

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:

MUNICIPALITY OF HARRISON PARK - SANDY LAKE WATER LEVEL CONTROL PROJECT - FILE: 5804.00

An Environment Act Proposal has been filed by G. D. Newton and Associates Inc. on behalf of the Municipality of Harrison Park for a project to regulate high water levels on Sandy Lake. The project involves the construction of a gated box culvert control structure in SW 16-18-20W and the improvement of the upstream portion of a small existing channel along the natural outlet route from Sandy Lake to Beaufort Lake. The outlet route from Beaufort Lake to the Little Saskatchewan River would not be modified. The project would allow water to be discharged from Sandy Lake when lake elevations were less than 0.1 m below the top of the main pier in the community of Sandy Lake. Outflows from Sandy Lake would be regulated so that levels on Beaufort Lake did not exceed the top of the Beaufort Lake outlet culvert in SW 17-18-20W. The Sandy Lake outlet therefore would be closed or limited following heavy precipitation events until downstream local inflow had diminished. Construction and operation of the project is proposed for 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 JANUARY 14, 2016 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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