



# NOTICE OF A HEARING

## Hydro One Networks Inc. has applied for approval to construct a high-voltage transmission line in the City of Ottawa

Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One Networks) has applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for an order granting leave to construct approximately 11 kilometres of new transmission line and associated facilities between Hawthorne Transformer Station and Orléans Transformer Station in the City of Ottawa (Project). The Project would primarily be located within an existing transmission corridor. The Project would consist of approximately ten kilometres of 115 kilovolt single-circuit transmission line and one kilometre of 230 kilovolt transmission line.

Hydro One Networks is also asking the OEB to approve the forms of land use agreements that Hydro One Networks will offer to affected landowners.

Hydro One Networks submits that the transmission line and associated facilities are required to ensure sufficient supply capacity to meet growing electricity needs in the Orléans area driven by long-term development and electrification trends.

Hydro One Networks submits that the Project is not expected to have a material impact on a typical residential customer's bill, nor does the Independent Electricity System Operator expect the Project to have any material adverse impact the reliability of the integrated power system.

**The OEB hearing is not the only approval process required before a line is built.** Environmental issues, or issues related to the Crown's duty to consult Indigenous peoples, are not part of the OEB's review unless there is a direct impact on price and the reliability and quality of electricity service.

You can view the application by visiting [www.oeb.ca/notice](http://www.oeb.ca/notice) and using file number **EB-2026-0018**.

### YOU SHOULD KNOW

#### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING

There are three types of OEB hearings: oral, electronic and written. The applicant has applied for, and the OEB plans to proceed with, a written hearing. If you think a different hearing type is needed, you can write to us to explain why.

During this hearing, we will hear questions and arguments from participants about this case. We will also hear questions and arguments from participants that have registered as intervenors. After the hearing, we will decide whether to approve the application.

#### HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information about this application and to participate in the process. Visit [www.oeb.ca/notice](http://www.oeb.ca/notice) and use file number **EB-2026-0018** to:

- Review the application
- Apply to become an intervenor
- File a letter with your comments

This hearing will be held under section 92 and 97 of the **Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998**.

Ce document est aussi disponible en français.

#### IMPORTANT DATES

You must engage with the OEB on or before **July 13, 2026** to:

- Provide input on the hearing type (oral, electronic or written)
- Apply to be an intervenor

If you do not, the hearing will move forward without you, and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.

#### PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the public record and the OEB website. If you are a business or if you apply to become an intervenor, all the information you file will be on the OEB website.

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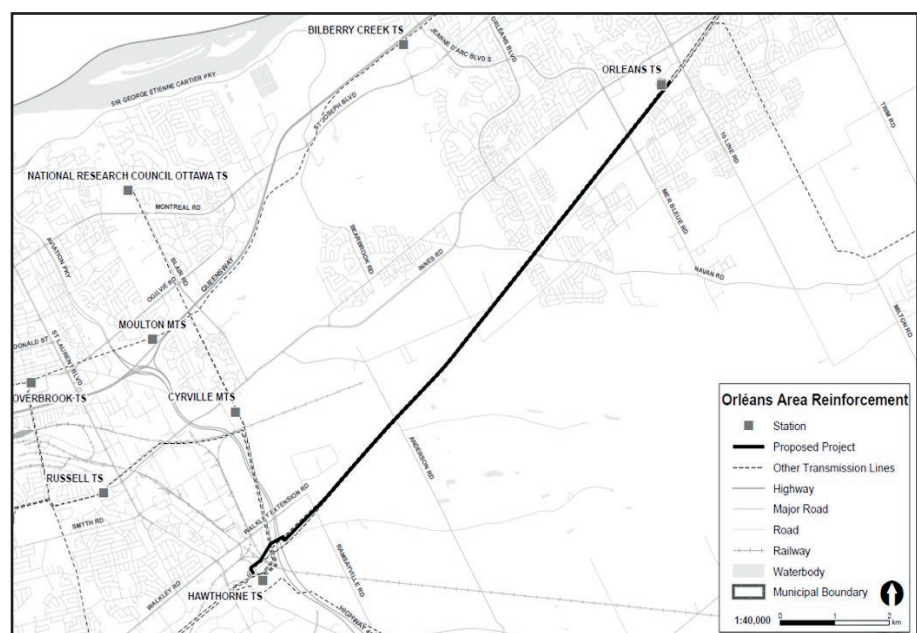
##### Hydro One Networks Inc.

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🌐 [hydroone.com](http://hydroone.com)

A map of the proposed route for the transmission line is provided below:



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