit of
Patrick McMahon sworn before me
this 10th day of March, 2025.

Alison Collard, Clerk
Township of Champlain
948 Pleasant Corner Road East
Vankleek Hill, ON K0B 1R0

Dear Ms. Collard:

A Commissioner, etc.

**Re: Enbridge Gas Inc.
Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity – Township of Champlain
Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2024-0335**

In accordance with instructions set out by the Ontario Energy Board's Letter of Direction dated March 6, 2025, Enbridge Gas now serves upon you a copy of the Decision and Order approving the new Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity that Enbridge Gas holds for the Township of Champlain.

Please contact me directly if you have any questions about the application that resulted in this Decision and Order.

Yours truly,

[Original Signed By]

Patrick McMahon
Technical Manager
Regulatory Research and Records
patrick.mcmahon@enbridge.com
(519) 436-5325

Encl.



DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2024-0335

ENBRIDGE GAS INC.

**Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
for the Township of Champlain**

By Delegation, before: **Theodore Antonopoulos**
 Vice President
 Major Applications

March 6, 2025

1 OVERVIEW

This Decision and Order of the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) approves an application filed by Enbridge Gas Inc. (Enbridge Gas) for a certificate of public convenience and necessity (certificate) for the Township of Champlain.

2 CONTEXT AND PROCESS

Enbridge Gas filed an application with the OEB on November 14, 2024, under section 8 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*. The application is for an order approving a new certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct works to supply natural gas in the Township of Champlain.

The OEB held a written hearing. A notice of hearing was published in the local newspapers, *The Review* and the *Le Regional* on December 4 and December 10, 2024, respectively. The notice of hearing was also posted on Enbridge Gas's website. No persons sought to become intervenors or otherwise participate in the proceeding.

In this Decision and Order, a reference to the Township of Champlain is a reference to the municipal corporation or its geographic area, as the context requires.

3 APPLICATION

Enbridge Gas is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario, with its head office in the City of Toronto.

The Township of Champlain is a municipal corporation incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario. It is a lower-tier municipality located in the United Counties of Prescott and Russell.

The Township of Champlain was formed on January 1, 1998 through the amalgamation of West Hawkesbury Township, Longueuil Township, the Town of Vankleek Hill, and the Village of L'Original. On January 1, 2016, the Town of Hawkesbury annexed part of the Township of Champlain.

Enbridge Gas holds a certificate dated December 3, 2015, for the Township of Champlain.¹ Through the application, Enbridge Gas requests an order of the OEB cancelling its existing certificate and granting it a new certificate to construct works to supply natural gas in the Township of Champlain as it is currently constituted.

Enbridge Gas states that it is not aware of any other natural gas distributor within the Township of Champlain or any area adjacent to it.

Enbridge Gas has a 20-year franchise agreement with the Township of Champlain effective March 10, 2016.² Enbridge Gas also has franchise agreements with, and certificates for, the Township of Alfred and Plantagenet, the Municipality of The Nation, and the Township of North Glengarry which are immediately adjacent to the Township of Champlain.

¹ EB-2015-0284

² Ibid.

4 FINDINGS

I find that it is in the public interest to approve Enbridge Gas's application for a certificate for the Township of Champlain. The issuance of a new certificate for the Township of Champlain that is geographically aligned with its municipal borders is consistent with the intent of the OEB that certificate holders update service areas if boundaries of their existing certificate(s) are affected by municipal amalgamations, annexations, or name changes. Enbridge Gas filed a complete application and provided notice of the hearing in the manner instructed by the OEB. I note that no party intervened or otherwise objected to the application.

A new certificate, attached as Schedule A to this Decision and Order, is granted to Enbridge Gas for the Township of Champlain. The new certificate cancels and supersedes Enbridge Gas's prior certificate authorization for the Township of Champlain. I also note that there are no other natural gas distributors within the certificate area.

5 ORDER

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity, attached as Schedule A, is granted to Enbridge Gas Inc. to construct works to supply natural gas in the Township of Champlain. A current map of the Township of Champlain is attached as Schedule B.
2. This certificate of public convenience and necessity cancels and supersedes: EB-2015-0284.
3. Enbridge Gas Inc. shall pay the OEB's costs incidental to this proceeding upon receipt of the OEB's invoice.

DATED at March 6, 2025

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Theodore
Antonopoulos

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Theodore Antonopoulos
Vice President
Major Applications

SCHEDULE A
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
ENBRIDGE GAS INC.
EB-2024-0335
MARCH 6, 2025

EB-2024-0335

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

The Ontario Energy Board grants

Enbridge Gas Inc.

approval under section 8 of the *Municipal Franchises Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.55, as amended, to construct works to supply natural gas in the

Township of Champlain

as it is constituted on the date of this Decision and Order.

This certificate of public convenience and necessity cancels and supersedes EB-2015-0284 for the Township of Champlain.

DATED March 6, 2025

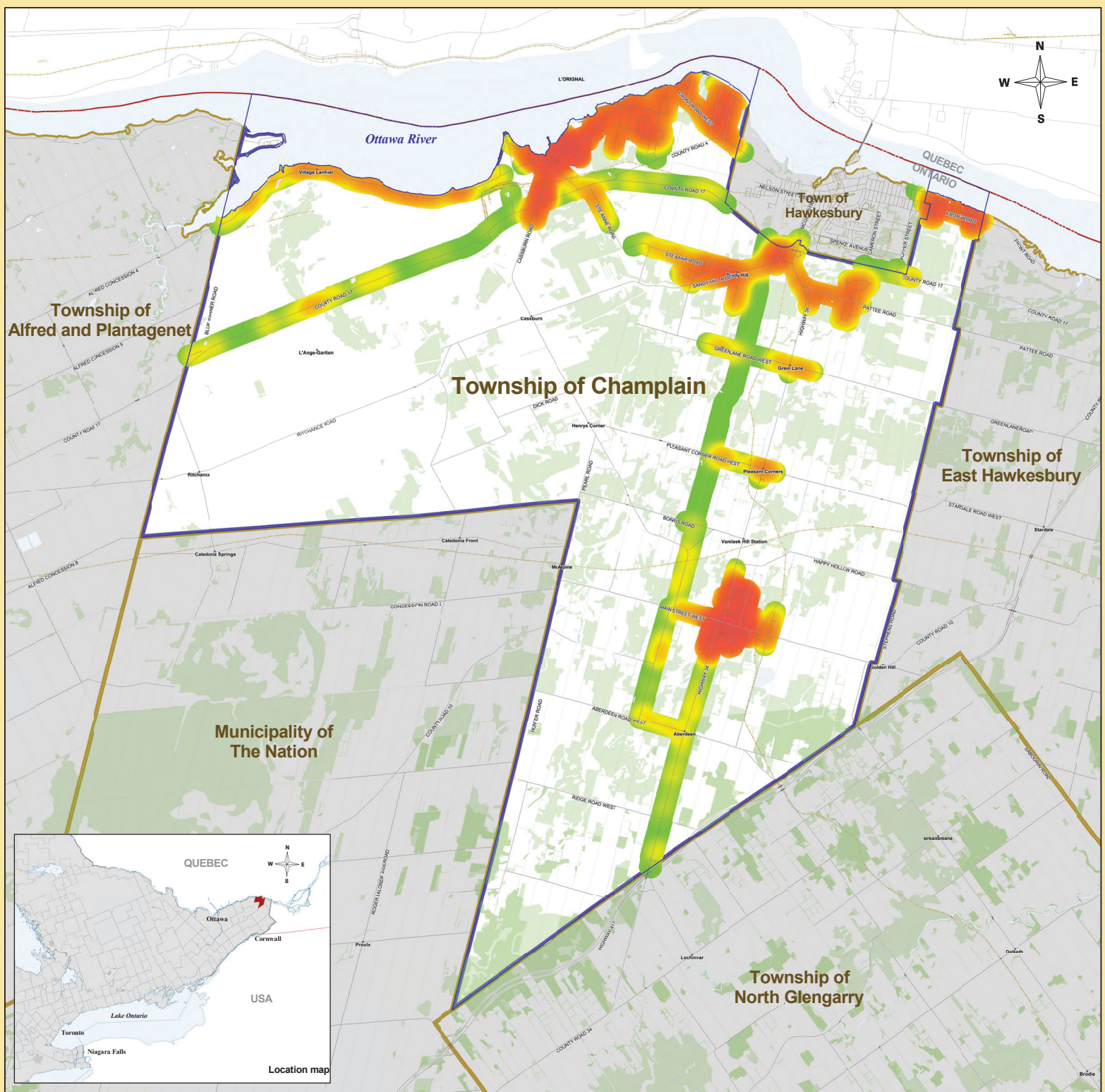
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SCHEDULE B
MAP OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHAMPLAIN
ENBRIDGE GAS INC.
EB-2024-0335
MARCH 6, 2025



Township of Champlain



Disclaimer:
The map is provided with no warranty express or implied and is subject to change at any time. Any Person using the Density Map shall do so at its own Risk and the Density Map is not intended in any way As a tool to locate underground infrastructure for the purposes of excavation



Historical Boundaries

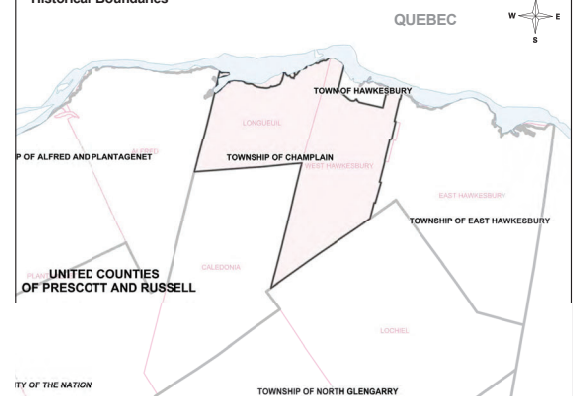


Exhibit B

Township of Champlain
948 Pleasant Corner Road East
Vankleek Hill, ON K0B 1R0

(613) 678-3003


Attention: Alison Collard, Clerk

This is Exhibit "B" to the Affidavit of
Patrick McMahon sworn before me
this 10th day of March, 2025.


A Commissioner, etc.

3/7/25, 8:02 AM

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