From: Gail Schenk

Sent: Wednesday, March 5, 2025 1:07 PM **To:** Office of the Registrar < Registrar @oeb.ca>

Subject: EB-2025-0058 – Enbridge Gas Use of Public Lands

Dear Ms. Marconi,

I am a not a resident of Guelph. However, I see that if the Ontario Energy Board supports Enbridge in its effort to shut eMERGE Guelph out of the hearing that potentially locks Guelph into providing to Enbridge no-fee access to their public lands for 20 years, **this** would be an obstruction the rights to civil society. This is an unfair fossil fuel subsidy. Guelph's City Council and Member of Provincial Parliament both oppose this. The Ontario Energy Board should not force this on Guelph against their will.

I ask that eMERGE Guelph be allowed to participate in a hearing on this issue. It is vitally important that including a group like eMERGE, which is fighting for environmental protection and the interests of Guelph residents, and, in fact all citizens of Ontario, is just.

Sincerely and respectfully,

Gail Schenk