



# COMMUNICATION UPDATE

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| <b>TO:</b>               | Mayor and Members<br>City Council  |
| <b>DATE:</b>             | July 12, 2022  |
| <b>SUBJECT:</b>          | Chedoke Creek Remediation - HW.22.05 (City Wide)                             |
| <b>WARD(S) AFFECTED:</b> | City Wide  |
| <b>SUBMITTED BY:</b>     | Cari Vanderperk<br>Director, Watershed Management<br>Public Works Department |
| <b>SIGNATURE:</b>        |  |

As previously reported to the General Issues Committee on January 12, 2022 (PW19008(n)), a topographic survey, sediment investigation field work, species at risk investigations, and hydrologic and hydraulic modelling was completed to provide sufficient project detail to assess permitting conditions necessary for conducting the targeted dredging in Chedoke Creek. As of June 2022, all permits referenced in the table below have been received.

| Agency   | Required Permitting                  |
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| Ministry of Environment, Conservation, and Parks | Permit to Take Water                 |
|  | Overall Benefit Permit               |
| Hamilton Conservation Authority                  | Conservation Authority Work Permit   |
| Ministry of Transportation                       | Building and Land Use Permit         |
| Transport Canada                                 | Canadian Navigable Waters Act Permit |
| Fisheries and Oceans Canada                      | Species at Risk Act Permit           |
| Royal Botanical Gardens                          | Research Permit                      |

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While awaiting each permit, the project team completed the design and tendering specifications with the corresponding tender posted between April 29, 2022 and June 8, 2022 to the four (4) prequalified contractors on the City's Bids and Tenders website. A post tender evaluation was performed on the lowest bid to ensure that all conditions addressed the requirements of the targeted dredging construction project. Subsequently the tender was awarded on July 8, 2022 to Milestone Environmental Contracting Inc. with a corresponding bid price of \$5,919,992.00.

Construction mobilization is expected to begin shortly, and the project is anticipated to take four (4) to five (5) months to complete which is within the December 31, 2022 deadline specified in the Director's Order issued to the City by the Ministry of Environment, Conservation, and Parks.

For regular updates on project progress please reference the story map on the Chedoke Creek Remediation website at [www.hamilton.ca/chedokecreekremediation](http://www.hamilton.ca/chedokecreekremediation).

**APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED**

Not Applicable.