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As we move towards selecting a preferred route for the Longwood to Lakeshore Project, we wanted to take an opportunity to provide an update on work underway and explain what happens once the preferred route is announced.

As a reminder, the Project includes two new single-circuit 500kV transmission lines between the Longwood Transmission Station (TS) in Strathroy-Caradoc and the Lakeshore TS in Lakeshore and you can find more information on the project website: <a href="https://doi.org/10.2016/journal.com/Longwood-to-Lakeshore">https://doi.org/10.2016/journal.com/Longwood-to-Lakeshore</a>.

## Preferred route announcement and what's next

The preferred route will be announced **in early May.** We will be reaching out to all property owners along the selected route as soon as we have information to share. Each owner will have a dedicated real estate representative that will work closely with them throughout the process.

We will be hosting a virtual open house in May and in-person open houses in June to discuss the route evaluation results. Dates, locations and more info will be provided via email in the coming weeks.

## **Engagement and field studies are continuing**

Last November, we hosted our third round of community open houses. Thank you to everyone who attended and shared your comments. Since then, we have visited with more property owners and continued to deepen our understanding of features found across the project area.

As the weather turns to spring, Hydro One

is continuing investigations, including aerial and roadside surveys. Collecting data during each season allows us to identify unique landscape characteristics that may need to be addressed in the design of the transmission lines.

No access to private property is required during this phase of work.



## Stay in touch

We look forward to continuing to work with you on this important project. If you have any questions or would like to share any comments, connect with us at 1.877.345.6799 or <a href="mailto:Community.Relations@HydroOne.com">Community.Relations@HydroOne.com</a>.

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