

9TH AVENUE EAST CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Problem / Opportunity Statement

The City of Owen Sound has initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) to address infrastructure, road and sidewalk needs and deficiencies within the 9th Avenue East corridor. It is expected that the deficiencies will require repair, replacement and/or improvements to the following (subject to confirmation following engineering investigations and/or condition assessments):

- water distribution system from 100 metres south of Superior Street to 100 metres north of 9th Street East;
- storm sewer system between Superior Street and 9th Street East;
- sanitary sewer system between 7th Street East and 8th Street East;
- road system within the above noted limits; and
- sidewalk system within the above noted limits, including provision of new sidewalk on the west side of 9th Avenue East from 6th Street East to 8th Street East.

In consideration of the above and in context of the City's objective to provide safe and reliable infrastructure, road and sidewalk systems, the following Problem Statement has been defined to set the framework for the completion of the Class EA study.

That existing infrastructure, road and sidewalk needs and deficiencies within the subject length of 9th Avenue East (100 metres south of Superior Street to 100 metres north of 9th Street East) be addressed in an environmentally sound manner, in consideration of City standards and policies, infrastructure requirements and active transportation opportunities, with the objective of providing safe and reliable service to the people of Owen Sound.

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