

# Bleams Road (Regional Road 56), Strasburg Road to Fischer-Hallman Road, Kitchener

## Class Environmental Assessment Study Information Sheet for Schedule B and C Projects

### Study/Project Scope (Why and What):

The 2011 Regional Transportation Master Plan (RTMP) has identified this section of Bleams Road for widening within the 10-20 year timeframe in the listing of road improvements priorities. The planned road improvements have been established to help manage the Region's future growth and transportation needs. The Draft 2017 Region Transportation Capital Program (RTCP) includes this section for construction in 2020, which is earlier than the 10-20 year timeframe identified. This is due to traffic growth which has increased faster than anticipated in transportation modeling. Specific project needs and justification will be confirmed during the Environmental Assessment (EA) process.

As such, the Regional Municipality of Waterloo intends to undertake a Schedule C Class Environmental Assessment (EA) and preliminary design; detailed design; and contract administration and construction inspection for the potential widening and improvements on Bleams Road (Regional Road 56) from Strasburg Road to Fischer-Hallman Road in the City of Kitchener.

**Preliminary Cost Estimate (Budget):** \$9,725,000

### Preliminary Schedule:

Commencement of Study (EA)	2017
Commencement of Detailed Design	2019
Commencement and Completion of Construction	2020

### Project Information

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