

# Appendix A

## Public Stakeholders List

Stakeholder Mailing List for First Public Meeting - August 2010

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Toronto, ON M4V 1L5

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Township of Armour  
56 Ontario Street, P.O.Box 533  
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Ministry of the Environment  
Sudbury District Office, Suite 1201, 199 Larch St.  
Sudbury, ON P3E 5P9

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South East Parry Sound District Board  
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Emsdale, ON P0A 1J0

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Burk's Falls, ON P0A 1C0

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Box6/7  
Burk's Falls, ON P0A 1C0

Alice Allen; Bill Allen  
Box 85, 9 First Ave  
Burk's Falls, ON P0A 1C0

Doug Blackmore  
RR 1  
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Cliff Stickland  
3191 Cemetery Road, RR 1  
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173 Highway 520  
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Jerri Reclair  
173 Highway 520  
Ryerson, ON P0A 1C0

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Mr. & Mrs. Hall  
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Glenn Miller  
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Mr. & Mrs. Shaw  
211 Chetwynd Road  
Burk's Falls, ON P0A 1C0

Linda Maurer  
RR 2  
Burk's Falls, ON P0A 1C0

Sandy MacLellan  
13 Main Street West, Apt 3  
Huntsville, ON P1H 2C5



# Appendix B

## Notices and Letters

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August 12, 2010

Address

Dear XX:

**Subject: Notice of a Proposal and Notice of Public Meeting: Northland Power: Burk's Falls East Solar Project**

Northland Power is proposing to construct a solar project in the Township of Armour, just southeast of the community of Burk's Falls. The proposed project is named the Burk's Falls East Solar Project (the "Project") and will have an installed nominal capacity of 10 MW. This Project requires a Renewable Energy Approval (REA) issued in accordance with the provisions of the Ontario *Environmental Protection Act* Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09. Northland Power has retained Hatch to assist in fulfilling the requirements of the REA process.

Northland Power is undertaking a public consultation program in support of the Project and we would like to invite you to the upcoming Public Consultation Meeting. Please find attached a "Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and Notice of Public Meeting", which details the time and date of the planned meeting. This joint Notice will also be published in the *Almaguin News* on August 12, 2010 and August 19, 2010. The Public Consultation Meeting will provide the public with an opportunity to learn more about our Project proposal and about Northland Power.

In accordance with Section 16 (3) of Ontario Reg. 359/09, a draft "Project Description Report" and associated information pertaining to this Project and about Northland Power can be found online at: [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast). We would appreciate any comments, queries or information you may have that are relevant to the proposed Project.

Please direct any correspondence(s) to:

Sean Male, M.Sc., REA Coordinator  
Hatch Ltd.  
4342 Queen St., Suite 500  
Niagara Falls, ON, L2E 7J7  
Phone: 905-374-0701, Ext 5280 Fax: 905-374-1157  
Email: [smale@hatch.ca](mailto:smale@hatch.ca)

Yours truly,



Sean Male, M.Sc.  
REA Coordinator

SM:srg

Attachment: Notice of a Proposal/Notice of Public Meeting: Burk's Falls East

cc: Mike Lord, Northland Power  
Tom Hockin, Northland Power

# NOTICE OF A PROPOSAL

By Northland Power to Engage in Two  
Renewable Energy Projects

## AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

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**Project Applicant:** Northland Power Solar Burk's Falls East L.P.

**Project Location:** The Project is located on Chetwynd Road, approximately 4 km southeast of Burk's Falls.

**Dated at the Township of Armour this the 12th of August, 2010**

**Project Name:** Burk's Falls West Solar Project

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**Project Location:** The Project is located on Highway 520, approximately 3 km west of Burk's Falls.

**Dated at the Township of Ryerson this the 12th of August, 2010**

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This Public Meeting is being held to provide information on the proposed Projects.

**Meeting Location:**

**Date:** Saturday September 18, 2010

**Time:** 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

**Place:** Armour, Ryerson and Burk's Falls Memorial  
Arena/Community Centre  
220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, On

**Project Description:**

Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the facilities, in respect of which these Projects are to be engaged in, are Class 3 Solar Facilities. If approved, these facilities would each have a total maximum name plate capacity of 10 MW. The Project locations are shown in the maps below.

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**Project Contact and Information:**

To learn more about the project proposals, public meetings or to communicate concerns, please contact:

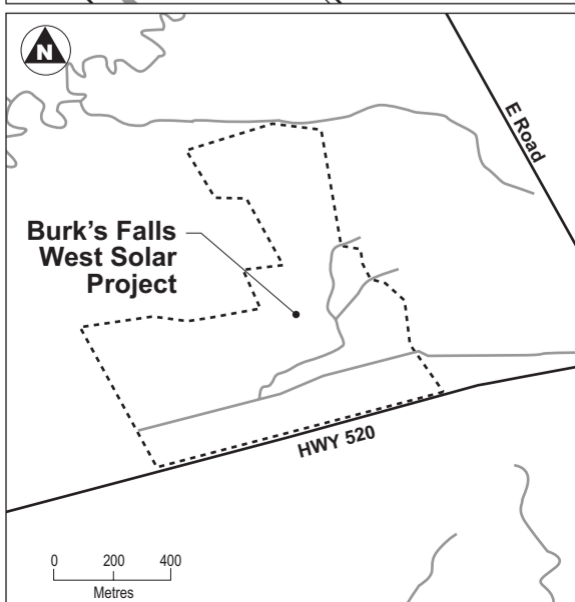
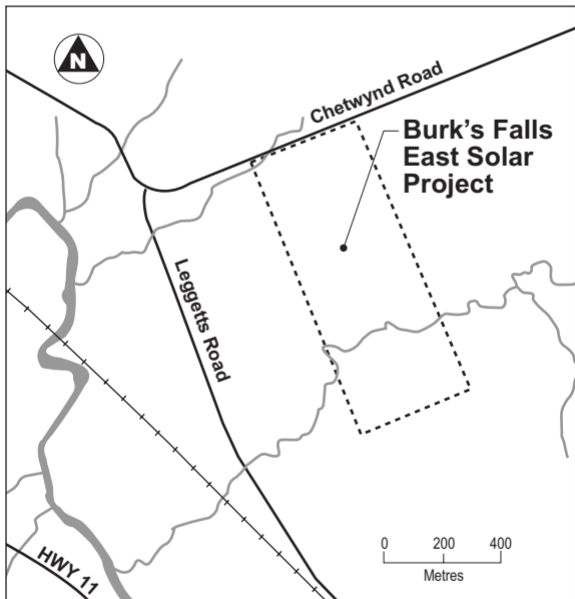
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## Municipality of Magnetawan

### Official Plan Workshop #1

Meridian Planning consultants will be hosting a workshop on waterfront development for the public on:

## Thursday, August 26

at 6:00 p.m.  
in the Magnetawan Community Centre

Participants will be asked to contribute to the discussion of planning issues in waterfront areas of the shoreline and development of goals and objectives for future development in these areas.

For further information please contact: Mark Urbanski, CAO/ Clerk of Magnetawan, [cao@magnetawan.com](mailto:cao@magnetawan.com) or Jim Dymont, Meridian Planning Consultants ([jim@meridianplan.ca](mailto:jim@meridianplan.ca)).

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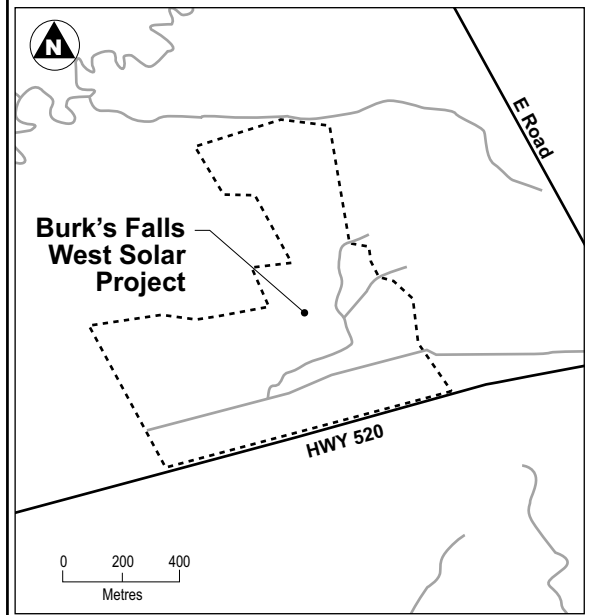
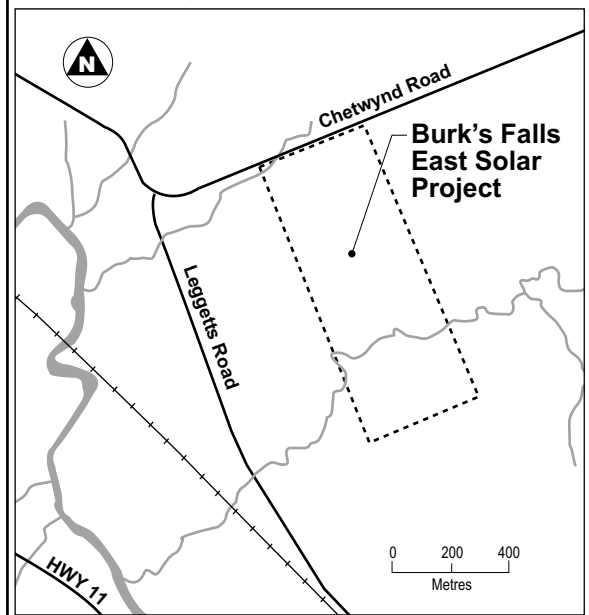
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## ERRORS AND OMISSIONS

If your classified ad appears today for the first time, please check carefully to see that it is correct in every detail. Notice of an error in your ad must be given to the classified department in time for the second insertion. We will not be held responsible for more than one incorrect insertion. Thank you.



## VILLAGE OF SUNDRIDGE

Council will consider adopting the

# 2010 BUDGET

at the regular council meeting on

## Tuesday, August 24, 2010

Meeting will be held in the Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m.



## Village of South River

### Temporary Road Closure

**Broadway Avenue will be CLOSED**  
**Tuesday, August 17, 2010 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**  
to replace a culvert.

Broadway Avenue will be closed 100 metres south of Ena Avenue. Access to the Village of South River will be closed from Broadway Avenue south to Sand Hill Road during this time period.

*We apologize for any inconvenience.*

Phone 705-386-2573  
[info@southriverontario.com](mailto:info@southriverontario.com)  
[www.southriverontario.com](http://www.southriverontario.com)



### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS AND VISITORS TO THE VILLAGE OF SUNDRIDGE

**Saturday, August 14, 2010**

In order to accommodate the many visitors and residents attending the

## Sundridge Sunflower Festival

Main Street will be closed from the east side of Paget to the west side of Yonge Street from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

In addition Main Street will be closed from the east side of Paget Street to the west side of James Street from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

The Sundridge Lions Park and Boat Launch will remain open to the public to come down to the Waterfront to enjoy the many activities offered.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Staff and Council  
of the Corporation of the Village of Sundridge

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### ACCESSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 2010 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Municipal staff would like to provide quality service to all eligible voters. You are therefore asked to contact your municipal office by August 30, 2010, if you or someone you know requires assistance with placing their vote in the 2010 election.

The following voting method(s) have been selected by the following municipalities:

Township of Armour	Vote By Mail
Village of Burk's Falls	Traditional Ballot
Township of Joly	Vote By Mail
Town of Kearney	Traditional Ballot
Township of Machar	Vote By Mail
Municipality of Magnetawan	Vote By Mail
Township of McMurrich/Monteith	Vote By Mail
Township of Perry	Vote By Mail
Township of Ryerson	Vote By Mail
Village of South River	Traditional Ballot
Township of Strong	Traditional Ballot
Village of Sundridge	Traditional Ballot
Municipality of Whitestone	Vote By Mail

All eligible voters are encouraged to exercise their right to vote.



For the safety of the participants of The RBC Sundridge Triathlon

### There will be temporary Municipal Approved Road Closures

For Sunday, August 15, 2010

**7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**  
Lake side lane of Main Street from Mill Street to Union Street will be closed to traffic and parking. Vehicular Access to the Sundridge Lions Park and Boat Launch is closed.

**7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**  
East bound lane of Forest Lake Road, from Union Street to Lakeshore Drive and the south bound lane of Lakeshore Drive to Cottrell's Pit.

**12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**  
Total Road Closure on Main Street of Sundridge, (Paget Street to Union Street) and Forest Lake Road, (Union Street to Lakeshore Drive) and Lakeshore Drive to Cottrell's Pit.

Thank you for your co-operation and we apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause. Please find an alternate route for these hours.

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Applications are now available for the following affordable units currently under construction in the District of Parry Sound:

- Seguin Place Inc., R.R. #2, Parry Sound (Humphrey)**  
-For seniors (65 or older)
- 92 James Street, Parry Sound (Distler Construction)**  
- For seniors or those with a disability
- West Estates, Trout Creek**  
- For seniors

For more information, please call 774-9600 or 1-877-767-6060, ext 274.  
Applications may be picked up at Parry Sound DSSAB, 1 Beechwood Drive, Parry Sound.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### TOWNSHIP OF STRONG

**Take Notice** that the Council of the Township of Strong proposes to consider a by-law to stop up, close and sell to adjoining land owners that portion of the Original Shore Road Allowance and Road Allowance fronting their property more particularly described as follows:

- Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance Part 1 and 3 of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 16, Concession 3, Part 2 and 4, Part of Lot 16, Concession 3, PCL 140449PSSS (all of), Part 5, Part of the Road Allowance between Concessions 2 and 3 in front of Lot 16, Concession 3, Part 6, Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of the original shore road allowance between Concessions 2 and 3 in the Township of Strong, District of Parry Sound, on a Plan of Survey deposited in the office of Land Titles at Parry Sound as Plan 42R15383.

A copy of the plans deposited in the Office of Land Titles may be inspected in the Clerk's office during regular business hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before enacting the proposed by-law at its meeting to be held at the Township of Strong office at 6:30 p.m. on August 24, 2010 the Council of the Township of Strong shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or Agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE TOWNSHIP OF STRONG THIS 21st day of July, 2010.

Linda Maurer – Clerk-Treasurer  
TOWNSHIP OF STRONG  
P.O. BOX 1120 – 1713 Hwy. 11  
Sundridge, ON POA 1Z0  
705-384-5819 – Fax 705-384-5892  
E-mail – [strong@onlink.net](mailto:strong@onlink.net)



## The Corporation of the Town of Kearney

### PUBLIC NOTICE

RE: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 22, Concession 9, Geographic Township of Proudfoot, now in the Town of Kearney, District of Parry Sound (Barron)

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Kearney proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and sell the following road allowance:

Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 22, Concession 9, Geographic Township of Proudfoot, now in the Town of Kearney, District of Parry Sound, and being described as Part 1, Plan 42R-19122

**AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT** the proposed by-law will come before Council of the Town of Kearney at its regular meeting in the Council Chambers at 8 Main Street, Kearney, Ontario on Wednesday, the 8th day of September, 2010 at the hour of 1:00 p.m., and at that time Council will hear anyone in person, or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent, who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected by the by-law, and who applies to be heard.

A copy of Plan 42R-19122 is available for inspection at the municipal office.

DATED at the Town of Kearney, this the 5th day of August, 2010.

Yvonne Aubichon  
Clerk Administrator  
Town of Kearney  
8 Main Street  
Kearney, Ontario  
POA 1M0

## This Week's Crossword Answers

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## Notice is hereby given to the Municipal Electors of the TOWNSHIP OF EAST FERRIS NOMINATIONS

Nominations will be received for the offices of:  
**MAYOR (1)**  
**COUNCILLORS (4)**  
**TRUSTEES FRENCH LANGUAGE (1)**  
**SEPARATE DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD  
(CONSEIL SCOLAIRE CATHOLIQUE FRANCO-NORD)**

representing Nipissing Combined School Boards, McMurrich/Monteith, Perry, Kearney, Armour, Burks Falls, Magnetawan, Strong, Machar, South River, Powassan, Callander, Nipissing, East Parry Sound Board of Education, Papineau, Mattawan, Mattawa, Calvin, Bonfield, Chisholm and East Ferris may be made by completing and filing in the office of the Clerk, nominations in the prescribed form, and accompanied by the prescribed nomination filing fee of \$200.00 for Head of Council and \$100.00 for all other offices. The filing fee is payable by cash, certified cheque or money order.

A nomination must be signed by the candidate and may be filed in person or by an agent during regular business hours between January 4, 2010 and September 9, 2010 and between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on September 10, 2010 (Nomination Day). (To raise campaign funds or incur expenses, a nomination form must be completed and filed with the Township.)

In the event of an insufficient number of certified candidates to fill all available positions, nominations will be reopened for the vacant positions only on Wednesday, September 15, 2010 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. and such additional nominations, if required, may be filed in the office of the Clerk.

Electors are hereby given notice that if a greater number of candidates are certified than are required to fill the said offices, the voting places will be opened on the dates stated below for the purpose of voting.

**ADVANCE VOTE**

Saturday, October 2, 2010  
(10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)  
Corbeil Park Hall, 390 Highway 94, in Corbeil, Ontario  
&  
Wednesday, October 6, 2010  
(10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)  
Corbeil Park Hall, 390 Highway 94, in Corbeil, Ontario

**VOTING DAY**

Monday, October 25, 2010  
(10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)  
École St-Thomas d'Aquin (School), 1392 Village Road, in Astorville, Ontario  
&  
Monday, October 25, 2010  
(10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)  
Corbeil Park Hall, 390 Highway 94, in Corbeil, Ontario  
&  
Monday, October 25, 2010  
(10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)  
Corbeil Four Seasons Club, 1482 Corbeil Road, in Corbeil, Ontario  
&  
Monday, October 25, 2010  
(12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.)  
Nipissing Manor - Residents only

*Dated this 16th day of August, 2010*

**John B. Fior**  
CAO/Clerk



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**Project Location:** The Project is located on Highway 520, approximately 3 km west of Burk's Falls.  
**Dated at the Township of Ryerson this the 12th of August, 2010**

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This Public Meeting is being held to provide information on the proposed Projects.

**Meeting Location:**

**Date:** Saturday September 18, 2010  
**Time:** 10:00 am to 1:00 pm  
**Place:** Armour, Ryerson and Burk's Falls Memorial Arena/Community Centre  
220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, On

**Project Description:**

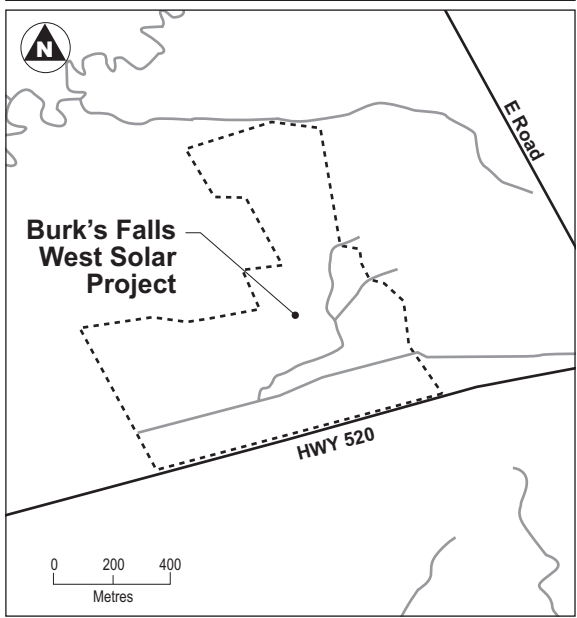
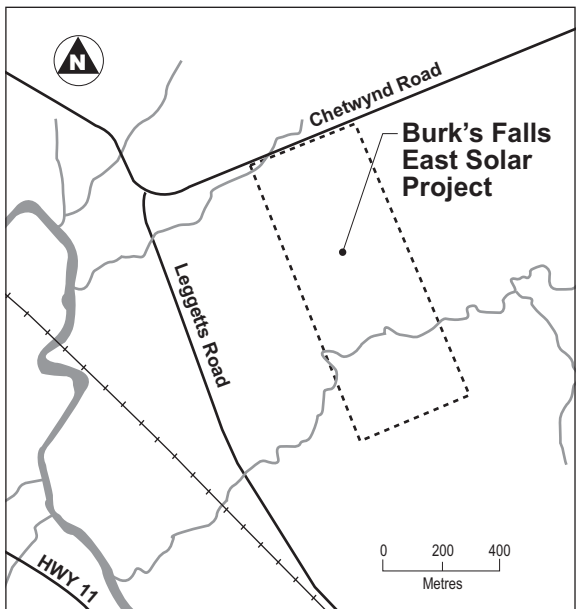
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Northland Power is proposing to construct a solar project in the Township of Armour, just southeast of the community of Burk's Falls. The proposed project is named the Burk's Falls East Solar Project (the "Project") and will have an installed nominal capacity of 10 MW. This Project requires a Renewable Energy Approval (REA) issued in accordance with the provisions of the Ontario *Environmental Protection Act* Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09. Northland Power has retained Hatch to assist in fulfilling the requirements of the REA process.

Northland Power has acquired additional lands for the Project and as a result is repeating the first public meeting in support of the Project, and we would like to invite you to the upcoming Public Consultation Meeting. Please find attached a "Notice of Public Meeting", which details the time and date of the planned meeting. This Notice will also be published in the *Almaguin News* on September 30, 2010 and October 7, 2010. The Public Consultation Meeting will provide the public with an opportunity to learn more about our Project proposal and about Northland Power.

In accordance with Section 16 (3) of Ontario Reg. 359/09, an updated draft "Project Description Report" and associated information pertaining to this Project and about Northland Power can be found online at: [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast). We would appreciate any comments, queries or information you may have that are relevant to the proposed Project.

Please direct any correspondence(s) to:

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cc: Mike Lord, Northland Power  
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**UPDATED**  
**NOTICE OF A PROPOSAL**  
By Northland Power to Engage in a  
Renewable Energy Project and  
**NOTICE OF SECOND PUBLIC MEETING**

**Project Name:** Burk's Falls East Solar Project

**Project Applicant:** Northland Power Solar Burk's Falls East L.P.

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**Dated at the Township of Armour this the 30th of September, 2010**

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This Public Meeting is being held to provide initial information on the proposed Project. The Meeting will be an Open House format. Another Public Meeting will be held in late 2010 to provide more detailed information on the proposed Project.

**Meeting Location:**

**Date:** Saturday, November 6, 2010

**Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

**Place:** Armour, Ryerson and Burk's Falls Memorial  
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**Project Description:**

This is a repeat of the first Public Meeting for the Burk's Falls East Solar Project, due to changes in the Project location as outlined on the map below. Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the facility, in respect of which this Project is to be engaged in, is a Class 3 Solar Facility. If approved, this facility would have a total maximum name plate capacity of 10 MW.

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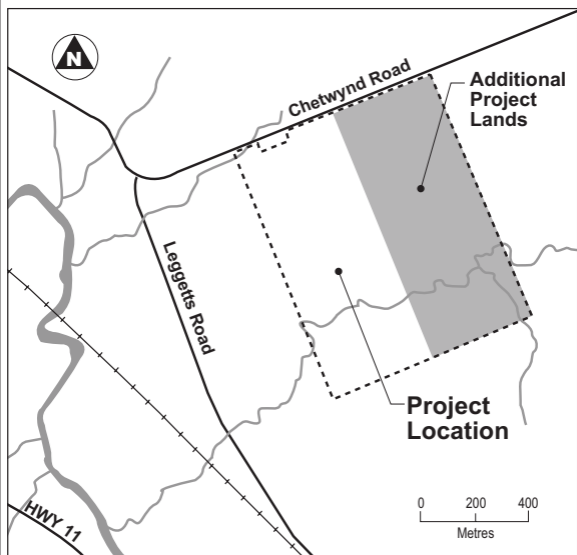
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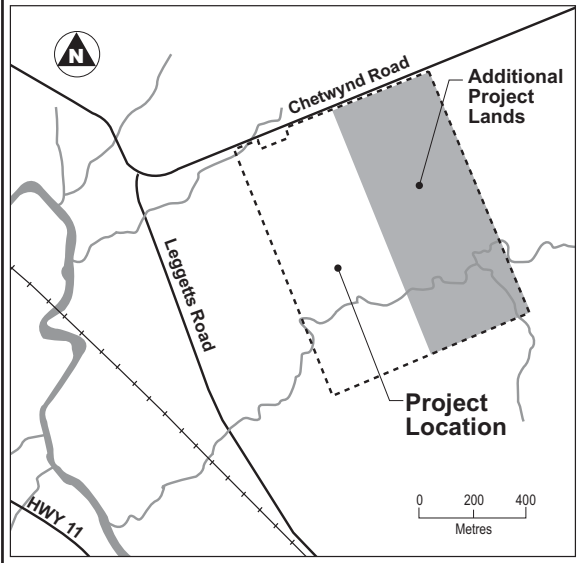
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 Tel: 905-374-0701 ext. 5280 Fax: 905-374-1157  
 Email: [smale@hatch.ca](mailto:smale@hatch.ca)



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 1 p.m. (view 12-1)

**Household, antiques, estates, etc!!**

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**NORTHERN AUCTION SALES**  
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**NOTICE** is hereby given that voting will be held upon the dates and at the times and places stated in this notice for the purpose of electing the holders of such offices.

**OFFICES FOR WHICH VOTING WILL BE HELD**

**MAYOR (1)**  
**COUNCILLORS (6)**  
**TRUSTEE FOR THE ENGLISH SEPARATE NIPISSING PARRY SOUND CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD (1)**

**ADVANCED VOTING DAYS**

**DATE:** Saturday, October 9, 2010  
 Saturday, October 16, 2010

**LOCATION:** Kearney Community Centre  
 Kearney Community Centre

**TIME:** 12:00 to 5:00 p.m.  
 12:00 to 5:00 p.m.

**REGULAR VOTING DAYS**

Regular voting will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on **Monday, October 25, 2010** at the Kearney Community Centre, 8 Main Street, Kearney, ON POA 1M0.

**PROXY FORMS**, including instruction page, can be obtained from the Municipal Office and the Town of Kearney website at [www.townofkearney.com](http://www.townofkearney.com). The forms must be received in duplicate at the Town of Kearney Municipal Office. Proxy forms will be processed during regular office hours Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Tuesdays from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m., on Advanced Voting Days from 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. and no later than 5:00 p.m. on Election Day.

New Voting Requirements for the 2010 Municipal Elections are also accessible through the Town of Kearney Municipal Office or the Town website.

For further information, contact the Municipal Office at 705-636-7752

Yvonne Aubichon, CMM III, CMO  
 Clerk Administrator  
 8 Main Street, Kearney, ON POA 1M0



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## Accounting/ Data Entry Clerk

Greystone Project Management Inc. requires the addition of a full-time Accountants Payable/Payroll Clerk to our team. Ideally you have experience in reception, 2+ years accounts payable and payroll processing with Timberline software (AP&JC) and construction knowledge. Please submit resume with cover letter to:

[cindy@greystoneconstruction.ca](mailto:cindy@greystoneconstruction.ca)

## REQUIRED Part Time Receptionist

for the Nurse Practitioner's Office in Sundridge

Please submit a written resume and application to:  
 Nurse Practitioner's Office  
 P.O. Box 676  
 Sundridge, ON POA 1Z0

No later than  
**Tuesday, October 12, 2010**  
 at 3:00 p.m.



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 27 Forest St.  
 Parry Sound, ON P2A 2R2  
 Phone: (705) 746-5102  
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*Please note, we thank all applicants for their interest in our organization, however, only individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.*

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**ARMOUR BURK'S FALLS RYERSON**

# TENDER

Sealed Tenders marked  
"Construction of a Leachate Seep Control System"  
will be accepted until  
**Monday, October 18, 2010**  
at 4:00 p.m.

**MANDATORY SITE MEETING**  
**Thursday, October 14, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.**

Information and tender package available at  
Township of Armour Office  
56 Ontario Street, Burk's Falls  
(705) 382-3332

Lowest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

**District of Parry Sound**  
Social Services  
Administration Board



## TENDER

District of Parry Sound Social Services Administration Board Housing and Community Services is seeking quotations for


**SNOW REMOVAL, SANDING and SALTING**  
at the listed location.

**69 Queen Street, Magnetawan**  
**251 Yonge Street, Burk's Falls & Dimsdale Parking Lot**

Specification packages can be picked up at  
1 Beechwood Drive, Parry Sound  
after October 5th, 2010.  
Closing Date: October 20th, 2010.

Please contact:  
**Linda Hunter, Supervisor of Property Management or**  
**Melissa Hayhurst, Property Management Coordinator**  
1-877-767-6060

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## Township of Strong

# ADVANCE POLL

**Saturday, October 9, 2010**

at the Strong Township Municipal Office  
1713 Highway 11, Sundridge, Ontario POA 1C0  
from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR IDENTIFICATION**

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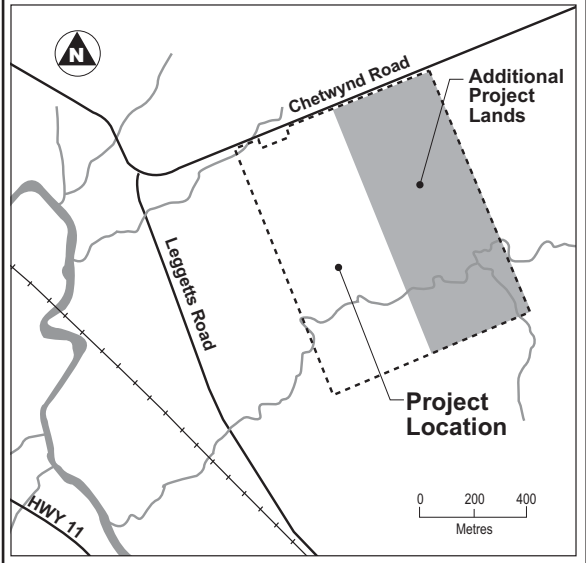
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Hatch Ltd.  
4342 Queen Street, Suite 500, Niagara Falls, ON, L2E 7J7  
Tel: 905-374-0701 ext. 5280 Fax: 905-374-1157  
Email: [smale@hatch.ca](mailto:smale@hatch.ca)



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### LEGAL NOTICE Re: Stored Goods

Let it be known that the goods belonging to Murray Cole (formerly of South River and Huntsville, now of no fixed address) stored at 2 Industrial Park Road, South River, will be sold for unpaid storage costs and other costs pertaining to the collection of account, if not paid in full by October 10, 2010 by cash or certified cheque or postal money order.

Signed - U STORE  
O/O Ian R McNeil

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## Municipality of Magnetawan

### Chapman Landfill Site

# CLOSED

**Monday, October 11, 2010**  
for Thanksgiving Day



## The Corporation of the Township of Joly

The following days and times will be designated to open the Return Vote Envelopes in the Municipal Office at 871 FOREST LAKE ROAD, SUNDRIDGE, ON:

**Wednesday, October 20, 2010 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.**  
**Thursday, October 21, 2010 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.**  
**Friday, October 22, 2010 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.**  
**Monday, October 25, 2010 8 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

At each of these days, a Deputy Returning Officer (DRO) and the CAO Clerk (returning officer) will be present for this procedure, and candidates and scrutineers may observe.

Gerry Whittington  
CAO Clerk Treasurer  
Joly Township



## NOTICE KEARNEY CHRISTMAS FUN FAIR

**Saturday, November 27, 2010**  
**10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**  
**Kearney Community Centre**  
**8 Main Street, Kearney**

**Tables are available at \$15.00**  
**Set Up Times 7 to 9 p.m. Friday**  
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**Call Beth for tables at 636-7752**

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E-mail: [kearney1@vianet.ca](mailto:kearney1@vianet.ca)


## PARENT - TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent - Teacher Interviews  
will be held on  
**Thursday, October 14**  
**5:30 - 7:30 p.m.**

**Almaguin Highlands  
Secondary School**  
[www.nearnorthschools.ca/almaguin](http://www.nearnorthschools.ca/almaguin)

Principal: Lisa O'Kane  
Vice Principals:  
Todd Gribbon  
Julie Lehmann  
Phone: 472-5563

Interim report cards will be distributed on Wednesday, October 13. Parents are requested to bring this report card to the interview.



**Near North**  
District School Board  
Heli Vail  
Director of Education  
Alan Bottomley  
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The Friends  
27 Forest St.  
Parry Sound, ON P2A 2R2  
Phone: (705) 746-5102  
Fax: (705) 746-8139

*Please note, we thank all applicants for their interest in our organization, however, only individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.*

## District of Parry Sound

Social Services  
Administration Board

### Child Care Resources

Requires a:  
**Resource Facilitator - ECE**  
Full-Time Contract Position Ending March 31, 2011  
Wage: \$19.95/hr

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To work as part of the Early Years team, providing appropriate activities and equipment for children and adults participating in the Early Years Program.

**Qualifications:**

- Early Childhood Education Diploma or A.E.C.E.O. equivalency and current membership with the College of ECE.
- Minimum one-year experience in a related childcare field.
- Ability to communicate with children and adults in a friendly and cooperative manner.
- Ability to work independently, as well as part of a team.
- Ability to plan effective programs for pre-schoolers, parents and caregivers.
- Ability to be innovative and creative in planning and implementing activities.
- Ability to organize and prioritize workload.
- Current First Aid/CPR Certificate.

**Forward Resume (including references) by  
Wednesday, October 13th, 2010 at 4:30 p.m.**

**Attn: Lisa Moore, CHRP**  
**Human Resource Manager**  
76 Church Street, 2nd Floor  
Parry Sound, Ontario  
P2A 1Z1  
Fax: (705) 746-7783  
Email: [jobs@psdssab.org](mailto:jobs@psdssab.org)

**Please Quote Reference #: 10-17**

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March 7, 2011

«Name»

«Address»

«City», «Province» «Postal\_Code»

Dear «Name»:

**Subject: Notice of Public Meeting - Northland Power Solar Burk's Falls East L.P - Burk's Falls East Solar Project**

Northland Power Solar Burk's Falls East L.P (hereafter referred to as "Northland") is proposing to construct a solar project in Township of Armour, just east of the community of Burk's Falls. The proposed project is named the Burk's Falls East Solar Project (the "Project") and will have an installed nominal capacity of 10 MW. This Project requires a Renewable Energy Approval (REA) issued in accordance with the provisions of the Ontario *Environmental Protection Act* Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09. Northland has retained Hatch to assist in fulfilling the requirements of the REA process.

As you are aware, Northland has initiated a public consultation program in support of the Project. This letter is inviting you to an upcoming Public Consultation Meeting. Please find attached a "Notice of Public Meeting", which details the time and date of the planned meeting. This Notice will also be published in the *Almaguin News* on March 10, 2011 and again on April 14, 2011.

Along with an invitation to a Public Consultation Meeting, this letter is to provide notice that the supporting documents, as per Section 16 (1) of Ontario Regulation 359/09 are available for your review. These documents include the Natural Heritage Reports, Water Body Reports, Construction Plan Report, Design and Operation Report, Decommissioning Plan Report, Noise Assessment Study and Stage 1 and 2 Archaeology Assessment Report. As well, to aid in your review an executive summary is also provided. These reports are available on line at [northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast) and at the Township Armour municipal office. Further, the information provided in these reports will be discussed during the Public Consultation Meeting from 10:00am to 12:00pm on May 14, 2011 at the Armour, Ryerson and Burk's Falls Memorial Arena and Community Centre, 220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, Ontario. We would appreciate any comments, queries or information you may have that are relevant to the proposed Project.

Please direct any correspondence(s) to:

Sean Male, M.Sc., REA Coordinator  
Hatch Ltd.  
4342 Queen St., Suite 500  
Niagara Falls, ON, L2E 7J7  
Phone: 905-374-0701, Ext 5280  
Fax: 905-374-1157  
Email: [smale@hatch.ca](mailto:smale@hatch.ca)

Yours truly,



Sean Male, M.Sc.

March 7th, 2011

REA Coordinator

SM:mg

Attachment: Notice of Public Meeting: Burk's Falls East Solar Project

cc: Mike Lord, Northland Power

Tom Hockin, Northland Power

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

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A written copy of the Draft Project Description Report was made available for public inspection on September 30, 2010 at [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast) and at your local municipal office. Further, the applicant has obtained or prepared, as the case may be, supporting documents in order to comply with the requirements of the Act and Regulation.

Written copies of the draft supporting documents will be made available for public inspection on March 10, 2011 at your local municipal office, or [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast).

**Project Contact and Information:**

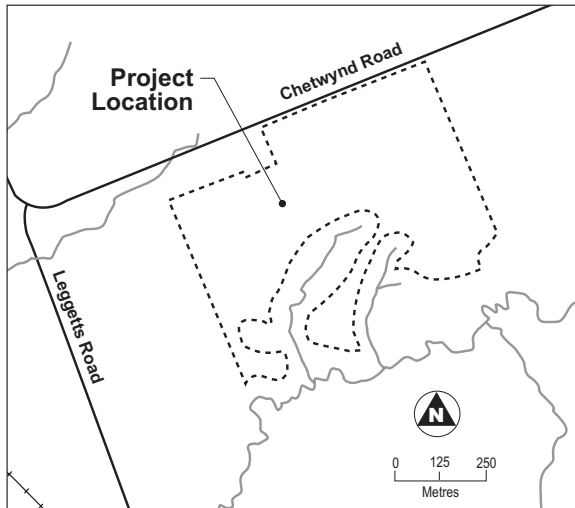
To learn more about the project proposals, public meetings or to communicate concerns, please contact:

**Sean Male**, MSc, Environmental Coordinator  
Hatch Ltd.

4342 Queen Street, Suite 500, Niagara Falls, ON, L2E 7J7

Tel: 905-374-0701 ext. 5280 Fax: 905-374-1157

Email: [smale@hatch.ca](mailto:smale@hatch.ca)



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The Corporation of the Municipality of Magnetawan

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Please direct all inquiries to the Municipal Office  
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Roads Department

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Regional Tobacco Organization 12 (RTO 12) representing the tobacco industry partners in Muskoka, Parry Sound, Algonquin Park and South Algonquin Township is seeking Based Members.

For details and application information please go to our website www.rto12.ca or do home page below: the link to documents.

The closing date is April 1, 2011 at 4:00 pm

Make yourself of interest, with your resume, contact us at: info@rto12.ca

# ERRORS AND OMISSIONS

If your classified ad appears today for the first time, please check carefully to see that it is correct in every detail. Notice of an error in your ad must be given to the classified department in time for the second insertion. We will not be held responsible for more than one incorrect insertion. Thank you.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

By Northland Power Regarding a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project

**Project Name:** Bank's Falls Small Scale Project  
**Project Applicant:** Northland Power Solar Bank's Falls East L.P.  
**Project Location:** The Project is located on Chimney Road, approximately 4 km east of Bank's Falls  
**Dated at the Township of Amour this 10th of March, 2011**

Northland Power is planning to engage in a renewable energy project in respect of which the issuance of a renewable energy approval is required. The proposed project is a 1.5 MW solar photovoltaic (PV) array. Part V.1 and Ontario Regulation 55/10 (Regulation). This notice is published in accordance with section 11 of the Regulation prior to applications being submitted and assessed for completion by the Ministry of Environment.

This Public Meeting is being held to provide information on the proposed Project. The Meeting will be an Open House format.

**Meeting Location:**  
**Date:** Saturday, May 14, 2011  
**Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm  
**Place:** Amour, Ryerson and Bank's Falls Memorial Annual Community Centre  
225 Centre Street, Bank's Falls, ON

**Project Description:**  
Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the facility, in respect of which this Project is to be engaged in, is a Class 3 Solar Facility. If approved, the facility would have a total maximum name plate capacity of 10 MW.

**Documents for Public Inspection:**  
The Draft Project Description Report, the Project Description Report, the Draft Project Description Report, the Project Description Report as a solar electric generating facility that will utilize photovoltaic (PV) panels installed on fixed tracking structures. DC electricity generated from the PV panels is converted to AC electricity by an inverter. The voltage level of the AC electricity produced by the inverter is stepped-up to distribution level voltages by a series of transformers.

A written copy of the Draft Project Description Report is available for public inspection on September 30, 2010 at www.northernpower.ca/bankfalls/ and at your local municipal office. Further, the applicant has obtained or prepared, as the case may be, supporting documents in order to comply with the requirements of the Act and Regulation.

Written copies of the draft supporting documents will be made available for public inspection on March 10, 2011 at your local municipal office, or www.northernpower.ca/bankfalls/.

**Project Contact and Information:**  
To learn more about the project proposals, public meetings or to communicate concerns, please contact:  
**Sean Mela, MSc, Environmental Coordinator**  
Hatch Ltd.  
4242 Queen Street, Suite 506, Niagara Falls, ON L2E 7J7  
Tel: 905-374-6711 ext. 5280 Fax: 905-374-1157  
Email: smela@hatch.ca

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

**Goal:** To provide coordination and ongoing support for the District of Parry Sound Theory Reduction Network

**Deliverables:**

- Provide administrative support to the network
- Facilitate community engagement in network initiatives
- Support collaboration, planning and networking with community organizations, groups and individuals
- Advocate for social policy and support education campaigns
- Conduct environmental scans and prepare media releases as required
- Monitor and enhance website
- Investigate and pursue funding sources and a sustainable plan for the network

**Project qualifications include:**

- Post-secondary education in community development or related educational discipline
- Committed to social justice/equality/diversity inclusion
- Computer skills

**Project Length:** 25 weeks, 15 hours/week  
**Start Date:** April 11, 2011  
**Real remuneration:** \$2300  
**Salary/Shift:** Daytime. Please email a summary of interest and related experience to: [spgoyette@gmail.com](mailto:spgoyette@gmail.com) by April 1, 2011.

For additional information please visit [www.dpsps.ca](http://www.dpsps.ca).

## PHOENIX BUILDING COMPONENTS SOUTH RIVER

Phoenix Building Components is a leading mass manufacturer and distributor of engineered wood products. Our manufacturing plant is located in New Level and we have Sales and Design Offices in both Barrie and South River. We are currently looking to add the following to our team:

### JUNIOR / INTERMEDIATE DESIGNERS

We are looking for experienced designers to work on our South River Design Team. The ideal candidate has a background that includes graduation from Architecture/ Civil Mechanical Technology Program, At least 2000 or Level 14, minimum of 2 years experience in roof mass design or building construction, coupled with a solid understanding of engineered floor system design and layout. You must possess good communication skills, a strong work ethic and be detail oriented.

Reporting to the Design Manager you will prepare accurate quality plan plans required for the sales office, in turn, plan ready designs will be prepared from these queries. You will provide technical advice to building supply yards and building supply contractors.

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## Municipality of Magnetawan

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# CLERK-ADMINISTRATOR

The Municipality is currently seeking applications from qualified individuals for the position of Clerk-Administrator. Reporting to the Mayor and Council, this most senior officer of the municipality is responsible for providing advice and policy guidance to Council, and providing strategic leadership, including the implementation of policies and directives, throughout all municipal departments. This position will also fulfil the statutory duties of Municipal Clerk including corporate secretary to Council, business and history licensing officer, records manager, and manager of municipal elections, the planning coordinator, this position will require a working knowledge of current land use planning practices.

The successful candidate will demonstrate leadership experience and a broad knowledge of municipal operations and functions. Possess a sound knowledge of municipal administration, management and planning, public/government administration, business administration, or related disciplines acquired through a University Degree, College Diploma or a minimum of 5 years related experience in municipal government at a senior management level.

Salary will commensurate with qualifications and experience. The Municipality offers comprehensive benefit package, including the OMBERS pension plan.

Interested candidates having these qualifications are invited to submit a comprehensive resume by 4:00 p.m. on

**Friday, March 18, 2011**

in a sealed envelope marked "Confidential" to:  
Council  
Municipality of Magnetawan  
P.O. Box 20  
Magnetawan, Ontario P6A 1P0

All applicants are thanked for their interest in applying for this position however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

# WINTER BREAK

## Activity Guide

Are you running a Winter Break Camp? March Break 13th to 19th, 2011

Advertise in our Winter Break Activity Guide

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## Municipality of Magnetawan

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# FIRE CHIEF /By-Law Officer

The Municipality of Magnetawan is hiring a full-time individual for the position of Fire Chief, which will substitute into a split position of Fire Chief / By-Law Officer within a couple of years.

The successful candidate will be responsible for shaping the future of the fire department while working cooperatively with volunteer firefighters, Council, internal staff, Fire Marshal's office, other essential services and various Community groups.

Being a proactive and innovative individual you will be required to anticipate, manage and direct all aspects of the Fire Department and By-Law activities within the Community. This position must ensure that public safety, fire prevention and public education initiatives are implemented.

**Minimum Qualifications include:**

- Firefighting experience including leadership or supervisory roles.
- Comprehensive knowledge of Fire Department activities including Provincial Legislation, fire prevention, inspection, public education and emergency planning
- Strong Oral and Communication Skills
- Grade 12 and associated fire related certificates.
- Ontario Fire College certificates are considered an asset.

**Remuneration:**  
Salary \$60,000 - \$85,000 per year plus benefits.

Please submit a resume and covering letter by  
**Friday, March 18, 2011**

to:  
Mark Iltanski CAO / Clerk  
Municipality of Magnetawan  
4304 Hwy. 9 East, P.O. Box 78  
Magnetawan, Ontario, P6A 1P0  
Email: [cao@magnetawan.com](mailto:cao@magnetawan.com)

The Municipality of Magnetawan thanks all prospective applicants however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

**April 29, 2011**

After this time will not be considered, proposals will be rejected.

Verification can be obtained by contacting 752-2740.

Reserves the right to accept or reject any proposal on its own evaluation. The highest or any other proposal may be accepted.

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**Zone H1**

**VETERANS' ASSOCIATION DAY**

**Saturday, April 30, 2011**

Hosted by  
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South River  
Memorial R.C.L.

RSVP by April 23  
Comrade Ron Maeck  
705-386-0407 or Branch 390  
705-386-2906

10:30 to 11:15 a.m.  
Members Welcome

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**300-Foot Telecommunications Tower**  
Doe Lake Road, Katrine, Ontario

Proposed by Blue Sky Net and funded by federal programs, Spectrum Group is planning a telecommunications tower on Doe Lake Road, west of the community of Katrine in the Township of Armour.

The tower structure that will be located along Doe Lake Road is approximately 300 metres northeast of the Fawn Road. The tower will be used to deliver high-speed wireless services to residents.

If you have any questions, concerns, or require more information, please contact the following representative:

John Doe, North Bay, ON P1A 4M5  
705-374-192  
www.spectrumtelecom.ca

For more information, contact Industry Canada's public consultation website: [www.ic.gc.ca/antenna](http://www.ic.gc.ca/antenna)

Spectrum Group offers wireless and broadband solutions company telecommunications networks for clients. More information can be found on the website: [www.spectrumtelecom.ca/company.asp](http://www.spectrumtelecom.ca/company.asp).

**Extending Rural Canadians Program**  
This program aims to extend broadband services to rural, unserved, and underserved Canadian communities. More information about the program can be found on the website: [www.ic.gc.ca/broadband/](http://www.ic.gc.ca/broadband/).

**Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA)**  
Financial assistance from the Province of Ontario provided under the Building Broadband in Rural and Northern Ontario initiative. More information can be found on the OMAFRA website ([www.omafra.gov.on.ca](http://www.omafra.gov.on.ca)).

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**  
By Northland Power Regarding a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project

**Project Name:** Burk's Falls East Solar Project  
**Project Applicant:** Northland Power Solar Burk's Falls East L.P.  
**Project Location:** The Project is located on Chetwynd Road, approximately 4 km southeast of Burk's Falls.  
**Dated at the Township of Armour this the 10th of March, 2011**

Northland Power is planning to engage in a renewable energy Project in respect of which the issuance of a renewable energy approval is required. The proposal to engage in this Project and the Project itself is subject to the provisions of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09 (Regulation). This notice must be distributed in accordance with section 15 of the Regulation prior to applications being submitted and assessed for completeness by the Ministry of Environment.

This Public Meeting is being held to provide information on the proposed Project. The Meeting will be an Open House format.

**Meeting Location:**  
**Date:** Saturday, May 14, 2011  
**Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm  
**Place:** Armour, Ryerson and Burk's Falls Memorial Arena/Community Centre  
220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, ON

**Project Description:**  
Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the facility, in respect of which this Project is to be engaged in, is a Class 3 Solar Facility. If approved, this facility would have a total maximum name plate capacity of 10 MW.

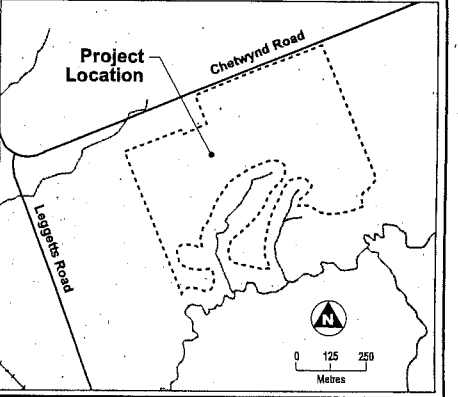
**Documents for Public Inspection:**  
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A written copy of the Draft Project Description Report was made available for public inspection on September 30, 2010 at [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallsseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallsseast) and at your local municipal office. Further, the applicant has obtained or prepared, as the case may be, supporting documents in order to comply with the requirements of the Act and Regulation.

Written copies of the draft supporting documents will be made available for public inspection on March 10, 2011 at your local municipal office, or [www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallsseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallsseast).

**Project Contact and Information:**  
To learn more about the project proposals, public meetings or to communicate concerns, please contact:

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**Appendix C**  
**Copies of Display Boards at**  
**First Public Meeting**

The top of the page features a banner with a blue sky, white clouds, and a bright sun with lens flare. The text "Northland Power" is written in a large, white, sans-serif font, with "Northland" on the top line and "Power" on the bottom line. A solid green horizontal bar is positioned below the banner.

# Northland Power

## ***Welcomes You to the First Public Meeting***

*for the Burk's Falls East Solar Project  
and Burk's Falls West Solar Project*

Saturday, September 18, 2010

10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Armour, Ryerson and Burks's Falls Memorial Arena/

Community Centre,

220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, ON





# Purpose of this Public Meeting

A public meeting to solicit stakeholder input is an important aspect of the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) process and project planning.

This public meeting provides an opportunity to:

- Gain further understanding about Northland Power's proposed solar energy projects in your area
- Obtain information about the REA Process
- Ask questions regarding the proposed Projects
- Raise concerns or issues regarding the proposed Projects

## How can I provide comments or concerns?

A variety of methods are available for providing comments or concerns.

You can:

1. Fill out a comment form provided at this public meeting. This form can also be used to register your name and mailing address so you are included on the Project mailing lists.
2. Discuss your comments or concerns with one of the representatives of Northland Power or Hatch present at this public meeting.
3. Contact the Environmental Coordinator for the Project via the following information:

**Sean Male**, MSc

Environmental Coordinator  
Hatch Ltd.

Address: 4342 Queen Street, Suite 500  
Niagara Falls, Ontario,  
L2E 7J7

Phone: 905-374-0701 Ext 5280

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# Northland Power

*Northland Power develops and operates clean and green power generation facilities, mainly in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, with Saskatchewan being added to that list shortly. Our facilities produce about 900 MW of electricity. Northland Power has been in business since 1987 and has been publicly traded since 1997.*

Sustainability is a core value at Northland Power. All of our development efforts and operational practices focus on providing long term benefits to our customers, investors, employees, communities and partners.

*For Northland Power, sustainability has many dimensions:*

**Environmental:** Northland Power was founded on the belief that clean and green energy sources are vital to the future of our planet. Our construction and operational practices are engineered to meet the highest environmental standards, even in jurisdictions where lower standards are legislated.

**Community:** Northland Power takes an active interest in its host communities to ensure they remain vibrant, healthy places to live.

**Operational:** Northland Power maintains and reinvests in their operating assets to achieve maximum efficiency and economic life.

**Health and Safety:** Ensuring that our staff has the knowledge, tools and time to work safely is Northland's first priority. Our culture of safety, respect and independence helps to ensure we attract and retain the people that we need to perform.

**Financial:** Northland Power consistently chooses long term success over short term gain. Northland Power only pursues projects that meet strict return thresholds and have creditworthy customers. As a result, we have paid stable monthly dividends since 1997.

## HATCH™

Northland Power has retained Hatch Ltd. to undertake the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) process, subject to the provisions of the Environmental Protection Act Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09. Hatch is an Ontario-based consulting, engineering and management company with operations worldwide and a reputation for excellence acquired over 80 years of continuous service to its clients. Hatch will undertake the REA process from its Niagara Falls, Ontario office.



# Solar Technology

A solar photovoltaic (PV) module (or panel, as they are often called) transforms the sun's energy into electrical energy. Silicon, a semi-conductor, is the material that transforms a ray of sunshine into electricity. The silicon is located within a grid (commonly made of metal) that conducts electricity. When the sunlight hits the silicon, electrons flow from the silicon into the grid, thereby producing electricity. The silicon and metallic grid are located beneath a layer of glass to provide weather protection. The glass has a special coating applied to maximize the capture of sunlight by the panel, thereby reducing glare.

## *Advantages of Solar Energy*

Solar power has a multitude of advantages compared to most other power generation technologies.

- First and foremost, the fuel is free. As the cost of many fossil fuels is expected to increase in the future, having solar energy on the grid at a set price will give greater stability to future energy prices.
- Another key benefit is the absence of any green house gas emissions and other pollutants. This ensures that the local community will not have to live with poor air quality or noxious odours.
- Solar PV systems are comprised of safe, common materials that will not affect the lands on which they are located, allowing for easy remediation upon decommissioning.
- Most solar PV systems have no moving parts, unlike almost all other power generation technologies. Having no moving parts reduces the environmental impact, maintenance costs, and noise levels of this type of power generation.
- There is a natural supply/demand match that is inherent to solar power, as the sun rises and sets in parallel with society's general daily electricity demand pattern. This helps mitigate the need for the development of other technologies that traditionally meet peak electricity demand.



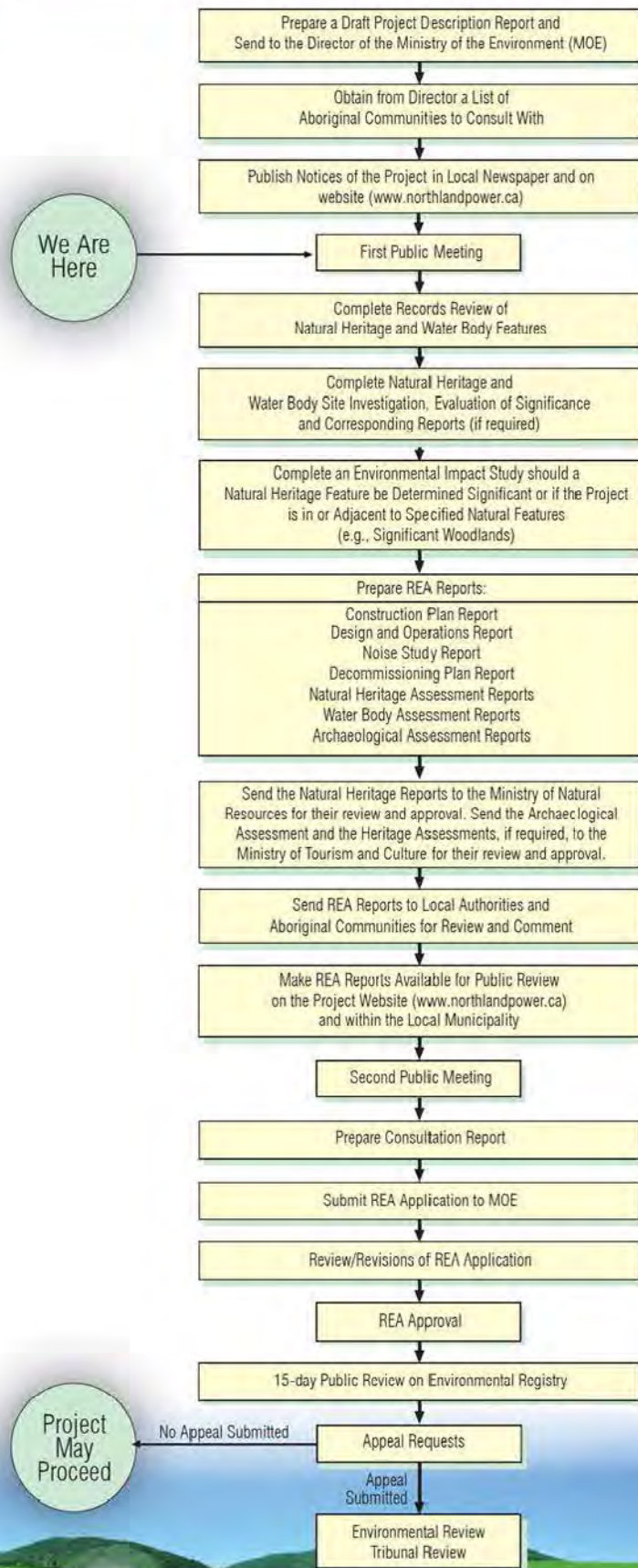
Ontario's Feed-in-Tariff (FIT) program was launched by the Ontario Power Authority on October 1, 2009 to encourage the development of renewable energy resources and to stimulate growth in green technology and renewable power industries.

The Ontario Power Authority awarded 184 FIT contracts to renewable power developers in Ontario on April 8, 2010. Northland Power was awarded a total of 13 contracts for proposed solar ground-mount developments throughout the province. These projects are currently proceeding through the REA process.

# Renewable Energy Approval Process

The proposed Project is subject to the (REA) process, subject to the provisions of Part V.0.1 of the Environmental Protection Act and Ontario Regulation 359/09. The REA process entails consideration of environmental aspects, including natural heritage features and water bodies, as well as heritage and archaeological resources. In addition, the REA process includes public, government agency and First Nation consultation.

The main components of the REA process are shown in the flow diagram.



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# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

## Project Location

The proposed Project is located on Chetwynd Road, southeast of the community of Burk's Falls within the single tier Municipality of Armour Township. The proposed Project, if approved, will be constructed on privately owned lands.

## Project Description

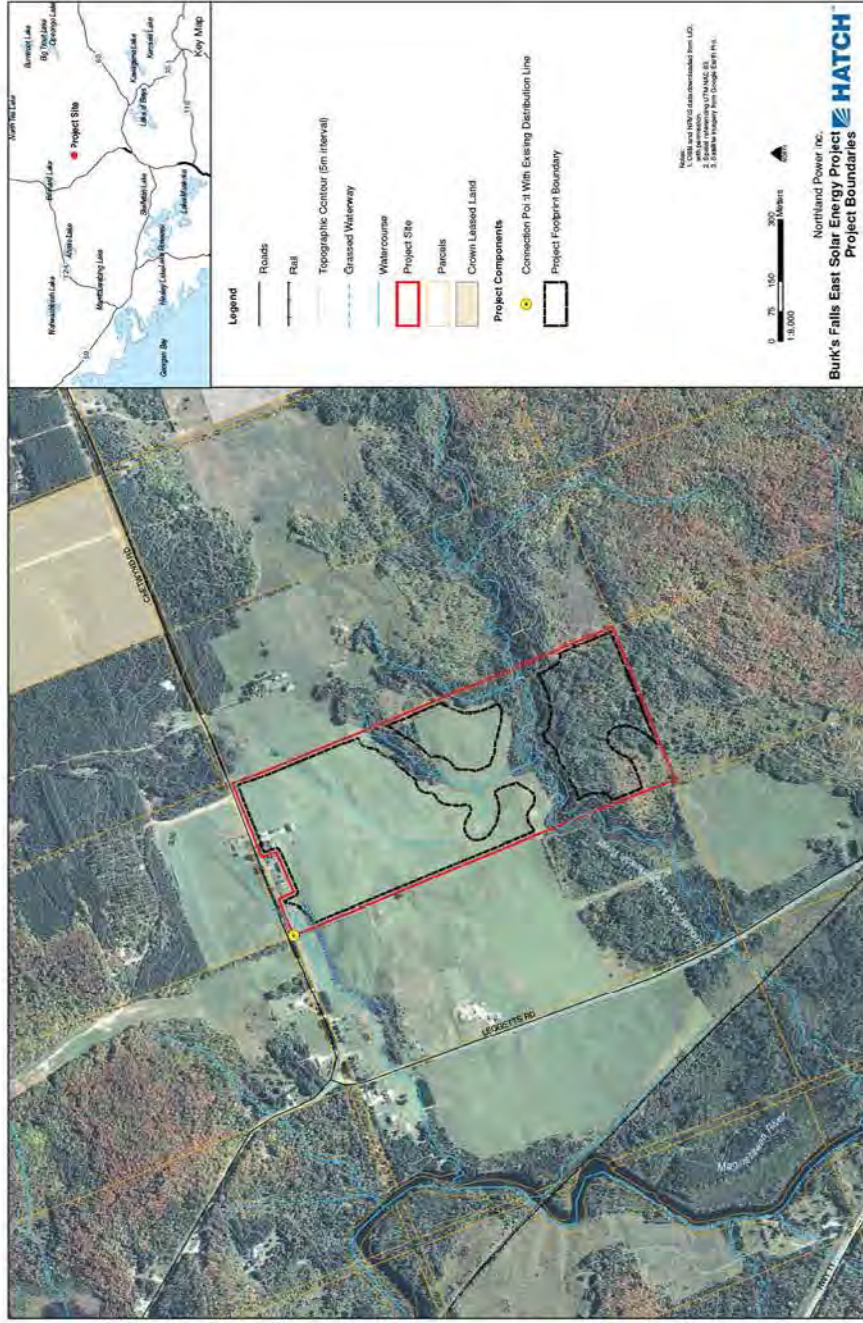
The proposed Burk's Falls East Solar Project is considered to be a Class 3 solar facility, as defined under the Environmental Protection Act (Act) Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09. Class 3 solar facilities are defined as having a name plate capacity of 10 kilowatts (kW) or greater and the solar panels are mounted on the ground. Specifically, this proposed Project has a nameplate capacity of 10MW (ac).

The proposed Project will use crystalline technology photovoltaic (PV) panels installed on ground-mounted rack structures made of steel and aluminum. The panels will be tilted and fixed in place (i.e., they will not move to track the sun). The project will consist of approximately 50,000 panels and will be designed to optimize energy production.

## Project Schedule – Burk's Falls East Solar Project

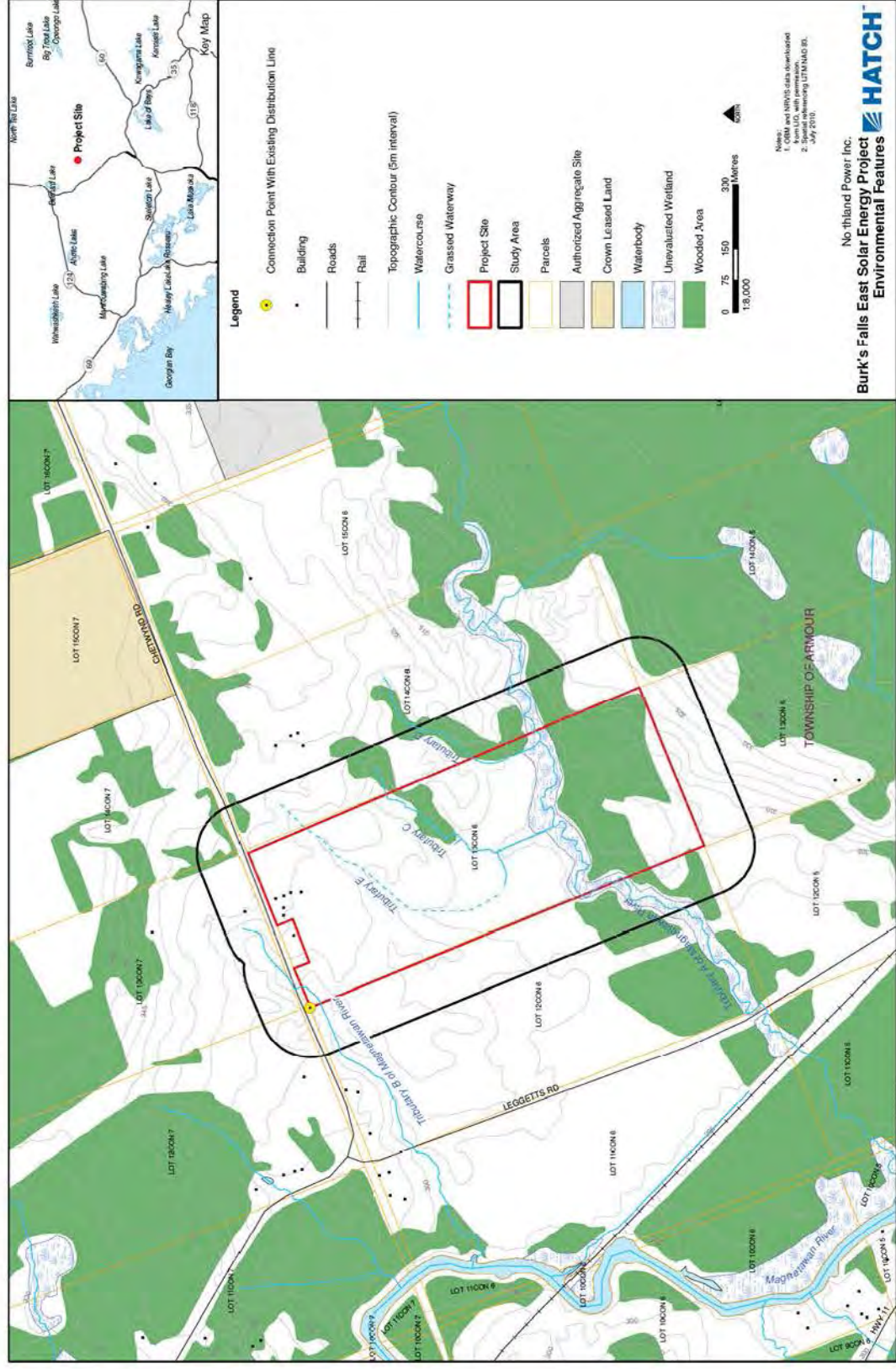
- FIT Application – November 2009
- Submission of Project Description to MOE – April 2010
- FIT Contract Award – April 2010
- First Public Meeting – September 2010
- Second Public Meeting – November 2010
- REA Application Submission – December 2010
- REA Received – May/ June 2011
- Start of Construction – June 2011
- Commercial Operation Date – Spring 2012

For more information regarding this Project please visit the Project website at [northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast).



# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

## Environmental Features



# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

## Natural Heritage Features

As per Ontario Regulation 359/09, a records review and a site investigation were conducted in order to identify environmental features of the Project site and surrounding area. A variety of features were identified and considered during this process, including but not limited to the following:

- Wildlife/Wildlife habitat
- Vegetation communities, including wooded areas and wetlands
- Species at risk
- Waterbodies

## Terrestrial Environment

The Project site is characterized by its rolling topography and mix of upland and lowland vegetation communities. The Project site consists of a mix of poorly drained and well drained sandy loam and loamy sand soils. The majority of the Project site is used for agricultural purposes including an active livestock (i.e. cattle) operation. The areas that are not in agricultural production are comprised of natural features such as woodlands and wetlands. Woodlands consist of mixedwood and coniferous forest communities, while the wetland communities consisted of meadow marsh, thicket swamp, and coniferous swamps.

Several species of wildlife were recorded on the Project site, including moose, beaver, wood frog, spring peeper, American robin, and savannah sparrow.

Bobolink, a species of bird, were recorded on the Project site. Bobolink are being listed as Threatened on the Endangered Species Act. It is anticipated that Bobolink will remain present within the Project site following construction, however discussions are ongoing with the Ministry of Natural Resources to determine whether a permit under the Endangered Species Act is required. If a permit is required, an overall benefit for Bobolink will be required as a result of the Project.



*More information on the findings of these studies will be available in the Natural Heritage and Water Bodies Reports that will be posted to the project website ([www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast](http://www.northlandpower.ca/burksfallseast)). A notification will be mailed to those on the mailing list and published in the local newspaper when these are available.*



## Aquatic Environment

One unnamed tributary of the Magnetawan River crosses through the wooded area at the southern portion of the Project site. The tributary is groundwater fed and appears capable of providing cold water habitat for species such as brook trout. There are three smaller drainage tributaries originating as grassed swales on adjacent properties that become intermittent watercourses on the project site before draining into the larger tributary.

There is also another unnamed tributary of the Magnetawan River flowing through the northwest corner of the Project site.



# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

## Potential Negative Environmental Effects and Mitigation Measures

Environmental Component	Potential Environmental Effect	Proposed Mitigation
Physiography/Topography	During construction, regrading of excavated soils and some minor alterations to local topography may occur.	Decommissioning of the Project site will include regrading to original conditions, to the greatest extent possible.
Soils	Reductions in soil quality/loss of soils as a result of accidental spills, erosion and soil compaction during construction.	The use of erosion and sedimentation control, soil loosening, and spill prevention and response measures will limit the impact on soils.
Aggregate Resources	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Surface Water	Surface water quality of the tributaries of the Magnetawan River could be impaired due to contamination from accidental spills or increased turbidity due to site erosion.	A 30-m setback will be put in place from all water bodies. As well, erosion and sedimentation control measures and spill prevention and response measures will minimize the potential for adverse effect.
Groundwater	Excavations may result in a minor, localized drop in the groundwater table due to dewatering. In addition, groundwater may also be impaired by contamination due to accidental spills.	Spill response measures will prevent any accidental spills. Dewatering during construction anticipated to be minimal.
Aquatic Habitats/Biota	The installation of the Project may result in indirect effects on aquatic habitat and biota downstream from the Project site due to erosion and sedimentation and changes in surface water runoff.	30-m setbacks from all waterbodies will be implemented to protect surface water runoff quality. Stormwater management plan implemented to control surface runoff.
Wetlands	Wetlands on and adjacent to the Project site may be indirectly affected by Project activities, such as the generation of dust during construction which could impact vegetation communities.	Mitigation measures proposed in respect of vegetation communities and surface water quality will be effective at mitigation potential effects on the wetland community.
Vegetation, including Wooded Areas	Vegetation clearing on agricultural land, within hedgerows, and wooded areas may be required. Vegetation communities adjacent to the Project site may be indirectly affected by Project activities, such as the generation of dust during construction which could impact vegetation communities.	Work areas will be flagged to limit the extent of clearing.  Dust control measures will be implemented during the construction period.
Terrestrial Wildlife/Wildlife Habitat (including species at risk)	Potential loss of wildlife habitat and potential wildlife avoidance of the Project area during construction and operation may occur as a result of disturbance.	Work areas will be clearly marked and will not infringe further than necessary. Mitigation measures will include not clearing in bird breeding season, if required.
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# Burk's Falls West Solar Project

## Project Location

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## Project Description

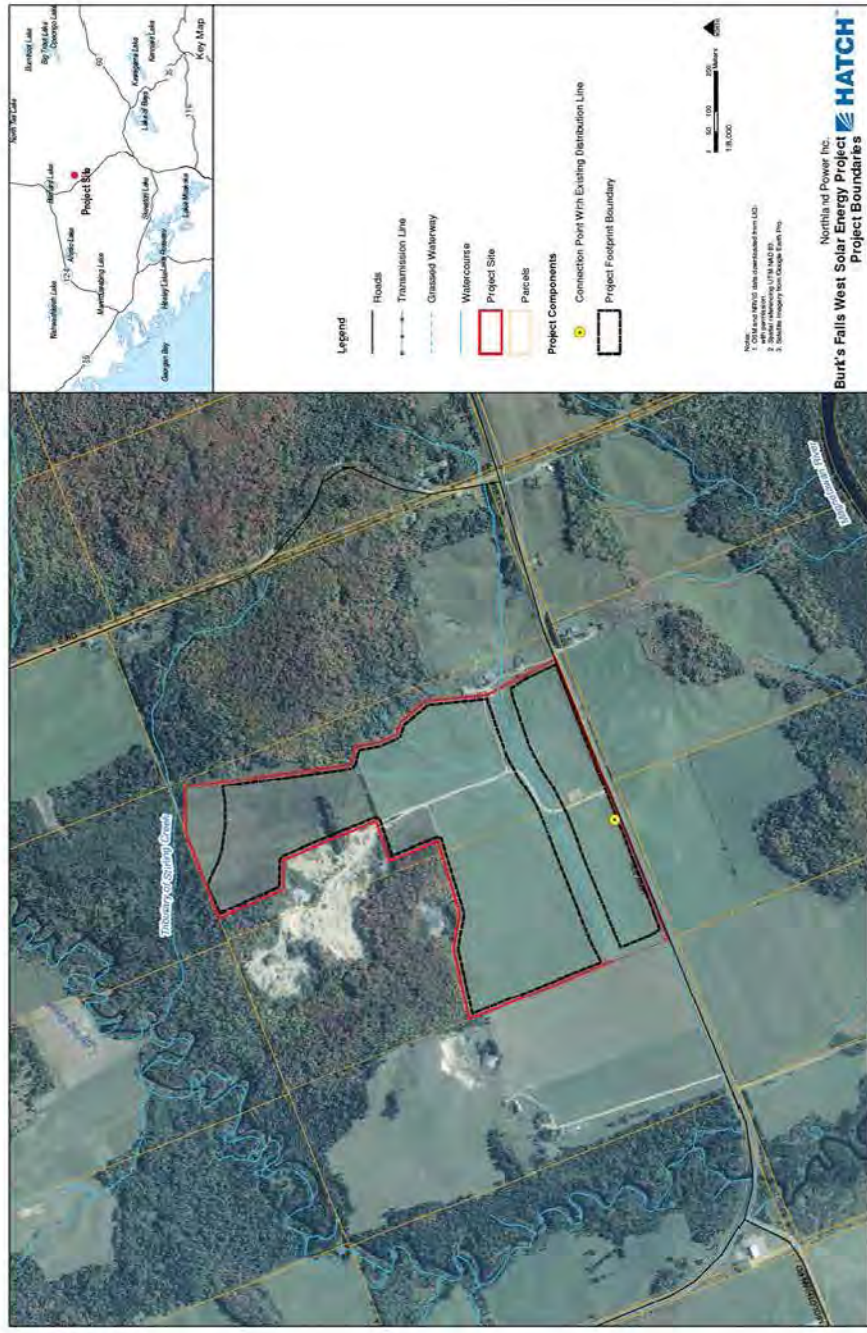
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The proposed Project will use crystalline technology photovoltaic (PV) panels installed on ground-mounted rack structures made of steel and aluminum. The panels will be tilted and fixed in place (i.e., they will not move to track the sun). The project will consist of approximately 50,000 panels and will be designed to optimize energy production.

## Project Schedule – Burk's Falls West Solar Project

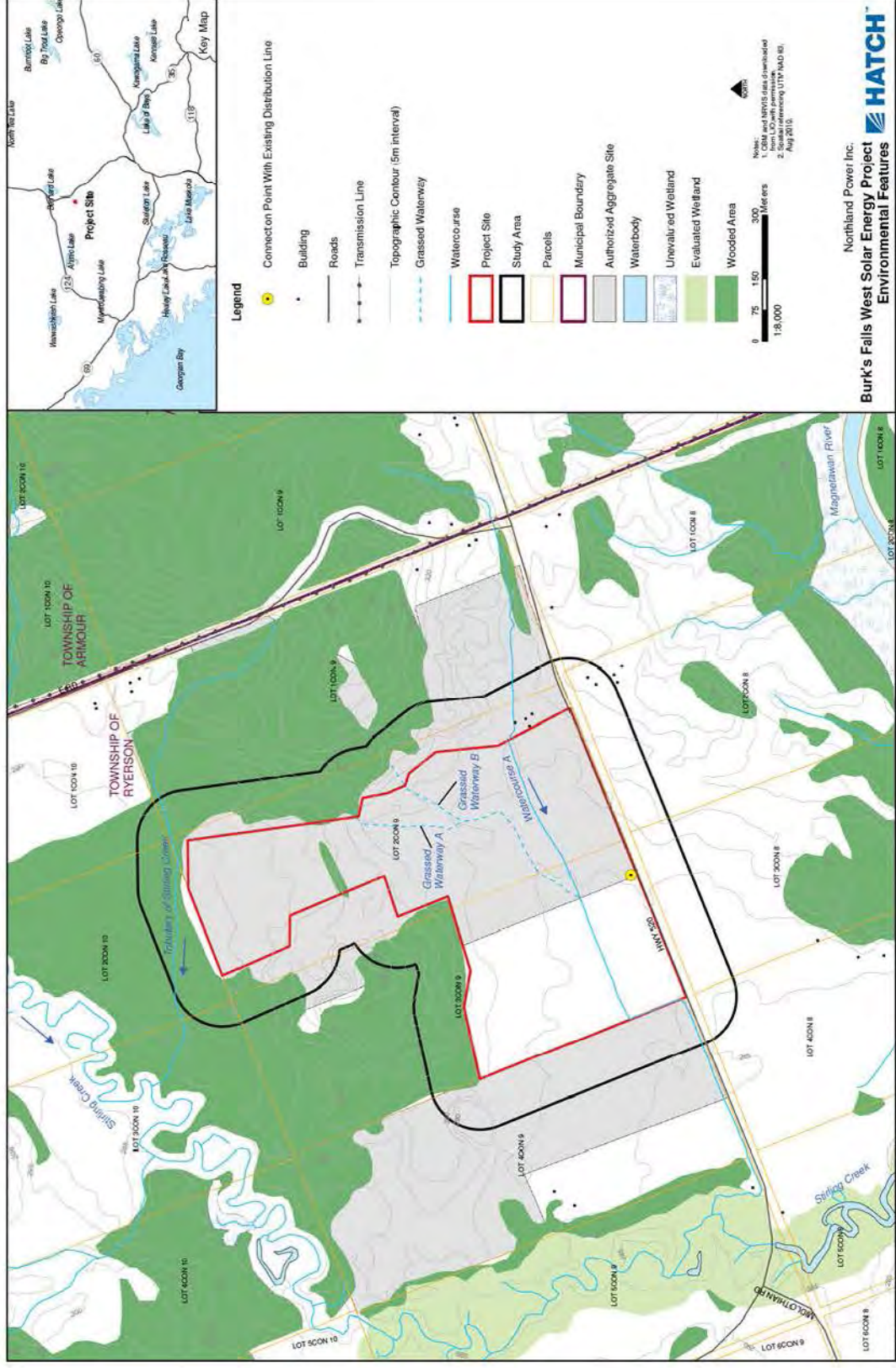
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For more information regarding this Project please visit the Project website at [northlandpower.ca/burksfallswest](http://northlandpower.ca/burksfallswest).



# Burk's Falls West Solar Project

## Environmental Features



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# Burk's Falls West Solar Project

## Natural Heritage Features

As per Ontario Regulation 359/09, a records review and a site investigation were conducted in order to identify environmental features of the Project site and surrounding area. A variety of features were identified and considered during this process, including but not limited to the following:

- Wildlife/Wildlife habitat
- Vegetation communities, including wooded areas and wetlands
- Species at risk
- Waterbodies

## Terrestrial Environment

The Project site consists of field meadow vegetation such as grasses, sedges, tall buttercup, cow vetch, common yarrow, ox-eye daisy, red clover, dandelion sp., and raspberry species. Wet meadow vegetation such as grasses and sedges were primarily found along the northern portion of the Project site, adjacent to the woodlands. The woodlands adjacent to the Project site are composed of a mosaic of communities, including mixedwood and deciduous forest, along with thicket swamps.

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Several species of wildlife were recorded on the Project site, including moose, white-tailed deer, green frog, song sparrow, and red-tailed hawk.

Bobolink, a species of bird, were recorded on the Project site. Bobolink are being listed as Threatened on the Endangered Species Act. It is anticipated that Bobolink will remain present within the Project site following construction, however discussions are ongoing with the Ministry of Natural Resources to determine whether a permit under the Endangered Species Act is required. If a permit is required, an overall benefit for Bobolink will be required as a result of the Project.

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## Aquatic Environment

An unnamed tributary of Stirling Creek crosses the southern Section of the Project site. It consists of an excavated linear channel. There are several grassed waterways draining into this tributary that provide temporary drainage routes during rainfall and snow melt events.

Another unnamed tributary of Stirling Creek runs within 120 m of the northern Project site boundary. It is fed by groundwater discharge.



# Burk's Falls West Solar Project

## Potential Negative Environmental Effects and Mitigation Measures

Environmental Component	Potential Environmental Effect	Proposed Mitigation
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# Next Steps

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- The Notice of the availability of the reports and the Final Public Meeting will be advertised in the local paper and information will be sent to all those on the Project mailing list. You can be included on the mailing list by filling out a comment sheet with the appropriate mailing address.
- Finally, any written comments or concerns will be addressed within the Consultation Report as a part of the REA submission, which will be available for public review.



**We appreciate your attendance at this first public meeting and hope to see you at the next one. Thank you.**

*Your opinion is important to us,*

**Please Sign in and Complete a Comment Sheet**



# Northland Power

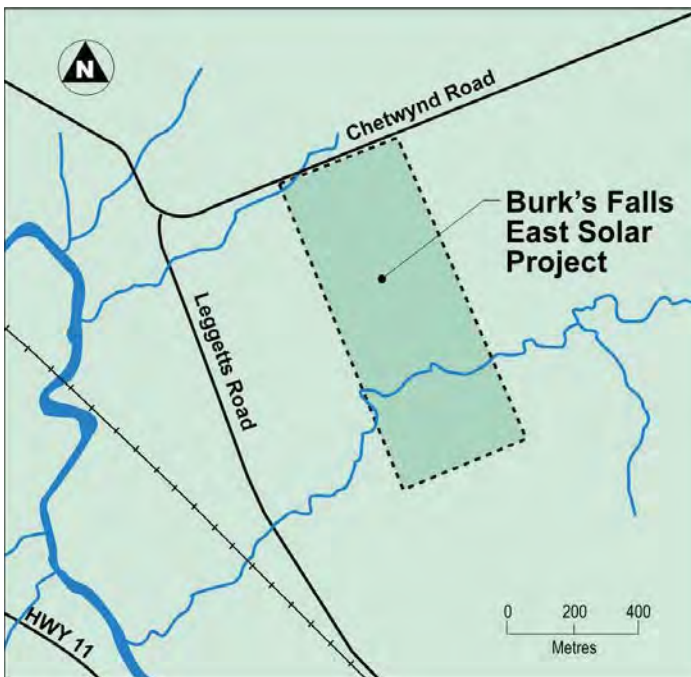


In accordance with the new Green Energy Act, the Ontario Power Authority has awarded Feed-in-Tariff (FIT) contracts for renewable energy projects in Ontario. Northland Power Inc. has been awarded a total of 13 contracts to develop solar farms throughout Ontario. Of these 13 developments, two are proposed to be located in the vicinity of Burk's Falls. One of these projects, Burk's Falls East Solar Project, is located on Chetwynd Road in Armour Township, while the other, Burk's Falls West Solar Project, is located on Highway 520 in Ryerson Township. These proposed projects are both considered to be Class 3 Solar Facilities, with a name plate capacity of 10MW each. The projects are currently undertaking the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) process.

## Northland Power Inc.

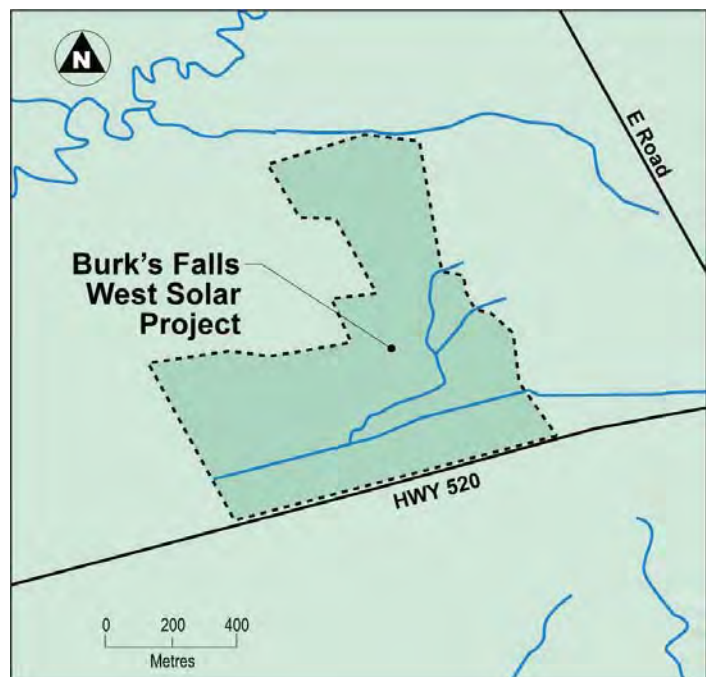


Northland Power develops and operates clean and green power generation projects, mainly in the province of Ontario, Quebec and Saskatchewan. Our facilities generate about 870 MW of electricity. Within Ontario, Northland currently operates combined cycle plants in Kirkland Lake and Cochrane, as well as a cogeneration facility in Iroquois Falls and Thorold. Renewable power facilities including 216 MW of wind, solar and run-of-river hydro projects were awarded to Northland under the Ontario Power Authority's Feed-in-Tariff program. In Saskatchewan, Northland has the 86 MW Spy Hill project and the 260 MW North Battleford project under development.



### Burk's Falls East Solar Project

The project is located on Chetwynd Road, approximately 4 km east southeast of the Village of Burk's Falls.



### Burk's Falls West Solar Project

The project is located on the north side of Highway 520, approximately 3 km west southwest of the Village of Burk's Falls.

## How Solar Power Works

Northland's proposed project will utilize solar photovoltaic (PV) panels to transform energy from the sun into electrical energy for use by Ontarians. According to Natural Resources Canada, solar PV technology has become a favoured form of renewable energy technology due to a number of social and economic factors, including the need to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Once constructed, solar PV also has little impact on the surrounding environment as there are no air emissions and limited amounts of waste are produced during.

A typical solar PV panel is constructed of several layers. The top layer is comprised of glass that protects the PV cell from the elements, with a coating applied to reduce reflected light from the panel. Beneath the glass is a grid, usually made of a metal that conducts electricity. Openings in the grid let sunlight reach the silicon layers underneath, where electricity is generated. Solar PV panels are an environmentally friendly way of producing energy as they:

- contain no liquids, corrosive chemicals or moving parts
- require little maintenance, do not pollute, and operate silently

Electricity generated by the panels is then converted from DC power to AC power at inverter stations located within the solar PV facility. The power is then transformed to the voltage of the local distribution system and delivered to Hydro One's distribution network. As the power is provided to the distribution network, power generated by the projects is available for immediate use by users on the same network.

## Renewable Energy in Ontario

Presently, only 25% of Ontario's electricity supply comes from renewable sources, with the majority provided by nuclear, coal-fired, and oil and gas-based facilities. In order to spark growth in clean and renewable sources of energy, such as solar power, the Ontario government passed the Green Energy Act on May 14, 2009. It is the intention of the Ontario government to promote a stronger, greener economy for the Province.

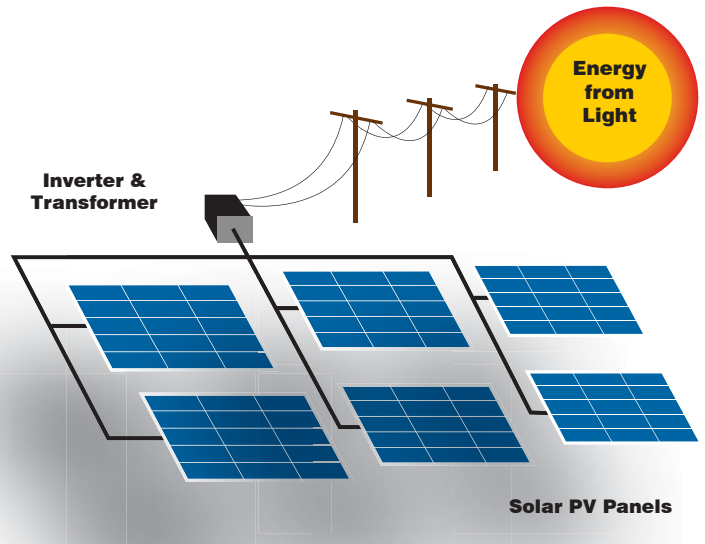
In support of the Green Energy Act, Northland will source at least 60% of the materials needed to construct the projects from domestic companies. In addition, the design, manufacture, construction, and operation/maintenance of Northland's proposed green energy projects within the province will result in the creation of hundreds of jobs.

Northland's proposed solar projects will have a combined nameplate capacity of 130 MW, helping Ontario reach its goal of doubling the amount of electricity supplied from renewable sources. This will also contribute towards Ontario's goal of phasing out coal-fired electricity generation by 2014. Specifically, Burk's Falls East Solar Project and Burk's Falls West Solar Project could produce a total of approximately 27, 800, 000 kWh in their first year of operation.



Hatch Ltd is an Ontario-based consulting, engineering, environmental and management company with operations worldwide and a reputation for excellence acquired over 80 years of continuous service to its clients.

Hatch has been retained by Northland to undertake the REA process for their various solar projects within the province.



### Additional Information:

To learn more about the proposed Burk's Falls East Solar Project and Burk's Falls West Solar Project, public meetings in relation to these projects, or to communicate concerns please contact:

**Sean Male, M.Sc, Environmental Coordinator**  
Hatch Ltd.

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Niagara Falls, Ontario, L2E 7J7

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# Northland Power

## ***Welcomes You to the First Public Meeting*** *for the Burk's Falls East Solar Project*

Saturday, November 6, 2010

10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Armour, Ryerson and Burks's Falls Memorial Arena/

Community Centre,

220 Centre Street, Burk's Falls, ON





# Purpose of this Public Meeting

A public meeting to solicit stakeholder input is an important aspect of the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) process and project planning.

This public meeting provides an opportunity to:

- Gain further understanding about Northland Power's proposed solar energy projects in your area
- Obtain information about the REA Process
- Ask questions regarding the proposed Projects
- Raise concerns or issues regarding the proposed Projects

## How can I provide comments or concerns?

A variety of methods are available for providing comments or concerns.

You can:

1. Fill out a comment form provided at this public meeting. This form can also be used to register your name and mailing address so you are included on the Project mailing lists.
2. Discuss your comments or concerns with one of the representatives of Northland Power or Hatch present at this public meeting.
3. Contact the Environmental Coordinator for the Project via the following information:

**Sean Male**, MSc

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*Northland Power develops and operates clean and green power generation facilities, mainly in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, with Saskatchewan being added to that list shortly. Our facilities produce about 900 MW of electricity. Northland Power has been in business since 1987 and has been publicly traded since 1997.*

Sustainability is a core value at Northland Power. All of our development efforts and operational practices focus on providing long term benefits to our customers, investors, employees, communities and partners.

*For Northland Power, sustainability has many dimensions:*

**Environmental:** Northland Power was founded on the belief that clean and green energy sources are vital to the future of our planet. Our construction and operational practices are engineered to meet the highest environmental standards, even in jurisdictions where lower standards are legislated.

**Community:** Northland Power takes an active interest in its host communities to ensure they remain vibrant, healthy places to live.

**Operational:** Northland Power maintains and reinvests in their operating assets to achieve maximum efficiency and economic life.

**Health and Safety:** Ensuring that our staff has the knowledge, tools and time to work safely is Northland's first priority. Our culture of safety, respect and independence helps to ensure we attract and retain the people that we need to perform.

**Financial:** Northland Power consistently chooses long term success over short term gain. Northland Power only pursues projects that meet strict return thresholds and have creditworthy customers. As a result, we have paid stable monthly dividends since 1997.

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# Solar Technology

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## *Advantages of Solar Energy*

Solar power has a multitude of advantages compared to most other power generation technologies.

- First and foremost, the fuel is free. As the cost of many fossil fuels is expected to increase in the future, having solar energy on the grid at a set price will give greater stability to future energy prices.
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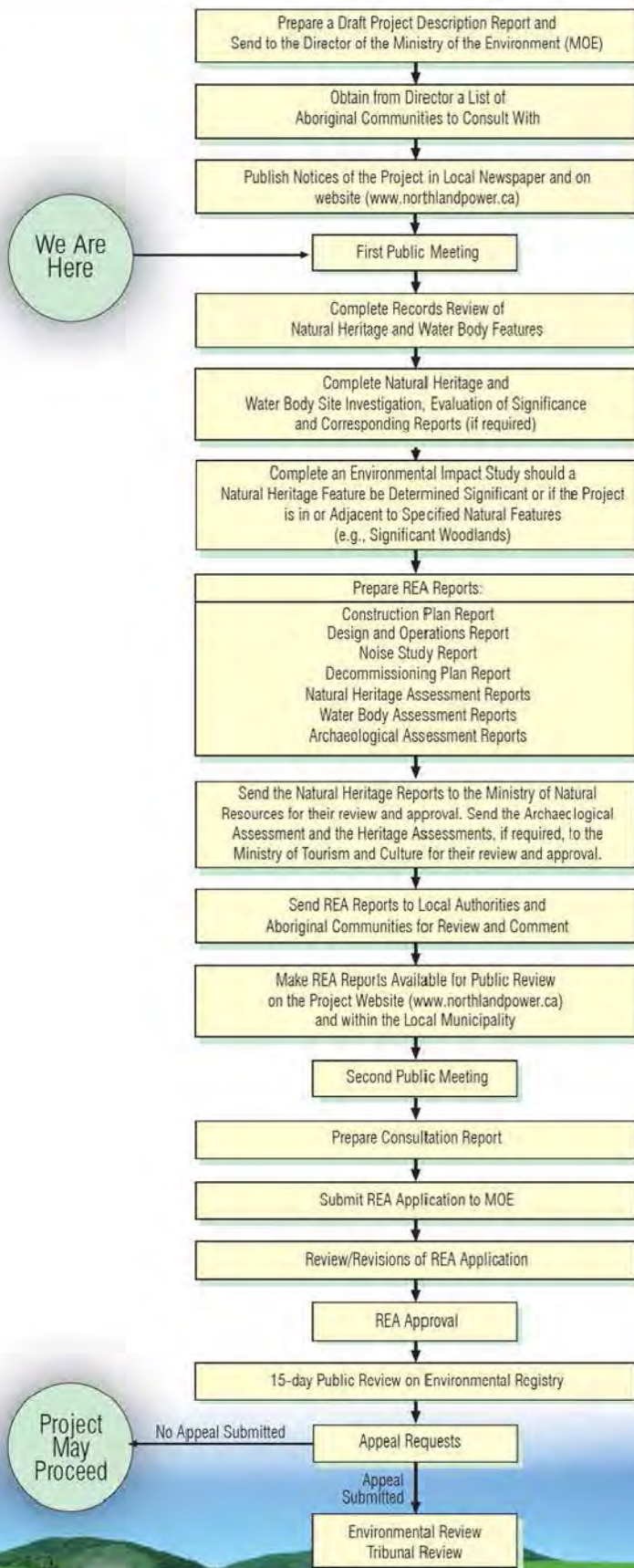
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# Renewable Energy Approval Process

The proposed Project is subject to the (REA) process, subject to the provisions of Part V.0.1 of the Environmental Protection Act and Ontario Regulation 359/09. The REA process entails consideration of environmental aspects, including natural heritage features and water bodies, as well as heritage and archaeological resources. In addition, the REA process includes public, government agency and First Nation consultation.

The main components of the REA process are shown in the flow diagram.



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# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

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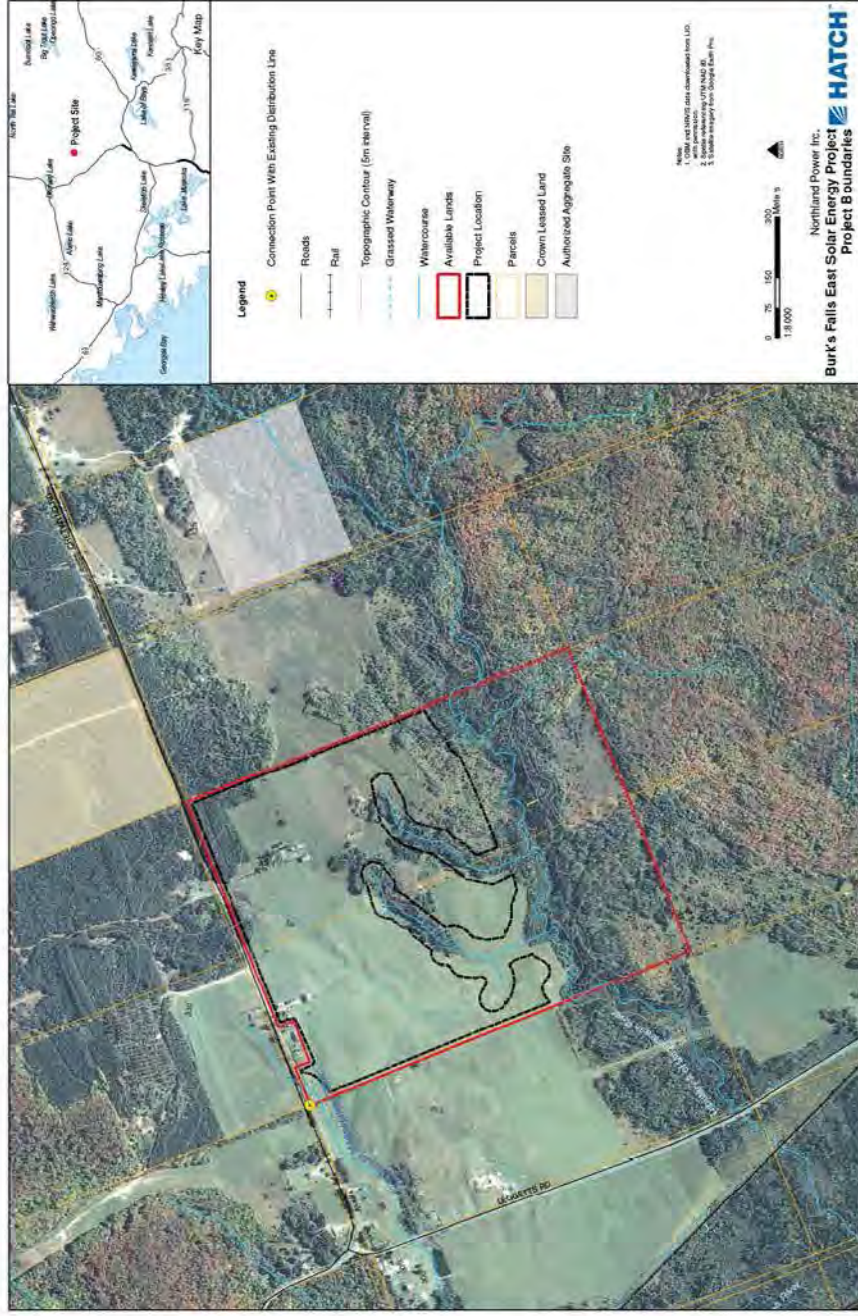
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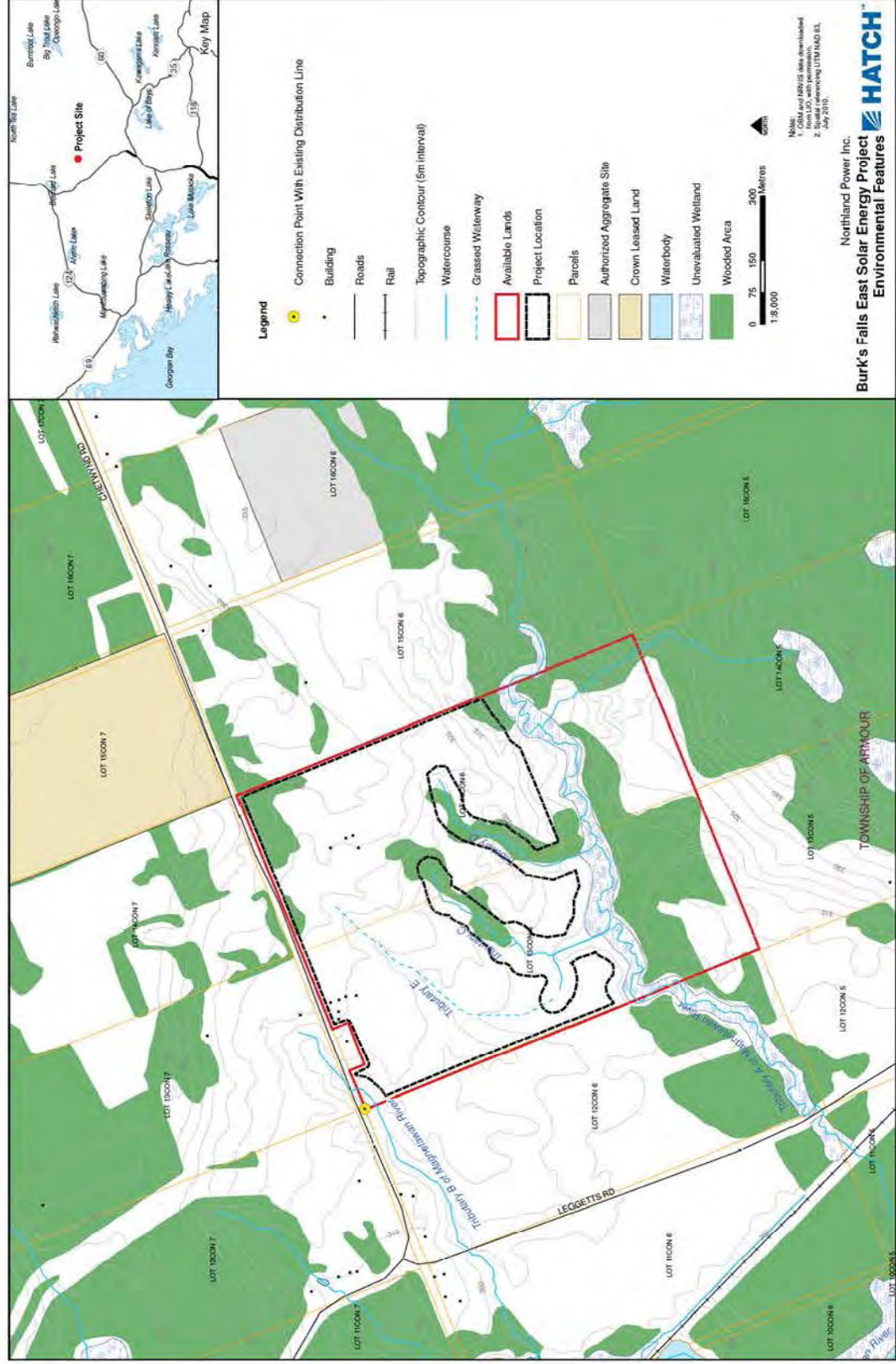
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# Burk's Falls East Solar Project

## Environmental Features



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## Terrestrial Environment

The Project site is characterized by its rolling topography and mix of upland and lowland vegetation communities. The Project site consists of a mix of poorly drained and well drained sandy loam and loamy sand soils. The majority of the Project site is used for agricultural purposes including an active livestock (i.e. cattle) operation. The areas that are not in agricultural production are comprised of scrublands. Woodlands near the Project site consist of mixedwood and coniferous forest communities, while the wetland communities consisted of meadow marsh, thicket swamp, and coniferous swamps.

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## Aquatic Environment

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There is also another unnamed tributary of the Magnetawan River flowing through the northwest corner and near the southeastern corner of the Project site.



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Local Traffic	Construction of the Project may result in increased local area traffic and temporary disruption along routes used resulting in delays to the local community traffic, and increased traffic as a result of equipment delivery to the Project site.	Transportation routes will be determined to minimize the impact on local traffic.
Waste Management and Disposal Sites	Construction and operation of the Project will likely result in the generation of recyclable material, and municipal hazardous and sanitary waste.	The disposal and proper storage of wastes and recyclables will occur.





# Next Steps

- All further Project Reports (such as the Construction Plan Report, Archaeological Assessment Report, etc) will be available for public review on the Project websites and at your local municipal office.
- The Notice of the availability of the reports and the Final Public Meeting will be advertised in the local paper and information will be sent to all those on the Project mailing list. You can be included on the mailing list by filling out a comment sheet with your complete mailing address.
- Finally, any written comments or concerns will be addressed within the Consultation Report as a part of the REA submission, which will be available for public review.



**We appreciate your attendance at this public meeting and hope to see you at the next one. Thank you.**

*Your opinion is important to us,*

**Please Sign in and Complete a Comment Sheet**



# Northland Power

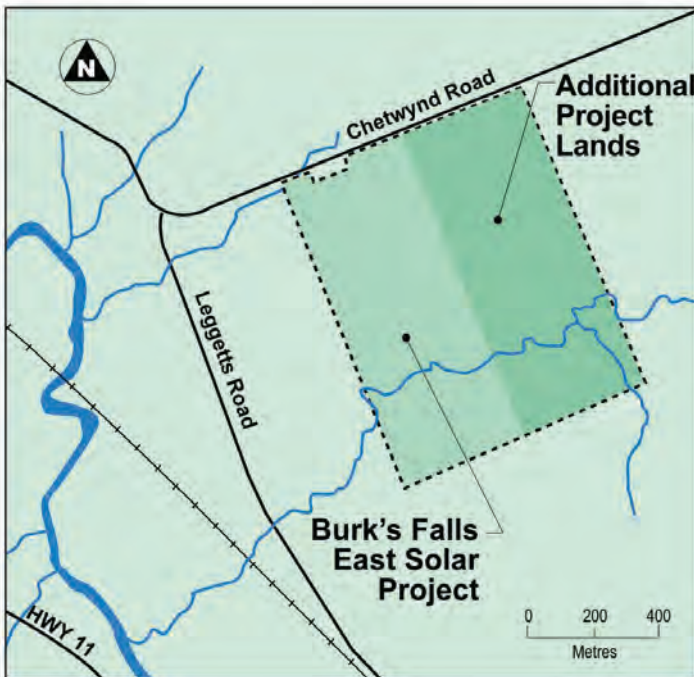


In accordance with the new Green Energy Act, the Ontario Power Authority has awarded Feed-in-Tariff (FIT) contracts for renewable energy projects in Ontario. Northland Power Inc. has been awarded a total of 13 contracts to develop solar farms throughout Ontario. Of these 13 developments, two are proposed to be located in the vicinity of Burk's Falls. One of these projects, Burk's Falls East Solar Project, is located on Chetwynd Road in Armour Township, while the other, Burk's Falls West Solar Project, is located on Highway 520 in Ryerson Township. These proposed projects are both considered to be Class 3 Solar Facilities, with a name plate capacity of 10MW each. The projects are currently undertaking the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) process.

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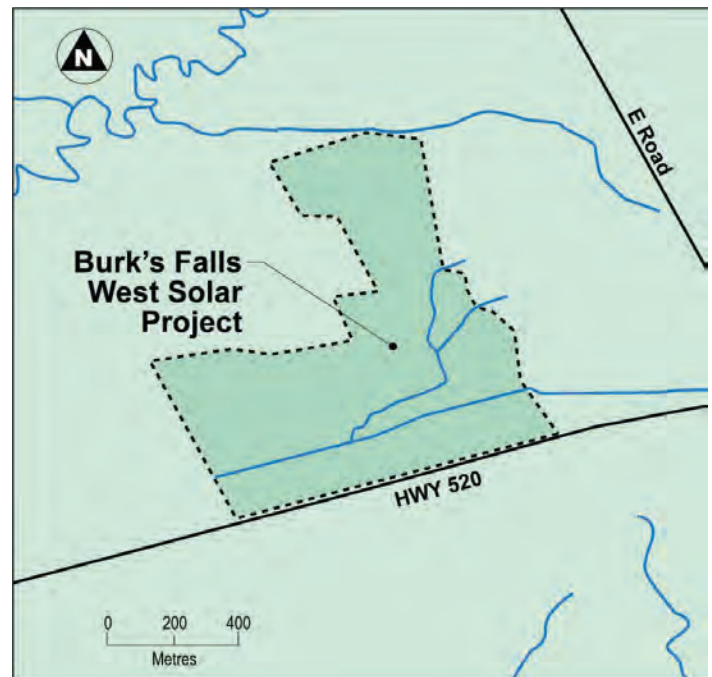


Northland Power develops and operates clean and green power generation projects, mainly in the province of Ontario, Quebec and Saskatchewan. Our facilities generate about 870 MW of electricity. Within Ontario, Northland currently operates combined cycle plants in Kirkland Lake and Cochrane, as well as a cogeneration facility in Iroquois Falls and Thorold. Renewable power facilities including 216 MW of wind, solar and run-of-river hydro projects were awarded to Northland under the Ontario Power Authority's Feed-in-Tariff program. In Saskatchewan, Northland has the 86 MW Spy Hill project and the 260 MW North Battleford project under development.



### Burk's Falls East Solar Project

The project is located on Chetwynd Road, approximately 4 km east southeast of the village of Burk's Falls.



### Burk's Falls West Solar Project

The project is located on the north side of Highway 520, approximately 3 km west southwest of the village of Burk's Falls.

## How Solar Power Works

Northland's proposed project will utilize solar photovoltaic (PV) panels to transform energy from the sun into electrical energy for use by Ontarians. According to Natural Resources Canada, solar PV technology has become a favoured form of renewable energy technology due to a number of social and economic factors, including the need to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Once constructed, solar PV also has little impact on the surrounding environment as there are no air emissions and limited amounts of waste are produced during.

A typical solar PV panel is constructed of several layers. The top layer is comprised of glass that protects the PV cell from the elements, with a coating applied to reduce reflected light from the panel. Beneath the glass is a grid, usually made of a metal that conducts electricity. Openings in the grid let sunlight reach the silicon layers underneath, where electricity is generated. Solar PV panels are an environmentally friendly way of producing energy as they:

- contain no liquids, corrosive chemicals or moving parts
- require little maintenance, do not pollute, and operate silently

Electricity generated by the panels is then converted from DC power to AC power at inverter stations located within the solar PV facility. The power is then transformed to the voltage of the local distribution system and delivered to Hydro One's distribution network. As the power is provided to the distribution network, power generated by the projects is available for immediate use by users on the same network.

## Renewable Energy in Ontario

Presently, only 25% of Ontario's electricity supply comes from renewable sources, with the majority provided by nuclear, coal-fired, and oil and gas-based facilities. In order to spark growth in clean and renewable sources of energy, such as solar power, the Ontario government passed the Green Energy Act on May 14, 2009. It is the intention of the Ontario government to promote a stronger, greener economy for the Province.

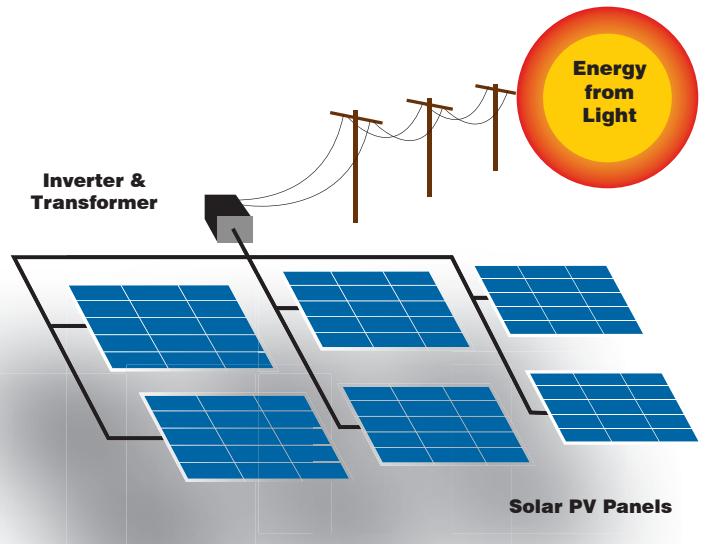
In support of the Green Energy Act, Northland will source at least 60% of the materials needed to construct the projects from domestic companies. In addition, the design, manufacture, construction, and operation/maintenance of Northland's proposed green energy projects within the province will result in the creation of hundreds of jobs.

Northland's proposed solar projects will have a combined nameplate capacity of 130 MW, helping Ontario reach its goal of doubling the amount of electricity supplied from renewable sources. This will also contribute towards Ontario's goal of phasing out coal-fired electricity generation by 2014. Specifically, Burk's Falls East Solar Project and Burk's Falls West Solar Project could produce a total of approximately 27, 800, 000 kWh in their first year of operation.



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Hatch has been retained by Northland to undertake the REA process for their various solar projects within the province.



### Additional Information:

To learn more about the proposed Burk's Falls East Solar Project and Burk's Falls West Solar Project, public meetings in relation to these projects, or to communicate concerns please contact:

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