

## **Announcement of Preferred Site and Third Open House for an Environmental Assessment of the Capital Region Resource Recovery Centre**

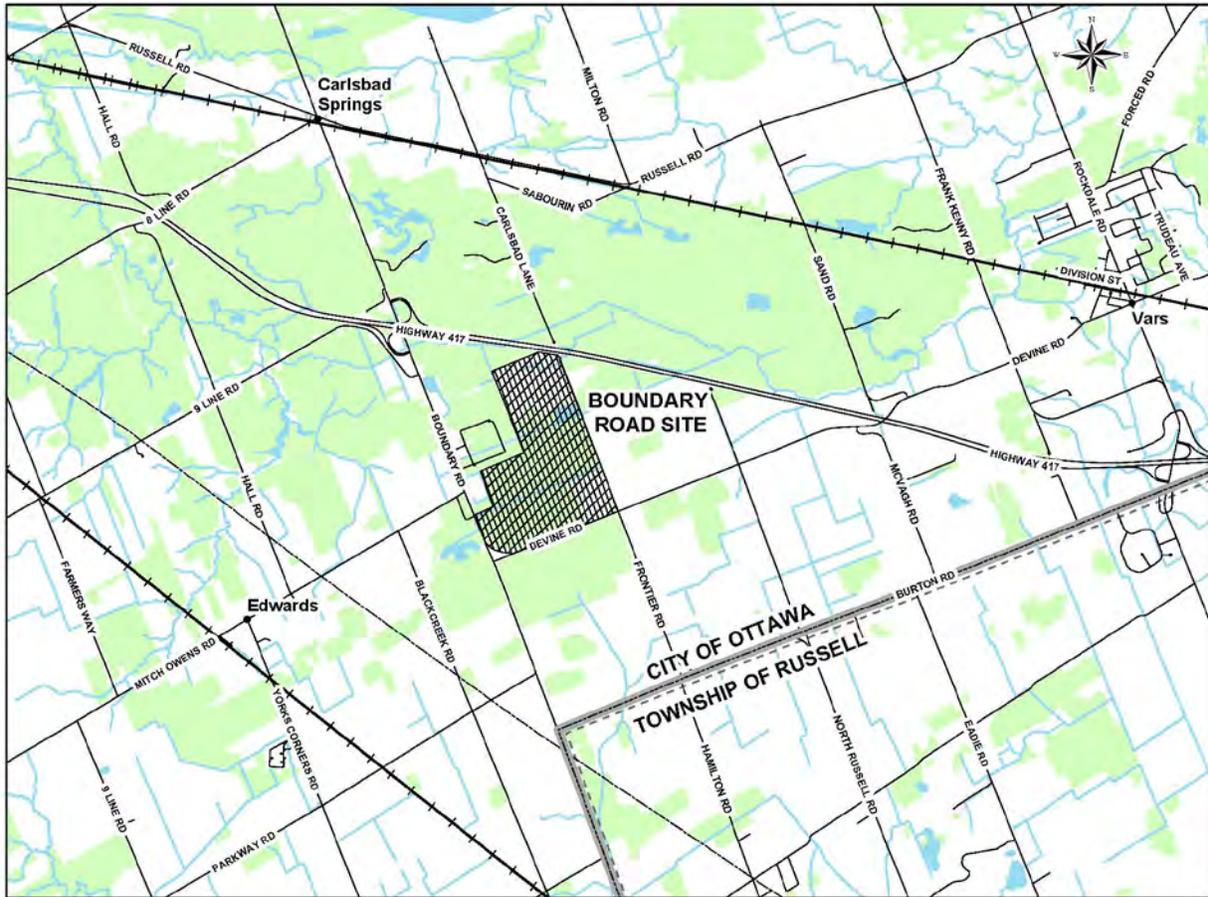
Taggart Miller Environmental Services (Taggart Miller) is undertaking an environmental assessment (EA) under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act for a proposed integrated waste management project to be known as the Capital Region Resource Recovery Centre (CRRRC). In December 2012, the Terms of Reference (TOR) for this environmental assessment were approved by the Minister of the Environment.

The CRRRC, if approved, would provide facilities and capacity for recovery of resources and diversion of materials from disposal that are generated by the Industrial, Commercial and Institutional (IC&I) and Construction and Demolition (C&D) sectors in Ottawa and eastern Ontario, as well as disposal capacity for material that is not diverted. The components of the CRRRC will be developed through further consultation during the environmental assessment and are currently proposed to include:

- material recovery facility;
- construction and demolition waste processing;
- organics processing;
- hydrocarbon contaminated soil treatment;
- surplus soil management;
- a drop off for separated materials or separation of materials;
- leaf and yard materials composting (if there is enough material available); and
- an engineered landfill for residuals disposal.

As set out in the approved TOR, Taggart Miller has undertaken a comparative evaluation of the two sites being considered for the CRRRC facility. One site is located in the northwest part of Russell Township and the other site is located east of Boundary Road and south of Highway 417 in the City of Ottawa near an existing industrial park.

Following the methodology outlined in the approved TOR for the comparative evaluation, the Boundary Road Site has been identified as the preferred site for the CRRRC. The location of the preferred site is shown on the map below.



The purpose of the third Open House is to explain the rationale for identification of the preferred Site for the CRRRC project; and to provide more information on the proposed CRRRC diversion and landfill components.

Two identical Open House sessions have been organized to provide local residents and other interested parties with information about the proposed CRRRC facility and the environmental assessment process.

**Open House # 3, Session 1**

**Monday February 25, 2013  
4:00 to 9:00 pm  
Carlsbad Community Centre  
6020 Eighth Line Road, Ottawa**

**Open House # 3, Session 2**

**Wednesday February 27, 2013  
4:00 to 9:00 pm**

**Russell Arena  
1084 Concession Street, Russell**

Public participation by local residents and other interested parties is an important part of the environmental assessment process. In addition to participating in these events, you are invited to submit your comments via the project website [www.CRRRC.ca](http://www.CRRRC.ca), by mail, or fax to the address/number provided below.

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Your participation is requested and appreciated.