

September 20, 2023

Reference: Enbridge Inc. – Notice of Study Commencement and Open House – Saugeen Shores Battery Energy Storage Project

Enbridge Inc. (Enbridge) is preparing a proposal in response to the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) Long Term 1 Request for Proposal for the development of the Saugeen Shores Battery Energy Storage Project (the Project) in the Municipality of Kincardine, Ontario. The connecting circuit for the Project is 230 kilovolt, with name plate capacity storages of up to 200 megawatts.

The Project is subject to the Class Environmental Assessment for Minor Transmission Facilities (MTF Class EA) in accordance with the Ontario *Environmental Assessment Act*. The MTF Class EA is a process for projects anticipated to have a predictable range of environmental effects that can feasibly be mitigated with protection measures in place. The MTF Class EA process contains screening provisions that may apply to this Project. Subject to the outcome of the MTF Class EA process, the planned in-service date is May 2027.

As a stakeholder with a potential interest in developments in the area, you are invited to provide comments regarding the proposed project. As part of the Class EA process, Enbridge is seeking information regarding planning principles or guidelines implemented by your agency and/or that you are aware of that may affect construction and/or operation of the proposed Project. Enbridge is also seeking background environmental, socio-economic, and archaeological/cultural heritage information that may be useful in compiling an environmental inventory. To support the quality of the assessment process, we also request that you provide us with information regarding other proposed developments in the area. This information will be incorporated into the Environmental Study and related report as a component of the cumulative effects assessment.

Consultation with Indigenous communities, and engagement with landowners, government agencies, the general public, and other interested persons is an integral component of the planning process. As such, Enbridge will be holding an in-person Public Meeting to discuss the Project.

In-Person Public Meeting

Tuesday, October 10, 2023
Drop-In: 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Q&A: 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Underwood Community Centre
1240 Concession 6, Underwood, ON

A questionnaire will be available as part of the Public Meeting, and you will have the opportunity to provide comments and/or questions about the proposed Project. Input received during the Public Meeting will be used to develop site specific environmental protection or mitigation measures.



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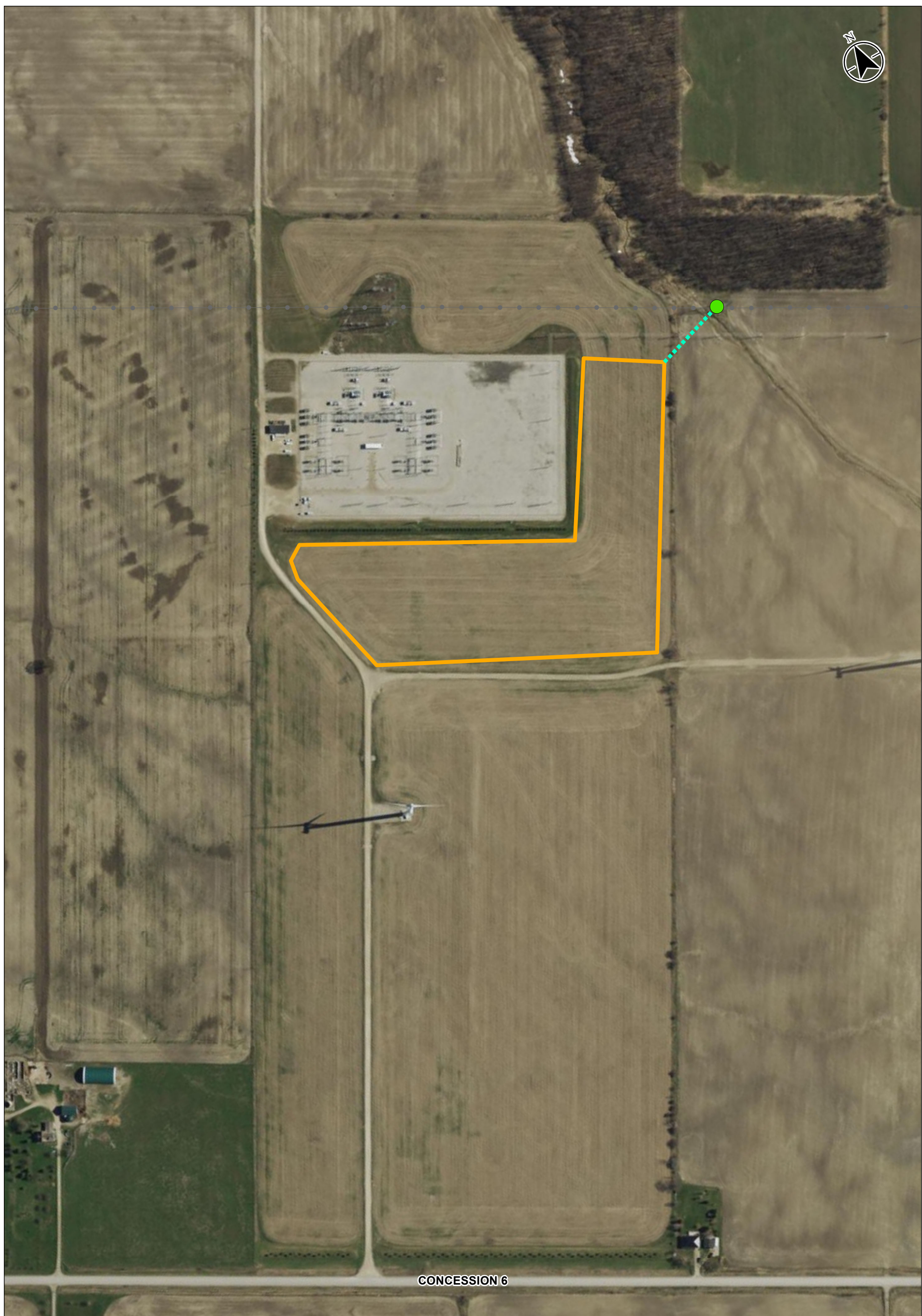
Further information on the Project can be found at: www.enbridge.com/saugeenshores

We kindly request that any input and comments regarding the Project are provided by October 24, 2023.




If you have questions or comments regarding the proposed Project, please email me at power.operations@enbridge.com.

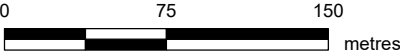
Thank you, we hope to see you on October 10th.

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- Legend**
-  Approximate Site Boundary
 -  Interconnection Point
 -  Interconnection Line



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