

Notice of Environment Act Proposal

Conservation and Water Stewardship has received a proposal pursuant to *The Environment Act* regarding the following operation and invites public participation in the review process:

RIVERDALE MUNICIPALITY - WATER TREATMENT PLANT UPGRADE – FILE: 5771.00

A proposal has been received from the Manitoba Water Services Board on behalf of Riverdale Municipality for the upgrading of the Rivers water treatment plant. A new plant would be constructed adjacent to the existing plant. Raw water would continue to be obtained from Lake Wahtopanah. The new plant would use ultrafiltration and reverse osmosis treatment, followed by ultraviolet and chlorine disinfection. This would provide treatment capable of meeting current drinking water standards. Reject water from the treatment system would be discharged to the Little Saskatchewan River through an existing pipeline. The plant would have a treated water capacity of 16.8 litres per second, and would reject 7.2 litres per second back to the river. Construction of the upgraded plant is proposed for the fall of 2015, with completion in 2016.

Anyone likely to be affected by the above operation and who wishes to make a representation either for or against the proposal should contact the Department, in writing or by E-mail (bruce.webb@gov.mb.ca), not later than June 29, 2015. Further information is available from the Public Registries located at: Legislative Library, 200 Vaughan St., Winnipeg; Millennium Public Library, 4th Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; Online Registry: <http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/index.html> or by contacting Bruce Webb, Environmental Engineer at 204-945-7021.

Information submitted in response to this proposal is considered public information and will be made available to the proponent and placed on the public registry established in accordance with Section 17 of *The Environment Act*.

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