

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
REGARDING DEVELOPMENT CHARGES**

Take notice that on Monday, August 27, 2012, the Council of The Corporation of the Town of The Blue Mountains will hold a public meeting pursuant to *The Development Charges Act, 1997*, regarding a proposed amendment to Development Charges By-Law No. 2010-18. **The proposed amendment will solely apply to the provision of sanitary sewer services in Craigeith, Castle Glen, and Osler, and to water services in Osler. All other charges and policies contained in By-law No. 2010-18 will remain unchanged.**

Development charges are levied against new development, and are a primary source of funding for growth-related capital expenditures. It is proposed that enactment of a development charges amendment by-law by Council would occur on a date subsequent to the public meeting.

Council is required under *The Development Charges Act, 1997*, to hold at least one public meeting to allow the public the opportunity to review and provide comments on the 2012 Development Charges Amendment Study, related staff reports and the proposed development charges amendment by-law.

All interested parties are invited to attend the public meeting:

Date:	Monday, August 27, 2012
Time:	7:00 PM
Location:	Town Hall, Council Chambers 32 Mill Street, Thornbury, ON

Any person may attend the public meeting and make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the by-law. Written submissions are invited and should be directed to the Town Clerk no later than 12:00 pm (noon) on Wednesday, August 22, 2012. Written comments received and submissions made at the public meeting will be considered by Council prior to the enactment of a new development charges amendment by-law.

Copies of the 2012 Development Charges Amendment Study and the proposed development charges amendment by-law will be available through the Town's website, www.thebluemountains.ca on August 1, 2012.

Inquiries should be directed to Darcy Chapman, Capital Accountant, (519) 599-3131 ext. 274 or dchapman@thebluemountains.ca

Dated August 1, 2012

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