

Welcome!

The purpose of this Public Information Centre (PIC) No. 1 is to inform you of the study's purpose, project steps, and schedule, and to receive feedback from you on the information presented.

Review the display materials.

Members of the study team are available to answer questions.

Provide your comments in the form provided, as your opinion will influence this study.

Key Themes

Study Process

Project Background and Introduction

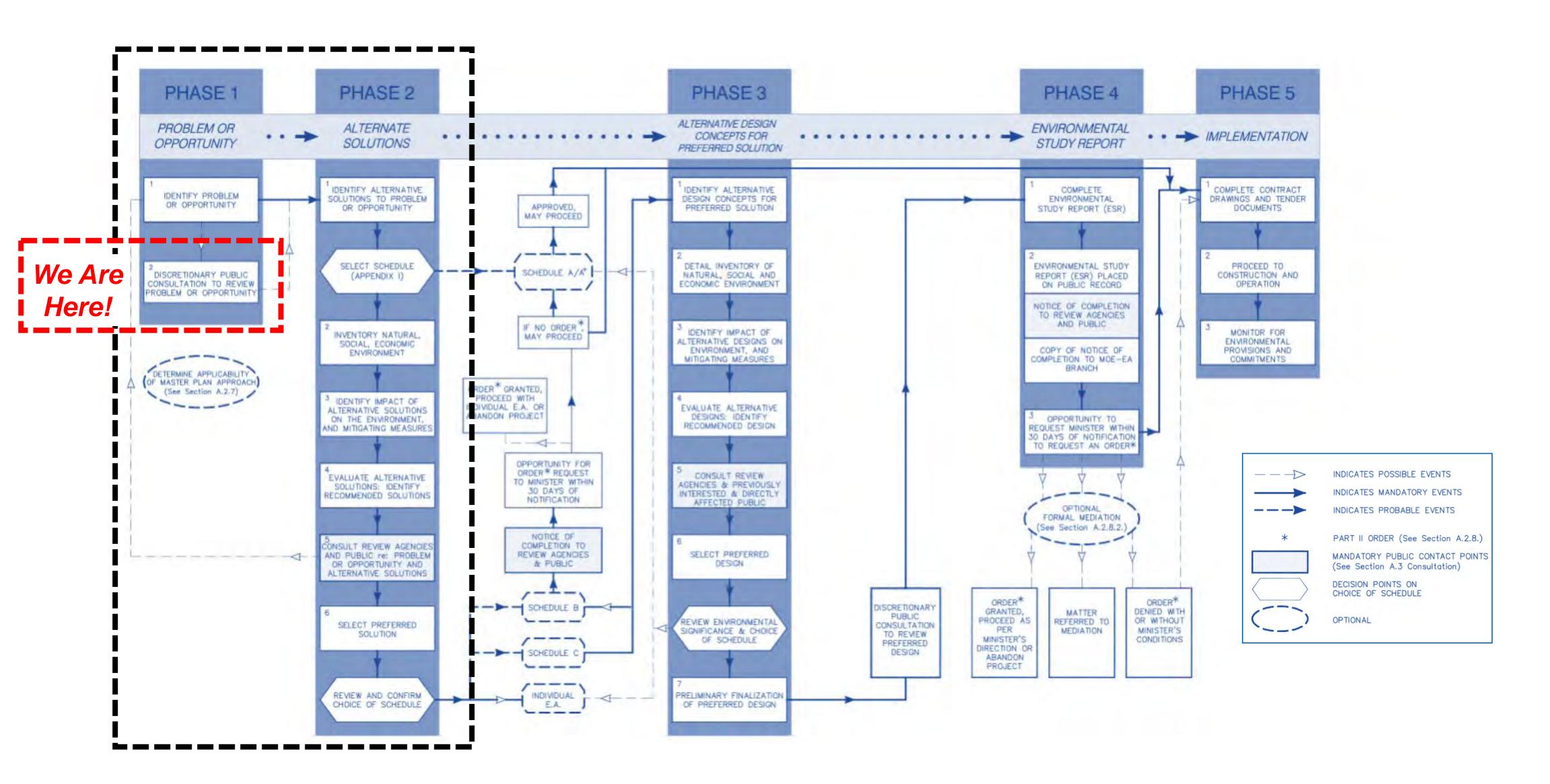
Preliminary Strategies

Consultation and Engagement



Municipal Class EA Process and Consultation

The scope of this study involves the completion of Phase 1 and Phase 2 of the MEA Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) process. The final Environmental Assessment report will be filed under the MEA Municipal Class Environmental Assessment.



Project Schedule Timeline

Phase 1

Identify and Describe the Problem / Opportunity Statement

PIC NO. 1 We Are Here!
Public Consultation
March 25, 2020

Phase 2

Complete Study Area Inventory Identify and Evaluate Alternative Solutions

PIC NO. 2
Public Consultation / Review
Agency Contact Point
January 2021

Final Report

Documentation of Recommended Alternative Solutions for Stormwater Servicing

Notice of Completion Summer 2021



Study Purpose and Background

Opportunity Statement

Provide efficient stormwater servicing to existing and future Regional road infrastructure by taking into account existing ageing infrastructure, growth, natural environment, climate change and compliance within regulatory framework.

Project Goals

- Provide a strategic, economical, and optimized stormwater servicing plan that will guide the Region of Peel to 2041.
- Establish the tools and processes necessary to move from an opportunistic servicing approach to a planned, evidence-based servicing strategy.
- As the first plan of its kind for the Region this project will set the stage for future updates and improvements as more information becomes available.

Stormwater services are critical to support the Region's environment and community focused vision.





Guiding Principles and Objectives

Primary Policy Statements

- Minimize, or, where possible, prevent increases in contaminant loads.
- Minimize changes in water balance and erosion.
- Not increase risks to human health and safety and property damage.
- Maximize the extent and function of vegetative and pervious surfaces, and
- Promote stormwater management best practices, including stormwater attenuation and re-use, and low impact development.

Key Study Objectives

Comprehensive Stormwater Servicing Strategy



Consider the impacts of population growth and climate change, and how to mitigate them.

Develop a Computer Model



Create a stormwater computer model to help assess and evaluate the system for existing, future and climate change scenarios.

Establish Levels of Service



Identify the expectations of stakeholders and community. Establish measurable customer and technical levels of service.

Develop an Optimal Implementation Plan



Identify the cost and timing for specific work to be undertaken to achieve the preferred strategy.



Study Area

This project will focus on the stormwater infrastructure located within the Regional road right-of-way.

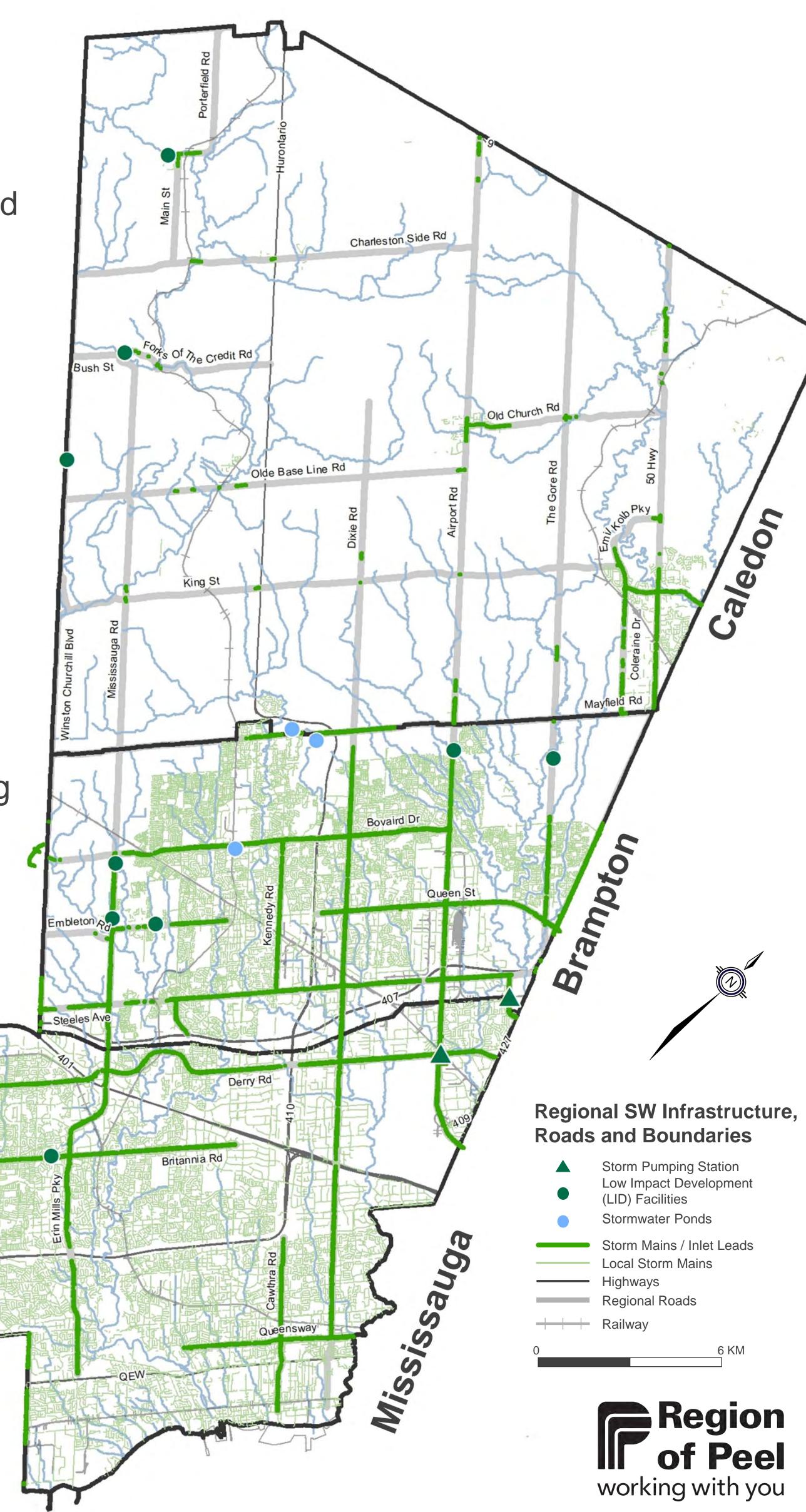
Stormwater infrastructure is a two-tiered system.

- The Region of Peel owns and maintains 26 Regional Roads and all stormwater infrastructure located within the right-of-way.
- The Town of Caledon, City of Brampton and City of Mississauga all have separate stormwater systems to convey rainfall away from their neighbourhoods.

Stormwater charges address lower tier municipal systems.

• There may be stormwater charges where you live but the revenue generated goes towards supporting your local system.

 None of that revenue is spent on the Regional system!



Multiple Bottom Line Decision Making

Environmental impacts

- Quality of stormwater entering the environmental features and protected areas.
- Potential effects on water resources, natural features and flooding considerations
- Geology, hydrogeology, geotechnical considerations.

Site suitability

- Existing infrastructure.
- Potential impact on surrounding area.
- Land use, land size, availability and location.
- Ownership, legal and jurisdictional considerations.

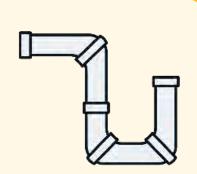


Evaluating the Options

With input from the public and key stakeholders, the project team will develop and use criteria to evaluate options for the stormwater servicing strategies.

- Existing and surrounding land use.
- Noise, odour and flooding considerations.
- Cultural heritage resources.
- Archeological resources.

Technical servicing considerations



- Ability to meet future needs.
- Minimize need for system upgrades.
- Ease of integration with existing system.
- Ease of construction and operation.

Economic

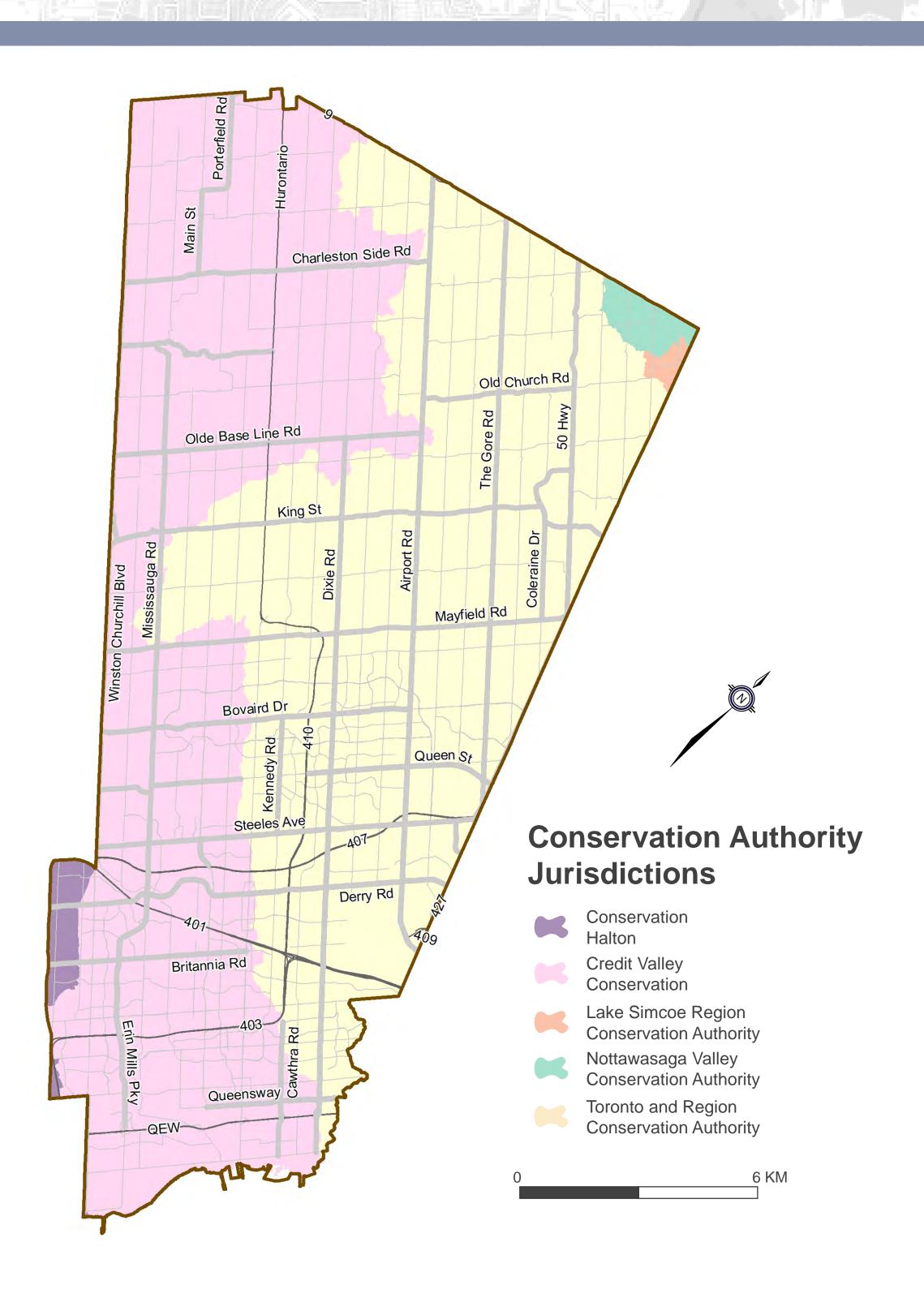
- Cost effective solution.
- Operation and maintenance costs.
- Lifecycle considerations.
- Funding and finance.

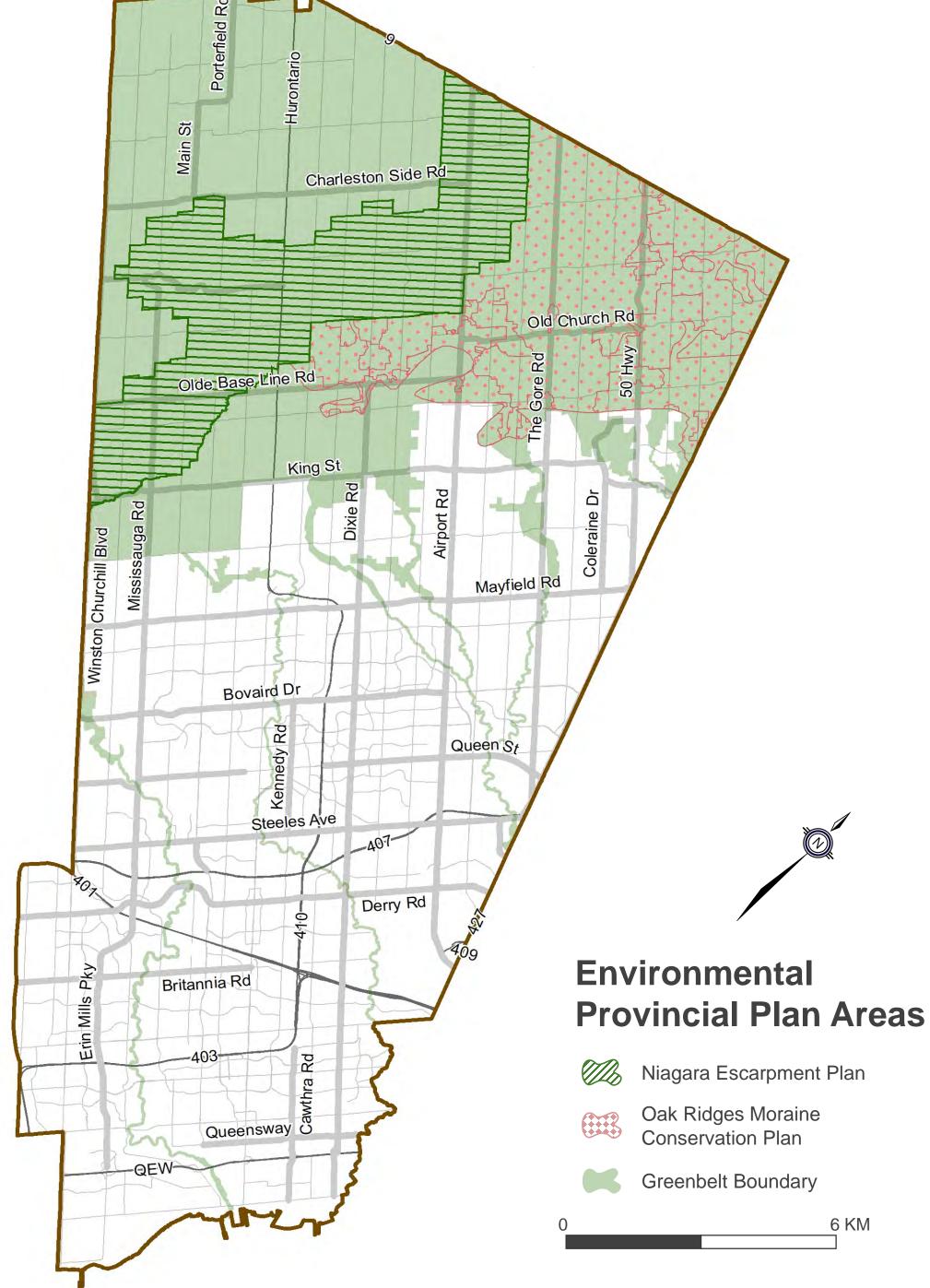






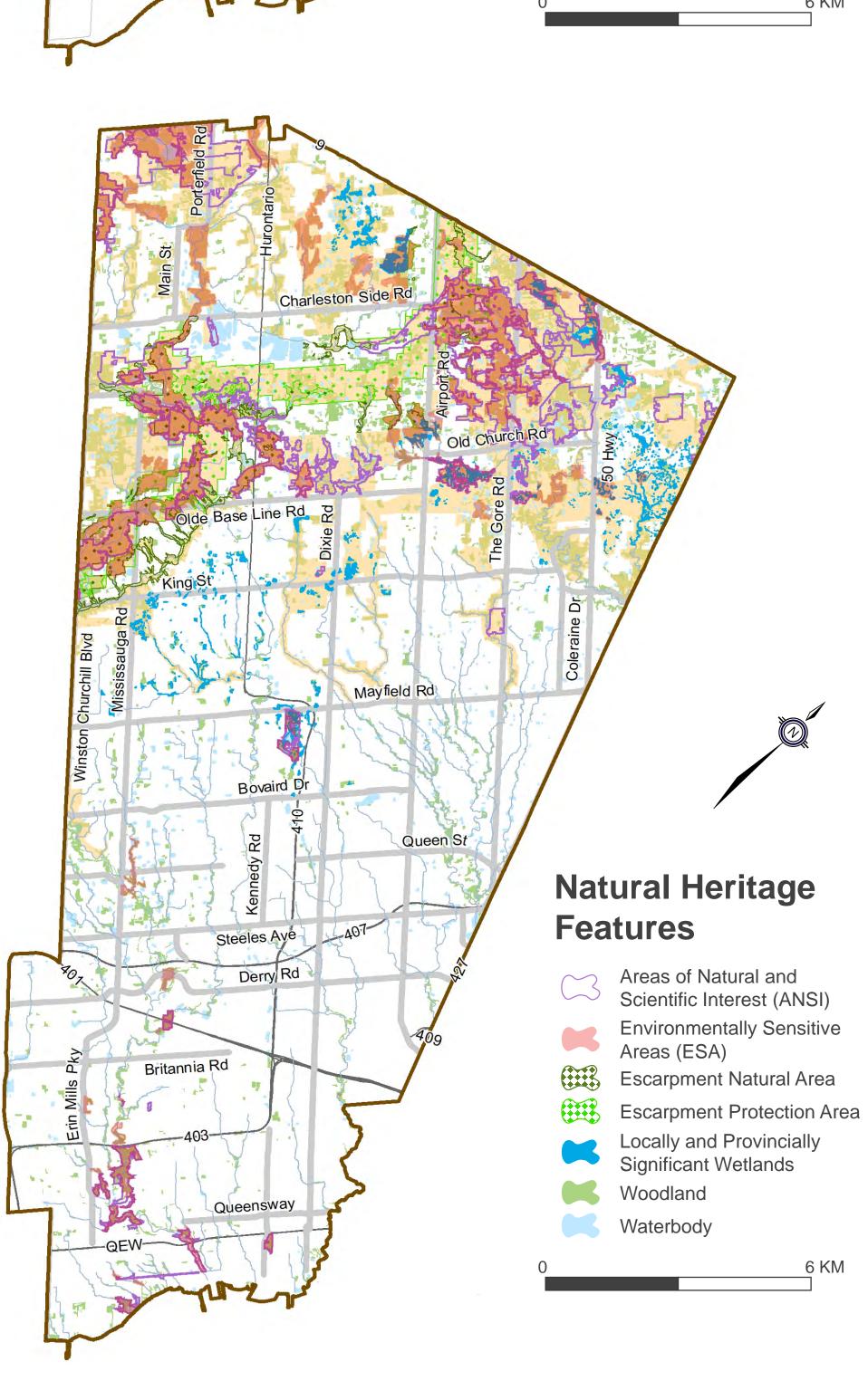
Natural Environment



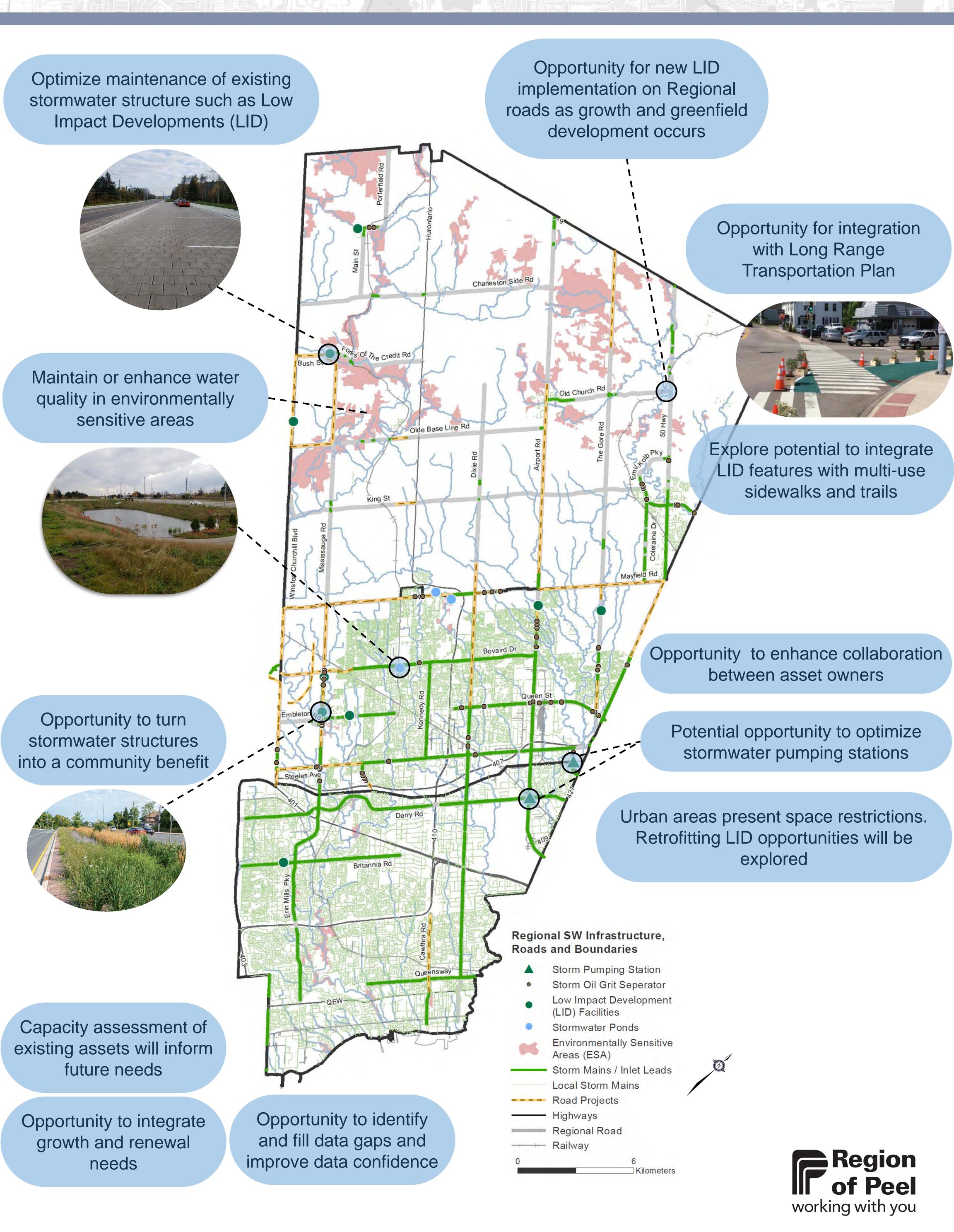


Technical studies to be completed

- Baseline Natural Environment Assessment
- Flood Plain and Geomorphology
- Hydrogeological and Geotechnical Assessment
- Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment
- Agricultural Impact Assessment
- Social Impact Assessment
- Cultural and Built Heritage Assessment
- Property Impacts
- Stage 1 Environmental Site Assessment



Opportunity and Constraints

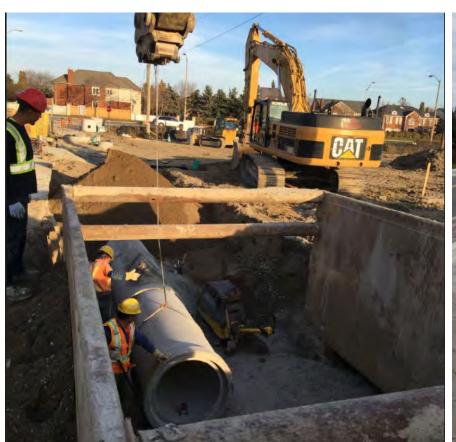


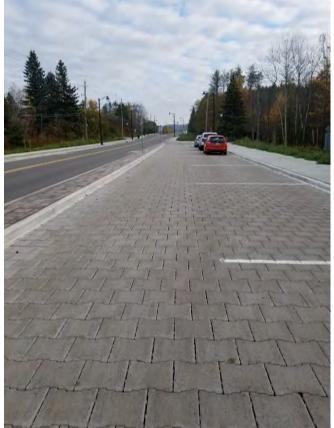
Preliminary Servicing Concepts

Strategies or solutions may include:

- Low Impact Development (LID) practices for water quality and flooding control;
- Modify operating practices (including street sweeping, salting, catch basins cleanouts, pond dredging, etc.); and
- Reconstruct portions of the system with larger storm sewers to increase overall system capacity during uncommon heavy rainfalls.









Low Impact Development (LID):

- Infrastructure that mimics natural processes that result in the infiltration, evapotranspiration or use of stormwater in order to protect water quality and associated aquatic habitat.
- The Region has implemented 9 LID facilities and have more in the design and planning phase!





Changing the attitude of stormwater management

A service-based perspective helps promote stormwater management as community benefit.



We Want to Hear From You!

How to Stay Involved

- Visit our website: <u>http://rop.dev.peelregion.ca/pw/transportation/residents/sw-road-infrastructure.asp</u>
- Follow us on social media: <u>www.facebook.com/regionofpeel</u> and <u>www.twitter.com/regionofpeel</u>
- Attend Public Information Centre (PIC) No. 2.

Get Engaged!



Please fill out the comment sheet to let us know your thoughts. Your feedback will be used to help inform the decision-making process.

Comments may include:

- What do you believe is the most important outcome of this study?
- "I believe this study will be a success if ..."
- Which considerations are most important to you?



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Please Stay Engaged Thank You for Participating!

Following this Public Information Centre, the project team will:

- Review and consider your input received during and following the PIC.
- Develop and evaluate the preliminary Stormwater Servicing Strategies.
- Host PIC 2 in early 2021 to present the preliminary preferred strategy.

Do you have any questions, comments, or want to stay up to date? Please contact us anytime.

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