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Dear Resident,

Supply to Essex County Transmission Reinforcement Project

For the past two years, Hydro One has been studying alternatives to reinforce the electricity transmission system supplying Essex County and has identified a preferred alternative which would include an investment in new facilities. We appreciate your interest in this study and the time you have taken to attend one of our public information centres or consultation meetings or to contact a Hydro One representative directly with your questions and comments about this project.

Hydro One has now completed a draft Environmental Study Report (ESR) for the Supply to Essex County Transmission Reinforcement Project. The draft ESR is being made available for public review and comment for a period of 30 days from February 11, 2010 to March 12, 2010. Please refer to the enclosed newspaper advertisement which will be published in local newspapers, the *Windsor Star* and *Le Rempart*. It provides details on where you can review a copy of the draft ESR and how to submit your input.

Additional opportunities for public input will be available when the Ontario Energy Board reviews Hydro One's application seeking approval to construct the first phase of the project. We anticipate filing this application later in 2010.

Sincerely,

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