## AMHERST ISLAND WIND ENERGY PROJECT COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE MEETING #1

On August 24, 2015, the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change granted a Renewable Energy Approval (REA) for the Amherst Island Wind Energy Project (the Project), a 26 wind turbine, 56-75 megawatt (MW) wind project within Loyalist Township in the County of Lennox and Addington in eastern Ontario. On August 3, 2016 the Environmental Review Tribunal dismissed an appeal of the REA and the Project is proceeding to construction.

The REA requires that a Community Liaison Committee (CLC) be established for the Project. A notice was published in November, 2015 to invite residents living within 1 km of the Project and other interested parties to apply to be CLC members by December 3, 2015.

The CLC has now been established and the first of at least four meetings to be held over the next two years has been planned as follows:

## CLC MEETING #1

Date: December 7, 2016 Time: 7-9pm Location: Amherst Island Public School, 5955 Front Rd, Stella, Ontario

The goals of the first CLC meeting are to introduce CLC members, provide a project update, review and discuss the draft Terms of Reference and establish functional guidelines for the CLC. The meeting will be open to the public for observation.

In general, the CLC meetings will provide a venue to provide project updates, discuss issues and hear concerns and interests of the community, as provided by CLC members.

For further information, please visit our website at http://amherstislandwindproject.com/, or contact:

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