

TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL ACTION ITEM

Committee: Committee of The Whole- Administration & Operations

Date: May 12, 2025

Department: Environmental Services

Topic: 2025 Spencerville Lagoon Discharge Report

Purpose: To receive and review the 2025 Spencerville Lagoon Discharge Report and seek direction to submit the report to the MECP prior to the June 30th due date.

Background:

The effluent of the lagoons was discharged into the South Nation River over a 12-day period spanning from April 7 to April 19, 2025. The annual discharge window is between March 15 and April 21. The combined effluent volume of both cells was approximately 74,040 cubic meters or 64% of the 116,000 cubic meter capacity.

The report is attached for receipt and review

Policy Implications:

Condition 6 of Environmental Compliance Approval (formerly Certificate of Approval) # 3-1377-87-896, requires the operating authority to report the results of the monitoring program described in Condition No. 5 and compliance with Condition # 2, including dates of discharge, to the District Officer for the Kingston District of the MECP by June 30 of each year.

Strategic Plan Implications: Nil

Financial Considerations: Nil

Recommendation: That Committee recommends Council receive and review the 2025 Spencerville Lagoon Discharge Report and direct staff to submit the report to the MECP prior to the June 30th due date.

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