



**Township of Perth East  
Village of Shakespeare Water and Wastewater Services Class  
Environmental Assessment**



**Notice of Study Progress**

The Township of Perth East commissioned a Class Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Village of Shakespeare Water and Wastewater Services in the Fall of 2004. The purpose of this study was to investigate the alternatives of wastewater and water servicing within the Village of Shakespeare, to alleviate the current environmental impacts due to the septic systems.

In January 2005 The Township of Perth East submitted an application for funding for Water and Wastewater Upgrades to the Canada-Ontario Municipal Rural Infrastructure Fund (COMRIF). Unfortunately, the application was denied and funding was not granted under the first COMRIF Intake. This was anticipated as a detailed well and septic survey had not yet been completed.

Perth East retained Stantec to conduct a survey of the water and wastewater systems for 125 homes within Shakespeare. This was completed in April-May 2005. The Township of Perth East and Stantec Consulting would like to thank all residents who offered their properties for the study. This survey has provided valuable information that will increase the opportunity for funding significantly.

A second intake for COMRIF applications is currently available to be submitted by September 30, 2005. The Township of Perth East has decided to apply for a Sanitary Servicing Project for Shakespeare excluding the water supply. This is based on the results of the well and septic system survey, discussions with Provincial officials, and the potential to receive funding.

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