## **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:

## MANITOBA HYDRO - LAURIE RIVER GENERATING STATION WASTEWATER TREATMENT LAGOON –FILE: 5632.00

A proposal was filed by Manitoba Hydro for the construction and operation of a wastewater treatment lagoon that will service the Laurie River Main Camp and Generating Stations 1 and 2. The wastewater treatment lagoon will be located in Section 27-83-23WPM. An existing rotating biological contactor wastewater treatment plant currently serving the generating stations will be decommissioned once the wastewater treatment lagoon is commissioned. Treated wastewater from the wastewater treatment lagoon may be discharged between June 15<sup>th</sup> and November 1<sup>st</sup> of any year into an existing drainage path that flows into a natural wetland that drains into the Laurie River.

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 (robert.boswick@gov.mb.ca), not later than April 15, 2013. Further information is available from the Public Registries located at: Legislative Library, 200 Vaughan St., Winnipeg;; Millennium Public Library, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; Manitoba Eco-Network, 3rd Floor, 303 Portage Ave., Winnipeg; Lynn Lake Town Office, 503 Sherritt Avenue, Lynne Lake; Online Registry <u>http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/index.html</u> or by contacting Robert Boswick, Environmental Engineer at 204-945-6030.

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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