



#### **Board of Directors Meeting**

April 21, 2023 at 9:00 AM Ball's Falls Centre for Conservation 3292 Sixth Avenue, Jordan, ON

#### Agenda

#### **CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

The Niagara Peninsula watershed is situated within the traditional territory of the Haudenosaunee, Attiwonderonk (Neutral), and the Anishinaabeg, including the Mississaugas of the Credit—many of whom continue to live and work here today. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties (No. 3, 4, and 381) and is within the land protected by the Dish with One Spoon Wampum agreement. Today, the watershed is home to many First Nations, Métis, and Inuit peoples. Through the 2021-2031 Strategic Plan, we re-confirm our commitment to shared stewardship of natural resources and deep appreciation of Indigenous culture and history in the watershed.

- 1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
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9. NEW BUSINESS

- 10. CLOSED SESSION (IF REQUIRED)
- 11. ADJOURNMENT





# SOURCE PROTECTION AUTHORITY ON-LINE VIDEO CONFERENCE AND IN-PERSON MEETING MINUTES

Ball's Falls Centre for Conservation Glen Elgin Room 3292 Sixth Avenue, Jordan, ON

> Friday, February 17, 2023 10:50 a.m.

NOTE: The archived recorded meeting is available on the NPCA website. The recorded video of the Source Protection Authority meeting is not considered the official record of that meeting. The official record of the Source Protection Authority meeting shall consist solely of the Minutes approved by the Source Protection Authority Board.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** R. Foster (Chair)

B. ClarkD. HusonJ. MetcalfeP. O'NeillM. Tadeson

MEMBERS ABSENT: B. Grant

M. Seaborn

**STAFF PRESENT:** C. Sharma, CAO / Secretary – Treasurer

G. Bivol, Clerk

A. Christie, Director, Conservation Areas

D. Deluce, Senior Manager, Planning and Regulations

M. Ferrusi, Manager, People and Performance

L. Gagnon, Director, Corporate Services

N. Green, Manager, Climate Change and Special Programs

L. Lee-Yates, Director, Planning and Development

R. Petrullo, Multimedia Marketing Specialist

G. Shaule, Administrative Assistant, Corporate Administration

The Chair called the meeting to order at 10:50 a.m..

#### 1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Resolution No. SPA-01-2023
Moved by Board Member O'Neill
Seconded by Board Member Tadeson

**THAT** the Source Protection Authority agenda dated February 17, 2023 **BE APPROVED**.

### 2. DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

None declared.

#### 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a) Approval of the Minutes of the Source Protection Authority meeting dated November 18, 2022

Resolution No. SPA-02-2023 Moved by Board Member Clark Seconded by Board Member Huson

**THAT** the minutes of the Source Protection Authority Board meeting dated November 18. 2022 **BE ADOPTED**.

**CARRIED** 

#### 4. CORRESPONDENCE

None

#### 5. PRESENTATIONS

a) PowerPoint Presentation by Thomas Proks, Source Protection and Hydrogeology Specialist RE: Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area Overview and Updates - David Deluce, Senior Manager, Planning and Regulations presented on behalf of Mr. Proks.

Resolution No. SPA-03-2023 Moved by Board Member Metcalfe Seconded by Board Member Huson

THAT BE PowerPoint presentation prepared by Thomas Proks, Source Protection and Hydrogeology Specialist RE: Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area Overview and Updates as presented by David Deluce, Senior Manager, Planning and Regulations BE RECEIVED.

**CARRIED** 

#### 6. DELEGATIONS

None

#### 7. CONSENT ITEMS

None

b) Report No. SPA-01-23 RE: SPC Member Appointment

Resolution No. SPA-04-2023 Moved by Board Member Metcalfe Seconded by Board Member Huson

- 1. THAT Report No. SPA-01-23 RE: SPC Member Appointment BE RECEIVED and hereafter **DEEMED** a public document.
- 2. THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Mr. Robert Bator to represent the Agricultural Sector on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Committee for a term of 5 years.
- 3. THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Mr. Darren Fry to represent the Industrial Sector on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Committee for a term of 5 years.
- 4. AND THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Mr. Adrin Willems to represent the Public-at-Large on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Committee for a term of 5 years.

**CARRIED** 

c) Report No. SPA-02-23 RE: SPC Municipal Members Appointment

Resolution No. SPA-05-2023 Moved by Board Member Huson Seconded by Board Member Metcalfe

- **THAT** Report No. SPA-02-23 RE: SPC Member Appointment **BE RECEIVED**.
- 2. THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Councillor Insinna to represent Niagara Region on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Committee for a term of 4 years, ending on November 14, 2026.
- 3. THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Councillor Shirton to represent Haldimand County on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Committee for a term of 4 years, ending on November 14, 2026.

**CARRIED** 

d) Report No. SPA-03-23 RE: SPA Liaison Appointment

Resolution No. SPA-06-2023 Moved by Board Member Huson Seconded by Board Member Clark

- THAT Report No. SPA-03-23 RE: SPA Liaison Appointment BE RECEIVED.
- 2. THAT the Source Protection Authority APPOINT Michelle Seaborn to act as a liaison to the Source Protection Committee.

**CARRIED** 

9.	NEW BUSINESS	
	None	
10.	CLOSED SESSION	
	None	
11.	ADJOURNMENT	
With no further business, the Source Protection Authority adjourned at 11:13 a.m		
Cha	ert Foster ir, rce Protection Authority	Chandra Sharma Chief Administrative Officer / Secretary - Treasurer Source Protection Authority





**REPORT TO:** Source Protection Authority

SUBJECT: 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress

Reporting

REPORT NO: SPA-01-23

DATE: April 21, 2023

#### Recommendation:

1. **THAT** Report No. SPA-01-23: 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress Reporting **BE RECEIVED**.

- 2. **THAT** the Source Protection Authority for the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area (NPSPA) **RECEIVE** the following draft final report documents approved by the Source Protection Committee on March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023:
  - a. NPSPA 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection (DWSP) Annual Progress Report;
    - This report concludes that the Source Protection Plan is progressing well and that all the policies are implemented.
    - This report is designed for the public and is intended to be posted on the NPSPA website.
  - b. NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementation Status Report;
    - This report displays each policy within the Source Protection Plan and its status of implementation.
  - c. NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementation Status Summary; and
    - This report displays a summary of total policy implementation status in the NPSPA.
  - d. NPSPA 2022 Supplemental Form.
    - This report displays all the detailed information required by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks as it pertains to 2021 Drinking Water Source Protection annual progress reporting and Source Protection Plan implementation.
- 3. **THAT** the Source Protection Authority **APPROVE** that the aforementioned documents to be submitted to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks to meet the legislated reporting requirements; and

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4. **AND FURTHER THAT** the NPSPA 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress Report be **POSTED** on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area website.

#### Purpose:

The 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Report documents are prepared using the Electronic Annual Reporting tool provided by the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks. These documents are required under the Clean Water Act to summarize progress made in implementing the Source Protection Plan for 2022. These documents, once approved by both the Source Protection Committee and the Source Protection Authority, are then required to be submitted to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks by May 1, 2023.

#### Background:

The Clean Water Act requires that implementing bodies, such as municipalities and the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks, report annually on the implementation of policies within the Source Protection Plan. Implementers provided this information to the Source Protection Authority staff by a combination of methods including email and phone.

The goal of annual reporting is to track and advise the public that the implementation of Source Protection Plans and their respective policies are protecting Ontario's municipal drinking water sources.

The requirement for annual progress reporting is established in the Clean Water Act. The Source Protection Authority is required to report using the Electronic Annual Reporting tool provided by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks. Through the Electronic Annual Reporting tool, staff of the Source Protection Authority answer questions related to the implementation of the Source Protection Plan policies and then generate the following documents:

- I. NPSPA 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress Report a report which is designed for the public and is to be posted on the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area website. It summarizes the progress made with respect to the implementation of the Source Protection Plan;
- II. NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementation Status Report a report which displays the details of each policy within the Source Protection Plan and its status of implementation;
- III. NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementation Status Summary a report which displays a summary of total policy implementation within the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area;
- IV. NPSPA 2022 Supplemental Form a report which contains all the detailed information required by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks as it pertains to 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress Reporting.

The completed reports are due to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks by May 1, 2023, after which the NPSPA 2022 Annual Progress Report is to be made available to the public.

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#### Summary:

In summary, the 2022 Drinking Water Source Protection Annual Progress Reporting for the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area has progressed well. All the policies continue to be implemented, and all significant drinking water threats are addressed. For reference, the NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementation Status Report provides the rationale behind how each policy within the Source Protection Plan is being implemented.

These reports were presented to the Source Protection Committee for review at their recent March 28, 2023 meeting. The Source Protection Committee received and approved the information in these documents. Their comments were incorporated into the attached draft final reports. It is the Source Protection Committee's opinion that based on the information provided, all of the significant drinking water threats have been addressed and all of the policies are implemented.

#### **Related Reports and Appendices:**

Appendix 1:	NPSPA 2022 Drinking Water Sou	irce Protection Annual Progress Report		
Appendix 2: NPSPA 2022 Policy Implemen		ion Status Report		
Appendix 3:	NPSPA 2022 Policy Implementat	ion Status Summary		
Appendix 4:	NPSPA 2022 Supplemental Form	า		
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APPENDIX 1 to Report No. SPA-01-23

# Source Protection Annual Progress Report

### I. Introduction

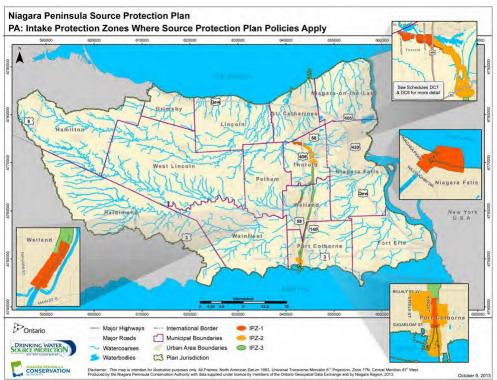
This annual progress report outlines the progress made in implementing our source protection plan for the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area, as required by the Clean Water Act and regulations.

The Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Plan was completed and approved by the province in December 2013. The Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Plan came into effect October 2014. The Plan is entirely implemented. The Source Protection Committee is now focused on updating and improving the Source Protection Plan.

### II. A message from your local Source Protection Committee

### P: Progressing Well/On Target – The majority of the source protection plan policies have been implemented and/or are progressing.

The Source Protection Committee states that based on the information provided that all of the significant drinking water threats have been addressed and all of the policies are implemented.



### III. Our Watershed

To learn more, please read our assessment report(s) and source protection plan(s)

The Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area overlies the same jurisdiction as the Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority. With an area of 2,430 square kilometers and over 450,000 residents, it is comprised of three major drainage areas; Lake Ontario, Lake Erie, and Niagara River (including Welland River) drainage areas. NPCA contains over 180 watersheds within these drainage areas, and 117 kilometers of Great Lakes shoreline.

NPCA is marked by several prominent physiographic features that have had a major effect on development in the area. These features include the Niagara Escarpment which runs east-west across the peninsula, the relatively flat Haldimand Clay Plain which dominates the central portion of the watershed, the Iroquois Shore Sand Plain along Lake Ontario, the Fonthill Kame-Delta Complex which contains the highest point in the peninsula, and the Onondaga Escarpment which runs east-west across the peninsula just north of the Lake Erie shoreline and is of relatively low topographical relief.

The soils in the large central portion of the peninsula are dominated by clays, silty clays, and silty clay loams, characteristic of the Haldimand Clay Plain. Sands and sandy loams are found extensively along the Lake Ontario shoreline. Wetlands include bogs, fens, swamps, and marshes and encompassing almost 10% of the watershed.

Land uses can have a significant impact on the water quality and quantity. Approximately 64% is agricultural, and about 21% is rural wooded or natural. The remaining 15% is considered urban. The main urban centres include St. Catharines, Niagara Falls, and Welland. Urban growth is expected to be greatest along the Welland Canal corridor particularly in the southern portion of the peninsula.

There are six municipal water treatment plants with surface water intakes which supply over 80% of the population. There are no municipal wells. The six water treatment plants that supply municipal drinking water to residents are: Welland, DeCew Falls, Port Colborne, Niagara Falls, Grimsby and Rosehill (Fort Erie). Only Grimsby is on Lake Ontario, the remainder are on Lake Erie or a connecting channel (Welland Canal or Niagara River).

Vulnerable areas known as Intake Protection Zones (IPZs) were delineated around each municipal water treatment plant intake. The source protection program focused on drinking water threats within these IPZs. Existing and potential future threats within these IPZs were ranked and significant threats identified for policy action under the Source Protection Plan. The Source Protection Committee chose also to include transportation, storage and handling of diesel and gasoline along the Welland Canal as significant drinking water threats requiring addressing under the Source Protection Plan.

The Source Protection Plan contains policies to address significant drinking water threats for four water treatment plants, Welland, DeCew Falls, Port Colborne and Niagara Falls. No significant drinking water threats were determined for Grimsby or Rosehill (Fort Erie).

### IV. At a Glance: Progress on Source Protection Plan Implementation

#### 1. Source Protection Plan Policies

P: Progressing Well/On Target

All of the policies (100%) that address significant drinking water threats have been implemented in accordance with the time lines set out in our source protection plan.

### 2. Municipal Progress: Addressing Risks on the Ground

There are a total of three (3) lower tier municipalities and one (1) upper-tier municipality in the source protection area that have vulnerable areas where significant drinking water threats apply. All three (3) of the lower tier municipalities (City of Thorold, City of Port Colborne, and City of Niagara Falls) have completed their Official Plan and Zoning By-law conformity exercises. The upper-tier municipality (Regional Municipality of Niagara) has also updated their Official Plan conformity exercise, however, the upper-tier municipality has no Zoning By-laws.

### 3. Septic Inspections

Not applicable to our source protection area.

### 4. Risk Management Plans

P:- Progressing Well/On Target

Since 2016, the Risk Management Official was able to dismiss 9 of the 24 potentially significant drinking water threats in the vicinity of the DeCew Falls IPZs identified in the Assessment Report. The remaining 15 significant drinking water threats are being managed under the required risk management plans.

### 5. Provincial Progress: Addressing Risks on the Ground Several

Ministries in Ontario are reviewing applications for new or amended and previously issued provincial approvals (e.g., Environmental Compliance Approvals issued under the Environmental Protection Act) where they have been identified as a tool in our plan to address activities that pose a significant risk to source water. The provincial approvals are either being issued, denied, amended, or revoked, where necessary to conform with plan policies in Niagara. The original policies written in Niagara provided a timeline of 3 years to complete the review and make any necessary changes to previously issued approvals. Any new or amended provincial approvals need to adhere to the Source Protection Plan policies since it took effect in October 2014. 100% of previously issued provincial approvals in the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area have been reviewed. In 2022, there we no new prescribed instruments which needed review.

### 6. Source Protection Awareness and Change in Behaviour

Twenty-three (23) drinking water protection zone signs have been installed in our source protection area along municipal and regional roads that are in close proximity to intake protection zones. Community engagement and outreach continue to have a positive impact in our source protection region through programs like Yellow Fish Road™ and the Children's Water Festival.

Other positive impacts include the consideration that is given to vulnerable areas within the Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area including Intake Protection Zones and Highly Vulnerable Aguifers.

<ol><li>Source Protection Plan Policies: Summary of Delays</li></ol>
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Not applicable to our source protection area.

### 8. Source Water Quality: Monitoring and Actions Not applicable.

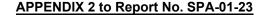
### 9. Science-based Assessment Reports: Work Plans

No work plans were required to be implemented for our assessment report.

#### 10. More from the Watershed

Future 2023 source water protection activities include:

- -Yellow Fish Road education and outreach within the City of Niagara Falls and the City of Port Colborne and at the Niagara Children's Water Festival
- -Implementation of the work plan to update the Source Protection Plan to address: (i) required municipal updates and (ii) improving municipal supply protection
- Upcoming changes to municipal drinking water intakes and infrastructure projects near vulnerable areas.





### Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Policy Implementation Status SPR - Niagara Peninsula

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id DC-1 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

**Legal Effect** Conform with **Threat Type** Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, ECA are no longer issued where septage is a significant threat.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

**Policy Id** DC-10 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** SLSMC has incorporated maps into their Emergency Response Plans, Emergency Response Plans communications protocols updated.

Implementing Body Transport Canada

Policy Id DC-10 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

**Legal Effect** Strategic **Threat Type** Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** Transport Canada

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Same as above.



Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

**Policy Id** DC-11 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

**Legal Effect** Strategic **Threat Type** Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Regulation SOR/2008-197 is SLSMC protocol.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id DC-2 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, process in place to ensure policy requirements are met.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id DC-3 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

**Legal Effect** Conform with **Threat Type** Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated.



Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id DC-4 Policy Tool Section 58 Risk Management Plans

**Legal Effect** Conform with **Threat Type** Future

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Two parcels are residential and exempt, RMP for two parcels are signed, 1 parcel is mitigated through engineered solution, last 3 parcels have

had implementation of RMP ordered through RMO in 2019.

Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id DC-4 Policy Tool Section 58 Risk Management Plans

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Existing

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Same as above.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id DC-5 Policy Tool Section 59 Restricted Land Uses

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

Risk Significant, Agency Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** RMO is in place, Region of Niagara has a screening checklist. For Thorold, the Official Plan was revised and the Zoning By-Law was updated in

2018.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdDC-6Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectStrategicThreat TypeFuture & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: RMO Outreach and Education in coordination with landowner contacts

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdDC-8Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

**Risk** Non Specific, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Road signs have been installed in Thorold and on Hwy 406.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id DC-9 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Emergency Response Plans have been updated.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id NF-1 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, ECA are no longer issued where septage is a significant threat.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id NF-2 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, process in place to ensure policy requirements are met.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id NF-3 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated



Implementing Body Conservation Authority

Policy IdNF-4Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** Conservation Authority

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Through Yellow Fish Road program at Children's Water Festival.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id NF-5 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

**Legal Effect** Conform with **Threat Type** Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-law have been updated.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdNF-7Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

Risk Non Specific, Agency Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented: Policy outcome(s) evaluated - No further action(s) required Completed: True

Response: No arterial roads in Niagara Falls IPZ for road sign placement, possibly install signs after IPZ moves with Sec 36 update. MTO/MECP

implemented.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-1 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, MECP standards in place to protect against significant threats

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdPC-10Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Niagara Snow School, Smart about Salt training and communications.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-11 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** No new open road salt storage areas as per policy.



Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id PC-13 Policy Tool Section 57 Prohibition

**Legal Effect** Conform with **Threat Type** Future

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Through updated Official Plan and Zoning By-Law

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-14 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant,

Agency St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** No plans for National Airport on SLSMC lands

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-15 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

Risk Significant, Agency Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, ECA are no longer issued where septage is a significant threat.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-17 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Regional Official Plan and Zoning By-Laws updated.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-18 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Through updated Official Plan and through Port Colborne's Storm Sewer Infrastructure Needs System (SSINS)

Implementing Body Conservation Authority

Policy IdPC-19Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** Conservation Authority

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Through Yellow Fish Road program.



Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-2 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

**Legal Effect** Strategic **Threat Type** Future

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** No new waste disposal sites located on Welland Canal Lands.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-20 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated, process in place to ensure policy requirements are met.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-21 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

**Future** 

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type

**Risk** Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** No new sewer installations/discharges according to SLSMC



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-22 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-23 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future

Risk Significant,

Agency St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** No new agricultural activities according to SLSMC.

Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id PC-25 Policy Tool Section 58 Risk Management Plans

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Risk Management Official in place, no existing threats.



Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id PC-25 Policy Tool Section 58 Risk Management Plans

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Existing

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Risk Management Official in place, no existing threats.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-26 Policy Tool Section 59 Restricted Land Uses

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: RMO is in place, Region of Niagara has a screening checklist. For Port Colborne, the Official Plan was revised and the Zoning By-Law was

updated in 2018.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-27 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** SLSMC has existing protocols concerning pesticide application.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdPC-28Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

**Risk** Non Specific, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** 10 Road signs installed in Port Colborne on various roads with IPZ-1 and IPZ-2.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-29 Policy Tool Education / Outreach

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Existing

**Risk** Low, Moderate, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Through Niagara Snow School, Smart about Salt training and communications.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-30 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

Risk Significant, Agency Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Emergency Response Plans have been updated.



Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

**Policy Id** PC-31 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

**Legal Effect** Strategic **Threat Type** Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** SLSMC have incorporated the maps into their ERP

Implementing Body Transport Canada

Policy Id PC-31 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant,

Agency Transport Canada

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: ERP communications protocol updated.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-32 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Boom anchors have been installed.



Implementing Body Risk Management Official

Policy Id PC-5 Policy Tool Section 58 Risk Management Plans

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

Risk Significant,

Agency Risk Management Official

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Risk Management Official in place, no existing threats.

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-6 Policy Tool Section 59 Restricted Land Uses

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: RMO is in place, Region of Niagara has a screening checklist. For Port Colborne, the Official Plan was revised and the Zoning By-Law was

updated in 2018.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id PC-7 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

**Risk** Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Pesticides not stored on SLSMC lands as per SPP policy.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-8 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id PC-9 Policy Tool Land Use Planning Approaches

Legal Effect Conform with Threat Type Future

**Risk** Significant, **Agency** Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Official Plan and Zoning By-Law have been updated

Implementing Body Municipality

Policy IdWL-1Policy ToolEducation / OutreachLegal EffectConform withThreat TypeFuture & Existing

Risk Non Specific, Agency Municipality

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

Response: Signs on Hwy 406 installed (MECP/MTO), Niagara Region signs installed in 2019, Welland does not have any arterial roads within the IPZ for

signs to be installed on.



Implementing Body Municipality

Policy Id WL-2 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Conform with **Threat Type** Future & Existing

Significant, Municipality Agency

Risk

Completed: Implementation Status: Implemented True

**Response:** Emergency Response Plans have been updated.

Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id WL-3 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect **Threat Type** Strategic Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation Agency

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** SLSMC have incorporated maps into their ERPs

Implementing Body **Transport Canada** 

Policy Id WL-3 **Policy Tool** Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect **Threat Type Future & Existing** Strategic

Risk Significant,

Agency **Transport Canada** 

Completed: Implementation Status: Implemented True

**Response:** ERPs have been updated.



Implementing Body St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Policy Id WL-4 Policy Tool Specify Actions to be taken to implement plan or achieve its objectives

Legal Effect Strategic Threat Type Future & Existing

Risk Significant,

**Agency** St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

Implementation Status: Implemented Completed: True

**Response:** Regulation SOR/2008-197 is SLSMC protocol.





### Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Policy Implementation Status Summary SPR - Niagara Peninsula

#### Implementation Status - Significant Legally Binding Policies

Implementation Status Category	Policies	Percent of Plan Policies
Implemented	45	92 %
No response required/not applicable	4	8 %
TOTAL	49	100 %



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#### Implementation Status - Significant Non Legally Binding Policies

Implementation Status Category	Count of Plan Policies	Percent of Plan Policies
Implemented	22	100 %
TOTAL	22	100 %



### Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Policy Implementation Status Summary SPR - Niagara Peninsula

#### Implementation Status - Moderate/Low Policies

Implementation Status Category	Count of Plan Policies	Percent of Plan Policies
Implemented	2	100 %
TOTAL	2	100 %



#### Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Policy Implementation Status Summary SPR - Niagara Peninsula

#### Implementation Status - Non-threat specific policies

Implementation Status Category Implemented

TOTAL

Count of Plan Policies	Percent of Plan Policies
4	100 %
4	100 %



### Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Policy Implementation Status Summary SPR - Niagara Peninsula

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#### APPENDIX 4 to Report No. SPA-01-23

# Source Water Protection Annual Report 2022 - Supplemental Form SPR - Niagara Peninsula

#### Report Id Completed Question

10 True

As applicable to your source protection region/area, indicate if all relevant implementing bodies submitted a status update/annual report to the source protection authority for the previous reporting year. If "No" is selected for any implementing body(ies), then please complete the Comments field below with details including the name of the specific implementing body along with an explanation, if available, for not submitting a status update/annual report as required by a monitoring policy. \*NOTE: Where a listed implementing body(ies) is not applicable/relevant to your source protection region/area, then simply select "No" and explain that it is not an applicable implementing body in your source protection region/area in the Comments field text box.

Response	Answer
Risk Management Official	Yes
Municipality	Yes
Conservation Authority	Yes
Local Health Unit	No
MECP - Waste Disposal Sites - Landfilling and Storage	Yes
MECP - Wastewater/Sewage Works	Yes
MECP - Pesticides	No
MECP - Hauled Sewage/Biosolids	Yes
MECP - Hauled Sewage/Biosolids Inspections	Yes
MECP - Permit to Take Water	No
MECP - Permit to Take Water Inspections	No
MECP - Municipal Residential Drinking Water Systems	No
MECP - Municipal Residential Drinking Water Systems Inspections	No
MECP - Source Protection	Yes
MECP - Waste Disposal Sites - Landfilling and Storage Inspections	Yes
MECP - Wastewater/Sewage Works Inspections	Yes
MECP - Conditions Sites	No
MECP - NMA - ASM and NASM Inspections	Yes
MECP - Environmental Monitoring	No
MECP - Fuel	No
MECP - Great Lakes	No



MECP - Spills Response	Yes
MECP - Wells	No
OMAFRA	Yes
MNRF	No
MTO	Yes
MMAH	No
MGCS-TSSA	No
MENDM	No
Provincial Board/Commission	No
Federal Departments/Agencies/Commissions/Crown Corporations	Yes
Private Entity/Company	
Association/Organization	No
Comment: For "No" answers, implementing body does not apply in Niagara Peninsula Source Protection Area.	

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Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
20 Answer:	True	Did the Source Protection Authority (i) indicate the status of all threat policies as contained in their source protection plan by using one of the two options outlined in the guidance document (ID 20a) AND (ii) either provide details in the response field text box in section 2 for policies with a "No Progress Made" and "No information available/no response received" implementation status OR complete the table as part of reportable ID 20b in the Excel Workbook for those policies with a "No Progress Made" and "No information available/no response received" implementation status (only if also submitting the Excel Workbook), especially for legally-binding policies that address significant drinking water threat activities and for any moderate/low threat policies that use prescribed instruments and Planning Act tools. Please refer to the instructions provided for EAR Reportable ID 20 in the Guidance document which can be found in the FAQ section of the EAR online tool.	Implementatio n status of source protection plan policies
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	Question	
30		Number of risk management plans agreed to or established within the source protection area/region (to address existing and future threats) in this reporting period (i.e., annual total).	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 2	
Provincial	Total	0 2	
Comment:			



Report Id	Completed	Question	
31	True	Number of properties (i.e., parcels) with risk management plans agreed to or established in this reporting period.	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 5	
Provincial 1	Γotal	0 5	
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	Question	
32		How many existing* significant drinking water threats have been managed through the established risk management plans in this reporting period (* meaning engaged in OR enumerated as existing significant threats)?	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 15	
Provincial 1	Γotal	0 15	
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	d Question	Category
33	True	Please state the number of known properties with existing significant drinking water threat activities that are subject to section 58 policy but are not yet managed with an established or agreed to risk management plan.	Part IV (Sections 57 58 & Section 59)
nswer:	0		,
omment:			



Report Id	Complete	d Question	Category	
34	True	Since their establishment, were any risk management plans cancelled within the source protection region/area because of updates or amendments or other changes? If yes, please state how many. If no, please enter "0". Note: This count should be an annual count.		
Answer:	1		59)	
Comment:				
Report Id	Completed	Question		
40	True	How many section 59 notices were issued in this reporting period for activities to which neither a prohibition (section 57) nor a risk management plan (section 58) policy applied, as per ss. 59(2)(a) of the Clean Water Act?		
		Current Year Cumulative Count		
		0 0		
Provincial <sup>*</sup>	Γotal	0 0		
Comment:				
Report Id	Completed	Question		
41	True	How many section 59 notices were issued in this reporting period for activities to which a risk management plan (section 58) policy applied, as per ss. 59(2)(b) of the Clean Water Act?		
		Current Year Cumulative Count		
		0 0		
Provincial <sup>*</sup>	Γotal	0 0		
Comment:				



Report Id	Completed	Question		
50	True	For the purposes of section 61 of O. Reg. 287/07, how many notices and/or copies of prescribed instruments that state the prescribed instrument conforms with the significant drinking water threat policies in the source protection plan (i.e., statement of conformity confirms the instrument holder is exempt from requiring a risk management plan) did the risk management official receive in this reporting period?		
		Current Year	Cumulative Count	
		0	0	
Provincial '	Total	0	0	
Comment:				
Report Id	Completed	Question		
61	True	State the total number of inspections (including any follow-up or future) that are prohibited under section 57 of the Clean W conducted in the previous calendar year, please explain.		
		Current Year	Cumulative Count	
		0	7	
Provincial '	Total	0	7	
Comment:	Lack of tra	ined RMO at Niagara Region during reporting period. One in	place now, inspections will take place during next reporting period.	



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Report Id	Completed	Question			
62	True	Among the inspections conducted for section 57, how many showed that activities were taking place on the landscape even though they were prohibited (i.e., in contravention) under section 57 of the Clean Water Act in this reporting period?			
		Current Year Cumulative Count			
		0 0			
Provincial 7	Γotal	0 0			
Comment:					
Report Id	Completed	Question			
70	True	How many existing significant drinking water threats have been prohibited as a result of section 57 prohibitions in this reporting period?			
		Current Year Cumulative Count			
		0 1			
Provincial 7	Γotal	0 1			
Comment:					
Report Id	Completed	Question			
80	True	State the total number of inspections (including any follow-up site visits) that were carried out for activities that require a risk management plan under section 58 of the Clean Water Act in this reporting period. If no inspections were conducted in the previous calendar year, please explain.			
		Current Year Cumulative Count			
		0 7			
Provincial 7	Γotal	0 7			
Comment:	Lack of tra	ned RMO at Niagara Region during reporting period. One in place now, inspections will take place during next reporting period.			



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Report Id	Completed	Question			
81	True	Among the inspections conducted for section 58, how many were in contravention with section 58 of the Clean Water Act in this reporting period (i.e., person engaging in a drinking water threat activity without a risk management plan as required by the source protection plan)?			
		Current Year Cu	umulative Count		
		0	1		
Provincial T	otal	0	1		
Comment:					
Report Id	Completed	Question			
82		Among the inspections for section 58, how many were in non-commanagement plan in this reporting period? (NOTE: Please only in compliance with measures/conditions to manage the actual threat	nclude those inspections that showed non-		
		Current Year Cu	umulative Count		
		0	0		
Provincial T	otal	0	0		
Comment:					
Report Id	Completed	Question			
83	True	State the total number of notices issued where there were cases with section 57 in this reporting period.	of contraventions and/or non-compliance found		
		Current Year Cu	umulative Count		
		0	0		
Provincial T	otal	0	0		
Comment:					



Report Id	Completed	Question		
84	True	State the total number of notices issued where there were cases of contraventions and/or non-compliance found with section 58 in this reporting period.		
		Current Year Cumulative Count		
		0 0		
Provincial '	Γotal	0 0		
Comment:				
Report Id	Completed	Question		
85	True	State the total number of orders issued for contraventions and/or non-compliance found with section 57 in this reporting period.		
		Current Year Cumulative Count		
		0 0		
Provincial <sup>*</sup>	Γotal	0 0		
Comment:				
Report Id	Completed	Question		
86	True	State the total number of orders issued for contraventions and/or non-compliance found with section 58 in this reporting period.		
		Current Year Cumulative Count		
		0 1		
Provincial <sup>*</sup>	Γotal	0 1		
Comment:				



#### **Completed Question** Report Id

220 True

List the municipality(ies) (including upper-, lower-, and single-tier) within the source protection region/area that are required to complete Official Plan and Zoning exercises to conform to the latest source protection plan, and indicate the status of those exercises for each applicable municipality. "Latest source protection plan" means the first approved plan or any subsequent approved plan update. \*NOTE: Applies to every municipality affected by land use planning or Part IV type policies. Where the official plan and/or zoning by-law status for any particular municipality needs to be changed/updated, then please do so by deleting the entry for that particular municipality by clicking on the red "-" (minus) sign and then re-select the municipality name from the drop down list of municipalities followed by selecting the updated status of the conformity exercise for the official plan and zoning by-law from the drop down list for that particular municipality. After doing so, please be sure to add the municipality as your response by clicking on the green plus sign.

Municipality	Official Plan	Zoning By Law
City of Niagara Falls	Completed	Completed
City of Port Colborne	Completed	Completed
City of Thorold	Completed	Completed
Niagara, Regional Municipality of	Completed	Not Applicable

#### Comment:

#### Report Id **Completed Question**

240

True

State the number of source water protection signs installed on provincial highways in the source protection region/area in this reporting period.

#### **Current Year Cumulative Count**

	0	4	
Provincial Total	0	4	

#### Comment:



Report Id	Completed	Question	
241	True	State the number of source water protection signs installed on municipal roads in the source protection region/area in this reporting period.	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 19	
Provincial <sup>-</sup>	Γotal	0 19	
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	Question	
242	True	State the number of source water protection signs installed at other locations (if applicable) in the source protection region/area in this reporting period.	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 0	
Provincial <sup>7</sup>	Γotal	0 0	
Comment:			
Report Id	Complete	d Question	Category
260	True	Current total overall number of on-site sewage systems that are assessed as significant drinking water threat activities and that are required to be inspected every five years in accordance with the Ontario Building Code.	Sewage System Inspections
nswer:	0		mspections
omment:	N/A		



Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
261	True	Of those requiring inspections, how many inspections of on-site sewage systems were due to be carried out in this reporting period? If not applicable or no inspections of on-site sewage systems were due to be carried out in this reporting period because they were already inspected earlier within the inspection cycle or will be inspected in a future year within the cycle, then please enter "0" and state either explanation in the comment field.	Sewage System Inspections
Answer:	0		
Comment:	N/A		
Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
262	True	How many on-site sewage system inspections were completed in this reporting period?	Sewage System Inspections
Answer:	0		Inspections
Comment:	N/A		
Report Id	Completed C	Question	
263	True H	low many of the inspected on-site sewage systems required minor maintenance work in this reporting period?	
		Current Year Cumulative Count	
		0 0	
Provincial	Total	0 0	
Comment:	N/A		



Report Id	Completed	Question
264		How many of the inspected on-site sewage systems required major maintenance work (e.g., tank replacement, etc.) in this reporting period?
		Current Year Cumulative Count
		0 0
Provincial <sup>*</sup>	Total	0 0
Comment:	N/A	
Report Id	Complete	d Question Category
265	True	How many of the inspected on-site sewage systems required no maintenance work?  Sewage System Inspections
Answer:	0	Inspections
Comment:	 N/A	



Report Id	Completed	Question	
266	True	For those on-site sewage systems that were not inspected in this reporting period but should have been inspected, and are now out of compliance, please indicate why they were not all inspected from among the reasons below. [Note: For municipalities that have not yet initiated the mandatory on-site sewage system inspection program, please see the next reportable to provide your response if this is the case].	
Response			Answer
landowner	refused entry, o	compliance order being sought	No
inspections	delayed/postp	oned due to COVID-19 restrictions	No
vulnerable	area changed a	and on-site sewage system(s) no longer a threat activity	No
other. Pleas	se specify in th	e comment box below.	No
Comment:	N/A		

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Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
267	True	If applicable, please indicate if any municipality(ies) has not yet established or initiated the mandatory on-site sewage system inspection program (i.e., the first inspection cycle) in your source protection region/area. As part of your response, please indicate the name of the municipality(ies), the reason(s) for not yet initiating the mandatory on-site sewage inspection program (if known) and the steps that have been taken to ensure compliance with the mandatory inspection program.	Sewage System Inspections
Answer:	N/A		
Comment:			

#### Report Id Completed Question

270 True

Complete the information below regarding environmental monitoring of drinking water issues identified in accordance with the Technical Rules within your source protection region/area. Begin by selecting the drinking water system, the specific well or intake, the drinking water issue, the delineation status, and the observation of the concentration. [OPTIONAL]: In the comments field, describe any actions or behavioural changes that might be contributing to reported changes in the concentration of the issue or parameter. Where the drinking water issue, well or intake, delineation status, or observation of any previously listed drinking water system needs to be changed/updated, then please do so by deleting the entry for that particular drinking water system by clicking on the red minus sign on the right side of the entry and then re-select the drinking water system from the dropdown list of drinking water systems followed by selecting the associated well or intake, the drinking water issue, its delineation status, and the observation from the dropdown list for that particular drinking water system. After doing so, please be sure to add the drinking water system as your response by clicking on the green plus sign on the right side of the entry. If this reportable is not applicable to your source protection region/area, please indicate as such by choosing "No system with issues," "Not Known/Available," "No issue," "Not applicable," and "No observation," respectively, under the drop down menu options under each of the categories of this reportable. Do not leave blank.

DWIS Number DWIS Name Issue ICA Delinated Observation

-- No system with issues -- -- No Issue -- -- No Observation --

Comment: N/A



#### Report Id Completed Question

280 True

How many notices about transport pathways (meaning a condition of land resulting from human activity (e.g., pits and quarries, improperly abandoned wells, geothermal system, etc.) that increases the vulnerability of a raw water supply of a drinking water system) did the source protection authority receive from municipalities in this reporting period (as per O. Reg. 287/07, ss. 27(3))?

#### **Current Year Cumulative Count**

	0	0	
Provincial Total	0	0	1

**Comment:** Transport Pathways cannot increase the vulnerability score of Intake Protection Zones. However, through implementation of screening layers,

municipalities are aware to notify the Source Protection Authority for developments within IPZs that may increase the size of the vulnerable

area. To date, none to our knowledge have required modification of the existing vulnerable area delineations.



Report Id	Completed	Question	
281	True	Where transport pathway notices were received, indicate the action(s) taken by the source protection region/area in response to receiving these notices:	
Response			Answer
Provided in	formation to m	unicipalities about changes in vulnerability	No
Provided no	otice to Source	Protection Committee for information	No
Situation co	ntinues to be r	monitored	No
Comment:	N/A		



Report Id	Completed	Question	
300	True	[OPTIONAL]: If and where there are successful examples for each of the following initiatives in the source protection region/area (including from local municipalities, residents and businesses) that occurred in this reporting period that the authority wishes to highlight, then please indicate in the Comments field below. In your comments, please include details for each of the selected topics. Please limit the descriptions provided (e.g., one example for each topic or more could be included when the source protection authority feels they are exceptional/quite successful).	
Response			Answer
Education aretc.)	nd Outreach (i	in description include details, if available, on type and percentage of target population reached, outcome(s) achieved,	Yes
	n description i	nclude details, if available, on outcome(s) achieved, how widely available was the incentive, etc.)	Yes
Stewardship	Programs		No
Best Manage	ement Practic	es	No
Pilot Program	ms		No
Research			Yes
		salt management, municipal by-laws, legislative or regulatory amendments, mapping, review of fuel codes, new airport o manage runoff of chemicals from de-icing of aircraft, instrumentation, etc.)	No
	nge (e.g., data		Yes
Spill prevent	ion/spill contir	ngency/emergency response plan updates	Yes
Transport pa	athways		Yes
Water quant	ity		No
Great Lakes			Yes
Other policie	es (i.e., strateg	jic action, etc.)	No
Comment:		ucation and outreach initiatives continued throughout 2022 with the direct or indirect goal of source protection awareness ence of in person scenarios and combination of hybrid learning opportunities.	. 2022 saw
	and protect	nple, this year the Children's Water Festival was held virtually, once again, where children participated in online water cor ion activities. The event was well received and well attended with the online activities that deal with water protection bein ., Yellow Fish Road).	
		rograms at local municipalities and the conservation authority continued in 2022 (i.e., disconnecting storm drains from loc oundwater well decommissioning program).	

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#### Report Id Completed Question

305 True

Complete the table below with the count data for each significant drinking water threat activity/local threat activity/condition being engaged in (i.e., enumerated as 'existing' significant threats) at the time of source protection plan approval or approval of amendments that include new / changing protection zones. Please use the best available information/desktop exercises, reports from Risk Management Officials, and other implementing bodies to provide the counts below. For convenience, the count data from the previous reporting year have been copied over, but please be sure to review, edit, and confirm the counts for accuracy in the table below. \*NOTE: SPAs are strongly encouraged to refer to the Guidance document for additional details and instructions on completing this table.

ThreatId	Threat	Α	В	С	D
1	The establishment, operation or maintenance of a waste disposal site within the meaning of Part V of the Environmental Protection Act.	0	0	0	0
2	The establishment, operation or maintenance of a system that collects, stores, transmits, treats or disposes of sewage.	0	0	0	0
3	The application of agricultural source material to land.	8	0	3	5
4	The storage of agricultural source material.	8	0	3	5
5	The management of agricultural source material.	0	0	0	0
6	The application of non-agricultural source material to land.	0	1	1	0
7	The handling and storage of non-agricultural source material.	0	0	0	0
8	The application of commercial fertilizer to land.	0	0	0	0
9	The handling and storage of commercial fertilizer.	0	0	0	0
10	The application of pesticide to land.	0	0	0	0
11	The handling and storage of pesticide.	0	0	0	0
12	The application of road salt.	0	0	0	0

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13	The handling and storage of road salt.	0	0	0	0
14	The storage of snow.	0	0	0	0
15	The handling and storage of fuel.	0	0	0	0
16	The handling and storage of a dense non-aqueous phase liquid.	0	0	0	0
17	The handling and storage of an organic solvent.	0	0	0	0
18	The management of runoff that contains chemicals used in the de-icing of aircraft.	0	0	0	0
19	Water taking from an aquifer without returning the water to the same aquifer or surface water body	0	0	0	0
20	Reducing recharge of an aquifer	0	0	0	0
21	The use of land as livestock grazing or pasturing land, an outdoor confinement area or a farm-animal yard. O. Reg. 385/08, s. 3.	8	0	3	5
22	The establishment and operation of a liquid hydrocarbon pipeline	0	0	0	0
1000	Water conditioning salts from water softeners	0	0	0	0
1001	Transportation of specified substances along corridors	0	0	0	0
1002	Spill of Tritium from Nuclear Generating Station	0	0	0	0
1003	Handling storage of fuel	36	0	0	36
1004	Transportation, storage and handling of diesel/gasoline	36	0	0	36
1005	Transportation of Agricultural and Non-Agricultural Source Materials	6	0	0	6
1006	International Shipping Channel within IPZ2	0	0	0	0
1007	Transportation of hazardous substances along transportation corridors	0	0	0	0
1008	Transportation or Storage and Handling of Fuel in an Event Based Area	0	0	0	0

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1009	Waterfowl		0	0	0
1010	Local condit	ion	0	0	0
	93	93 Total	s: 102	1	10
Commer	nt:		MECP Calc	D/(A+B-C)	: 100 %
Report Id	Completed	Question		Catego	ory
310 Answer:	True P: Pro	Please provide comments below to explain the overall progress made in addressing existing activities and include the percentage of overall progress made within the comments provided of overall progress made in addressing local threats and conditions that are taking place on the determined by taking the total number in column D (i.e., significant drinking water threat addressing is implemented) from the table above (reportable 305) adding it to C (i.e., significant the through field verification to no longer be threats) and dividing it by the number that is derived numbers in columns A and B. In other words, overall progress made = (C+D)/(A + B). Or	The percentage ne landscape is essed because reats determined by adding the total	enumei threats	g rated
Comment:				,	
Report Id	Completed	Question		Catego	ory
320	True	If applicable, where the 2013/2017 technical rules were used for the assessment report update provide a summary of steps taken to further assess or implement the plans of work described 30.1: Water Budget Tier 3 not included in your original assessment report(s).		Assess report informa gaps	
Answer:	N/A			уарз	
Comment:					



Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
321	True	If applicable, where the 2013/2017 technical rules were used for the assessment report update/amendment, provide a summary of steps taken to further assess or implement the plans of work described in technical rule 50.1: GUDI for WHPA-E or F not included in your original assessment report(s).	Assessment report information gaps
Answer:	N/A		gaps
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
322	True	If applicable, where the 2013/2017 technical rules were used for the assessment report update/amendment, provide a summary of steps taken to further assess or implement the plans of work described in technical rule 116: Issue Contributing Area not included in your original assessment report(s).	Assessment report information
Answer:	N/A		gaps
Comment:			
Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
323	True	If applicable where the 2021 technical rules were used for the assessment report update/amendment, provide a summary of steps taken to further assess or implement the plans of work described in technical rule 30.1: Water Budget Tier 3 not included in your original assessment report(s).	Assessment report information
Answer:	N/A		gaps
Comment:			



Report Id	Completed	Question	Category
324	True	[OPTIONAL] Where the 2021 technical rules were used for the assessment report update/amendment, provide a summary of steps taken to further assess or implement the plans of work described in technical rule 50.1: GUDI for WHPA-E or F not included in your original assessment report(s).	Assessment report information
Answer:	N/A		gaps
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330	True	Does the source protection authority have any other item(s) on which it wishes to report? If so, please explain.	Other reporting
Answer:	N/A		items
Comment:			



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340	True	What positive outcomes (e.g., less water consumption, changes in behaviour, reduction in phosphorus and nitrogen concentrations, less chloride from road salt, reduction in algal blooms, human health protected, etc.), if any, have potentially resulted from the implementation of source protection plan policies? Please describe the outcomes below.	Source protection outcomes	
Answer:	One of the main positive outcomes from the implementation of source protection plan policies comes in the form of heightened awareness of the need for integration of source water protection into activities such as spill response exercises, e.g. local fire departments, St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation, Enbridge (Westover), Niagara Region.			
	Indirect outcomes from source protection plan policies include an increased awareness of beach monitoring for areas where recreational swimming takes place. In addition, municipal work to improve infrastructure is prioritized to reduce threats in vulnerable areas (i.e., combined sewer replacement and relocations of sanitary sewers outside of vulnerable areas where they may pose a threat to drinking water treatment plants).			
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350	False	In the opinion of the Source Protection Committee, to what extent have the objectives of the source protection plan been achieved in this reporting period?	
Response			Answer
Progressing progressing		jority of the policies from the approved original or an amended source protection plan have been implemented and/or are	Yes
Satisfactory progressing		policies from the approved original or an amended source protection plan have been implemented and/or are	No
	gress made - A	few of the policies from the approved original or an amended source protection plan have been implemented and/or are	No
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351	False	Please provide comments to explain how the Source Protection Committee arrived at its opinion. Include a summary of any discussions that might have been had amongst the Source Protection Committee members, especially where no consensus was reached.	Achievement of source protection plan objectives
Answer:	The Source Protection Committee states that based on the information provided that all of the significant drinking water threats have been addressed and all of the policies are implemented.		
Comment:			