

**SCHEDULE “B”
CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT
PROJECT INITIATION
1ST MANDATORY PUBLIC CONTACT – PHASE 2**

**CITY OF OWEN SOUND
CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT
9TH STREET BRIDGE REPLACEMENT
PUBLIC COMMENT INVITED**

The City of Owen Sound is studying alternatives for the replacement of 9th Street Bridge, located across the Sydenham River in Downtown Owen Sound. The existing bridge is in very poor condition. Alternatives include closing the bridge permanently, repairing the existing structure, and replacing the bridge with a two or more lane structure.

Alternative structure styles include pre-cast girder, poured in place barrel vault and precast arch systems.

The project is being planned under **Schedule B** of the **Municipal Class Environmental Assessment**.

A Public Meeting is being planned as part of the Operations Advisory Committee Meeting in Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 808 2nd Avenue East on Wednesday June 17th, 2009 at 7 pm at which time the project alternatives will be presented, followed by a question and answer session.

For further information on this project, or to inspect a copy of the Project File, please contact Mr. Chris Webb, P.Eng., Manager of Engineering Services, City of Owen Sound, or Mr. Brent Willis, P.Eng., of Gamsby and Mannerow Limited, Consulting Professional Engineers.

The public is invited to provide written comments for incorporation into the planning and design of this project, which will be received until 4 pm, July 3rd, 2009. Subject to comments received and the receipt of necessary approvals, the City of Owen Sound intends to proceed with the planning, final design and construction of this project, to be completed in 2010.

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