

Notice of Amendments to the Assessment Report and Source Protection Plan under Section 36 of the *Clean Water Act, 2006*

The Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks approved amendments to the Sudbury Source Protection Plan and Assessment Report under Section 36 of the *Clean Water Act, 2006* with an effective date of March 16, 2021. A [notice](#) advising the public of the approval is posted on the Environmental Registry of Ontario (ERO# 019-3275).

The review conducted by the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks concluded that the updates were completed in accordance with the legislative and regulatory requirements set out in the Minister's order, *Clean Water Act, 2006, Ontario Regulation 287/07* and the Director's Technical Rules.

Section 36 of the *Clean Water Act, 2006* ensures that source protection plans and assessment reports are reviewed periodically to incorporate new science, changes to drinking water systems, and to address any implementation gaps.

The following provides a summary of updates incorporated into the Source Protection Plan and Assessment Report:

- Risk assessments for the above-grade handling and storage of fuel
- Risk assessments for the establishment and operation of liquid hydrocarbon pipelines
- Mapping updates to significant groundwater recharge areas
- Sampling frequencies for the monitoring of sodium and phosphorus levels in Ramsey Lake
- Minor updates to education and outreach policies for the handling and storage of road salt and for reducing stormwater runoff
- Minor administrative amendments to correct date references, names and editorial typos