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**NOTICE**  
**Approval of Terms of References**  
**Source Protection Planning**  
**Trent Conservation Coalition Source Protection Region**

The Terms of Reference documents for the Trent Conservation Coalition Source Protection Region have been approved by the Minister of the Environment. Copies of the Terms of Reference documents can be accessed in the following ways:

- **Online** – download the documents from [www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca](http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca)
- **Hard Copies** – copies are available during office hours at the following Conservation Authority offices:
  - Crowe Valley Conservation Authority
  - Ganaraska Region Conservation Authority
  - Kawartha Conservation
  - Lower Trent Conservation
  - Otonabee Conservation

**Background**

The Terms of References identify the details of what needs to be done, who will do the work, and how much it will cost to complete the Assessment Report (2010) and the Source Protection Plan (2012).

The Source Protection Committee prepared the draft Proposed Terms of References and made them available for a 35 day comment period starting in mid-May. Six public meetings were held during that time. The Committee revised the documents based on the comments received and re-circulated them for further review and comment, as required by the *Clean Water Act* and its regulations.

The Proposed Terms of References were submitted to the Ontario Minister of the Environment for review and approval on October 16, 2008. On January 13, 2009, the Crowe Valley, Ganaraska Region, Lower Trent and Otonabee-Peterborough Terms of Reference documents were approved by the Minister of the Environment and a notice was published on the Environmental Registry on January 20. The Kawartha-Haliburton Terms of Reference was approved January 29 and the notice published February 5.

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