



Payne Pit Aggregate Extraction - Natural Environment Report (NER) Level 1 and 2

Project Location:

6508 Trafalgar Street and 6367 Dundas Street,
Part Lot 16 and 17, Concession 1 NTR,
Municipality of Thames Centre (formerly North Dorchester),
County of Middlesex

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1.0 Introduction

Aaroc Aggregates Ltd is proposing an aggregate extraction operation within a legal parcel located west of Thamesford, in the County of Middlesex [Figure 1]. This application is for a Category 1, Class A licence for below water table aggregate extraction. Below water extraction resulting in a permanent pond feature is not being considered for this application and extraction will be limited to within 0.5m of the high-water table (Ground Water Science Corp, 2021). Since the time of the initial report completion, the proponent leased additional lands in early 2020 to the northwest of the Trafalgar Street property. The address for the newly purchased property is 6367 Dundas Street. Site investigations were completed during one visit to the newly acquired property. No additional features of natural heritage concern were identified on this property. All legal boundaries are current and reflect the addition of this new property

As per the requirement of the *Aggregate Resources Act* (ARA), the “Licence Boundary” for this Natural Environment Level 1 and 2 Report is defined as the part of the land that any component of the aggregate extraction project will occupy. The area within 120m of the Licence Boundary is hereafter referred to as the “Adjacent Lands”. The “Legal Parcel” is the entire legally owned parcel. Some of the Legal Parcel will remain outside of the proposed Licence Boundary.

1.1 Purpose and Objectives

The purpose of a Natural Environment Level 1 Report is to determine whether any of the significant natural heritage features as identified by the Provincial Policy Statement (PPS) (2020) are located in and/or within 120m of the proposed Licence Boundary. To complete the Level 1 Report, MTE reviewed existing records and conducted site specific investigations to identify the following natural heritage features:

- wetlands
- habitat of Endangered and Threatened species
- areas of Natural and Scientific Interest (ANSIs)
- woodlands
- valleylands
- wildlife habitat
- fish habitat

If any of the above features were identified within the proposed Licence Boundary or within the 120m Adjacent Lands, the Level 1 Report evaluates identified features for provincial significance using the criteria provided in the Natural Heritage Reference Manual (MNR, 2010) and the Significant Wildlife Habitat Criteria Schedules (MNR, 2015).

The purpose of a Natural Environment Level 2 Report is to complete an impact assessment of the proposed aggregate extraction on the significant natural heritage features identified in the Level 1 Report. The impact assessment determines any negative impacts to the significant natural features or their ecological functions, and identifies avoidance, mitigation, restoration and/or compensation.

The following legislation, policies, regulations, and guiding documents were reviewed and consulted for this Natural Environment Level 1 and Level 2 Report:

- *Aggregate Resources Act (ARA)* (1990)
- Provincial Policy Statement (PPS) (2020)
- *Endangered Species Act (ESA)* (2007)
- *Species at Risk Act (SARA)* (2002)
- *Migratory Birds Convention Act (MBCA)* (1994)
- *Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act (FWCA)* (1997)
- *Fisheries Act* (1985)
- *Conservation Authorities Act: Ontario Regulation 157/06* (2006)

- Municipality of Thames Centre Zoning By-law (2006)
- Municipality of Thames Centre Official Plan (2016)
- County of Middlesex Official Plan (2006)
- Natural Heritage Reference Manual (MNRF, 2010)
- Significant Wildlife Habitat Criteria Schedules - Ecoregion 7E (MNRF, 2015)

1.2 Report Format

This report is organized in the following sections to conform to the requirements of the Aggregate Resources of Ontario Provincial Standards for Natural Environment Level 1 and Level 2 Reports, as required by the ARA.

Section 2: Licence Boundary and Description:

This section describes the general area of the proposed extraction area and the setbacks that form the boundary of the proposed Aggregate Act licence. The proposed Licence Boundary area is approximately 66ha of which 60ha is proposed for extraction.

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Section 3: Records Review:

This section provides a review of existing and historical information to identify any natural heritage features within the Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands.

Section 4: Site Investigations:

A summary of site-specific investigations and/or reconnaissance to update information obtained through the records review. Natural heritage features or functions no longer present or not previously identified are noted in this section.

Section 5: Significant Natural Heritage Features:

This section evaluates any features which may fall within the License Boundary or Adjacent Lands (within 120m of Licence Boundary) to determine whether there are provincially significant features or have functions that merit further consideration in the application.

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Section 6: Environmental Impact Assessment:

The Natural Environment Level 2 report assesses potential impacts to the significant natural heritage features and their functions that were identified in the Level 1 Report. The Level 2 Report also provides recommendations for avoidance, mitigation, restoration and/or compensation, which shall be included in the licence application.

2.0 Licence Boundary Description and Surrounding Land Use

Aaroc Aggregates Ltd. is proposed an application for a Category 1, Class A Licence on a Legal Parcel located at 6508 Trafalgar Street, Part Lot 16 and 17, Concession 1 NTR, Municipality of Thames Centre (formerly North Dorchester), County of Middlesex, ON [Figure 1]. The site location is approximately 3km west of Thamesford and 1.5km east of Three Bridges [Figure 1]. Additional lands located at 6367 Dundas Street were leased by the proponent early in 2020. These additional lands are located to the northwest of the 6508 Trafalgar Street property.

The proposed application is for a Category 1, Class A licence (more than 20, 000 tonnes/year below water). Within the 66ha proposed Licence Boundary, approximately 60ha is proposed for extraction. The extraction limit is setback 15m from the proposed Licence Boundary in most sections but goes up to a maximum of 45m in certain sections adjacent to identified natural heritage features. A 0m setback for areas adjacent to additional aggregate extraction operations has been applied for the proposed Licence Boundary. No actual below water extraction resulting in a pond feature is proposed for the site. Extraction is proposed within 0.5m of the high-water table with limited extraction in the north-east corner of the proposed Licence Boundary. No extraction below the high-water table is proposed. Final rehabilitation over most of the site will be agriculture, with the un-extracted areas within the Legal Parcel remaining in their current state.

The region is primarily agriculture with interspersed areas of aggregate extraction and woodlands. A municipal drain (Humphrey Drain) is located to the north-east of the proposed Licence Boundary, separated from the Licence Boundary by a woodland. An un-named tributary of this drain is within the proposed Licence Boundary. Additional wooded areas are located to the west and south of the proposed Licence Boundary beyond the 120m Adjacent Lands [Figure 2].

3.0 Records Review

A review of existing records included the examination of existing databases, reports and literature to identify any natural heritage features within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands. The records that were searched and analyzed include:

- a) Physical Environment Records
 - Quaternary Geology mapping (Sado and Vagners, 1975)
 - Physiography mapping (Chapman and Putnam, 1985)
 - Soil Survey of Middlesex County (Hagerty and Kingston, 1992)
 - Topography mapping
- b) Hydrology Records
 - Groundwater Science Corp, 2021
- c) Provincial Government Records – Ministry of Natural Resources & Forestry (MNRF)
 - MNRF Make-a-Map: Natural Heritage Areas Application powered by Lands Information Ontario (LIO) (MNRF, 2017) which includes the NHIC database.
 - Pre-Screening summary of species of provincial concern from NHIC and MNRF
- d) Local Municipality Records
 - Municipality of Thames Centre Official Plan (2016)
 - County of Middlesex Official Plan (2006)
 - Municipality of Thames Centre Zoning By-law (2006)
- e) The Upper Thames Region Conservation Authority (UTRCA)
 - Regulated areas mapping that relates to Ontario Regulation 157/06

3.1 Physical Environment Records

3.1.1 Physiography and Geology

Bedrock geology over most of the site consists of limestone, dolostone, and shale of the Dundee Formation. The superficial geological setting for the proposed Licence Boundary consists of Catfish Creek Till. This is described as sandy silt till within the Dorchester Moraine (Sado and Vagners, 1975).

3.1.2 Soils

The soil within the Licence Boundary is composed of three different soil associations including Bryanston, Bookton, and Caledon (Hagerty and Kingston, 1992). The soils within the proposed Licence Boundary are described as rapid to imperfect and well to imperfect sandy loam and silt loam.

3.1.3 Topography

Topography of the Till Plain is generally flat with little relief (Chapman and Putnam, 1985). The site-specific topography is variable, however from a central ridge the lands slopes north-east towards the adjacent municipal drain and south-west towards Trafalgar Street. The Dundas Street parcel slopes from the north and south toward the central rehabilitation pit area.

3.2 Hydrology Records

3.2.1 Surface Water

Within the 120m Adjacent Lands to the north-east of the proposed Licence Boundary there is a named municipal drain (Humphrey Drain). Within the north-eastern section of the proposed Licence Boundary there is an associated un-named tributary of the Humphrey Drain [Figure 2]. Humphrey Drain and the unnamed tributary are both classified as Class D drains (cold water, permanent) that flow south to north within the 120m Adjacent Lands [Figure 2].

3.2.2 Groundwater

The flow of groundwater within the proposed Licence Boundary is divided into two sections. Groundwater from the north-east flows towards Humphrey Drain to the north-east. The un-named

tributary in the north-eastern section of the proposed Licence Boundary intercepts the high-water table and receives groundwater inputs from a tile drain outlet (Groundwater Science Corp, 2021)

The remainder of the flow on site is directed towards the south-west to additional municipal drains outside of the 120m Adjacent Lands (Groundwater Science Corp, 2021). Well records within the area agree with this assessment of the ground water table within the south-west corner (Well ID: 4104875, Ontario.ca).

3.3 Provincial Records

3.3.1 Designated Natural Areas

A review of the Natural Heritage Information Centre (NHIC) did not identify any Areas of Natural and Scientific Interest (ANSI) or Environmentally Significant Areas are located within the proposed Licence Boundary or within the 120m Adjacent Lands. The closest ANSI is the Thamesford Meltwater Channel Earth Science ANSI, located 7km north-west of the proposed Licence Boundary.

There are no identified wetlands within the proposed Licence Boundary and/or the 120m Adjacent Lands (NHIC, 2019).

3.3.2 Woodlands

A review of NHIC identified two (2) woodlands within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands. These woodlands are primarily deciduous forest communities, based on collected life science information. The Middlesex Natural Heritage System Study (MNHSS), 2014 identified the north-eastern woodland communities as significant but not the woodland community south-west of the proposed Licence Boundary [Figure 2]. Further detail of the specific ELC surveys for the site are detailed below in Section 4.0.

3.3.3 Species at Risk (SAR) and other Provincially Significant Species

A Stage 1 Information Request was submitted to MNR (now MECP) on April 24th, 2019 that provided a summary of site observations and suggested a list of species to consider from a review of the NHIC background information. No SAR were listed by the NHIC for the area that includes the proposed Licence Boundary. A response was received from MECP on September 9th, 2019 with a list of additional species to consider [Appendix A]. Since that correspondence, life science data has been supplied to MECP and at the time of this report a final clearance letter under the *Endangered Species Act* (2007) has not been received.

The Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO) Species at Risk Mapping, that is based on historical records and preferred habitat types, indicates there are no fish or mussel SAR or critical habitat for aquatic SAR within Humphrey Drain or the un-named tributary (DFO, 2019).

3.4 Municipal Records

3.4.1 Municipality of Thames Centre Official Plan (2016)

Land Use Designations

The area of the proposed Licence Boundary is almost entirely Agricultural with an area designated as Extractive Industrial to the north and a small section of the north-east that encroaches into a Protection Area [Figure 3]. Additional Natural Areas and Protection Areas are located to the south and south-west beyond the 120m Adjacent Lands [Figure 3]. To the west of the proposed Licence Boundary within the 120m Adjacent Lands, is an area classified as Extractive Industrial.

3.4.2 Municipality of Thames Centre Zoning By-law, 2006

The area within the proposed Licence Boundary is zoned as Agricultural (A) except for a small area that is zoned as Environmental Protection (EP) in the north-east corner [Figure 4]. The surrounding

120m Adjacent Lands are primarily zoned as Extractive Industrial (M3) with additional Agricultural (A) and Environmental Protection (EP) areas [Figure 4].

3.5 UTRCA Regulation

Within the 120m Adjacent Lands, there is a Class D municipal drain (Humphrey Drain). This watercourse, plus 15m from the top of bank is regulated by the Upper Thames Region Conservation Authority (UTRCA) (*O. Reg 157/06*). A north-east section of the proposed Licence Boundary falls within the regulation limit of the UTRCA.

3.6 Records Review Summary

Based on the records review, there are two (2) woodlands whose boundaries fall within the proposed Licence Boundary [Figure 2]. Within the 120m Adjacent Lands there are additional woodland areas, a municipal drainage feature, and additional significant areas.

Site investigations were completed to determine whether the results of the records review are correct or require correction. The results and analysis of the site investigations are discussed under Section 4.0.

4.0 Site Investigations

Site investigations were completed in 2019 to collect data on the vegetation communities, floral species, wildlife, and to provide an assessment of the ecological features and functions within and adjacent to the proposed Licence Boundary.

4.1 Vegetation Communities

Field work for the Ecological Land Classification (ELC) survey was completed in 2019 by Will Huys, Certified Arborist and Butternut Health Assessor [Figure 5]. ELC's are based on Lee *et al.* (1998) and ELC information sheets are provided in Appendix B. The ELC's were confirmed with the floral inventory data that was collected April 2, May 16, June 11, and July 3, 2019 (See Section 4.3). An additional site visit was completed on May 22, 2020 for the northern property area abutting Dundas Street. All vegetation communities found within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands are common and secure (NHIC, 2019) and the soils within the vegetation communities varied from clays to sandy clay and silty sand.

Table 1: Current Ecological Land Classifications for the Licence Boundary & 120m Adjacent Lands

Polygon	Size (ha)	ELC Code	Description
Anthropogenic Communities			
A	51.5	-	Active Agriculture
Cultural Communities			
1-3	2.68	CU	Cultural (Hedgerow)
Natural Communities			
4	3.66	FOD5-1	Dry-Fresh Sugar Maple Deciduous Forest
5	4.08	FOD7	Fresh-Moist Lowland Deciduous Forest
6-7	4.05	FOM7-2	Fresh-Moist White Cedar-Hardwood Mixed Forest Type

Active Agricultural

The agricultural fields within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands are actively grown cash crops.

Community 1-3 (CU) Cultural Hedgerows

Community 1 to 3 are cultural hedgerows located within the agricultural field proper and along the exterior of the agricultural field along the west and north edges. These hedgerows are dominated by White Spruce and Eastern White Cedar in the canopy layer with sparse numbers of Siberian Elm and Mountain Maple mixed in.

Community 4 (FOD5-1) Dry-Fresh Sugar Maple Deciduous Forest

The canopy layer is dominated by Sugar Maple, Black Cherry, Basswood, and White Pine. The sub-canopy is dominated by Sugar Maple, Ironwood, and Black Cherry. The understorey is dominated by Sugar Maple, Basswood, and Common Buckthorn. The ground layer is composed of May-apple, Sugar Maple, and Jack-in-the-pulpit. A White Pine Coniferous Plantation (CUP3-2) community is included as an inclusion within Community 4. It is our opinion that this feature is cultural in nature and is not part of the woodland proper. This is discussed further under Section 5.0.

Community 5 (FOD7) Fresh-Moist Lowland Deciduous Forest

The canopy layer is dominated by Black Walnut, Black Cherry, and Black Locust. The sub-canopy is primarily composed of Black Locust, Balsam Poplar, and Black Cherry. The understorey is dominated by Alternate-leaved Dogwood and Gray Dogwood.

Community 6 (FOM7-2) Fresh-Moist White Cedar-Hardwood Mixed Forest Type

The canopy layer of this community is dominated by Eastern White Cedar, Scots Pine, Yellow Birch, and Eastern Cottonwood. The sub-canopy is primarily composed of Eastern Cottonwood, Yellow Birch, and Eastern White Cedar. A Fresh-Moist Deciduous Lowland Ecosite (FOD7) inclusion is found within a small portion of Community 6. This area was detailed as containing a higher percentage of deciduous trees compared to the larger Community 6.

4.2 Wildlife Habitat

4.2.1 Habitat for Endangered and Threatened Species

Based on the MECP *Endangered Species Act* screening process and the vegetation communities present within and adjacent to the proposed Licence Boundary, there is potential habitat for Endangered and Threatened species including:

- American Ginseng [END]
- False Hop Sedge [END]
- Butternut [END]

4.2.2 Candidate Significant Wildlife Habitat

Candidate significant wildlife habitat (SWH) is identified by evaluating vegetation communities using criteria outlined in the Significant Wildlife Habitat Technical Guide (MNRF, 2000) and the Significant Wildlife Habitat Criteria Schedules (MNRF, 2015). If the threshold criteria outlined are met, the candidate SWH becomes confirmed SWH.

The SWH Criteria Schedule for Ecoregion-7E were used to determine the presence or absence of SWH. Based on the vegetation communities present and the field investigations completed, the following candidate SWH communities were identified outside of the extraction limits within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands (MNRF, 2015):

- Bat Maternity Roost Colonies – Community 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
- Amphibian Breeding Habitat (Woodland) – Community 4, 5, 6
- Special Concern and Rare Wildlife Species

The candidate SWH identified above are evaluated further under Section 5.0, following the life science inventory results, to determine the presence of SWH within the proposed Licence Boundary and 120m Adjacent Lands.

4.3 Floral Site Investigation

MECP has noted that American Ginseng [END] and False Hope Sedge [END] as floral SAR that are found or are potentially found within the area of the proposed Licence Boundary. Furthermore, knowledge of the surrounding area from other projects indicates Butternut [END] as a floral SAR that may potentially be found within the proposed Licence Boundary.

Floral site investigations were completed on April 2nd, May 16th, June 11th, and July 3rd 2019 and May 22, 2020 by Will Huys for all of the vegetation communities that were evaluated within and adjacent to the proposed Licence Boundary [Appendix C]. No floral species protected under the *ESA* (2007) were identified in any of the vegetation communities within and adjacent to the Licence Boundary. There were no additional federal or provincial Species at Risk (SAR), Special Concern, or S1 to S3 ranked floral species or habitat found within the proposed Licence Boundary or the 120m Adjacent Lands. No updated floral site investigations are necessary.

4.4 Faunal Site Investigation

MECP correspondence and NHIC background review did not note any faunal SAR within the area of the proposed Licence Boundary.

Targeted surveys including a two-visit breeding bird survey, amphibian breeding surveys, and a candidate bat maternity roost tree assessment were completed for the site [Appendix D]. Data is summarized below by category.

4.4.1 Avifaunal Surveys

Breeding bird surveys were completed on June 11th and July 3rd, 2019 according to the protocols outlined in the Ontario Breeding Bird Atlas (OBBA) (Cadman et al., 2007). Each survey followed a wandering transect so that both the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands were appropriately covered.

Approximately 12 Barn Swallow [THR] were identified in the abandoned barn within the proposed Licence Boundary. Evidence of nests within the structure were also noted [Appendix D]. No nests or Barn Swallow were identified in the structures located on the property abutting Dundas Street to the northwest.

Two species of Special Concern were identified during the breeding bird surveys within Community 4, 5, and 6 on the 120m Adjacent Lands.

- Eastern Wood-pewee [SC]
- Wood Thrush [SC]

Eastern Wood-pewee was recorded in Community 4 and 6 while the Wood Thrush was only recorded in Community 5. These species do not receive protection under the *Endangered Species Act* (2007). The Eastern Wood-pewee identified in Community 4 was heard during both breeding bird visits. The Wood Thrush and Eastern Wood-pewee identified within the other communities were only heard during the first visit and not the second visit. This may indicate that these species are not using the habitat within Community 5 and 6 for breeding and may be moving through to more suitable breeding habitat.

No stick nests or marsh bird breeding habitat were observed within the proposed Licence Boundary or the 120m Adjacent Lands.

4.4.2 Amphibians

Amphibian call surveys were completed in 2019 using the Marsh Monitoring Program (MMP) (BSC, 2009). Amphibian monitoring station locations were established with the intention of surveying all suitable amphibian breeding habitats present within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands.

Spring Peeper and American Toad both at Call Code 1 were identified within the 120m Adjacent Lands. No amphibians were heard calling within the proposed Licence Boundary.

4.4.3 Mammals

Bats

A site survey to identify candidate bat maternity roost trees was completed within all of vegetation communities on April 2nd, 2019. Five (5) candidate maternity roost trees were identified within the Cultural Hedgerow communities (Community 2 and 3). No candidate bat maternity roost trees were identified within the woodland communities. Bat acoustic surveys were not completed to confirm the use of these candidate habitat trees by SAR bat. These trees are within the extraction setback for the proposed Licence Boundary.

4.5 Aquatic Habitat

There is an unnamed tributary associated with the Humphrey Drain within the north-eastern portion of the proposed Licence Boundary. The Humphrey Drain proper (Class D) is located within the 120m Adjacent Lands. No site-specific fisheries surveys have been completed for the unnamed tributary as the habitat is outside of the extraction limit for the proposed Licence Boundary. Through site investigations it was observed that the unnamed tributary receives groundwater inputs in the spring (April) but becomes dry by July [Site Photos]. These observations agree with information provided in correspondence with Groundwater Science Corp (2021).

5.0 Evaluation of Natural Heritage Features

This section reviews the data collected from site investigations and background review for the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands. The Provincial Policy considerations are based on the Provincial Policy Statement from MAH, 2020, Section 2.1, and reviewed using provincial mapping (NHIC) and the NHRM (Sections 5-11) (MNRF, 2010) as applied to Ecoregion 7E using supporting criterion schedules (MNRF, 2015). Features that are identified as provincially significant will require guidance with respect to extraction activity and are discussed in more detail in Section 6.0.

5.1 Habitat of Endangered and Threatened Species

Barn Swallow [THR] was the only species protected under the *ESA* (2007) observed within the proposed Licence Boundary in the abandoned barn structures. Candidate roosting habitat trees for SAR bats were identified within Community 2 and 3 within the proposed Licence Boundary but outside of the extraction limits. None were found in the woodland habitat of the Licence Boundary. No additional floral or faunal species protected under the *ESA* (2007) listed by MECP were identified within the proposed Licence Boundary or the 120m Adjacent Lands.

5.2 Significant Wetlands

There are no provincially significant wetlands within the proposed Licence Boundary or within the 120m Adjacent Lands.

5.3 Significant Woodlands

The woodland in the north-eastern section of the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands (Community 5 and 6) is classified as significant by the Middlesex Natural Heritage System Study (MNHSS, 2014) and the municipality. According to this study, the woodlands are classified as significant based on pre-established criteria including size (ha), and proximity to watercourses and other woodlands. Community 5 meets the size requirements to be considered significant and is proximal to a watercourse (Humphrey Drain). The Community 4 woodland is also within the proposed Licence Boundary but this feature does not meet established criteria to be classified as significant by the MNHSS, 2014 or the municipality [Figure 2; Figure 5]. The driplines for all of the identified woodland features are outside of the extraction limit for the proposed Licence Boundary.

5.4 Significant Valleylands

There are no significant valleylands within the proposed Licence Boundary or the 120m Adjacent Lands.

5.5 Significant Wildlife Habitat

SWH Criteria Schedules for Ecoregion 7E (MNRF, 2015) were used to evaluate SWH. Based on the vegetation communities present and the field investigations completed, candidate SWH communities were identified and confirmation of significance was evaluated and summarized below.

Bat Maternity Roost Colonies - Communities 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6

Five (5) potential bat maternity roost trees were identified within Community 2 and 3. The criteria of >10/ha large diameter (>25cm DBH) trees were not met for the identified communities and so the habitat is confirmed not SWH. However, consideration for SAR bats is still required and is discussed under Section 5.1.

Confirmed **Not SWH**

Amphibian Breeding Habitat (Woodland) - Community 4, 5, and 6

Woodland amphibian breeding habitat includes the presence of a wetland, pond or woodland pool (including vernal pools) that are >500m² within or adjacent (within 120m) to a woodland. To meet the

threshold for SWH, two indicator species with over 20 individuals or Call Code Level 3 are required. Spring Peeper and American Toad at Call Code 1 were the only species identified in Community 3 and 5 within the proposed Licence Boundary. The vegetation communities surveyed were confirmed as not SWH for woodland amphibian breeding.

Confirmed **Not SWH** - Community 4, 5, and 6

Special Concern and Rare Wildlife Species

One Wood Thrush [SC] and one Eastern Wood-pewee [SC] were identified during only one visit of breeding bird surveys within Community 5 and Community 6 respectively within the 120m Adjacent Lands. One Eastern Wood-pewee singing male was identified within Community 4 during both breeding bird visits. SWH status is confirmed for Community 4 due to Eastern Wood-pewee [SC] presence. While a singing male was heard on both breeding bird survey visits, there was no confirmed breeding evidence (carrying food, active nesting) for Eastern Wood-pewee.

Confirmed SWH – Community 4 – Eastern Wood-pewee [SC]

5.6 Areas of Natural and Scientific Interest

There are no life science or earth science ANSI's within the proposed Licence Boundary or within the 120m Adjacent Lands.

5.7 Fish Habitat – Broad Scale/Detail Scale

Humphrey Drain proper is located to the north-east of the proposed Licence Boundary within the 120m Adjacent Lands. This feature drains into the larger Caddy Creek system and provides potential fish habitat. Humphrey Drain is designated as a Class D municipal drain (cold water, permanent). Within the proposed Licence Boundary there is an unnamed tributary of the Humphrey Drain. This tributary is also designated as a Class D municipal drain, but site investigations have shown that this watercourse is intermittent in nature. It is our opinion that the tributary should not be a Class D drain as it is not a permanent drainage feature. The tributary feature would provide potential seasonal fish habitat as it is intermittent in nature.

5.8 Significance Summary

Based on site investigations and an assessment of significance, the natural heritage features that were identified within the proposed Licence Boundary and within the 120m Adjacent Lands are considered significant and require further consideration:

1. Habitat of Endangered and Threatened Species – Barn Swallow [THR] and SAR Bats
2. Confirmed Significant Wildlife Habitat – Community 4 (Eastern Wood-pewee)
3. Significant Woodlands – Community 5 and 6
4. Potential Fish Habitat within Humphrey Drain and Tributary of Humphrey Drain

Since there are provincially significant features or candidate habitat within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands, an impact assessment has been completed in Section 6.0.

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6.0 Impact Assessment

Aaroc Aggregates Ltd. is applying for a Category 1, Class A licence (below groundwater extraction) on a legal parcel located west of Thamesford and east of Three Bridges, ON [Figure 1]. The proposed Licence Boundary is described as Part Lot 16 and 17, Concession 1 NTR, Municipality of Thames Centre (formerly North Dorchester), and County of Middlesex. The total area of the proposed Licence Boundary is 66ha with an extraction area of approximately 60ha [Figure 6].

This section identifies potential direct and indirect impacts from the proposed aggregate extraction operation on significant natural heritage features within the Licence Boundary and in the 120m Adjacent Lands. Appropriate protection and mitigation measures are also recommended in this section. Mitigation and avoidance measures that apply to features identified within the Licence Boundary also apply to the same features if they are found outside of the Licence Boundary within the 120m Adjacent Lands.

6.1 Direct Impacts

6.1.1 Faunal SAR

Barn Swallow [THR] nesting habitat and individuals were identified within the proposed Licence Boundary during the 2019 breeding bird surveys. The abandoned barn structures will be removed because of the proposed aggregate extraction. *Ontario Regulation 242/08, Subsection 23.5* under the *Endangered Species Act, 2007* allows a proponent to remove Barn Swallow nests through registration of the activity with Service Ontario using their ONE-key online account.

Through the registration process, the proponent is required to replace the destroyed nests and nesting habitat with a nesting structure of similar quality and construction. The nesting structures are required to be installed in an existing or constructed area of suitable habitat within 1km of the original habitat before the next active season. The proponent is also responsible for the implementation of mitigation measures dependent on project timing, preparation of a mitigation and restoration record, and post-construction monitoring of constructed habitat structures for an additional 3 years.

Additionally, the presence of five (5) maternity roost trees means that SAR bats have the potential to be present within the proposed Licence Boundary area. None of the identified maternity roost trees will be removed as the extraction limit is 15m (>30m in some sections) from the edge of Community 2 and 3 where the candidate trees were identified. Impacts to potential SAR bat trees will be avoided and potential indirect impacts will be discussed below under Indirect Impacts (Section 6.2).

6.1.2 Significant Woodlands

The north-eastern woodland (Communities 5 and 6) is considered significant by the Municipality and the UTRCA. This woodland is found within the proposed Licence Boundary but only the area of Community 5 is adjacent to the proposed extraction setback. The section of Community 5 adjacent to the proposed extraction setback is considered a Cultural Woodland inclusion based on site investigation data and the vegetation present. There is evidence of dumping (garbage) and the vegetation does not reflect that of the larger Community 5 [Figure 5, Photo 1]. It is our opinion that this section of Community 5 should not be considered part of the overall Significant Woodland due to severe cultural influences and degradation of the woodland.

Direct impacts to the significant woodland communities will be avoided as the extraction limit is set 30m from the proposed Licence Boundary in the area where Community 5 is located. This setback puts the limit of extraction boundary beyond Community 5 and no vegetation removal will be required.

Community 4, within the proposed Licence Boundary, is not classified as a significant woodland by the Municipality or the UTRCA as it does not meet the MNHSS, 2014 established criteria for significance. The only vegetation that is proposed to be removed within Community 4 is the White Pine Coniferous Plantation (CUP3-2) inclusion [Figure 7]. As part of the rehabilitation plan for the site, a 1:1 tree planting is recommended for the area of the White Pine Coniferous Plantation (CUP3-2) impacted to ensure no net loss post-extraction. This recommended planting should be included on future rehabilitation landscape plans for the Licence Boundary. This feature is discussed under the context of Significant Wildlife Habitat under Section 6.1.3.

6.1.3 Significant Wildlife Habitat

The proposed extraction limit for the Licence Boundary will be adjacent to Community 4 (FOD5-1). Community 4 was confirmed SWH for Eastern Wood-pewee [SC]. This species was identified during both visits of a breeding bird survey within Community 4.

Eastern Wood-pewee breed in deciduous and mixed woods, with a preference for open space at forest edges, clearings, roadways, and water (Cadman *et al*, 2007). Despite a population shift in its northern range, Eastern Wood-pewee is common in Southwestern Ontario and found in all atlas squares in Southern Ontario (Cadman *et al* 2007). This species is found in most woodlots of any size in the London area and, as it is very territorial, there is typically only one nesting pair in woodlands of this size (territories range from 2-8 hectares - Cornell University www.allaboutbirds.org).

The proposed extraction setback at the dripline of Community 4 will retain the woodland and avoid impacts to Significant Wildlife Habitat. The only vegetation that is proposed to be removed within Community 4 is the White Pine Coniferous Plantation (CUP3-2) inclusion [Figure 7].

It is our opinion that the White Pine Coniferous Plantation community is not considered a part of the Community 4 woodland as a whole and is cultural in nature. Additionally, this community is not suitable for Eastern Wood-pewee breeding given their habitat preferences described above. Habitat for the single Eastern Wood-pewee territory will persist in the Community 4 woodland within the proposed Licence Boundary and 120m Adjacent Lands during extraction.

6.1.4 Fish Habitat

The unnamed tributary of the Humphrey Drain is found within the proposed Licence Boundary but outside of the extraction limit. This drain is intermittent in nature and dries up between August and October (Groundwater Science Corp, 2021). The Humphrey Drain proper is located outside of the Licence Boundary within the 120m Adjacent Lands and flows permanently. The proposed extraction limit will adhere to a 30m setback from the unnamed tributary and a further distance from Humphrey Drain proper. This setback will ensure that the drain will continue to function and is not removed.

Below groundwater extraction resulting in a permanent pond feature is not proposed for this licence application. Extraction is proposed within 0.5m of the high water table and limited extraction within 1m of groundwater is proposed for the north-eastern section of the extraction limits. This will ensure that any potential groundwater related impacts to the watercourses are avoided and that the overall potential for thermal impacts to Humphrey Drain and the larger Caddy Creek system are low (Groundwater Science Corp, 2021). The intermittent tributary of Humphrey Drain will continue to receive groundwater inputs during extraction and no groundwater related impacts to the tributary are anticipated.

6.2 Indirect Impacts

Significant natural heritage features have been identified within the proposed Licence Boundary and avoidance and/or mitigation measures have been provided to limit direct impacts to these features.

Additional features have been identified within the 120m Adjacent Lands and mitigation measures to manage indirect impacts are provided.

Recommended Mitigation Measures during Phases of Extraction

The protection of identified natural heritage features listed above is most critical during extraction activities. The primary concerns during extraction are the potential indirect impacts of sedimentation on adjacent natural heritage features, potential fish habitat, and groundwater related impacts.

Recommendation 1:

During extraction operations, indirect impacts to the unnamed drain will be further protected using sediment and erosion control fencing. This mitigation measure will ensure that there are no impacts to the adjacent feature from surface runoff on site. Specifics of the erosion and sediment control measures that will be used and additional mitigation measures are detailed on the site plan for the proposed aggregate extraction.

Additional recommended mitigation measures for potential indirect impacts have been provided below. These measures are biological recommendations and are for the protection and mitigation of potential indirect impacts to SWH and sedimentation.

Prior to Extraction

Recommendation 2:

The aggregate extraction operation shall not extend beyond the defined setbacks to avoid encroachment into the adjacent vegetation communities and to avoid accidental vegetation removal and species disturbance (bat maternity roost trees). To define the limits of extraction, marker posts along the defined extraction limit shall be installed prior to site preparation within 50m of the feature.

Post Extraction

Recommendation 3:

Sediment and erosion control fencing shall not be removed until re-vegetation and soil stabilization has occurred to limit sedimentation of the municipal drainage features and woodlands post extraction.

7.0 Summary and Conclusions

We have evaluated the natural heritage features found within the proposed Licence Boundary and the 120m Adjacent Lands with respect to the proposed aggregate extraction licence application and impacts to natural heritage features have been avoided and/or mitigated with the provided recommendations. As long as the mitigation measures and recommendations addressed in this Natural Environment Report are followed, no significant impacts to the listed natural heritage features are anticipated and the proposed Category 1, Class A aggregate extraction operation can proceed as proposed under the *Aggregate Resources Act*.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

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Figure 1: Site Location
(2018 Google Earth Air Photo)



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Legend

- 120m Adjacent Lands
- Extraction Setback

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Figure 2: Natural Heritage
(2015 County of Middlesex Air Photo, MNHSS, 2014)



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Key Plan

- Legend**
- 120m Adjacent Lands
 - Extraction Setback
 - - Significant Natural Heritage Feature (MNHSS, 2014)
 - - Humphrey Drain
 - - - Tributary of Humphrey Drain

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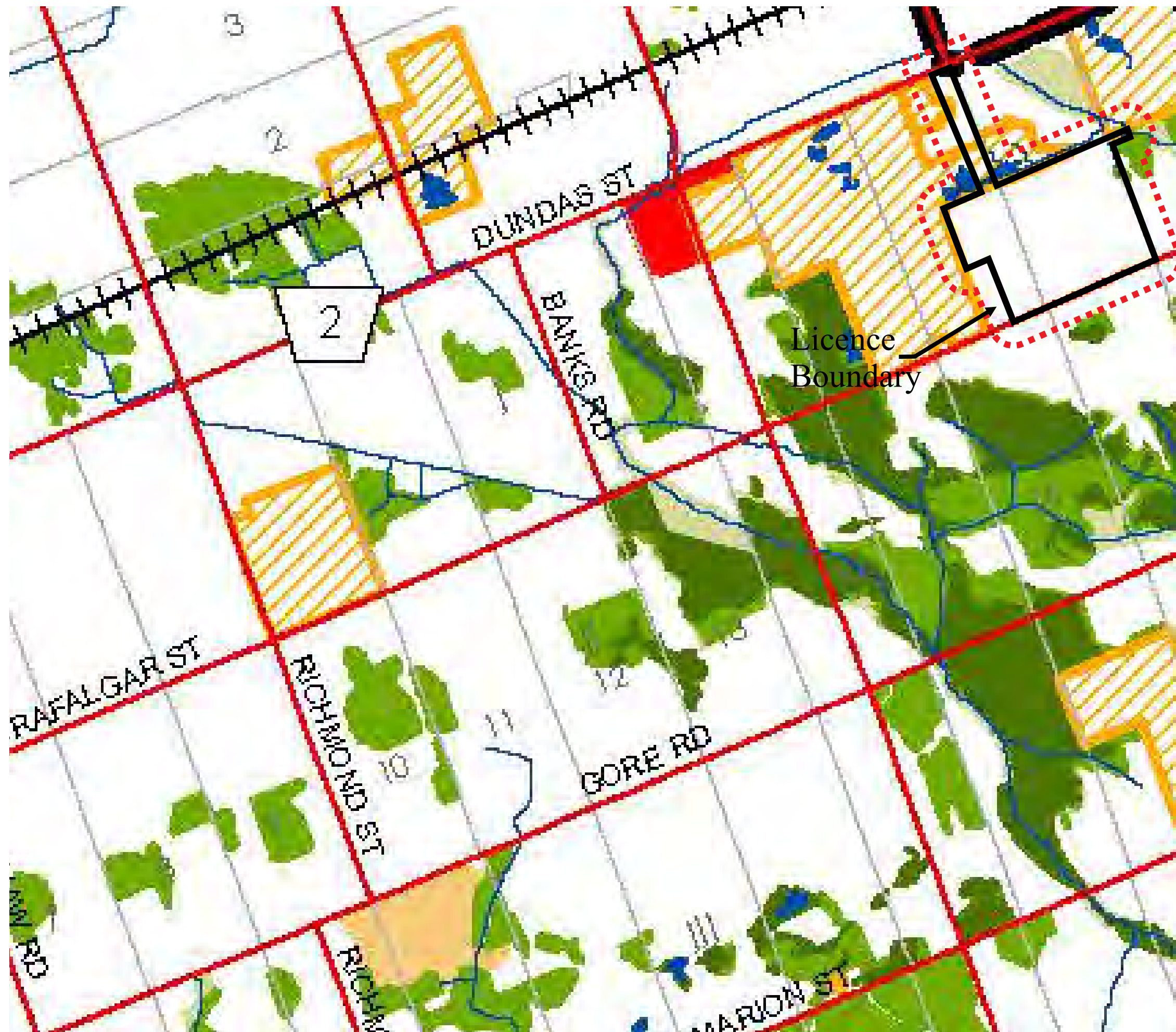


Figure 3: Land Use
(Municipality of Thames Centre Official Plan, 2016)



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- AGRICULTURAL
- HAMLET
- RURAL RESIDENTIAL*
- MOBILE HOME PARK
- HIGHWAY COMMERCIAL
- RECREATIONAL
- PARKS & OPEN SPACE
- NATURAL AREA
- PROTECTION AREA
- ENVIRONMENTAL AREA
- RURAL INDUSTRIAL
- EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRIAL
- 120m Adjacent Lands

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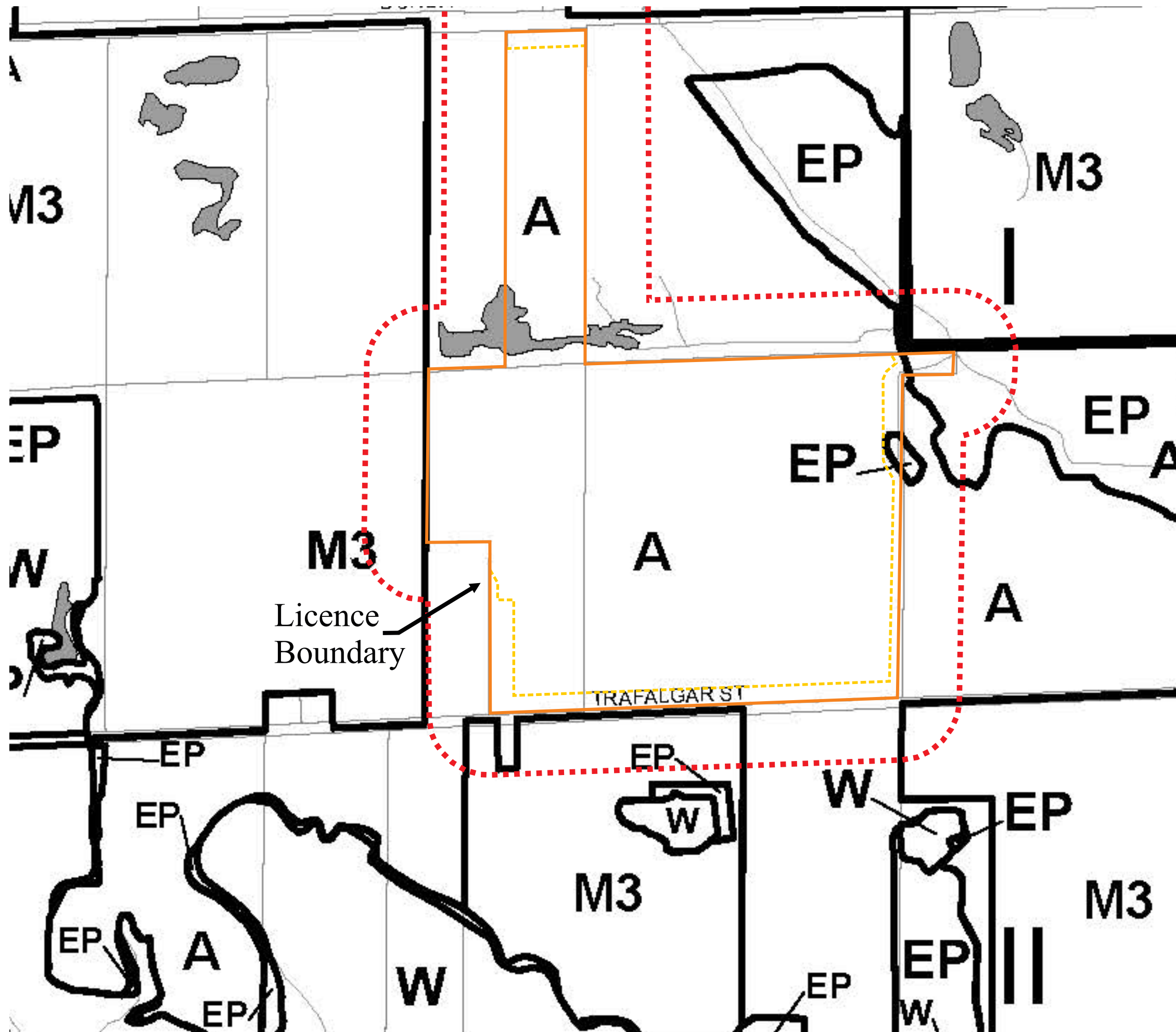


Figure 4: Zoning
(Municipality of Thames Centre Zoning By-Law, 2006)



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- A - Agricultural
- EP - Environmental Protection
- M3 - Extractive Industrial
- W - Wetland Zone

--- 120m Adjacent Lands

--- Extraction Setback

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Figure 5: Vegetation Communities
(2015 County of Middlesex Air Photo)



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Key Plan

Legend

R1 - Residential

A - Agricultural

1/2 - Spruce Hedgerow

3 - Mixed Coniferous/Deciduous Hedgerow

4 - Dry-Fresh Sugar Maple Deciduous Forest Type (FOD5-1)

5 - Mineral Cultural Woodland Ecosite /
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6 - Fresh-Moist White Cedar-Hardwood Mixed Forest
Ecosite (FOM7)/Fresh-Moist Deciduous Lowland Ecosite
Inclusion (FOD7)

--- 120m Adjacent Lands

--- Extraction Setback

○ - Barn Swallow Nest(s) Location

● - Candidate Maternity Roost Trees

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Figure 6: Extraction Proposal

PHASE A
PHASE A NOTES

1. ESTABLISH THE ENTRANCE EXIT AND HAUL ROAD INTO THE SITE AT DUNDAS STREET, ACCORDING TO THE APPROPRIATE MUNICIPAL STANDARDS. CONSTRUCT THE PROPOSED OFFICE/STORAGE BUILDING AND FUEL STORAGE IN THE AREA SHOWN.
2. PRIOR TO ANY ON SITE OPERATIONS, CONSTRUCT OR UPGRADE THE FENCING ON THE LICENCED BOUNDARIES TO THE STANDARDS OF THE AGGREGATE RESOURCES ACT (1.2m HIGH POST AND WIRE FENCE, EXCEPT WHERE SITE PLAN OVERRIDES ARE NOTED. ALL FENCING SHALL BE MAINTAINED).
3. CONSTRUCT THE HAUL ROAD THROUGH AREA 1 AND USE STRIPPED SOIL TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF ACROSTIC BERM 1.
4. PRIOR TO EXTRACTION IN AREA 1 AND 2, STRIP TOPSOIL AND OVERBURDEN SEPARATELY. USE THE MATERIALS TO CONSTRUCT ACROSTIC BERM NO. 1 AND 2 TO RECOMMENDED SPECIFICATIONS FOR PHASE A. EXCESS OVERBURDEN AND TOPSOIL MAY BE STORED IN STOCKPILES IN AREA 2.
5. BEGIN EXTRACTION OF AREA 1 AND 2 IN DIRECTION SHOWN. STOCKPILING AREA MAY BE TEMPORARILY LOCATED NEAR THE PIT FACE DURING THE INITIAL EXTRACTION OF AGGREGATE.
6. UNDISTURBED PORTIONS OF AREAS 2, 3 AND 4 REMAIN IN AGRICULTURAL USE AND OPEN SPACE.
7. MAINTAIN ALL VEGETATION IN A HEALTHY, VIGOROUS GROWING CONDITION.

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RECYCLING WILL BE LIMITED TO RECYCLING OF MATERIALS WITHIN THE SITE RAMP AREA. IMPORTED RECYCLING WILL BE LIMITED TO RECYCLING OF MATERIALS WITHIN THE PROCESSING AREA. RECYCLABLE ASPHALT MATERIALS WILL NOT BE STOCKPILED WITHIN 30M OF ANY WATER BODY OR MAN-MADE POND, OR 2M OF THE SURFACE OF THE ESTABLISHED WATER TABLE. ANY REPAIR AND/OR STRUCTURAL MATERIAL MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE RECYCLED MATERIAL DURING PROCESSING AND NOT BE A DESIGN CRITERIA WHICH IS IN CONFLICT WITH THE REMOVAL OF RECYCLED MATERIAL. THE REMOVAL OF RECYCLED AGGREGATE IS TO BE ONGOING, ONCE THE AGGREGATE ON SITE HAS BEEN DEPLETED THERE WILL BE NO FURTHER IMPORTATION OF RECYCLABLE MATERIALS PERMITTED. ONCE FINAL REHABILITATION HAS BEEN COMPLETED AND APPROVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SITE PLAN, ALL RECYCLING OPERATIONS MUST CEASE.

HYDROGEOLOGICAL INFORMATION

9. THE WATER TABLE ELEVATION VARIES ACROSS THIS LICENCE FROM APPROXIMATELY +280 - +293m ABOVE SEA LEVEL (A.S.L.), BASED ON THE _____ HYDROGEOLOGICAL REPORT (SEE ABOVE). REFER TO SECTIONS ON SHEET 4 OF 5.

10. SURFACE DRAINAGE WILL BE DIRECTED TO LOW AREAS FOR WATER TO INFILTRATE INTO THE GRANULAR MATERIALS ON THE PIT FLOOR. THERE WILL BE NO OFF-SITE DITCHING/ DISCHARGE.

AIR QUALITY INFORMATION
12. WATER OR CALCIUM CHLORIDE WILL BE APPLIED TO INTERNAL HAUL ROADS AND PROCESSING AREAS AS OFTEN AS REQUIRED TO MITIGATE DUST.

FENCING INFORMATION

34. BOUNDARIES OF THE AREA TO BE LICENCED THAT ARE PRESENTLY FENCED ARE SHOWN ON DRAWING 1 OF EXISTING FEATURES. PRIOR TO ANY STRIPPING OR PREPARATION, FENCING ON THE LICENCED BOUNDARIES WILL BE UPGRADED TO 1.2m HIGH POST AND RAIL TO COMPLY WITH THE AGGREGATE RESOURCES ACT WHERE REQUIRED. UNFENCED BOUNDARIES SHALL BE DEMARCATED WITH HIGHLY VISIBLE MARKER POSTS AT 50m INTERVALS. SILT/EROSION CONTROL FENCING WILL BE CONSTRUCTED ONCE STRIPPING OCCURS WITHIN 50m OF THE SETBACK ADJACENT TO THE UNNAMED DRAIN AND THE DRIP LINE OF WOOLAND FEATURES. ALL FENCING SHALL BE MAINTAINED.

BERM INFORMATION

16. BERMS SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF ± 2.5 METRES ABOVE THE EXISTING GRADE, OR AS SPECIFIED IN THE HCC ENGINEERING LIMITED NOISE ASSESSMENT REPORT DATED _____ AND SHOWN ON OPS PLAN. BERMS SHALL NOT EXCEED 2:1. REFER TO TYPICAL BERM CROSS SECTION ON DRAWING 4 OF 5 DETAILS AND SECTIONS. ALL BERMS SHALL BE SEEDDED (USING GRASS/LEGUME MIXTURE, SEE REHABILITATION PLAN, NOTE #7) IMMEDIATELY UPON COMPLETION TO MINIMIZE NOISE, DUST AND EROSION.

18. ALL SCRAP, USED MACHINERY AND STUMPS GENERATED THROUGH THE OPERATIONS WITHIN THIS LICENSE WILL BE STORED IN THE PROCESSING AREA, A MINIMUM OF 30m FROM THE BOUNDARY OF THE SITE AND NOT WITHIN 30m OF ANY BODY OF WATER AND SHALL BE DISPOSED OF ON AN ONGOING BASIS. STUMPS/ WOODY MATERIAL MAY BE CHIPPED AND USED FOR SOIL ENHANCEMENT/ DURING PROGRESSIVE/ REHABILITATION. TREES WILL BE HARVESTED AND SOLD AS LUMBER OR UTILIZED FOR FIREWOOD AND/ OR THEIR BEST USE. UPON COMPLETION OF EXTRACTION, ALL SCRAP EQUIPMENT AND USED MACHINERY SHALL BE REMOVED.

20. IN ORDER TO MAXIMIZE RESOURCE RECOVERY, IMPORTATION OF CLEAN INERT FILL (EG. TOPSOIL AND/OR OVERBURDEN) MAY BE IMPORTED TO FACILITATE 3:1 SIDESLOPE REHABILITATION (ABOVE WATER TABLE SIDESLOPES). ONLY NATIVE ON SITE OVERBURDEN AND/OR OFF-SPEC MATERIALS WILL BE USED FOR BELOW WATER REHABILITATION. ONLY SUFFICIENT MATERIAL TO CREATE FINAL GRADES AS SHOWN MAY BE IMPORTED.

THE LICENSEE SHALL KEEP DETAILED RECORDS OF THE AMOUNT OF MATERIAL BROUGHT ON SITE FOR REHABILITATION AND THE TESTING RESULTS OF ALL SAMPLES. ALL RECORDS AND TESTING RESULTS SHALL BE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST BY MNRF OR MECP.

WASH PLANT INFORMATION

21. SHOULD A WASH PLANT BE REQUIRED WITH A PREDICTED WATER USAGE OF 50,000 L/DAY OR MORE, THE PRODUCER SHALL OBTAIN PERMIT TO TAKE WATER FROM MECP AND HAVE IT READY FOR INSPECTION.

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	12th INFORMATION BOUNDARY
	EXISTING LICENSED AREA
	LOT LINE
	REGULATORY SETBACK LINE
	LIMIT OF EXTRACTION
	WATERCOURSE
	EXISTING FENCE
	EXISTING 50' CONTOUR LINE
	EXISTING 1' CONTOUR LINE
	EXISTING SPOT ELEVATION
	EXISTING VEGETATION
	EXCAVATION
	BERM (MIN. HEIGHT AS SHOWN)
	UNDISTURBED AREA
	AREA STRIPPED OF TOPSOIL AND OVERBURDEN
	SILT FENCE
	EXISTING BUILDING
	EXISTING HYDRANT POLE
	DIRECTION OF SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE
	ENTRANCE/EXIT
	DIRECTION OF EXTRACTION
	DIRECTION OF TOPSOIL AND OVERBURDEN MOVEMENT
	PRODUCT TRANSPORTATION VIA HAUL ROAD
	LOCATION OF NOISE RECEPTOR
	EXISTING ELEVATION
	PROPOSED ELEVATION
	PROPOSED MARKER POST
	EXISTING BOREHOLE MONITORING WELL
	DRIVE POINT PIEZOMETERS

THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ILLUSTRATED ON THESE PLANS VARY FROM THE OF THE PROVINCIAL STANDARDS MADE UNDER THE AGGREGATE RESOURCES ACT

ITEM	SECTION
1. IN THE SOUTH AREA, SETBACK IS REDUCED TO 20' ALONG THE COMMON NORTH PART OF THE WEST BOUNDARY PER AGREEMENT WITH ADJACENT LANDOWNER, AND ALONG THE NORTH BOUNDARY PER AGREEMENT WITH ADJACENT LANDOWNER.	5.10
2. IN THE NORTH AREA THE SETBACK IS REDUCED TO 20' ALONG THE EAST AND WEST BOUNDARIES PER AGREEMENT WITH THE ADJACENT LANDOWNERS.	5.11
3. STOODPLING MAY OCCUR WITHIN THE 30% OF THE WEST, EAST, AND NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SOUTH AREA PER AGREEMENTS WITH THE ADJACENT LANDOWNER AND LANDOWNERS.	5.12
4. FENCING WILL BE OMITTED ON THE SOUTHERN + 20' OF THE WEST BOUNDARY 40% OF THE WEST END OF THE SOUTH BOUNDARY AND NORTHERN 45% OF THE EAST BOUNDARY. FENCING IS PROHIBITED BY EXISTING FORESTED AREAS. FENCING WILL BE OMITTED ON THE WEST AND SOUTH HALF OF THE EAST BOUNDARY OF THE NORTH AREA PER AGREEMENTS WITH THE ADJACENT LANDOWNERS. UNFINISHED BOUNDARIES SHALL BE DEMARCATED WITH HIGHLY VISIBLE MARKER POSTS WHERE POSSIBLE.	5.1

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Pre Licence Review Site Plan Amendments

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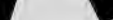
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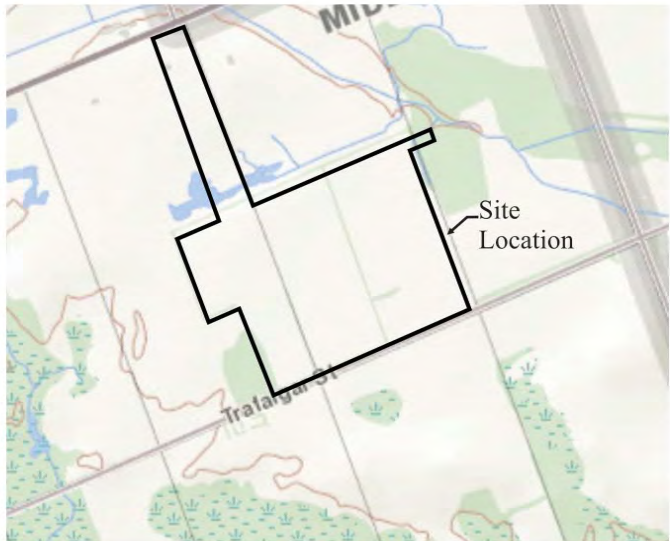
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Figure 7: Development Overlay
(2015 County of Middlesex Air Photo)



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Key Plan

Legend

1 - Residential

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Appendix A

MECP Species at Risk Correspondence

Laura McLennan

From: Laura McLennan
Sent: Friday, September 27, 2019 11:51 AM
To: 'Species at Risk (MECP)'
Subject: FW: Stage 1 Information Request - Aaroc Trafalgar St Thames Centre 45754
Attachments: Fig 2 - Veg Comms.pdf; 45754-100 ELC Aug 21 2019.pdf; Fig 5 - Draft Plan Overlay.pdf

Hello,

This follow-up email was directed to Kathryn Markham, September 11, 2019. I understand she is not available to respond directly. If there is any further information that is required for this site, kindly let me know and I will respond as soon as possible with additional required information.

Thanks and kind regards,
-Laura

From: Laura McLennan
Sent: Wednesday, September 11, 2019 4:31 PM
To: 'Species at Risk (MECP)' <SAROntario@ontario.ca>
Cc: Dave Hayman <DHayman@mte85.com>; Will Huys <WHuys@mte85.com>
Subject: RE: Stage 1 Information Request - Aaroc Trafalgar St Thames Centre 45754

Hello Kathryn,

Life science inventories were collected for Communities 1-7 this past season. Please find attached a copy of the ELC map and overlay that was provided in the Stage 1 for reference, and the updated ELC information sheets with breeding bird and floral lists collected for 2019. There were no American Ginseng nor False Hop Sedge found on site. There was Eastern Wood-pewee [Special Concern] found within Communities 4, 6/7 and Wood Thrush [Special Concern] found within Community 5. Communities 6/7 are within the 120m adjacent lands. Maginal edges of Communities 4 and 5 are proposed within the Licence Boundary.

The following life science data was collected:
Candidate bat maternity roosting trees – April 2, 2019
Floral inventory – April 2, May 16, June 11, July 3, August 21 2019
Breeding Birds – June 11, July 3, 2019

Thank you and kind regards,
-Laura

From: Species at Risk (MECP) [<mailto:SAROntario@ontario.ca>]
Sent: Monday, September 09, 2019 3:39 PM
To: Laura McLennan <LMcLennan@mte85.com>
Subject: RE: Stage 1 Information Request - Aaroc Trafalgar St Thames Centre

Hello Laura,

The Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) has reviewed the information on the proposed aggregate pit on Trafalgar Street (Part Lot 16 and Part Lot 17, Concession 1 North Division Dorchester), in the Municipality of Thames Centre, Middlesex County.

There are known occurrences for American Ginseng (endangered, with species and general habitat protection) and False Hop Sedge (endangered, with species and general habitat protection) in woodland communities in proximity to the property. Given that a portion of the woodlands are proposed to be removed (e.g. community 4), MECP recommends that surveys for these species be undertaken to determine if American Ginseng and False Hop Sedge and/or their habitat will be impacted.

MECP understands that:

- Butternut was not found within the Legal Parcel or adjacent lands.
- Suitable bat habitat trees were identified in the north, south and west hedgerows and in communities 4 and 5, but these trees are not proposed to be impacted by aggregate extraction.
- Barn Swallow nests were identified on two wood barn structures within the residential area. If these structures are proposed to be removed for by aggregate extraction, the [regulation for Barn Swallow](#) must be followed.

Regards,

Kathryn Markham

Management Biologist
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Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks

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Sent: April 25, 2019 9:12 AM

To: Species at Risk (MECP) <SAROntario@ontario.ca>

Cc: Dave Hayman <dhayman@biologic.ca>

Subject: Stage 1 Information Request - Aaroc Trafalgar St Thames Centre

To whom it may concern,

Please find attached a Stage 1 Screening Report for a proposed Category 1 Aggregate extraction on a property located on Trafalgar St, Pt Lot 16 and Pt Lot 17, Concession 1 North Division Dorchester, Municipality of Thames Centre, Middlesex County.

A confirmation of receipt would be appreciated to confirm that the document is in the queue for review.

The attached documents are submitted as part of our discussions with MECP with respect to the Endangered Species Act. Until a final decision has been rendered with respect to this application, it is our expectation these documents will be treated as Personal and Confidential.

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Appendix B

Ecological Land Classification Field Notes

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ELC COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION & CLASSIFICATION	SITE: <u>Aarac-Trafalgar</u>		POLYGON: <u>1, 2, 3</u>	
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>		DATE:	TIME: start
	UTMZ:		UTME:	UTMN:
				finish

POLYGON DESCRIPTION

SYSTEM	SUBSTRATE	TOPOGRAPHIC FEATURE	HISTORY	PLANT FORM	COMMUNITY
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TERRESTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> WETLAND <input type="checkbox"/> AQUATIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ORGANIC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MINERAL SOIL <input type="checkbox"/> PARENT MIN. <input type="checkbox"/> ACIDIC BEDRK. <input type="checkbox"/> BASIC BEDRK. <input type="checkbox"/> CARB. BEDRK.	<input type="checkbox"/> LACUSTRINE <input type="checkbox"/> RIVERINE <input type="checkbox"/> BOTTOMLAND <input type="checkbox"/> TERRACE <input type="checkbox"/> VALLEY SLOPE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TABLELAND <input type="checkbox"/> ROLL. UPLAND <input type="checkbox"/> CLIFF <input type="checkbox"/> TALUS <input type="checkbox"/> CREVICE / CAVE <input type="checkbox"/> ALVAR <input type="checkbox"/> ROCKLAND <input type="checkbox"/> BEACH / BAR <input type="checkbox"/> SAND DUNE <input type="checkbox"/> BLUFF	<input type="checkbox"/> NATURAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CULTURAL	<input type="checkbox"/> PLANKTON <input type="checkbox"/> SUBMERGED <input type="checkbox"/> FLOATING-LVD. <input type="checkbox"/> GRAMINOID <input type="checkbox"/> FORB <input type="checkbox"/> LICHEN <input type="checkbox"/> BRYOPHYTE <input type="checkbox"/> DECIDUOUS <input type="checkbox"/> CONIFEROUS <input type="checkbox"/> MIXED	<input type="checkbox"/> LAKE <input type="checkbox"/> POND <input type="checkbox"/> RIVER <input type="checkbox"/> STREAM <input type="checkbox"/> MARSH <input type="checkbox"/> SWAMP <input type="checkbox"/> FEN <input type="checkbox"/> BOG <input type="checkbox"/> BARREN <input type="checkbox"/> MEADOW <input type="checkbox"/> PRAIRIE <input type="checkbox"/> THICKET <input type="checkbox"/> SAVANNAH <input type="checkbox"/> WOODLAND <input type="checkbox"/> FOREST <input type="checkbox"/> PLANTATION
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STAND DESCRIPTION:

LAYER	HT	CVR	SPECIES IN ORDER OF DECREASING DOMINANCE (up to 4 sp) (>> MUCH GREATER THAN; > GREATER THAN; = ABOUT EQUAL TO)
1 CANOPY	3		PICE gla >> THU socc > ULM pum > AGR Rsp
2 SUB-CANOPY			
3 UNDERSTOREY			
4 GRD. LAYER			

HT CODES: 1 = >25m 2 = 10<HT 25m 3 = 2<HT 10m 4 = 1<HT 2m 5 = 0.5<HT 1m 6 = 0.2<HT 0.5m 7 = HT<0.2m

CVR CODES 0 = NONE 1 = 0% < CVR 10% 2 = 10 < CVR 25% 3 = 25 < CVR 60% 4 = CVR > 60%

STAND COMPOSITION:	BA:
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SIZE CLASS ANALYSIS:	< 10	10 - 24	25 - 50	> 50
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STANDING SNAGS:	< 10	10 - 24	25 - 50	> 50
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DEADFALL / LOGS:	< 10	10 - 24	25 - 50	> 50
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ABUNDANCE CODES: N = NONE R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT

COMM. AGE :	PIONEER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOUNG	MID-AGE	MATURE	OLD GROWTH
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SOIL ANALYSIS:

TEXTURE:	DEPTH TO MOTTLES / GLEY	g =	G =
MOISTURE:	DEPTH OF ORGANICS:	(cm)	
HOMOGENEOUS / VARIABLE	DEPTH TO BEDROCK:	(cm)	

COMMUNITY CLASSIFICATION: ELC CODE

COMMUNITY CLASS:	<u>CULTURAL</u>	<u>CU</u>
COMMUNITY SERIES:		<u>CU</u>
ECOSITE:		
VEGETATION TYPE:	<u>HEDGEROWS</u>	
INCLUSION		
COMPLEX		

Notes:

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ELC MANAGEMENT / DISTURBANCE	SITE: <u>Aarac-Trafalgar</u>				
	POLYGON: <u>1, 2, 3</u>				
	DATE: <u>Apr. 2, 2019</u>				
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>				
DISTURBANCE EXTENT	0	1	2	3	SCORE †
TIME SINCE LOGGING	> 30 YRS	15 - 30 YRS	5 - 15 YRS	0 - 5 YEARS	0
INTENSITY OF LOGGING	NONE	FUEL WOOD	SELECTIVE	DIAMETER LIMIT	0
EXTENT OF LOGGING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
SUGAR BUSH OPERATIONS	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF OPERATIONS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
GAPS IN FOREST CANOPY	NONE	SMALL	INTERMEDIATE	LARGE	0
EXTENT OF GAPS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
LIVESTOCK (GRAZING)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF LIVESTOCK	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	3
EXTENT OF ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	3
PLANTING (PLANTATION)	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	4
EXTENT OF PLANTING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	4
TRACKS AND TRAILS	NONE	FAINT TRAILS	WELL MARKED	TRACKS OR	0
EXTENT OF TRACKS/TRAILS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
DUMPING (RUBBISH)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF DUMPING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
EARTH DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	6
EXTENT OF DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	6
RECREATIONAL USE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF RECR. USE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
NOISE	NONE	SLIGHT	MODERATE	INTENSE	0
EXTENT OF NOISE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
DISEASE/DEATH OF TREES	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF DISEASE / DEATH	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
WIND THROW (BLOW DOWN)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	4
EXTENT OF WIND THROW	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	4
BROWSE (e.g. DEER)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BROWSE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
BEAVER ACTIVITY	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BEAVER	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
FLOODING (pools & puddling)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FLOODING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
FIRE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FIRE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
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EXTENT OF ICE DAMAGE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
OTHER	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0

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STAND DESCRIPTION:

LAYER	HT	CVR	SPECIES IN ORDER OF DECREASING DOMINANCE (up to 4 sp) (>> MUCH GREATER THAN; > GREATER THAN; = ABOUT EQUAL TO)
1 CANOPY	2	4	ACERSan >> PRUNser > TILLame > P/NUstr
2 SUB-CANOPY	3	4	ACERSan > OSTRvic = PRUNser
3 UNDERSTOREY			ACERSan = TILLame >> RUAMcat
4 GRD. LAYER			PODOPel = ACERSan > TRISstr

HT CODES: 1 = >25 m 2 = 10<HT 25 m 3 = 2<HT 10 m 4 = 1<HT 2 m 5 = 0.5<HT 1 m 6 = 0.2<HT 0.5 m 7 = HT<0.2 m

CVR CODES 0 = NONE 1 = 0% < CVR 10% 2 = 10 < CVR 25% 3 = 25 < CVR 60% 4 = CVR > 60%

STAND COMPOSITION:
 ACERSan 44 PRUNser 36 P/NUstr 12 TILLame 4 BA: 20

SIZE CLASS ANALYSIS:

0	< 10	A	10 - 24	A	25 - 50	0	> 50
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STANDING SNAGS:

0	< 10	0	10 - 24	0	25 - 50	N	> 50
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DEADFALL / LOGS:

0	< 10	0	10 - 24	0	25 - 50	R	> 50
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ABUNDANCE CODES: N = NONE R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT

COMM. AGE:

	PIONEER	YOUNG	MID-AGE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MATURE	OLD GROWTH
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SOIL ANALYSIS:

TEXTURE:	DEPTH TO MOTTLES / GLEY	g =	G =
MOISTURE:	DEPTH OF ORGANICS:	(cm)	
HOMOGENEOUS / VARIABLE	DEPTH TO BEDROCK:	(cm)	

COMMUNITY CLASSIFICATION:

ELC CODE

COMMUNITY CLASS:	FOREST	F0
COMMUNITY SERIES:	DECIDUOUS	F0D
ECOSITE:	DRY-FRESH SUGAR MAPLE	F0D5
VEGETATION TYPE:	DRY-FRESH SUGAR MAPLE DECIDUOUS FOREST	F0D5-1
INCLUSION		
COMPLEX		

Notes:

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ELC MANAGEMENT / DISTURBANCE	SITE: <u>Trafalgar</u>				
	POLYGON: <u>4</u>				
	DATE: <u>Apr 2</u>				
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>				
DISTURBANCE EXTENT	0	1	2	3	SCORE †
TIME SINCE LOGGING	> 30 YRS	15 - 30 YRS	5 - 15 YRS	0 - 5 YEARS	3
INTENSITY OF LOGGING	NONE	FUEL WOOD	SELECTIVE	DIAMETER LIMIT	1
EXTENT OF LOGGING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
SUGAR BUSH OPERATIONS	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF OPERATIONS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
GAPS IN FOREST CANOPY	NONE	SMALL	INTERMEDIATE	LARGE	0
EXTENT OF GAPS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
LIVESTOCK (GRAZING)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF LIVESTOCK	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	2
EXTENT OF ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
PLANTING (PLANTATION)	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	0
EXTENT OF PLANTING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
TRACKS AND TRAILS	NONE	FAINT TRAILS	WELL MARKED	TRACKS OR	0
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DUMPING (RUBBISH)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
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EARTH DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	2
EXTENT OF DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
RECREATIONAL USE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF RECR. USE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
NOISE	NONE	SLIGHT	MODERATE	INTENSE	0
EXTENT OF NOISE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
DISEASE/DEATH OF TREES	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	4
EXTENT OF DISEASE / DEATH	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
WIND THROW (BLOW DOWN)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	2
EXTENT OF WIND THROW	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	
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OTHER	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	

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ELC PLANT SPECIES LIST	SITE: <i>Arac</i>
	POLYGON: <i>4</i>
	DATE: <i>Apr. 2, MAY 16, Jun 1, July 3</i>
	SURVEYOR(S): <i>WH</i>

LAYERS: 1 = CANOPY 2 = SUB-CANOPY 3 = UNDERSTOREY 4 = GROUND (GRD.) LAYER

ABUNDANCE CODES: R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT D = DOMINANT

SPECIES CODE	LAYER				COL.
	1	2	3	4	
PINUstr					
ACER ead	D				
JUNGLnig					
RUBUocc					
RHUSTyp					
CELTocc					
PRUNser					
TILame					
FRAXdead	O				
OSTRvir			O		
EUONobo					
GERArb					
FRAXame				A	
CORNVlt					
CARYcor		O			
ACER san	A				
SAMBrub					
CELAsea					
SAMBean			R	R	
RIBEame			O	O	
LIGUvul					
PRUNvir					

SPECIES CODE	LAYER				COL.
	1	2	3	4	
EP1Phel					
CAULthm					
GEUMcan					
TOX1rad					
CARE					✓
CAREdig					
MA1A rac					
TR1L ere					
ECH1lob					
DIC2cuc					
POD0pel					
CARDip				0	
RANusle					
CLAYvir					
GALLapa					
ALL1fri					
VIOLsor					
TR1L gra					
MA1A rac					
GERarob					
CAREdig					
AR1Stri					
EUONoba					
ERYTamer					
ALL1pet					
SANG can					
HYDRvir					

ELC PLANT SPECIES LIST	SITE: Trafalgar
	POLYGON: 4
	DATE: Aug 21
	SURVEYOR(S):

LAYERS: 1 = CANOPY 2 = SUB-CANOPY 3 = UNDERSTOREY 4 = GROUND (GRD.) LAYER
ABUNDANCE CODES: R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT D = DOMINANT

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<div style="text-align: center;"> <h1>ELC</h1> <p>SOILS ONTARIO</p> </div>	SITE: <u>Donor-160</u>
	POLYGON: <u>4</u>
	DATE:
	SURVEYOR(S):

SOIL	1	2	3	4	5
TEXTURE x HORIZON					

DEPTH TO / OF				
MOTTLES				
GLEYS				
BEDROCK				
WATER TABLE				
CARBONATES				
DEPTH OF ORGANICS				
PORE SIZE DISC #1				
PORE SIZE DISC #2				
MOISTURE REGIME				
SOIL SURVEY MAP				
LEGEND CLASS				

TREE TALLY BY SPECIES:

SPECIES	TALLY 1	TALLY 2	TALLY 3	TALLY 4	TALLY 5	TOTAL	REL. AVG
ACERSan	6.5	8.5	2.5	0.0		17.5	44
JUGLnig	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		1.0	2
PRUNser	1.0	0.0	6.0	7.5		14.5	36
OSTRvir	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0		1.0	2
PIUNostr	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0		5.0	12
TILLame	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5		1.5	4
TOTAL	8.5	8.5	9.5	13.5		40	100
BASAL AREA (BA)	17	17	19	27.0		80	20
DEAD	1	2	1	1		5	11

ACERsan44PRUNser36PINUstrIZTILame4

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	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>		DATE: <u>Apr. 2</u>	TIME: <u>start</u>
	UTMZ: <u>17</u>	UTME:	UTMN:	

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ELC CODE

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ECOSITE:	<u>MINERAL / FRESH-MOIST LOWLAND</u>	<u>CUW1 / FOD7</u>
VEGETATION TYPE:		
INCLUSION		
COMPLEX		

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EXTENT OF ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
PLANTING (PLANTATION)	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	0
EXTENT OF PLANTING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
TRACKS AND TRAILS	NONE	FAINT TRAILS	WELL MARKED	TRACKS OR	2
EXTENT OF TRACKS/TRAILS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	3
DUMPING (RUBBISH)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	6
EXTENT OF DUMPING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
EARTH DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
RECREATIONAL USE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF RECR. USE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
NOISE	NONE	SLIGHT	MODERATE	INTENSE	4
EXTENT OF NOISE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	4
DISEASE/DEATH OF TREES	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	4
EXTENT OF DISEASE / DEATH	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	4
WIND THROW (BLOW DOWN)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	4
EXTENT OF WIND THROW	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	4
BROWSE (e.g. DEER)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BROWSE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
BEAVER ACTIVITY	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BEAVER	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
FLOODING (pools & puddling)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FLOODING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
FIRE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FIRE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
ICE DAMAGE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF ICE DAMAGE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
OTHER	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0

† INTENSITY x EXTENT = SCORE

SPECIES CODE	LAYER				COL.
	1	2	3	4	
SAL/alb					
ROB/psc					
CRAT					
RUB/ida					
VIT/rip					
PRUN/ser					
PHAL/arn					
JUG/ing					
CORN/rac					
MALU/pumi					
PER/bal					
VIB/len					
CORN/ser					
RNAM/cat					
PART/vit					
FRAX/pen					
ROS/amu					
ALL/ret					
CORN/h					
THU/occ					
SAMB/cak					
CRAT/punc			0		
VIB/utri					
CARP/ear					
ULMU/ame					
AME/L					
PRU/ame					
RUB/uall					
CRAT/cru					
VIB/len					
CORN/h					

SPECIES CODE	LAYER				COL
	1	2	3	4	
GSUMcan					
POAcomp					
KANUab					
CAREgra					
CARErad					
TUSSfar					
VIOLsor					
GERAab					
THALdas					
EQUlarv					
MAIAcan					
ELANoba					
MORELS					
FRAGvir					
CARE					
RIBScyn					
GALibar					
ONOCser					
IMPAcap					
PHALARu					
SCN/lab					
CAREpen					
CIRCIst					
ERYTamo					
SYMPfre					
GERA _{mac}					
ARIS _{tri}					
ARCT _{min}					
LONItat					
CORNser					
FARA _{ff}					

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Can host inclusion

45754-100

ELC WILDLIFE	SITE: <u>Barrow</u>	
	POLYGON: <u>5</u>	
	DATE: <u>Jul 11, 2019</u>	
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WNH</u>	
	START TIME: <u>5:30</u>	END TIME:

TEMP (°C): <u>9°</u>	CLOUD (10th): <u>0</u>	WIND: <u>0</u>	PRECIPITATION: <u>0</u>
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CONDITIONS: Cool, still, clear

POTENTIAL WILDLIFE HABITAT:

VERNAL POOLS	SNAGS
HIBERNACULA	FALLEN LOGS

SPECIES LIST:

TY	SP. CODE	EV	NOTES	#
	INBU	PT	111	
	WOH	SM	1	
	SOSP	SM	1111	
	YEW	PT	111	
	GRCA	SM	11	
	RGR	SM	1	
	AMRO	PT		
	HOWR	SM	1	
	COYE	SM	1	
	BCH	VO	11	
	AMCR	VO	1	
	COGR	VO	1	
	REVI	SM	1	
	GCFL	P	11	
	HAWD	VOY	111	

FAUNAL TYPE CODES (TY):
B = BIRD M = MAMMAL H = HERPETOFAUNA L = LEPIDOPTERA F = FISH O = OTHER

EVIDENCE CODES (EV):
BREEDING BIRD - POSSIBLE:
SH = SUITABLE HABITAT SM = SINGING MALE

BREEDING BIRD - PROBABLE:
T = TERRITORY D = DISPLAY P = PAIR
A = ANXIETY BEHAVIOUR N = NEST BUILDING V = VISITING NEST

BREEDING BIRD - CONFIRMED:
DD = DISTRACTION NU = USED NEST FY = FLEDGED YOUNG
NE = EGGS NY = YOUNG FS = FOOD/FAECAL SACK
AE = NEST ENTRY

OTHER WILDLIFE EVIDENCE:
OB = OBSERVED VO = VOCALIZATION CA = CARCASS
DP = DISTINCTIVE PARTS HO = HOUSE/DEN FY = EGGS OR YOUNG
TK = TRACKS FE = FEEDING EVIDENCE SC = SCAT
SI = OTHER SIGNS (specify)

ELC WILDLIFE	SITE: <u>Trafalgar</u>	
	POLYGON: <u>5</u>	
	DATE: <u>July 3, 2019</u>	
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WNH</u>	
	START TIME: <u>7:0</u>	END TIME:

TEMP (°C): <u>24</u>	CLOUD (10th): <u>50</u>	WIND: <u>1</u>	PRECIPITATION: <u>0</u>
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CONDITIONS:

POTENTIAL WILDLIFE HABITAT:

VERNAL POOLS	SNAGS
HIBERNACULA	FALLEN LOGS

SPECIES LIST:

TY	SP. CODE	EV	NOTES	#
	SOSP	PT	111	
	INBU	PT	111	
	BCH	VO	111	
	AMRO	P	111	
	NOCA	P	11	
	BAOR	T	1	
	REVI	SM	11	
	YWAR	PT	111	
	GRCA	PT	111	
	AMRE	P	11	
	HOWR	SM	1	

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45754-100

ELC SOILS ONTARIO	SITE: <u>Arac</u>
	POLYGON: <u>5</u>
	DATE:
	SURVEYOR(S):

Slope								UTM		
P/A	PP	Dr	Position	Aspect	%	Type	Class	Z	EASTING	NORTHING
1	1		5		2			17	497851	4765389
2										
3										
4										
5										

SOIL	1	2	3	4	5
TEXTURE x HORIZON	CL				
	65				

A	TEXTURE	CL				
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	25				
B	TEXTURE	999				
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	999				
C	TEXTURE	999				
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	999				
	EFFECTIVE TEXTURE	CL				
	SURFACE STONINESS	no				
	SURFACE ROCKINESS	no				

DEPTH TO / OF						
MOTTLES	30					
GLEYS	999					
BEDROCK	999					
WATER TABLE	999					
CARBONATES	999					
DEPTH OF ORGANICS	5					
PORE SIZE DISC #1						
PORE SIZE DISC #2						
MOISTURE REGIME	5					

SOIL SURVEY MAP					
LEGEND CLASS					

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ELC COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION & CLASSIFICATION	SITE: <u>Garcia</u>		POLYGON: <u>6 and 7</u>	
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>		DATE: <u>APR 2</u>	TIME: start
	UTMZ: <u>17</u>		UTME:	UTMN:

POLYGON DESCRIPTION

SYSTEM	SUBSTRATE	TOPOGRAPHIC FEATURE	HISTORY	PLANT FORM	COMMUNITY
<input type="checkbox"/> TERRESTRIAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WETLAND <input type="checkbox"/> AQUATIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ORGANIC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MINERAL SOIL <input type="checkbox"/> PARENT MIN. <input type="checkbox"/> ACIDIC BEDRK. <input type="checkbox"/> BASIC BEDRK. <input type="checkbox"/> CARB. BEDRK.	<input type="checkbox"/> LACUSTRINE <input type="checkbox"/> RIVERINE <input type="checkbox"/> BOTTOMLAND <input type="checkbox"/> TERRACE <input type="checkbox"/> VALLEY SLOPE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TABLELAND <input type="checkbox"/> ROLL. UPLAND <input type="checkbox"/> CLIFF <input type="checkbox"/> TALUS <input type="checkbox"/> CREVICE / CAVE <input type="checkbox"/> ALVAR <input type="checkbox"/> ROCKLAND <input type="checkbox"/> BEACH / BAR <input type="checkbox"/> SAND DUNE <input type="checkbox"/> BLUFF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NATURAL <input type="checkbox"/> CULTURAL	<input type="checkbox"/> PLANKTON <input type="checkbox"/> SUBMERGED <input type="checkbox"/> FLOATING-LVD. <input type="checkbox"/> GRAMINOID <input type="checkbox"/> FORB <input type="checkbox"/> LICHEN <input type="checkbox"/> BRYOPHYTE <input type="checkbox"/> DECIDUOUS <input type="checkbox"/> CONIFEROUS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MIXED	<input type="checkbox"/> LAKE <input type="checkbox"/> POND <input type="checkbox"/> RIVER <input type="checkbox"/> STREAM <input type="checkbox"/> MARSH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SWAMP <input type="checkbox"/> FEN <input type="checkbox"/> BOG <input type="checkbox"/> BARREN <input type="checkbox"/> MEADOW <input type="checkbox"/> PRAIRIE <input type="checkbox"/> THICKET <input type="checkbox"/> SAVANNAH <input type="checkbox"/> WOODLAND <input type="checkbox"/> FOREST <input type="checkbox"/> PLANTATION
SITE		COVER			
<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN WATER <input type="checkbox"/> SHALLOW WATER <input type="checkbox"/> SURFICIAL DEP. <input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK		<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> SHRUB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TREED			

STAND DESCRIPTION:

LAYER	HT	CVR	SPECIES IN ORDER OF DECREASING DOMINANCE (up to 4 sp) (>> MUCH GREATER THAN; > GREATER THAN; = ABOUT EQUAL TO)
1 CANOPY	2	4	THUJ occi >> PINUS syl > BETULA = POPULUS
2 SUB-CANOPY	3	3	POPULUS = BETULA > THUJ occi
3 UNDERSTOREY			
4 GRD. LAYER			

HT CODES: 1 = >25 m 2 = 10<HT 25 m 3 = 2<HT 10 m 4 = 1<HT 2 m 5 = 0.5<HT 1 m 6 = 0.2<HT 0.5 m 7 = HT<0.2 m

CVR CODES 0 = NONE 1 = 0% < CVR 10% 2 = 10 < CVR 25% 3 = 25 < CVR 60% 4 = CVR > 60%

STAND COMPOSITION:	BA:
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SIZE CLASS ANALYSIS:	R	< 10	A	10 - 24	O	25 - 50	O	> 50
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STANDING SNAGS:	R	< 10	R	10 - 24	R	25 - 50	R	> 50
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DEADFALL / LOGS:	O	< 10	O	10 - 24	R	25 - 50	N	> 50
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ABUNDANCE CODES: N = NONE R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT

COMM. AGE :	PIONEER	YOUNG	MID-AGE	X MATURE	OLD GROWTH
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SOIL ANALYSIS:

TEXTURE: <u>CL</u>	DEPTH TO MOTTLES / GLEY	g = <u>30</u>	G = <u>42</u>
MOISTURE: <u>5</u>	DEPTH OF ORGANICS:	<u>5</u>	(cm)
HOMOGENEOUS / VARIABLE	DEPTH TO BEDROCK:	<u>999</u>	(cm)

COMMUNITY CLASSIFICATION:

ELC CODE

COMMUNITY CLASS:	<u>FOREST</u>	<u>FO</u>
COMMUNITY SERIES:	<u>MIXED</u>	<u>FOM</u>
ECOSITE:	<u>FRESH-MOIST WHITECEDAR-HARDWOOD</u>	<u>FOM1</u>
VEGETATION TYPE:		
INCLUSION		
COMPLEX		

Notes:

ELC MANAGEMENT / DISTURBANCE	SITE: <u>Trafalgar</u>				
	POLYGON: <u>6 and 7</u>				
	DATE: <u>Apr. 3, 2019</u>				
	SURVEYOR(S): <u>WH</u>				
DISTURBANCE EXTENT	0	1	2	3	SCORE ↑
TIME SINCE LOGGING	> 30 YRS	15 - 30 YRS	5 - 15 YRS	0 - 5 YEARS	1
INTENSITY OF LOGGING	NONE	FUEL WOOD	SELECTIVE	DIAMETER LIMIT	0
EXTENT OF LOGGING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
SUGAR BUSH OPERATIONS	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF OPERATIONS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	1
GAPS IN FOREST CANOPY	NONE	SMALL	INTERMEDIATE	LARGE	0
EXTENT OF GAPS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
LIVESTOCK (GRAZING)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	1
EXTENT OF LIVESTOCK	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	1
ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	1
EXTENT OF ALIEN SPECIES	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	1
PLANTING (PLANTATION)	NONE	OCCASIONAL	ABUNDANT	DOMINANT	1
EXTENT OF PLANTING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
TRACKS AND TRAILS	NONE	FAINT TRAILS	WELL MARKED	TRACKS OR	0
EXTENT OF TRACKS/TRAILS	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
DUMPING (RUBBISH)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	2
EXTENT OF DUMPING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	2
EARTH DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF DISPLACEMENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
RECREATIONAL USE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF RECR. USE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
NOISE	NONE	SLIGHT	MODERATE	INTENSE	2
EXTENT OF NOISE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	2
DISEASE/DEATH OF TREES	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	1
EXTENT OF DISEASE / DEATH	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	1
WIND THROW (BLOW DOWN)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF WIND THROW	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
BROWSE (e.g. DEER)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BROWSE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
BEAVER ACTIVITY	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF BEAVER	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	2
FLOODING (pools & puddling)	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FLOODING	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
FIRE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF FIRE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
ICE DAMAGE	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT OF ICE DAMAGE	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0
OTHER	NONE	LIGHT	MODERATE	HEAVY	0
EXTENT	NONE	LOCAL	WIDESPREAD	EXTENSIVE	0

↑ INTENSITY x EXTENT = SCORE

ELC PLANT SPECIES LIST	SITE: <i>Claroc</i>
	POLYGON: <i>6 and 7</i>
	DATE: <i>Apr 2, 2019, May 16, Jun 11, July 3, Aug 2</i>
	SURVEYOR(S): <i>WN</i>

LAYERS: 1 = CANOPY 2 = SUB-CANOPY 3 = UNDERSTOREY 4 = GROUND (GRD.) LAYER
ABUNDANCE CODES: R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT D = DOMINANT

SPECIES CODE	LAYER				COL.
	1	2	3	4	
PINUSyl	0				
THUocc	D	A			
JUGLnigr	R	R			
VITrip			A		
ACERSas	R				
FRAXpen	R				
RUBlida					
FRANaln			0		
PNALaru				0	
BETHall	0	0			
ACERSac	R				
TILLame	R	0			
QUERmac	R				
POLYarc					
QUERbic		0			
DRYomar					
RHAMcot					
CARYcor	R				
POPudel	0	0			
VIBlden					
CORNalt					

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PLANT SPECIES LIST

SITE:	Tröfälgar
POLYGON:	6 and 7
DATE:	
SURVEYOR(S):	

LAYERS: 1 = CANOPY 2 = SUB-CANOPY 3 = UNDERSTOREY 4 = GROUND (GRD.) LAYER
ABUNDANCE CODES: R = RARE O = OCCASIONAL A = ABUNDANT D = DOMINANT

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<div style="text-align: center;"> <h1>ELC</h1> <p>SOILS ONTARIO</p> </div>	SITE: <i>Baron</i>
	POLYGON: <i>6 and 7</i>
	DATE: <i>July 3, 2019</i>
	SURVEYOR(S): <i>WN</i>

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SOIL	1	2	3	4	5
TEXTURE x HORIZON	CL 20 ASCL 59 Sms 80	CL 23 ASCL 67 Sims 75			

A	TEXTURE	CL	CL			
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	999	999			
B	TEXTURE	SCL	SCL			
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	999	999			
C	TEXTURE	MS	MS			
	COURSE FRAGMENTS	80	75			
	EFFECTIVE TEXTURE	CL	CL			
	SURFACE STONINESS	no	no			
	SURFACE ROCKINESS	no	no			

DEPTH TO / OF					
MOTTLES	30	41			
GLEYS	42	50			
BEDROCK	999	999			
WATER TABLE	999	999			
CARBONATES	40	50			
DEPTH OF ORGANICS	50	2			
PORE SIZE DISC #1					
PORE SIZE DISC #2					
MOISTURE REGIME	5	5			
SOIL SURVEY MAP	S2	S3			
LEGEND CLASS					

ELC STAND CHARACTERISTICS	SITE: <i>Tropalgar</i>
	POLYGON: <i>6 and 7</i>
	DATE: <i>July 3</i>
	SURVEYOR(S): <i>WH</i>

TREE TALLY BY SPECIES:

PRISM FACTOR $2m$

SPECIES	TALLY 1	TALLY 2	TALLY 3	TALLY 4	TALLY 5	TOTAL	REL. AVG
THUJace	19					19	95
HL Mblanc	1					1	5
TOTAL	20					20	100
BASAL AREA (BA)	40					40	40
DEAD	1					1	2

STAND COMPOSITION:

COMMUNITY PROFILE DIAGRAM

A black and white photograph of a textured surface, possibly a book cover or endpaper. The texture is a fine, regular grid or mesh. A faint, large, stylized letter 'A' or similar shape is visible in the center. The left edge features a vertical strip of black and white squares, resembling a film strip or binding edge.

Notes:

GENERAL SITE INFORMATION FIELD SHEET

Project: 45754-100 Trafalgar Pit

Date: July 3, 2019

Project Manager:

Collector(s): WHP

Visit #: 4

Time started: 8:30

Time finished: 12:00

Combined collectors' hours: 3.5

☒ NHIC List ☒ MNR EO's ☐ none ☐ not provided to collector[illegible]

Appendix C

Floral Inventory Field Notes

Polygon 1

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Picea glauca</i>	White Spruce	3.0	G5		N5		S5	U

Polygon 2

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Picea glauca</i>	White Spruce	3.0	G5		N5		S5	U

Polygon 3

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Acer negundo</i>	Manitoba Maple	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar Maple	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Aesculus glabra</i>	Ohio Buckeye	0.0	G5		N1		S1	R
<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	Garlic Mustard	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Bromus inermis</i>	Smooth Brome	5.0	G5		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Carya cordiformis</i>	Bitternut Hickory	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Echinocystis lobata</i>	Wild Mock-cucumber	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Erigeron annuus</i>	Annual Fleabane	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb-Robert	3.0	G5		N4		S5	C
<i>Geum aleppicum</i>	Yellow Avens	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Parthenocissus vitacea</i>	Thicket Creeper	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Picea glauca</i>	White Spruce	3.0	G5		N5		S5	U
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black Cherry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Rhus typhina</i>	Staghorn Sumac	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion	5.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>	Common Dandelion	3.0	G5		N5		SE5	IC
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	Eastern White Cedar	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Ulmus pumila</i>	Siberian Elm	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE3	IX
<i>Vitis riparia</i>	Riverbank Grape	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C

Polygon 4

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Acer nigrum</i>	Black Maple	3.0	G5		NNR		S4?	C
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar Maple	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	Garlic Mustard	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Allium tricoccum</i>	Wild Leek	3.0	G5		N5		S4	
<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>	Jack-in-the-pulpit	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Cardamine diphylla</i>	Two-leaved Toothwort	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Carex digitalis</i>	Slender Woodland Sedge	5.0	G5		N4N5		S4S5	C
<i>Carya cordiformis</i>	Bitternut Hickory	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Caulophyllum thalictroides</i>	Blue Cohosh	5.0	G5		N5		S5	X
<i>Celastrus scandens</i>	Climbing Bittersweet	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	Common Hackberry	0.0	G5		N4		S4	C
<i>Claytonia virginica</i>	Narrow-leaved Spring Beauty	3.0	G5		NNR		S5	C
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Alternate-leaved Dogwood	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Dicentra cucullaria</i>	Dutchman's Breeches	5.0	G5		N5		S5	U
<i>Echinocystis lobata</i>	Wild Mock-cucumber	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Epipactis helleborine</i>	Eastern Helleborine	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Erythronium americanum</i>	Yellow Trout-lily	5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Euonymus obovatus</i>	Running Strawberry Bush	3.0	G5		N5		S4	C
<i>Fraxinus americana</i>	White Ash	3.0	G5		N5		S4	C
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb-Robert	3.0	G5		N4		S5	C
<i>Geum canadense</i>	White Avens	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Hackelia virginiana</i>	Virginia Stickseed	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Hydrophyllum virginianum</i>	Virginia Waterleaf	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black Walnut	3.0	G5		N4		S4?	C
<i>Ligustrum vulgare</i>	European Privet	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IX
<i>Maianthemum racemosum</i>	Large False Solomon's Seal	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Eastern Hop-hornbeam	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	Eastern White Pine	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>	May-apple	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black Cherry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C

<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	Choke Cherry	3.0	G5		NNR		\$5	C
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i>	Cursed Buttercup	-5.0	G5		N5		\$5	
<i>Rhus typhina</i>	Staghorn Sumac	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Ribes americanum</i>	Wild Black Currant	-3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Rubus occidentalis</i>	Black Raspberry	5.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	Common Elderberry	-3.0	G5		NNR		\$5	C
<i>Sambucus racemosa</i>	Red Elderberry	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i>	Bloodroot	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Tilia americana</i>	American Basswood	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>	Poison Ivy	0.0	G5		N5		\$5	
<i>Trillium erectum</i>	Red Trillium	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i>	White Trillium	3.0	G5		N5		\$5	C
<i>Viola sororia</i>	Woolly Blue Violet	0.0	G5		N5		\$5	C

Polygon 5

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	Garlic Mustard	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>	Smooth Serviceberry	5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Arctium minus</i>	Common Burdock	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>	Jack-in-the-pulpit	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>	Common Lady Fern	0.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Carex gracilescens</i>	Slender Loose-flowered Sedge	5.0	G5?		N4		S4	U
<i>Carex pensylvanica</i>	Pennsylvania Sedge	5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Carex radiata</i>	Eastern Star Sedge	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Blue-beech	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Circaea canadensis</i>	Broad-leaved Enchanter's Nightshade	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Alternate-leaved Dogwood	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	Gray Dogwood	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Red-osier Dogwood	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Crataegus crus-galli</i>	Cockspur Hawthorn	0.0	G5		N5		S4	U
<i>Crataegus punctata</i>	Dotted Hawthorn	5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Dryopteris marginalis</i>	Marginal Wood Fern	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Echinocystis lobata</i>	Wild Mock-cucumber	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Equisetum arvense</i>	Field Horsetail	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Erythronium americanum</i>	Yellow Trout-lily	5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Euonymus obovatus</i>	Running Strawberry Bush	3.0	G5		N5		S4	C
<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>	Wild Strawberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Green Ash	-3.0	G5		N5		S4	C
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Galium boreale</i>	Northern Bedstraw	0.0	G5		NNR		S5	U
<i>Geranium maculatum</i>	Spotted Geranium	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb-Robert	3.0	G5		N4		S5	C
<i>Geum aleppicum</i>	Yellow Avens	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Geum canadense</i>	White Avens	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Glyceria striata</i>	Fowl Mannagrass	-5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Hackelia virginiana</i>	Virginia Stickseed	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Hesperis matronalis</i>	Dame's Rocket	3.0	G4G5		NNA		SE5	IC

<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Spotted Jewelweed	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Impatiens glandulifera</i>	Purple Jewelweed	-3.0	GNR		NNA		SE4	IR
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black Walnut	3.0	G5		N4		S4?	C
<i>Lonicera tatarica</i>	Tartarian Honeysuckle	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	Wild Lily-of-the-valley	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Malus pumila</i>	Common Apple	5.0	G5		NNA		SE4	IC
<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>	Sensitive Fern	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Parthenocissus vitacea</i>	Thicket Creeper	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed Canary Grass	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Poa compressa</i>	Canada Bluegrass	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Populus balsamifera</i>	Balsam Poplar	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	U
<i>Prunus americana</i>	American Plum	5.0	G5		NNR		S4	U
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black Cherry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Ranunculus abortivus</i>	Kidney-leaved Buttercup	0.0	G5		NNR		S5	C
<i>Ranunculus acris</i>	Tall Buttercup	0.0	G5		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i>	Common Buckthorn	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Ribes cynosbati</i>	Prickly Gooseberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Ribes triste</i>	Swamp Red Currant	-5.0	G5		N5		S5	U
<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i>	Black Locust	3.0	G5		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Rosa multiflora</i>	Multiflora Rose	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	Allegheny Blackberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Common Red Raspberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Salix alba</i>	White Willow	-3.0	G5		NNA		SE4	IX
<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	Common Elderberry	-3.0	G5		NNR		S5	C
<i>Sorbus americana</i>	American Mountain-ash	0.0	G5		N5		S5	R
<i>Symplocarpus foetidus</i>	Skunk Cabbage	-5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>	Common Dandelion	3.0	G5		N5		SE5	IC
<i>Thalictrum dasycarpum</i>	Purple Meadow-rue	-3.0	G5		NNR		S4?	R
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	Eastern White Cedar	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Tussilago farfara</i>	Colt's-foot	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American Elm	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Viburnum lentago</i>	Nannyberry	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Viburnum opulus ssp. trilobum</i>	Highbush Cranberry	-3.0	GNR		NNR		S5	C
<i>Viola sororia</i>	Woolly Blue Violet	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Vitis riparia</i>	Riverbank Grape	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C

Polygon 6

Floral Inventory								
Scientific Name	Common Name	CW	GRank	COSEWIC	Nrank	SARO	SRank	CZ
<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	Silver Maple	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar Maple	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Actaea rubra</i>	Red Baneberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>	Common Lady Fern	0.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Betula alleghaniensis</i>	Yellow Birch	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	Northeastern Sedge	-5.0	G4G5		NNR		S4	R
<i>Carex gracilescens</i>	Slender Loose-flowered Sedge	5.0	G5?		N4		S4	U
<i>Carya cordiformis</i>	Bitternut Hickory	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Circaea canadensis</i>	Broad-leaved Enchanter's Nightshade	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Alternate-leaved Dogwood	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Dryopteris marginalis</i>	Marginal Wood Fern	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Frangula alnus</i>	Glossy Buckthorn	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IU
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Green Ash	-3.0	G5		N5		S4	C
<i>Galium boreale</i>	Northern Bedstraw	0.0	G5		NNR		S5	U
<i>Geranium maculatum</i>	Spotted Geranium	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb-Robert	3.0	G5		N4		S5	C
<i>Geum aleppicum</i>	Yellow Avens	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black Walnut	3.0	G5		N4		S4?	C
<i>Leersia virginica</i>	Virginia Cutgrass	-3.0	G5		N4N5		S4	C
<i>Maianthemum stellatum</i>	Star-flowered False Solomon's Seal	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>	Sensitive Fern	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Osmundastrum cinnamomeum</i>	Cinnamon Fern	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Parthenocissus vitacea</i>	Thicket Creeper	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed Canary Grass	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Pinus sylvestris</i>	Scots Pine	3.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IX
<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>	May-apple	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Polystichum acrostichoides</i>	Christmas Fern	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Populus deltoides</i>	Eastern Cottonwood	0.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Quercus bicolor</i>	Swamp White Oak	-3.0	G5		N4		S4	C
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur Oak	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C

<i>Ranunculus abortivus</i>	Kidney-leaved Buttercup	0.0	G5		NNR		S5	C
<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i>	Common Buckthorn	0.0	GNR		NNA		SE5	IC
<i>Rubus hispidus</i>	Bristly Dewberry	-3.0	G5		NNR		S4	C
<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Common Red Raspberry	3.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Symplocarpus foetidus</i>	Skunk Cabbage	-5.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Thelypteris palustris</i>	Marsh Fern	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	Eastern White Cedar	-3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Tilia americana</i>	American Basswood	3.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>	Poison Ivy	0.0	G5		N5		S5	
<i>Viburnum lentago</i>	Nannyberry	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C
<i>Vitis riparia</i>	Riverbank Grape	0.0	G5		N5		S5	C

Appendix D

Faunal Inventory Field Notes



AVIFAUNAL SURVEY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET

Project Name: Aaroc Trafalgar

MTE File No.: 45754-100

Collector(s): W.H.

	Date	Start	Finish	Weather
Visit 1	11-Jun-19	5:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m.	9°C clear sky, still
Visit 2	3-Jul-19	8:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.	22°C partly cloudy

Species Abbr.	Species Name	Comm. 1, 2, 3				Comm. 4				S Rank	ESA Status	PIF Status
		Visit 1		Visit 2		Visit 1		Visit 2				
		Code	No.	Code	No.	Code	No.	Code	No.			
RTHU	Ruby-throated Hummingbird							OB	1	S5		
DOWO	Downy Woodpecker					OB	1			S5		
NOFL	Northern Flicker							VO	1	S4		RC
EAWP	Eastern Wood-Pewee					SM	1	SM	1	S4	SC	RC
EAPH	Eastern Phoebe	SM	1			VO	1	VO	1	S5		
GCFL	Great Crested Flycatcher					P	2			S4	-	
REVI	Red-eyed Vireo					P	2	SM	1	S5		
AMCR	American Crow					VO	2			S5		
HOLA	Horned Lark	P	2							S5		
CLSW	Cliff Swallow	NU	5							S4		
BARS	Barn Swallow	OB	12							S4	THR	
BCCH	Black-capped Chickadee	P	6			P	3	VO	1	S5	-	
WBNU	White-breasted Nuthatch							SM	1	S5	-	
HOWR	House Wren	P	4					SM	1	S5		
AMRO	American Robin	FY	8							S5		
EUST	European Starling	OB	2							SNA		
COYE	Common Yellowthroat							SM	1	S5	-	
CHSP	Chipping Sparrow	OB	5			P	2			S5		
SOSP	Song Sparrow	FY	7					SM	2	S5		
NOCA	Northern Cardinal							P	2	S5		
RBGR	Rose-breasted Grosbeak					SM	2			S4		RS
INBU	Indigo Bunting	P	2			SM	1	SM	1	S4		
RWBL	Red-winged Blackbird	OB	7					P	2	S4		
COGR	Common Grackle	OB	2			P	2			S5		
BHCO	Brown-headed Cowbird	OB	4							S4		
AMGO	American Goldfinch	P	5							S5		
HOSP	House Sparrow	OB	5							SNA		

Evidence Codes:

Breeding Bird - Possible

SH=Suitable Habitat SM=Singing Male

Breeding Bird - Probable

T=Territory A=Anxiety Behaviour D=Display N=Nest Building P=Pair V=Visiting Nest

Breeding Bird - Confirmed

DD=Distraction NE=Eggs AE=Nest Entry NU=Nest Used NY=Nest Young FY=Fledged Young FS=Food/Faecal Sack

Other Wildlife Evidence

OB=Observed DP=Distinctive Parts TK=Tracks VO=Vocalization HO=House/Den FE=Feeding Evidence CA=Carcass

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		Visit 1		Visit 2		Visit 1		Visit 2				
		Code	No.	Code	No.	Code	No.	Code	No.			
RBWO	Red-bellied Woodpecker					T	1			S4	-	
HAWO	Hairy Woodpecker	YOY	3							S5		
EAWP	Eastern Wood-Pewee					SM	1			S4	SC	RC
GCFL	Great Crested Flycatcher	P	2			SM	1			S4	-	
REVI	Red-eyed Vireo	SM	1	SM	2					S5		
AMCR	American Crow	VO	1			T	2	VO, FY	2	S5		
BCCH	Black-capped Chickadee	VO	2	VO, FY	3			FY	2	S5	-	
HOWR	House Wren	SM	1	SM	1	T	3	SM	1	S5		
WOTH	Wood Thrush	SM	1							S4	SC	CC
AMRO	American Robin	FY	1							S5		
GRCA	Gray Catbird	SM	2	FY, T	3	SM	2			S4		
YWAR	Yellow Warbler	SM, P	5	FY	3	T	2			S5		
AMRE	American Redstart			P	2	T	1			S5		
COYE	Common Yellowthroat	SM	1					SM	1	S5	-	
SOSP	Song Sparrow	SM	4	SM	3	SM	2	P	4	S5		
NOCA	Northern Cardinal			P	2	P	3	P	3	S5		
RBGR	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	SM	1							S4		RS
INBU	Indigo Bunting	P, T	3	SM, T	3					S4		
COGR	Common Grackle	VO	1							S5		
BHCO	Brown-headed Cowbird					P	1			S4		
BAOR	Baltimore Oriole			T	1					S4		RC,RS
AMGO	American Goldfinch			P	4					S5		

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Appendix B – Suitable Maternity Roost Trees for Little Brown Myotis/Northern Myotis

Include all live and dead standing trees $\geq 10\text{cm}$ dbh with loose or naturally exfoliating bark, cavities, hollows or cracks.

Project Name: 45754	Survey Date(s): April 2, 2019
Site Name: Trafalgar Pit	Observers(s): Will Huys
ELC Ecosite: 	Snag Density (snags/ha):

Tree #	Tree Species ID	dbh (cm)	Height Class ²	Snag attributes (check all that apply)	Easting	Northing	Notes
<div></div> 1	Acer saccharum	100	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> cavity ³ <input type="checkbox"/> loose bark <input type="checkbox"/> crack <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> knot hole <input type="checkbox"/> other snag within 10m? Decay Class 1-3? <div></div> 1	497432	4765424	
<div></div> 2	Acer saccharum	120	1	<input type="checkbox"/> cavity <input type="checkbox"/> loose bark <input type="checkbox"/> crack <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> knot hole <input type="checkbox"/> other snag within 10m? Decay Class 1-3? <div></div> 1	497053	4764907	
<div></div> 3	Prunus serotina	80	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> cavity <input type="checkbox"/> loose bark <input type="checkbox"/> crack <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> knot hole <input type="checkbox"/> other snag within 10m? Decay Class 1-3? <div></div> 1	497335	4764659	
<div></div> 4	Prunus serotina	80	2	<input type="checkbox"/> cavity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> loose bark <input type="checkbox"/> crack <input type="checkbox"/> knot hole <input type="checkbox"/> other snag within 10m? Decay Class 1-3? <div></div> 1	497347	4764665	
<div></div> 5	Prunus serotina	65	2	<input type="checkbox"/> cavity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> loose bark <input type="checkbox"/> crack <input type="checkbox"/> knot hole <input type="checkbox"/> other snag within 10m? Decay Class 1-3? <div></div> 1	497391	4764685	
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² **Height Class:** 1 = Dominant (above canopy); 2 = Co-dominant (canopy height); 3 = Intermediate (just below canopy); 4 = suppressed (well below canopy)

³ The approx. height of the cavity should be noted. Note that cavities with an entrance near the ground may also be used by bats if they are "chimney-like".

Decay Class: 1 = Healthy, live tree; 2 = Declining live tree, part of canopy lost; 3 = Very recently dead, bark intact, branches intact



AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Amurc Trafalger
 Date: April 22/19
 Collector(s): LM
 1882

Project Manager: LM
 Visit #: 1

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Temp.	Wind: \emptyset	Cloud Cover (%)	Precipitation
13.5	Direction:	\emptyset	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None/Dry <input type="checkbox"/> Damp/Fog
			<input type="checkbox"/> Drizzle <input type="checkbox"/> Rain

WIND SCALE

0	Calm
1	Smoke Drifts
2	Wind Felt on Face
3	Leaves in constant motion
4	Wind raises dust and paper

CALL LEVEL CODES

Code 1: Calls not simultaneous, number of individuals can be accurately counted
 Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated
 Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated

Reference Site: ☐ No ☒ Yes UTM 5pts wetland / Rochester swamp

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO	1	
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

Station: 1

E

Station Start

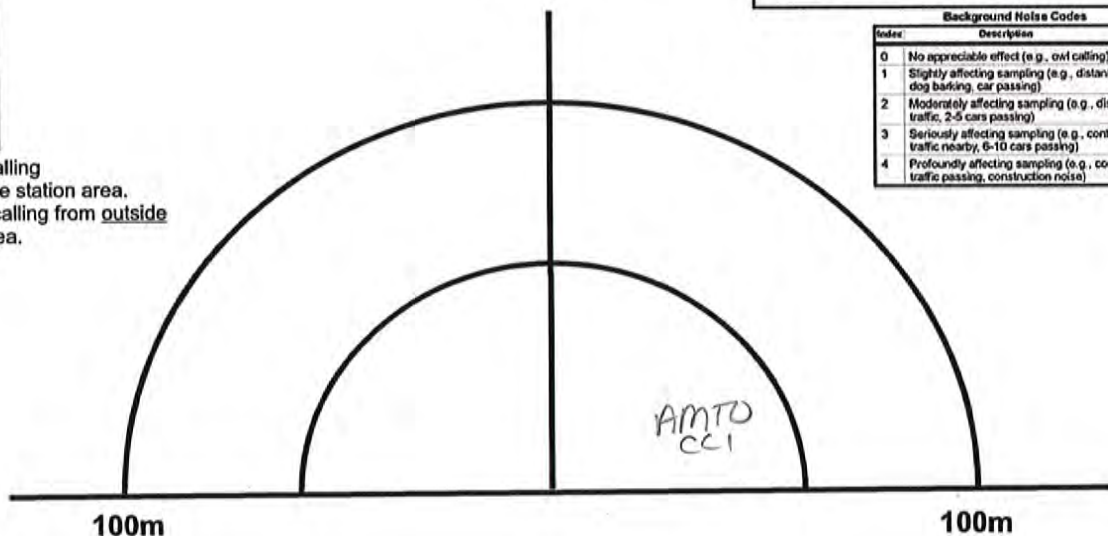
Time (24 hr): 20:45

Background Noise Code (1-4):

Background Noise Codes

Index	Description
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1	Slightly affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
2	Moderately affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
3	Seriously affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
4	Profoundly affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic passing, construction noise)

peepers on property on South side of Trafalger



- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
- ** Check if species is calling from outside 100-metre station area.

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		1
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

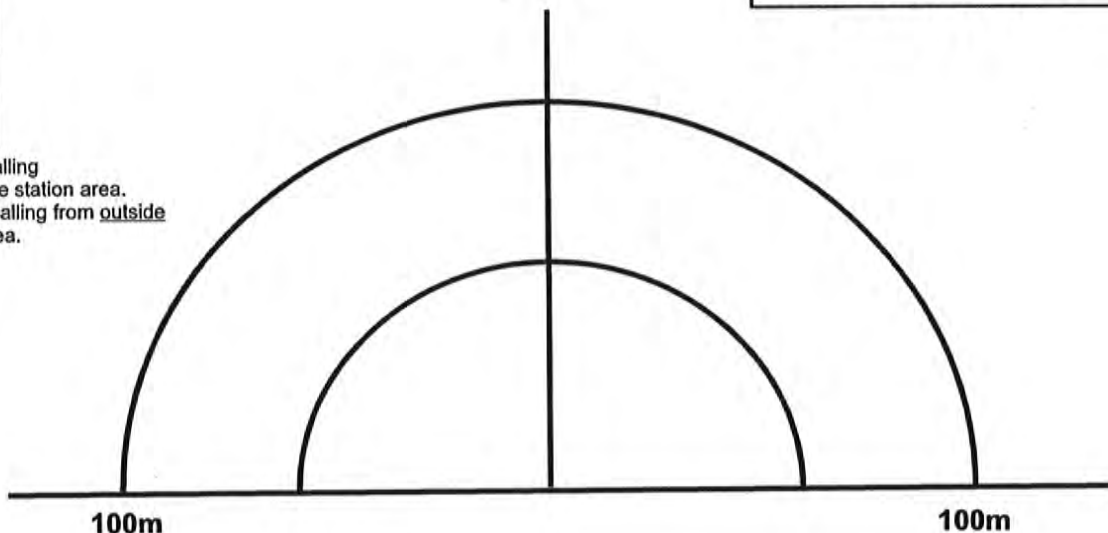
Station: 2

E

Station Start

Time (24 hr): 20:55

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1



- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
- ** Check if species is calling from outside 100-metre station area.

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AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Amurac Trafalgar
 Date: Apr: 12/19
 Collector(s): _____

Project Manager: _____
 Visit #: _____

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WEATHER CONDITIONS				WIND SCALE	
Temp.	Wind:		Cloud Cover (%)	Precipitation	0
	Direction:			<input type="checkbox"/> None/Dry <input type="checkbox"/> Drizzle <input type="checkbox"/> Damp/Fog <input type="checkbox"/> Rain	1
					2
					3
					4

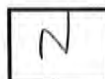
CALL LEVEL CODES

Code 1: Calls not simultaneous, number of individuals can be accurately counted
 Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated
 Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated

Reference Site: ☐ No ☐ Yes UTM _____

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO	1	
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE	1	
WOFR		

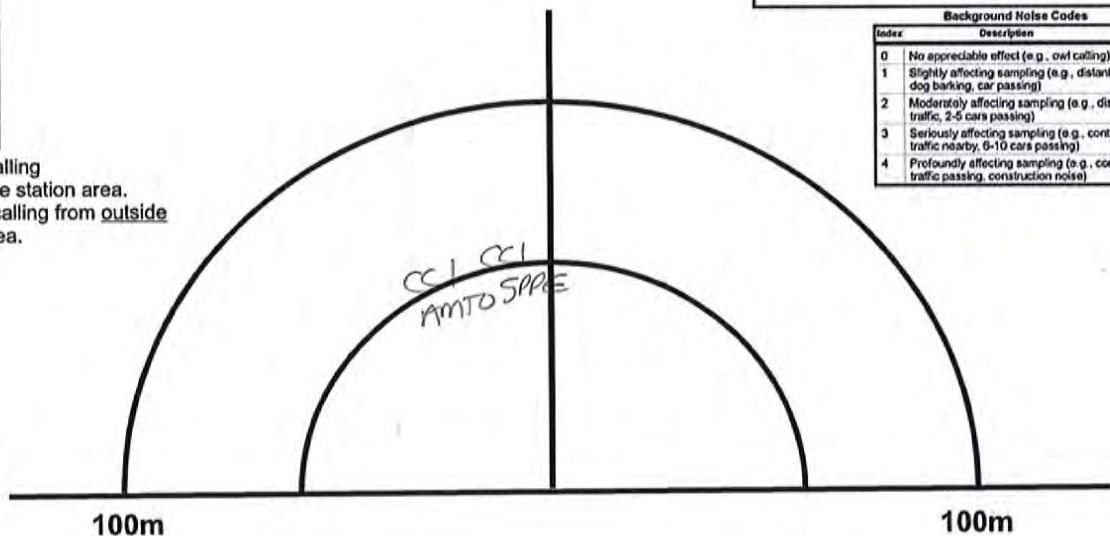
Station: 3



Station Start Time (24 hr): 21:10

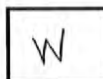
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Index	Description
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1	Slightly affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
2	Moderately affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
3	Seriously affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
4	Profoundly affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic passing, construction noise)



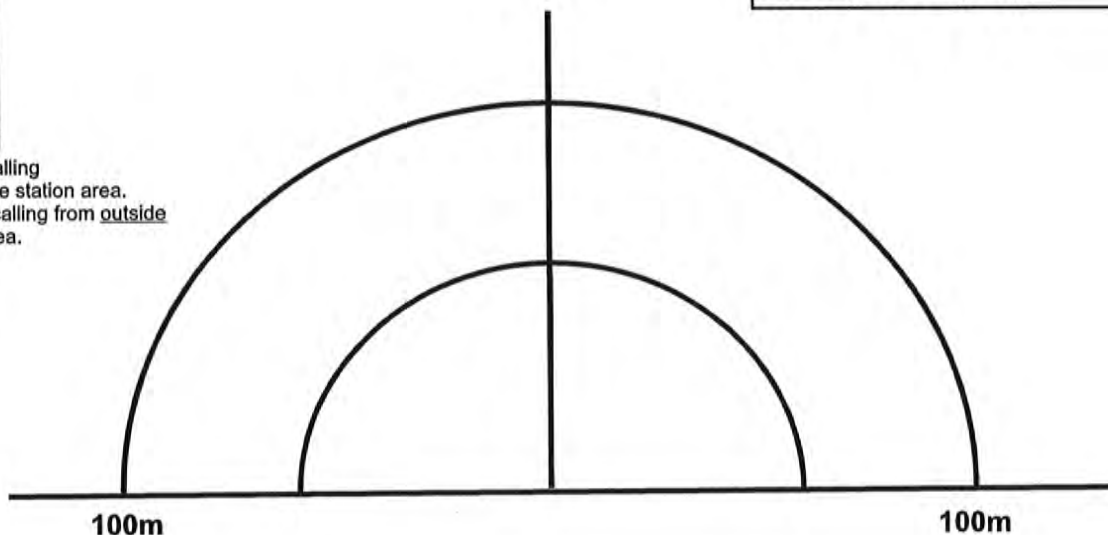
Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

Station: 4



Station Start Time (24 hr): 21:20

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1



* Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
 ** Check if species is calling from outside 100-metre station area.



AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Axolotl
 Date: May 14, 2019
 Collector(s): LM

Project Manager: LM
 Visit #: 2

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WEATHER CONDITIONS

Temp. 11°C Wind: Ø Direction: Ø Cloud Cover (%) Ø Precipitation ☒ None/Dry ☐ Drizzle ☐ Damp/Fog ☐ Rain

WIND SCALE

0 Calm
 1 Smoke Drifts
 2 Wind Felt on Face
 3 Leaves in constant motion
 4 Wind raises dust and paper

CALL LEVEL CODES

Code 1: Calls not simultaneous, number of individuals can be accurately counted
 Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated
 Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated

Reference Site: ☐ No ☒ Yes UTM Sp15Wetland / Dorchester Swamp

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
WOFR		

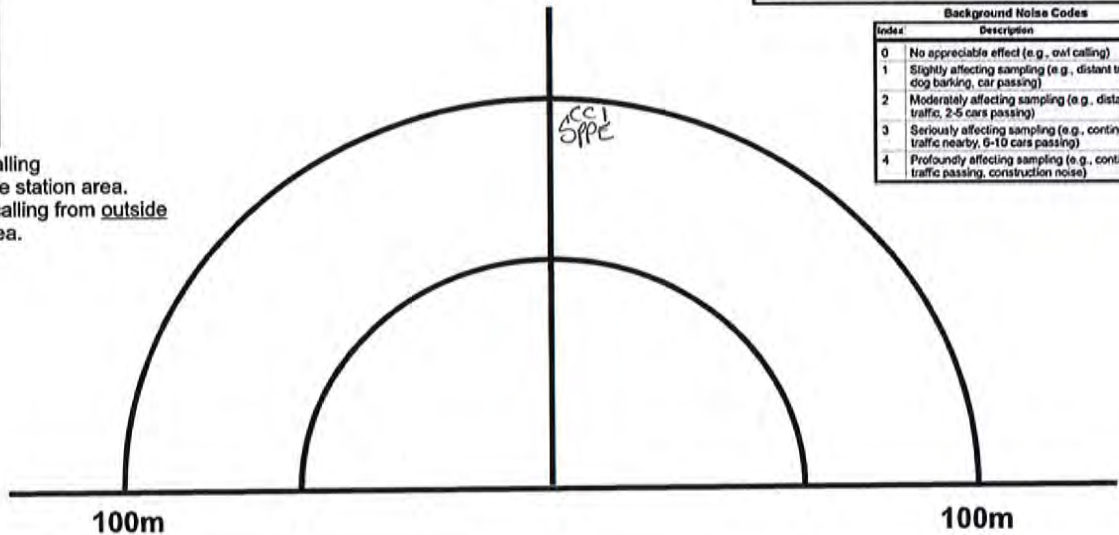
Station: 1

Station Start Time (24 hr): 21:55

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

Index	Description
0	No appreciable effect (e.g., owl calling)
1	Slightly affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
2	Moderately affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
3	Seriously affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
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- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
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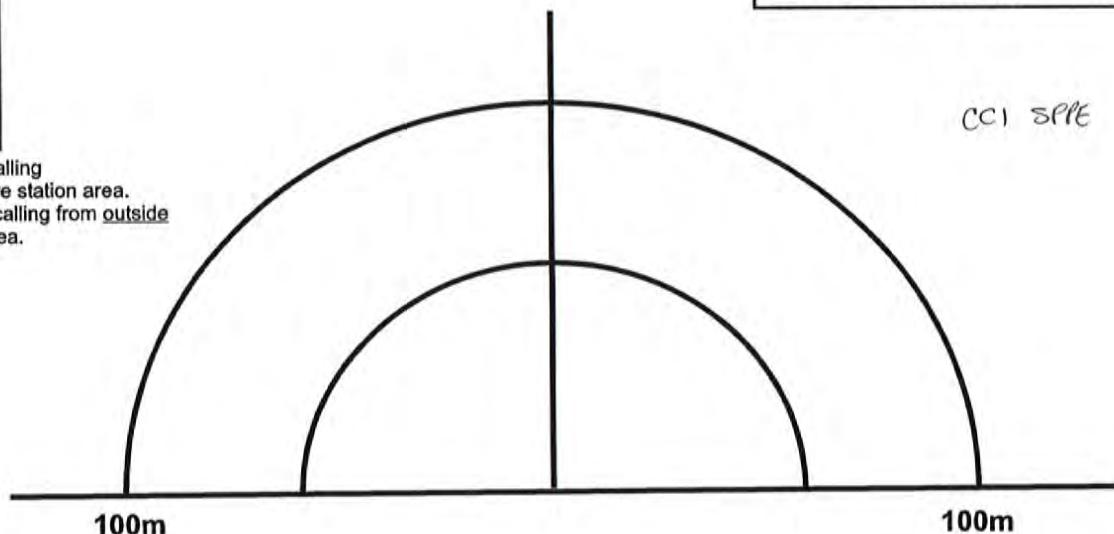
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BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
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GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
WOFR		

Station: 2

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:05

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
 ** Check if species is calling from outside 100-metre station area.





AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Aardoc Trafalgar
 Date: May 14, 2019
 Collector(s): LM
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Project Manager: LM
 Visit #: 2

WEATHER CONDITIONS				WIND SCALE	
Temp.	Wind:	Cloud Cover (%)	Precipitation	0	Calm
11	Direction: <u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None/Dry <input type="checkbox"/> Damp/Fog	1	Smoke Drifts
			<input type="checkbox"/> Drizzle <input type="checkbox"/> Rain	2	Wind Felt on Face
CALL LEVEL CODES				3	Leaves in constant motion
Code 1: Calls not simultaneous, number of individuals can be accurately counted				4	Wind raises dust and paper
Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated					
Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated					

Reference Site: ☐ No ☐ Yes UTM

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		
BCFR		
BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
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NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

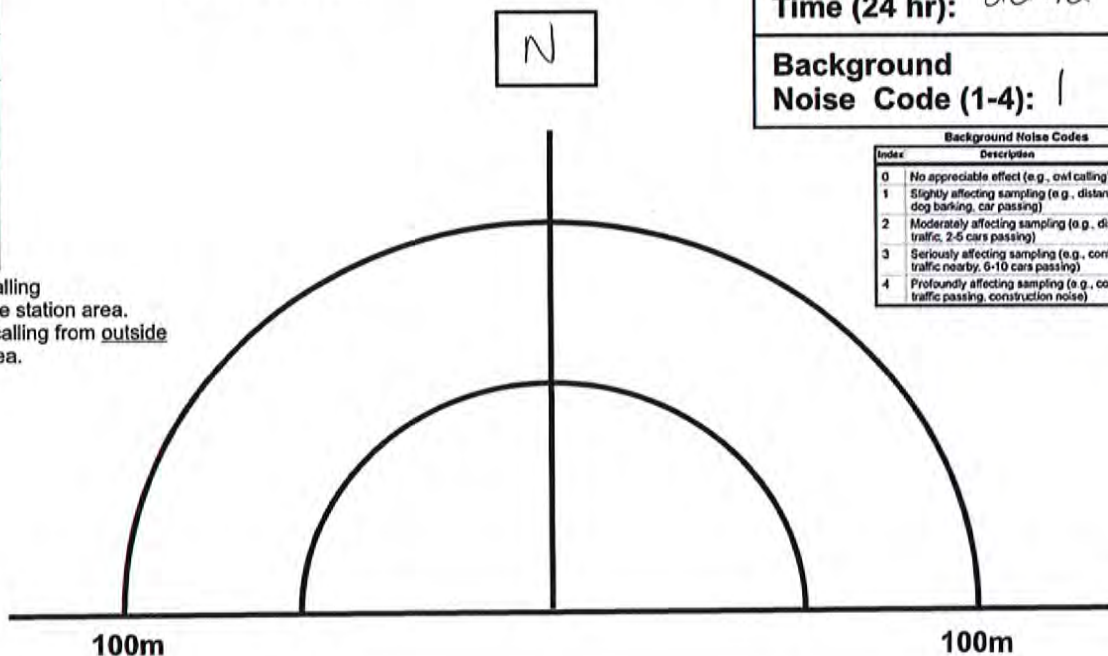
Station: 3

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:12

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

Index	Description
0	No appreciable effect (e.g., owl calling)
1	Slightly affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
2	Moderately affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
3	Seriously affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
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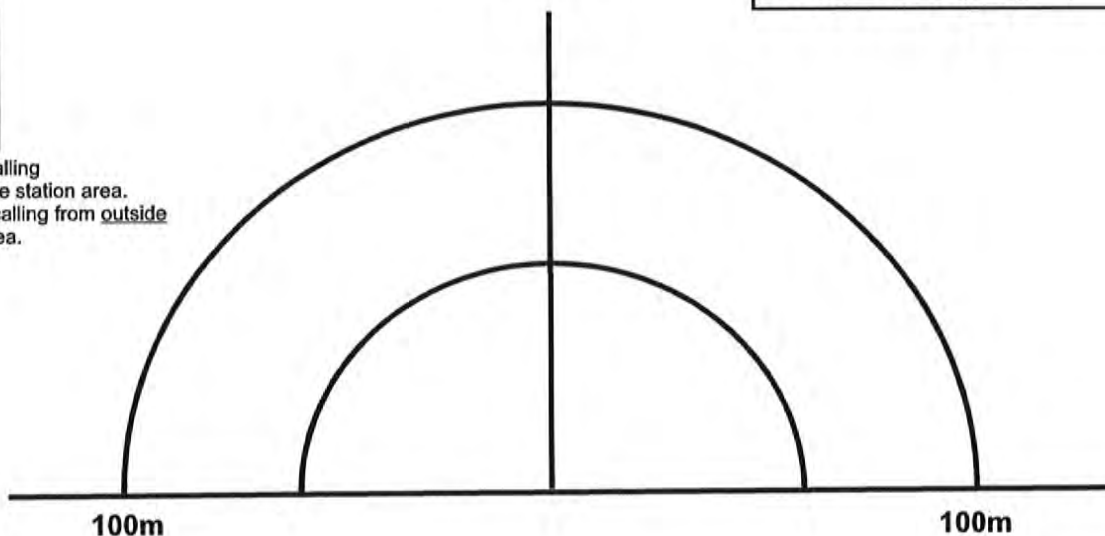
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MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
WOFR		

Station: 4

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:23

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
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AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Auroc tralalgen
 Date: June 12, 2019
 Collector(s): LM

Project Manager: LM
 Visit #: _____

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WEATHER CONDITIONS				WIND SCALE	
Temp. <u>21°C</u>	Wind: _____	Cloud Cover (%) <u>50%</u>	Precipitation	0	Calm
Direction: _____			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None/Dry <input type="checkbox"/> Drizzle	1	Smoke Drifts
			<input type="checkbox"/> Damp/Fog <input type="checkbox"/> Rain	2	Wind Felt on Face
CALL LEVEL CODES				3	Leaves in constant motion
Code 1: Calls not simultaneous, number of individuals can be accurately counted				4	Wind raises dust and paper
Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated					
Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated					

Reference Site: ☐ No ☐ Yes UTM 8pts wetland

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		
BCFR		
BULL		
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CGTR		
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WOFR		

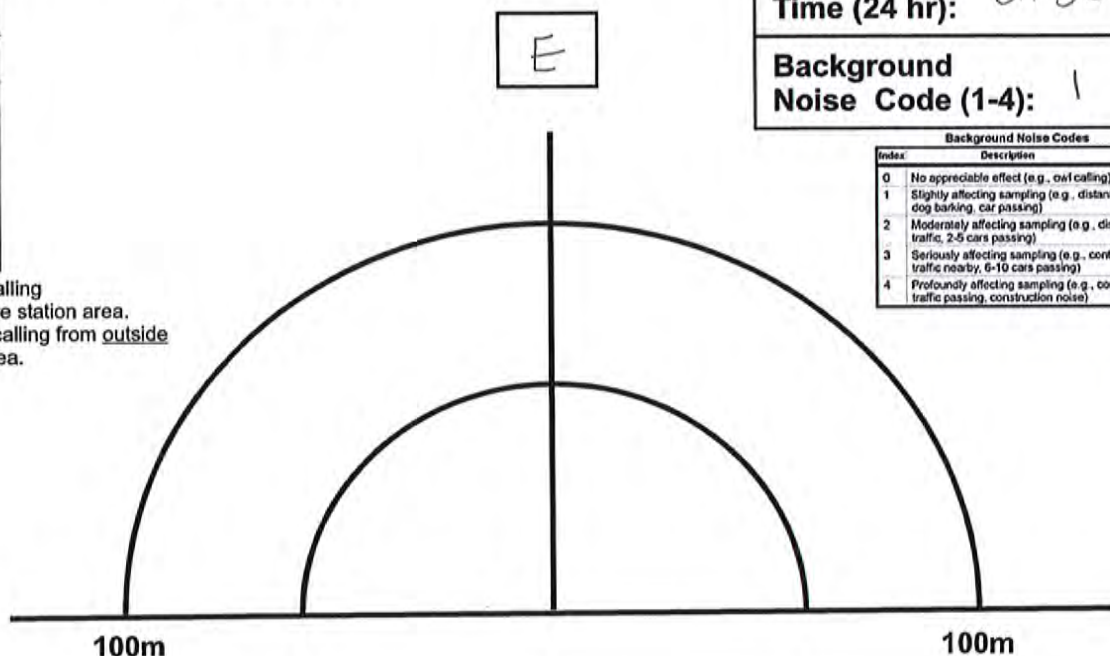
Station: 1

Station Start Time (24 hr): 21:50

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

Index	Description
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1	Slightly affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
2	Moderately affecting sampling (e.g., distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
3	Seriously affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
4	Profoundly affecting sampling (e.g., continuous traffic passing, construction noise)

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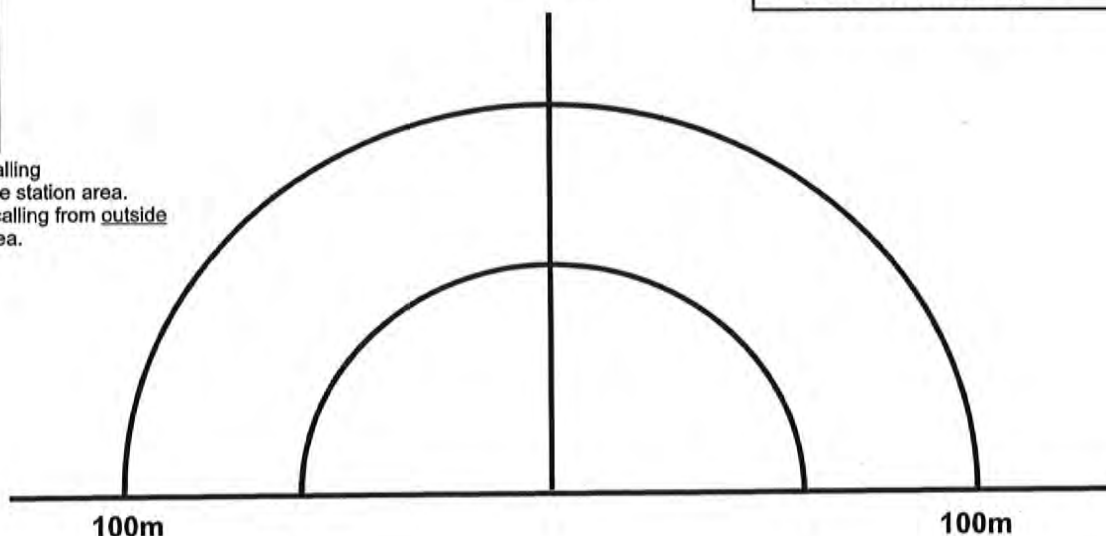
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BULL		
CHFR		
CGTR		
FOTO		
GRTR		
GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

Station: 2

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:00

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

- * Check if species is calling from inside 100-metre station area.
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AMPHIBIAN MONITORING FIELD SHEET

Project: Aard Tralalgen
 Date: June 12, 2019
 Collector(s): LM

Project Manager: LM
 Visit #: _____

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WEATHER CONDITIONS

Temp: 21°C Wind: 1 Cloud Cover (%): 50% Precipitation: ☒ None/Dry ☐ Drizzle ☐ Damp/Fog ☐ Rain

WIND SCALE

0 Calm
 1 Smoke Drifts
 2 Wind Felt on Face
 3 Leaves in constant motion
 4 Wind raises dust and paper

CALL LEVEL CODES

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 Code 2: Some calls simultaneous, number of individuals can be reliably estimated
 Code 3: Full chorus, calls continuous and overlapping, number of individuals cannot be reliably estimated

Reference Site: ☐ No ☐ Yes UTM 3pt5 WFLand

Species	In*	Out**
AMTO		
BCFR		
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CHFR		
CGTR		
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NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

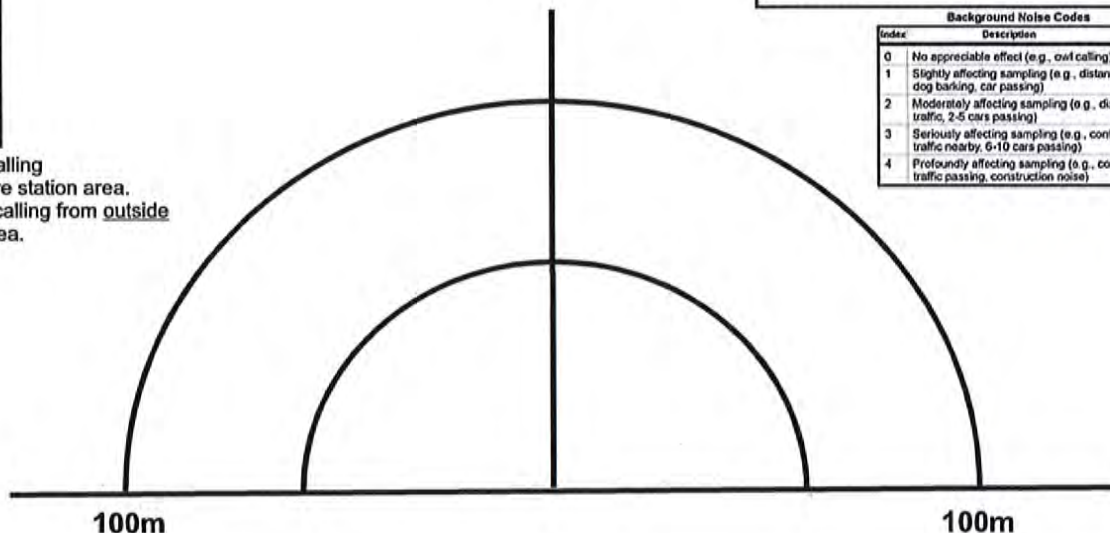
Station: 3

N

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:10

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1

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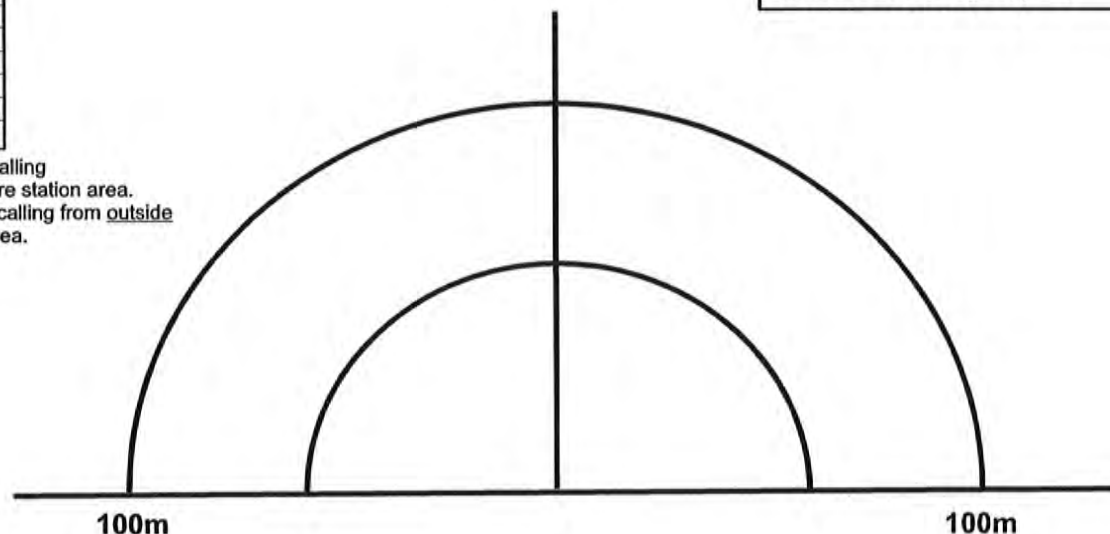
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CHFR		
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GRFR		
MIFR		
NLFR		
PIFR		
SPPE		
WOFR		

Station: 4

W

Station Start Time (24 hr): 22:21

Background Noise Code (1-4): 1



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Appendix E

Curriculum Vitae



Dave has over two decades of experience conducting environmental assessments that characterize the environmental condition of properties utilized for various residential, commercial and industrial purposes. His expertise integrates land use change with terrestrial, wetland and aquatic environments based on thorough and effective monitoring, assessment, restoration and design for public and private sector proponents. He has coordinated approvals in compliance with provincial and federal natural heritage policies/acts, in particular the Ontario Planning Act, Federal Fisheries Act, Ontario Aggregate Resources Act, Ontario Water Resources Act and Environmental Assessment Act, to implement projects across southwestern Ontario.

Dave Hayman

Title: Senior Biologist

Professional Experience

Education

Masters of Aquatic Biology | University of Waterloo | 2002

Bachelor of Science, Marine Biology | University of Guelph | 1981

Tenure with MTE

Since 1995

Professional Development

Certified Wetland Evaluator MTO/DFO/MNR

Certified Fisheries and Contract Specialist

ROM Freshwater Fish ID Freshwater Mussel ID Class 1

Electrofishing Fluvial Geomorphology - Newbury

WHIMIS

Work History

Senior Biologist | MTE Consultants (Formerly BioLogic) | 1995
-Present

Water Quality Program Coordinator; Water Quality Evaluator/
Biologist | Upper Thames River Conservation Authority | 1983-
1995

Water Quality Evaluator / Biologist; Bio-Technician | Ministry of
Environment | 1978-1983



**Aggregate Act Level 1 & 2 Natural
Environment Reports**

Role: Biologist

**Environmental Impact Studies and
Natural Heritage Studies**

Role: Biologist

**Fisheries and Aquatic Habitat
Assessment, Monitoring**

Role: Biologist

Johnston Brothers (Bothwell) Limited | West Elgin Pit
Johnston Brothers (Bothwell) Limited | Erwin Pit
Municipality of West | Elgin Gravel Pit
1537763 Ontario Inc. (Cofo Aggregate) | Blanshard Pit
Cope Construction and Contracting Co. Inc. | Cope Pi

Drewlo Centre Street Subdivision (White Property), London
Beaver Creek Solar Farm, St. Thomas
Flowerburn Solar Farm, St. Thomas
St. Clair Collage, Windsor | EIS and SAR Assessment
Water Street Student Residence, Peterborough
Seaside Waterfront Natural Heritage Study, Port Glasgow
Nipigon Feasibility Study, Township of Nipigon
Maitland Falls Resort (Crich Lands), Goderich
Southwinds Drive (Bilyea Property), London
Applewood Estates (Comfort Property), London
Applewood Estates (Sergautis Property), London

Peterborough Gun Club | Water Quality Monitoring
Headwater Assessment, Bolton
Detroit River Shoreline Improvements, Windsor | Species at Risk
Monitoring
Lake Margaret Water Quality and Streamflow Assessment, St.
Thomas
Pelee Island West Shore | Fisheries Investigations



Laura is part of a team that reviews historical data and/or collects study specific floral, faunal and aquatic inventories to analyze natural environmental conditions. She manages data compilation and analysis to provide environmental planning, monitoring and assessment approvals are coordinated in compliance with provincial natural heritage policies / acts including Ontario Planning Act, Endangered Species Act, Aggregate Resources Act and Environmental Assessment Act. Laura also has valued experience coordinating management plans and establishing collaborative strategies through partnership development and public consultation.

Laura McLennan

Title: Biologist

Professional Experience

Education

Environmental Assessment | Lakehead University | 2002

Honours Bachelor of Science, Biology | Lakehead University | 1995

Tenure with MTE

Since 2006

Professional Development

Municipal Class Environmental Assessment training | Municipal Engineers Association

Class 1 Electrofishing | MNRF

Project Management | PMI

Bat Acoustics Training, including Hardware and Techniques & Acoustics Analysis | Wildlife Conservation Society

WHIMIS

Work History

Biologist | MTE Consultants (Formerly BioLogic Inc.) | 2006-Present

Research Coordinator | Parks Canada | 2001-2002

Project Coordinator | Ministry of Tourism, Culture & Recreation / Northern Tourism Marketing Corp. | 1999-2001

Managing Director / Owner Blue Loon Adventures | 1996-2000

Laboratory Assistant Environmental Technician (Abatement) | Ministry of Environment | 1994-1995

Field Technician (Contract) | MNRF | 1992-1994



Environmental Assessments
Role: Biologist

**Environmental Impact Studies and
Natural Heritage Studies**
Role: Biologist

Renewable Energy
Role: Biologist

Research Projects and Monitoring
Role: Biologist

Seaside Waterfronts, Port Glasgow | Municipal Class EA,
Stormwater and Waste Water Servicing, Phase 2 and Phase 3
Realignment of Edison Drive / Old Mill Line, Bayham | Municipal
Class EA, Dingman Stormwater Management, London | Municipal
Class EA
Hyde Park Road Widening , London | Municipal Class EA
County Road 24 Re-alignment | Municipal Class EA

Drewlo Holdings | Pond Mills Subdivision, London
Drewlo Holdings | Edge Valley East Subdivision, London
Southside Group | South Winds Drive, London
Sifton Properties | Harrisview Subdivision, Ingersoll
Old Oak Properties | Richmond Street, London
Lighthouse Developments, Port Glasgow
York Developments | Foxwood Crossing, London
Sifton Properties | Timberwalk Subdivision, Ilderton
University of Western, London
Sheridan College Master Plan, Oakville
Auburn Developments | Colonel Talbot Subdivision, London
Lupine Developments | Glendon Drive, Mount Brydges
Seaside Waterfronts | Natural Heritage Study, Port Glasgow
Nipigon Feasibility Study | Watershed Enhancements

Environmental Activity Sector Registration (O.Reg. 350/12)
Ullswater Muskoka Solar Facility, Muskoka Lakes
Port Carling Solar Facility, Muskoka Lakes
Renewable Energy Approval (O.Reg. 359/09)
Beaver Creak and Flowerburn Solar Facility, Central Elgin
Kent Breeze Wind Farm, MacLeod Windmill Project, Dover
Windfarm & Raleigh Windfarm, Chatham-Kent

Bat acoustic studies, amphibian call surveys, turtle habitat and
basking surveys throughout Southern Ontario
MNRF | Forest management practice and reproductive success in
songbirds and mammals in areas of boreal cut over
MNRF | Bird banding in Boreal Forest regions including Thunder
Cape
MNRF | Habitat assessments and nesting behaviours in waterfowl
Parks Canada | Lake Superior shoreline monitoring, Park
Establishment
Long Point Phragmites Control Program | Implementation and
Monitoring Volunteer, OPWG and LP Phragmites Action Alliance,
2016, 2017 and 2018



Zachary is a Biologist who specializes in conducting ecological monitoring in aquatic environments. Through his three-year career he has worked on a wide range of projects and topics that include bio-engineering and stream restoration/rehabilitation, aquatic ecology, aquatic invasive species removal, fisheries spawning surveys, and technical report writing. Additionally, Zachary has experience in the collection and review of background information to complete Natural Heritage Assessments, Scoping Reports and Environmental Impact Studies for proposed developments.

Zachary Anderson

Title: Fisheries Biologist

Professional Experience

Education

Fish and Wildlife Technician Diploma | Sir Sandford Fleming College | 2018

Bachelor of Science (Honours), Biology | Brock University | 2016

Tenure with MTE

Since 2019

Professional Development

Class II Backpack Electrofishing Leader

Ontario Benthos Biomonitoring Network

Ontario Stream Assessment Protocol - Level 2 Fish Identification

Level 2 ORCKA Canoe and Kayak Training

Field Ornithology Proficiency Certificate | Fleming College

Pleasure Craft Operator Card

Standard First Aid/CPR

WHIMIS

Work History

Fisheries Biologist | MTE Consultants | 2019-Present



**Natural Heritage Assessment
Natural Environment Reports
Role: Fisheries Biologist**

**Environmental Impact Studies,
Scoping Reports, ESA
Role: Fisheries Biologist**

**Environmental Monitoring
Role: Environmental Monitoring**

Livingston Excavating and Trucking | Natural Environment Level 1 and 2 report for Aggregate Act Licence Amendment
Natural Heritage Assessment for the Van Diemen Municipal Drain
Natural Heritage Assessment for McFayden Drain Repairs
Natural Heritage Assessment for Amherstburg Festival Plaza and Marina

Rafhi Woodview | Scoped EIA for Woodview Drive
Shergar Developments | IGF for ESA permit (Eastern Foxsnake)
Bondy Development Inc. | IGF for ESA permit (SAR Snakes)

Fish and Benthic Invertebrate Sampling | Southern Ontario
Aquatic Habitat Assessments | Southern Ontario
Fish Spawning Surveys | Southern Ontario
Breeding Bird Surveys | Southern Ontario
Species at Risk Surveys | Southern Ontario



Will's main responsibilities include life science data collection to support Environmental Impact Studies and Environmental Assessments. This involves completion of three-season plant inventories, vegetation classification according to Ecological Land Classification for southern Ontario and wetland evaluations according to Ontario Wetland Evaluation System. He is also qualified to prepare tree risk assessment surveys, tree preservation reports, and tree identification / health assessments. Will also is responsible for design, tendering, site supervision and post-construction inspection habitat enhancement and / or creation. He has participated in various fish sampling and salvage projects and has developed an expertise in bird identification by sight and song to conduct breeding bird inventory surveys. Other duties include the design and production of report graphics, maps and digital drawings.

Will Huys

Title: Plant and Wildlife Technician

Professional Experience

Education

Basic Surveying | Fanshawe College | 2012

Landscape Design | Fanshawe College | 2000

Professional Designations

ISA Certified Arborist #ON-1183A | International Society of Arboriculture

Tenure with MTE

Since 2005

Professional Development

ISA TRAQ

Ontario Wetland Evaluation

Butternut Health Assessor

Electro-fishing Class 2

Ecological Land Classification

Standard First Aid & CPR

WHIMIS

Memberships

Field Botanists of Ontario

Ontario Field Ornithologists

Work History

Plant and Wildlife Technician | MTE Consultants | 2005-Present



**Adelaide Street North
Apartments, London
Tree Assessment
Role: Arborist**

**Summerside Residential
Subdivision, London
Tree Assessment
Role: Arborist**

**Comfort Lands Residential
Subdivision, London
Tree Assessment
Role: Arborist**

**Winston Churchill Boulevard
Industrial Development, Oakville
Woodland Assessment
Role: Arborist**

**Aggregate Act Level 1 & 2 Natural
Environment Field Work
Role: Plant and Wildlife Technician**

**Natural Heritage Studies Field
Work
Role: Plant and Wildlife Technician**

**Tree Preservation / Appraisal
Role: Arborist**

MTE was retained to prepare a Tree Preservation Report and plan for existing trees prior to construction of a nine-unit residential building on the property. Will was the Arborist responsible for the onsite assessment and preparation of the report. His report outlined the number, type and location of the trees, as well as tree protection measures.

Will was responsible for carrying out an assessment of trees prior to construction of an outlet structure. The outlet was designed to provide water to a swamp within a development project. He also outlined tree protection measures for the contractor.

This project involves the development and construction of a residential subdivision with internal roads and infrastructure. The client required a Tree Preservation Report to satisfy a Draft Plan Condition. Will carried out the assessment and summarized his findings in a report. A total of 610 trees were studied as part of the report, of which 305 will be preserved and new trees will be planted as part of the development.

Will was a member of the project team responsible for assessing an existing woodland to determine if the site contained a Significant Woodland. This was required by the client as part of the approval process for development. The team visited the site on several occasions as part of the assessment. Their findings were captured in a report for the client that included observations and recommendations.

Johnston Bros. Ltd. | Erwin Pit #2, Putnam
McCann Redi-Mix Inc. | Millian Pit, Auburn
AAROC Aggregates Ltd., | Hamilton Road Pit, Putnam
Thames Valley Aggregates Inc. | Clendinning Pit, Banner
Johnston Brothers | Erwin Pit, Putnam
Johnston Brothers | Tote Road Pit, London
Jennison Construction Ltd. | JCL Staff 2 Pit, Staffa

Southside Group | Topping Lands, London
London Properties | Caledon Mt. Road, Caledon
Drewlo Holdings | South Ross Lands, London
Azar | Tilbury Development
Storey Samways | Lot Development, Lighthouse Cove
Quagiatto Developments | Martin Lane, Amherstburg
York Developments | W3 Farms, London

Drewlo Holdings | Pond Mills Subdivision, London
Glenn Powell | Storey Drive Single Lot Development, St. Marys
Terracorp | Apartment Complex Re-landscaping, London
Co-operators | Post Impact Tree Appraisal, Mt. Brydges



Renewable Energy
Role: Plant and Wildlife Technician

Electro-fishing
Role: Plant and Wildlife Technician

Kent Breeze Suncor | Post Construction Monitoring
Petewawa Renewable Energy

Fekete Drain, London
Detroit River International Crossing, Windsor
Grand Marais Drain, Windsor

