

**Draft Proposed & Proposed Terms of Reference sections relating to compensation, financial assistance, or financial implications of policies**

Source Protection Region	Source Protection Area	Sections relating to compensation, financial assistance, or financial implications of policies	Link
<p>Ausable Bayfield Maitland Valley</p> <p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Ausable Bayfield</p> <p>Maitland Valley</p>	<p>"Establish evaluation criteria for selecting policies: Establishing evaluation criteria to assist with objectively deciding how policies will be considered in a transparent manner. Criteria may consider elements such as the natural, social, and economic environments, including health, cost-benefit considerations, and conformance with existing official plans." (p 26)</p> <p>"Policy development to address funding requirements for implementing land use protection plans: Funding mechanisms for implementing land use policies on private land will be identified and included in the source protection plans. Compensation for land use restrictions will be a specific mechanism researched by the SPC." (p 26)</p> <p><i>Note: these are included as tasks for the source protection plan in appendix B but not in the wizard printout that follows this appendix.</i></p>	<p><a href="http://sourcewaterinfo.on.ca/images/uploaded/uploadedDownloads/ABMV_Proposed_ToR_0708.pdf">http://sourcewaterinfo.on.ca/images/uploaded/uploadedDownloads/ABMV_Proposed_ToR_0708.pdf</a> - currently both terms of reference are contained in the same document</p>
<p>Cataraqui</p> <p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>		<p><b>"What financial assistance will be made available for property owners?"</b></p> <p>The Clean Water Act, 2006 does not allow compensation to be paid to affected landowners. However, it has entrenched in law a financial assistance program called the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program. This program currently has funding until 2011 to provide grants to assist private property owners in undertaking 'early actions' to address risks in very close proximity to municipal/residential intakes and supply wells in advance of approved source protection plans. The Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority is administering the program in the local area. More information about the program is available from the Ontario Ministry of the Environment website at: <a href="http://www.ene.gov.on.ca/en/water/cleanwater/index.php">www.ene.gov.on.ca/en/water/cleanwater/index.php</a>." (p. 11 of Executive Summary)</p> <p>"The overall objective of the Cataraqui Source Protection Committee in partnership with local communities and the Ontario government, is to protect the quality and quantity of present and future sources of drinking water in the Cataraqui Source Protection Area. We will work with others to gather technical knowledge on which well-informed,</p>	<p><a href="http://www.cataraquiregion.on.ca/management/CataraquiDWSP_ProposedToR_June%2008.pdf">http://www.cataraquiregion.on.ca/management/CataraquiDWSP_ProposedToR_June%2008.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.cataraquiregion.on.ca/management/CataraquiDWSPToR_june08AppendixDtoG.pdf">http://www.cataraquiregion.on.ca/management/CataraquiDWSPToR_june08AppendixDtoG.pdf</a></p>

	<p>consensus-based decisions can be made in an open and consultative manner. We will aim to propose policies in the Cataraqi Source Protection Plan that are appropriate, effective, economical, and fair for local communities. We will make use of the available science to assess drinking water threats and issues and where there is uncertainty we will be mindful of the precautionary approach." (p 1)</p> <p>"Review of draft policies will be undertaken by working groups established by the Cataraqi SPC: it is currently proposed that there would be one to address surface water sources and another to address groundwater sources (see Appendix 'E-3'). Additional working groups may be established to address particular topics or sectors where necessary. For example, it may be appropriate for a working group to focus on questions pertaining to implementation, such as responsibility, timelines, and funding sources. A working group may be created as we move forward at the planning stage to review the impacts of source protection plan policies on agricultural (and potentially other) property owners within vulnerable areas. The working group (or the SPC) may also look at the options available for property owners to take advantage of available grants (such those offered under the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program) for projects that help address risks to source water. The working groups will be composed of SPC members and others from public agencies and the community. They will evaluate potential policies to ensure that they are appropriate, effective, economical, and fair to the communities in which they would apply. Local events such as 'roundtables' will be held to gather input prior to the publication of a draft Cataraqi Source Protection Plan." (p 2)</p> <p>"Coordinated Approach to Plan / Policy Development: The Cataraqi Source Protection Committee will work with the adjacent SPCs (and others across Ontario) to share our draft source protection plan policies. For example, we will work together to assess the costs and benefits of various policy alternatives for addressing a risk..." (Appendix D, p 2)</p>	
		<p>CTC</p>
		<p>Credit Valley Toronto and Region</p>
		<p><b>Draft</b></p>
		<p><a href="http://www.ctcswp.ca/docs/Attachment4.pdf">http://www.ctcswp.ca/docs/Attachment4.pdf</a></p>
		<p><a href="http://www.ctcswp.ca/docs/Attachment3.pdf">http://www.ctcswp.ca/docs/Attachment3.pdf</a></p>

**Proposed ToR**

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financial assistance to those whose activities and properties may be affected by implementation of Source Protection Plan requirements. The program also provides for outreach and education programs to raise awareness of the importance and opportunities for individuals to take actions to protect sources of drinking water. The MOE released a draft regulation for public comment in April and May 2008 and is expected to promulgate the final regulation in July. Early Action Programs funded by the MOE already have been directed to grants to landowners within close proximity to municipal wells or surface water intakes to undertake projects to reduce existing potential contamination sources, along with some communication and outreach efforts to persons and businesses in these areas. The program has funding through 2011 to provide grants to undertake early actions close to municipal drinking water systems in advance of approved source protection plans. The CTC SPC will continue to request that the province funds the program beyond 2011 in order to provide financial assistance to property owners affected by new policies and risk reduction strategies that may result from approved source protection planning. Implementation costs cannot be estimated until it is determined how many local drinking water risks there are and what types of policies will be used to address them (policy development is not scheduled to start before 2010). The CTC SPC is aware that municipalities and potentially affected landowners and businesses are very concerned about potential implementation costs they may incur with respect to current activities and land uses. Our Committee will raise these issues at the provincial level on behalf of our local stakeholders as we become knowledgeable about the nature of the specific costs and the impacted parties through developing the Assessment Report and Source Protection Plan." (p.2-3)

<p>Essex</p> <p><b>Draft Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>"Implementation costs cannot be estimated until it is determined how many local drinking water risks there are and what types of policies will be used to address them (policy development is not scheduled to begin until 2010). The Essex Region Source Protection Area, as with others through-out the Province, has advised MOE that municipalities are very concerned about potential implementation costs they may incur and will continue to raise this issue at the Provincial level." (p 9)</p> <p>"Financial Assistance for Property Owners: While the <i>Clean Water Act</i> does not allow compensation to be paid to affected property owners, it has entrenched in law a financial assistance program called the <i>Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program</i>. This program currently has funding until 2011 to provide grants to assist private property owners in undertaking 'early actions' to address risks <b>in very close proximity to municipal drinking water intakes</b> in advance of approved source protection plans. Eligible projects include 'Pollution Prevention Reviews' (site evaluation by specialist Consultant), upgrade or repair of faulty septic systems, repair or decommissioning of wells, or buffers along waterways." (p 10)</p> <p>"Other Source Protection Plan Preparation Task: Implementation costs/Funding responsibilities. Description: Determine implementation costs and proposed funding responsibilities for implementation, including operations, monitoring, and remedial actions, if applicable. This task is proposed to be added by the Essex Region Source Protection Committee. Comments: All cost estimates and timelines are very preliminary. Propose Source Protection Committee/Working Group(s) as lead at this time (TBC after Assessment Report) - scope and costs will be clearer at that time. Will involve substantial consultation with municipalities." (estimated cost: \$200,000) (p 24)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.essexregionsourcewater.org/downloads/terms_of_reference.pdf">http://www.essexregionsourcewater.org/downloads/terms_of_reference.pdf</a></p>
<p>Halton Hamilton</p> <p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>"Along with other topics and issues, the Source Protection Plan will consider impacts including cost implications of plan implementation; water use conservation targets; raw water quality information and objectives; and recommendations for objectives, budget and process for ongoing assessment of source water plan implementation of all multi-barrier levels." (p. 9)</p> <p>"As new / revised Regulations, Directors Rules and Guidance Modules under the Clean Water Act become available it will be important to understand the potential impacts on individual landowners within Source Protection Area. As the Assessment</p>	<p><a href="http://www.protectingwater.ca/uploads/HHSWP_TOR_DOC_HALTON_080807.doc">http://www.protectingwater.ca/uploads/HHSWP_TOR_DOC_HALTON_080807.doc</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.protectingwater.ca/uploads/HHSWP_TOR_DOC_HAMILTON_080807.doc">http://www.protectingwater.ca/uploads/HHSWP_TOR_DOC_HAMILTON_080807.doc</a></p>
<p>Halton Region</p> <p>Hamilton</p>		

<p>Lake Erie</p>	<p>Grand River</p>	<p>Report, and in particular the Source Protection Plan, are drafted it is the intention of the Source Protection Committee to keep property owners within wellhead protection areas (WHPA) and intake protection zones (IPZ) advised of the status this work and identify any and all support mechanisms available to assist individual property owners." (p 41)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_Grand/TOR_Grand.pdf">http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_Grand/TOR_Grand.pdf</a></p>
<p><b>Draft Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Long Point</p>	<p><b>"1.3 Financial Assistance</b> Section 97 of the Act establishes the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program. The purpose of the program is to provide financial assistance to those whose activities and properties may be affected by the implementation of the Source Protection Plan. The program also provides for outreach and education programs to raise awareness of the importance and opportunities for individuals to take actions to protect sources of drinking water. Ontario Regulation 286/07 (Miscellaneous) was amended in July 2008 to further clarify the details of the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program. Early Action Programs funded by the Ministry of the Environment have already been directing grants to landowners within close proximity to municipal wells or surface water intakes to undertake projects to reduce existing potential contamination sources, along with communications and outreach efforts to persons and businesses in these areas. The program currently has funding through 2011 to provide grants to undertake early actions close to municipal drinking water systems, in advance of approved source protection plans. The Lake Erie Region Source Protection Committee will continue to request that the province funds the program beyond 2011 in order to provide financial assistance to property owners affected by new policies and risk reduction strategies that may result from approved source protection plans." (p. 6)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_longpoint/TOR_Longpoint.pdf">http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_longpoint/TOR_Longpoint.pdf</a></p>
	<p>Catfish Creek</p>		<p><a href="http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_catfish/TOR_catfish.pdf">http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_catfish/TOR_catfish.pdf</a></p>
	<p>Kettle Creek</p>	<p>"In developing the Source Protection Plan, the Lake Erie Region Source Protection Committee intends to propose policies that are environmentally protective, effective, economical, and fair to local communities." (p. 6)</p> <p>"Task: Policy development to address drinking water threats (where required and/or permissible in Act/Regs). Comment: To assist with local choices, prepare Regionwide discussion papers analyzing various policy approaches to reduce and prevent risk, including assessment of financial impacts. Task scope will be refined when more information and direction are available. (CA staff resource costs are included in 'Coordinating and supporting projects'.)" (p. A-11)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_kettle/TOR_kettle.pdf">http://www.sourcewater.ca/swp_watersheds_kettle/TOR_kettle.pdf</a></p>

<p>Lakehead <b>Proposed ToR</b></p>		<p>"The "Clean Water Act, 2006" clearly states that no compensation will be paid to affected property owners. A financial assistance program called the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program was legislated in June 2008 with the intent of providing some financial assistance to landowners meeting the criteria outlined in the Regulation. The Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program currently has guaranteed funding until 2011 to provide grants to undertake "Early Actions" close to Municipal residential drinking water systems in advance of Source Protection Plans. The "Clean Water Act" however, states that the intention of the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program is to also provide financial assistance to persons whose activities or properties are affected by the "Clean Water Act". The Lakehead Source Protection Area has and will continue to pressure the Province to continue to fund the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program beyond 2011, in order to provide necessary financial assistance to property owners affected by new policies and risk reduction strategies that may result from approved Source Protection Plans.</p> <p>The overall objective of the Lakehead Source Protection Committee, in partnership with local Municipalities and the Ontario government, is to protect the quality and quantity of present and future sources of municipal residential drinking water in the Lakehead Source Protection Area. The Lakehead Source Protection Committee will continue to work and consult with stakeholders and participants to gather technical knowledge on which well-informed, consensus-based decisions can be made in an open and consultative manner. The Lakehead Source Protection Committee will aim to propose policies in the Lakehead Source Protection Plan that are appropriate, effective, economical and fair for local Municipalities and will make use of the available science to assess municipal residential drinking water threats and issues. Where there is uncertainty, the Lakehead Source Protection Committee will be mindful of the precautionary approach." (p. 2-3)</p> <p>- no section relating to this topic</p>	<p><a href="http://www.sourceprotection.net/images/tor_proposed_doc.pdf">http://www.sourceprotection.net/images/tor_proposed_doc.pdf</a></p>
<p>Mattagami <b>Proposed ToR</b></p> <p>Mississippi Rideau <b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Mississippi Valley</p>	<p>"Implementation costs cannot be estimated until it is determined how many local drinking water risks there are and what types of policies will be used to address them (policy development is not scheduled to begin until 2010). The Mississippi-Rideau Source Protection Region</p>	<p><a href="http://www.msourcewater.ca/tor/pdf/TOR-MVSPA-ProposedForPublic.pdf">http://www.msourcewater.ca/tor/pdf/TOR-MVSPA-ProposedForPublic.pdf</a></p>

	<p>has repeatedly told MOE that municipalities are very concerned about potential implementation costs they may incur and our region will continue to raise this issue at the provincial level on behalf of our local municipalities." (p 11)</p> <p>"While the Clean Water Act does not allow compensation to be paid to affected property owners, it has entrenched in law a financial assistance program called the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program. This program currently has funding until 2011 to provide grants to undertake early actions close to municipal drinking water systems in advance of approved source protection plans. The Act however, states that the intention of this program is also to provide financial assistance to persons whose activities or properties are affected by the Act. The Mississippi-Rideau Source Protection Committee has been and will continue to pressure the province to fund this program beyond 2011 in order to provide necessary financial assistance to property owners affected by new policies and risk reduction strategies that may result from approved source protection plans." (p 13-14)</p> <p>- no section related to this topic</p>	<p><a href="http://www.mresourcewater.ca/tor/pdf/TOR-RVSPA-ProposedForPublic.pdf">http://www.mresourcewater.ca/tor/pdf/TOR-RVSPA-ProposedForPublic.pdf</a></p>	
<p>Rideau Valley</p>		<p><a href="http://www.sourceprotection-niagara.ca/pdf/Proposed_TOR_2008_07_22.pdf">http://www.sourceprotection-niagara.ca/pdf/Proposed_TOR_2008_07_22.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.nbmc.on.ca/site/docs/For%20Posting%20-%20Proposed%20ToR%20for%20NB-M%20SP%20Area%20_10%20Ju.pdf">http://www.nbmc.on.ca/site/docs/For%20Posting%20-%20Proposed%20ToR%20for%20NB-M%20SP%20Area%20_10%20Ju.pdf</a></p>	
<p>Niagara Proposed ToR North Bay Mattawa Proposed ToR</p>		<p>"Once assessment reports are complete and risks to drinking water have been identified, it is intended that source protection focus on the development of the source protection plan. The source protection plan will set out locally based risk management measures to reduce or eliminate significant risks to drinking water supplies, and set out a strategy to implement these measures. This could take up to three years to complete. In developing policies to manage risks, consideration will be given to environmental, social and economic implications. The Committee will also consider the potential for financial instruments to complement the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program." (p. 4-5)</p>	
<p>Quinte Proposed ToR</p>	<p>Moira River Napanee Region Prince Edward Region</p>	<p>"The source protection committee will consider the local science and conditions, as well as economic impact when recommending components of a source protection plan." (p 6)</p> <p>"The Quinte Source Protection Committee will work with the adjacent SPCs (and others across Ontario) to share draft source protection plan policies. SPCs will need to work together to assess the costs and benefits of various policy alternatives for addressing a risk. Sharing draft policies will help to collectively save time and effort and</p>	<p><a href="http://quintesourcewater.ca/site/images/stories/pdfs/proposed_terms_of_reference_version_1_aug_2008.pdf">http://quintesourcewater.ca/site/images/stories/pdfs/proposed_terms_of_reference_version_1_aug_2008.pdf</a></p> <p>- terms of reference for the three source protection areas all included in one document</p>

<p>Raisin South Nation</p> <p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Raisin Region South Nation</p>	<p>will likely result in clearer and more effective source protection plans. It will also assist municipalities that fall into two or more source protection areas by contributing to common policy approaches for risks that occur in more than one area." (p 19)</p> <p>"Risk Factors: 4) Municipalities have already expressed concerns over the implementation costs once the plans are accepted. This may affect the level of municipal participation in the process. Solution: The government needs to be clear on how implementation will be carried out and to what level they are prepared to fund the associated costs." (p 33)</p>	
		<p>"The Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee is committed to the development of fair and responsible source protection plans. Protection of drinking water as a common resource will be premised upon the following principles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Policy development based on the best available science</li> <li>• Provision of opportunities for public input and consideration of public concerns</li> <li>• Provision of direct and timely contact with affected property owners</li> <li>• Consideration of economic impacts (i.e. cost-benefit analysis) prior to implementation</li> <li>• Advocating sustainable funding for affected property owners and municipalities to implement measures for water quality and/or quantity protection</li> <li>• Fair and reasonable decisions made through an open and transparent process" (p. 2)</li> </ul> <p>"The Source Protection Committee has established an Ad Hoc Working Group specifically to debate and develop a proposed compensation policy for loss of land use to property owners resulting from source protection initiatives. The Ad Hoc Working Group will bring forward a report(s) to the Source Protection Committee for their consideration in the development of Source Protection Plans." (p. 13)</p> <p>"Establish evaluation criteria for selecting policies: Establishing evaluation criteria to assist with objectively deciding how policies will be considered in a transparent manner. Criteria may consider elements such as the natural, social, and economic environments, including health, cost-benefit considerations, and conformance with existing official plans." Cost estimate: \$10,000 for Raisin Region and \$10,000 for South Nation. (Appendix B, p. 25, 26)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.yourdrinkingwater.ca/080821ToRVer3Complete.pdf">http://www.yourdrinkingwater.ca/080821ToRVer3Complete.pdf</a></p> <p>- terms of reference for both source protection areas included in one document</p>

		<p>(Appendix B)</p> <p>"Policy development to address requirements for implementation protection plans: Funding programs for implementing land use policies on private land will be identified and included in the source protection plans. Compensation for land use restrictions will be a specific mechanism researched by the SPC." Cost estimate: \$6,666 for Raisin Region and \$13,333 for South Nation. (Appendix B, p. 25, 26)</p>	
<p>Sageen Grey Sauble Northern Bruce Peninsula</p> <p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Sageen Valley Grey Sauble</p> <p>Northern Bruce Peninsula</p>	<p>"In the development of policies for the Source Protection Plan, the Source Protection Committee will consider the impacts and implications for both the activities that may be affected and the protection of drinking water sources. Recommendations may be made with regard to the establishment of incentive programs, cost-share programs or other financial instruments that may assist property owners in their compliance with the requirements of Source Protection Plan policies. Recommendations may also be made for fair compensation to property owners who may be negatively impacted by constraints on usage or activities required for compliance with Source Protection Plan policies." (p. 2, Summary Document)</p>	<p><a href="http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Sageen_Valley_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf">http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Sageen_Valley_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Grey_Sauble_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf">http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Grey_Sauble_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf</a></p>
			<p><a href="http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Northern_Bruce_Peninsula_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf">http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Northern_Bruce_Peninsula_SPA_Aug_15_08.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Summary_Document_Aug_15_08.pdf">http://www.waterprotection.ca/plan/ToR_Proposed-Summary_Document_Aug_15_08.pdf</a></p> <p>- summary document for all three terms of reference</p>

<p>Sault Ste. Marie</p>	<p>"Policy development to address drinking water threats (where required and/or permissible in the Act and source protection plan regulation). Detailed requirements and guidance will be provided in the Source Protection Plan regulation and guidance document when they are developed. Recommendations for cost-share programs, incentive programs or other financial instruments that may assist property owners in their compliance with the requirements of Source Protection Plan policies. Recommendations for fair compensation to property owners who may be negatively impacted by constraints on usage or activities required for compliance with Source Protection Plan policies." (Appendix B-3, B-5, B-11, Summary Document; Appendix-3, Proposed Terms of Reference Documents)</p> <p>"Establishing evaluation criteria to assist with objectively deciding how policies will be considered in a transparent manner. Criteria may consider elements such as the natural, social, and economic environments, including health, cost-benefit considerations, and conformance with existing official plans." (Appendix B-11, Summary Document)</p> <p>"Policy development to address funding requirements for implementation of source protection plans. Funding programs for implementing land use policies on private land will be identified and included in the source protection plans. Compensation for land use restrictions will be a specific mechanism researched by the SPC." (Appendix B-11, Summary Document)</p> <p>"The Source Protection Committee will exercise its local decision-making powers, while at the same time adhering to applicable legislation, regulations, Director's rules, and guidance currently in effect or as these materials are developed. In the development of policies for the Source Protection Plan, the Source Protection Committee will consider the impacts and implications for both the activities that may be affected and the protection of drinking water sources. Recommendations may be made with regard to the establishment of incentive programs, cost-share programs or other financial instruments that may assist property owners in their compliance with the requirements of Source Protection Plan policies. Recommendations may also be made for fair compensation to property owners who may be negatively impacted by constraints on usage or activities required for compliance with Source Protection Plan policies." (Appendix B-11, Proposed Terms of Reference Documents)</p> <p><i>No section related to this topic</i></p>
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<p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p><a href="http://www.ssmrca.ca/UserFiles/File/PDFs/SPC/Proposed%20Terms%20of%20ReferenceGUIDE%20final%20Aug19.pdf">Proposed%20Terms%20of%20Reference Aug19 final(1).pdf (ToR Document)</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.ssmrca.ca/UserFiles/File/PDFs/SPC/Proposed%20Terms%20of%20ReferenceGUIDE%20final%20Aug19.pdf">http://www.ssmrca.ca/UserFiles/File/PDFs/SPC/Proposed%20Terms%20of%20ReferenceGUIDE final Aug19.pdf (ToR Guide)</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.ourwatershed.ca/tor.php">http://www.ourwatershed.ca/tor.php</a></p>
<p>South Georgian Bay Lake Simcoe</p>	<p>"It is the objective of the Source Protection Committee to develop Source Protection Plans that include policies and strategies to protect our drinking water by preventing, reducing or eliminating significant threats to those water resources. Through development of the Source Protection Plans, the role of the Committee is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure that public concerns are heard and taken into consideration;</li> <li>• Consult with impacted landowners;</li> <li>• Establish policies based on the best available science;</li> <li>• Consider all economic impacts; and</li> <li>• Make decisions that are fair and reasonable through an open and transparent process." (p 1)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Lake Simcoe and Couchiching – Black River</p> <p>Nottawasaga Valley</p>
<p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>Severn Sound</p> <p>Task: "Undertaking an impact assessment to evaluate the social, economic and environmental impacts of proposed policies and risk reduction strategies. This assessment would likely be undertaken by a consultant and working group to evaluate a range of policy options for consideration as well as aid in the selection process of the most appropriate and feasible strategy." Cost: \$150,000 for Lake Simcoe Region, \$100,000 for Nottawasaga, \$75,000 for Severn Sound. (p. 11, 30 for Lake Simcoe, p. 11, 35 for Nottawasaga, p. 10, 26 for Severn Sound)</p> <p>- no section relating to this topic</p>
<p>Sudbury</p>	<p><a href="http://www.nickeldistrict.ca/SWP%20Web/English/NewsEvents/Downloads/ProposedTORbackgrounder_Aug_13_2008_web.pdf">http://www.nickeldistrict.ca/SWP%20Web/English/NewsEvents/Downloads/ProposedTORbackgrounder_Aug_13_2008_web.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixC_TOR_LTVCA_SPA.pdf">http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixC_TOR_LTVCA_SPA.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixD_TOR_SSCRCA_SPA.pdf">http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixD_TOR_SSCRCA_SPA.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixE_TOR_UTRCA_SPA.pdf">http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/AppendixE_TOR_UTRCA_SPA.pdf</a></p>
<p><b>Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p>The guiding principles of this committee are that they value the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fair and reasonable solutions</li> <li>• Consensus within our diverse area group</li> <li>• Clarity of information</li> <li>• Open communication</li> <li>• Respecting diversity of opinion</li> </ul> <p>In keeping with their mission statement and guiding principles, the SPC in developing policies for the Source Protection Plan will have regard for the financial impact on those affected. Both existing and</p>
<p>Thames Sydenham &amp; Region</p>	<p>Lower Thames</p> <p>St. Clair Region</p> <p>Upper Thames</p>
<p><b>Draft Proposed ToR</b></p>	<p><a href="http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/1-3Terms%20of%20Reference%20Guide.pdf">http://www.sourcewaterprotection.on.ca/pdf/ToFR/1-3Terms of Reference Guide.pdf - Terms of</a></p>

		<p>new programs, opportunities and financial instruments will be considered. These concepts are included in the Source Protection Plan task in the Terms of Reference, called 'Policy development to address drinking water threats' (where required and/or permissible in Act/Regulations) included in the Upper Thames River Source Protection Area tasks." (p. 3, Guide Document)</p>	<p>Reference Guide</p>
<p>Trent Conservation Coalition</p>	<p>Crowe Valley</p>	<p>"The Committee's ultimate role is to develop a Source Protection Plan that establishes policies for preventing, reducing or eliminating threats to sources of drinking water. In developing the plan, the committee members are committed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Basing policies on the best available science, and where there is uncertainty, being mindful of the precautionary approach</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Considering and incorporating voluntarily contributed local and traditional knowledge</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Ensuring that public concerns are heard and taken into consideration</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Consulting with all stakeholders and in particular with impacted landowners/businesses</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Considering all economic impacts</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Making decisions that are fair and reasonable through an open and transparent process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Advocating ongoing provincial funding to provide financial assistance to property/business owners, municipalities, agencies, and others for stewardship and other implementation measures." (p. 0)</li> </ul>	<p><a href="http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-CV%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf">http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-CV%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf</a></p>
<p>Proposed ToR</p>	<p>Kawartha-Haliburton,</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Basing policies on the best available science, and where there is uncertainty, being mindful of the precautionary approach</p>	<p><a href="http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-KH%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf">http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-KH%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf</a></p>
	<p>Lower Trent</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Considering and incorporating voluntarily contributed local and traditional knowledge</p>	<p><a href="http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-LT%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf">http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-LT%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf</a></p>
	<p>Otonabee-Peterborough</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Ensuring that public concerns are heard and taken into consideration</p>	<p><a href="http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-OP%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf">http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-OP%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf</a></p>
	<p>Ganaraska Region</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Consulting with all stakeholders and in particular with impacted landowners/businesses</p>	<p><a href="http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-GR%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf">http://www.trentsourceprotection.on.ca/Proposed%20ToR-GR%20SPA%20-%20July%2017,%202008.pdf</a></p>
	<p>"The Clean Water Act, 2006 establishes the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program. The purpose of the program is to provide financial assistance to those whose activities and properties may be affected by the Clean Water Act, 2006, persons who administer incentive programs and education and outreach programs that are related to source protection plans, and to other persons or bodies in prescribed circumstances that are related to the protection of drinking water sources. The financial assistance is to be provided in accordance with regulations made under the Clean Water Act, 2006." (p. 1)</p> <p><b>"Policy Development to address threats (where required/permissible in Clean Water Act/Regulations)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> develop policies for eliminating, reducing, and managing drinking water quantity and quality threats</li> </ul>		

- the policies must take into account the environmental, social, and economic impacts—policies must be appropriate, affordable and effective in protecting sources of drinking water, now and into the future
- considération must be given to potential sources of funding for implementation—the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program makes provisions for providing financial assistance under the *Clean Water Act, 2006* to those whose activities and properties may be affected by the *Clean Water Act, 2006*
- consultation must take place before putting policies in place with any municipalities, other agencies, landowners that may be impacted by the policies." (p. 24 of Crowe Valley, Kawartha-Haliburton, Lower Trent, Otonabee-Peterborough, p. 14 of Ganaraska)

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