

List of Presenters for Waterloo Town Hall Meeting

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Description

Afternoon Session – 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Opening Remarks – Dennis R. O'Connor, Commissioner		
Mr. Ken Seiling	Regional Chair, Regional Municipality of Waterloo	Overview of water works in the Regional Municipality of Waterloo.
Mr. Bill McGregor	Director, Kitchener/Waterloo Chamber of Commerce	The need for greater assistance from the Province with respect to implementation of policies/procedures for ground water protection.
Ms. Hanne Pedersen	Vice-President, Foxboro Green Homeowners Association	Cost of additional water testing and it's impact on Foxboro Green.
Mrs. Daphne Nicholls	Member, Neighbourhood Associations	Concerns about unplugged/abandoned wells and interaction between all levels of government and well owners.
Mr. Steve Kistoth	Hydrogeologist	The need for a water resources inventory.
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Mr. Stewart Cressman	Waterloo Region Hog/Cattle Producer	The cost of proper Nutrient Management Plans and Environmental Farm Plans.
Ms. Judy Greenwood Speers	Gerontologist	Potential contamination of water in Chatsworth, Wellesley Township and Brant County.
Mr. Ray Rivers	Executive Director, Organic Crop Improvement Association	The position of the Organic Crop Improvement Association.
Mr. George Mulamoottil	Distinguished Professor Emeritus, University of Waterloo	The delivery of bacteria and viruses by nematodes in water.
Mr. Jeff Stager	Local Farmer	Potential amendments to the Tile Loan Drainage Act to include water conservation.

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Evening Session – 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Opening Remarks – Dennis R. O'Connor, Commissioner		
Mr. Russell Danbrook	Perth County Farmer	Description of the Agricultural Peer Review Committee, issues surrounding communal wells and potential impact of abandoned wells.
Ms. Susan Bryant	President, APT Environment (citizen's group)	The contamination of Elmira's water by chemicals.
Mr. Henry Regier	Professor Emeritus, University of Toronto	The shift in who bore the onus to do something about poor water quality in Elmira and an overview of the Environmental Performance Agreement in this area.
Mr. Vern Martin	Vice-President, Pinegrove Community Association	Private well on the edge of burgeoning development: lessons learned from 4 decades of operating experience.
Mr. Carl Kaufman	Professional Engineer	The benefits of building a pipeline from the Great Lakes/Georgian Bay.
Ms. Penelope Polyzou	Member, 7Generations Network	The impact of golf courses on the Grand River watershed.
Mr. Alan Marshall	Member, Elmira Environmental Hazards Team	The cleanup strategies used after contamination and their effect on water quality.
Mr. Bill Lang	Project Coordinator, Centre for Water Quality Committee	The prospect of establishing a Centre for Water Quality and its potential impact.