







Stormwater Designs

Assessment and Evaluation

During Phase 2 of the MCEA process, alternative solutions including the "Do Nothing" alternative were assessed. The preferred alternative solution was a combination of:

- Managing stormwater (SWM) demand to reduce the volume of runoff generated during rainfall events (such as limiting growth/land development and allowing only Low Impact Development measures) and
- New SWM infrastructure to handle the anticipated remaining flow of runoff.

The "Do Nothing" alternative was considered, but it does not address the problem and therefore is not considered a reasonable option. It will not be included as a design alternative.





Evaluation Criteria – Stormwater



Criteria Group	Indicator		Evaluation Criteria			
Natural Environment	Aquatic	0	Number of watercourse crossings Wetland areas directly impacted Opportunities to enhance habitat Area and type of currently			
	Wildlife Vegetation Species at Risk	- O	Effect on wildlife corridors Disruption to areas with potential wildlife habitat natural land that will be affected Area of removal of tree canopy Potential disruption to Species at Risk habitat			
Cultural Environment	Archaeological Resources Indigenous Resources	0				
Physical Environment	Groundwater Potential to Encounter or Move Contaminated Soils	0 0	 Potential effect on groundwater infiltration Number of residential wells potentially impacted Proximity to areas of known potential contamination 			
Socio- Economic Environment	Compatibility with Current Planning Goals Effect on Existing Residences Planned Development Recreational Features	0 0 0	Degree of conformance to previous studies or planning documents Disruption during construction Perceived enjoyment Number of changes to major utility corridors and existing structures			
	Major Infrastructure Changes Property Taking Capital and Maintenance Costs	0	Amount of property required (existing and future development) Estimated and relative cost			
Technical	Regulatory Requirements	0 0	 Water quality and quantity control provided Proximity to Intake Protection Zone (Water Works Intake) Incorporation of Low Impact Development 			

Stormwater Approach

Terminology

End-of-Pipe Stormwater Facility (SWM Pond)	Ponds that treat runoff collected using catchbasins and storm sewer pipes in larger areas. The pipes outlet into the ponds, which are generally sized to provide water quantity and quality control for urban runoff. Quantity control helps to prevent flooding and quality control helps to remove contaminants from reaching watercourses.
Water Quality Treatment	Requirements for contaminant removal effectiveness are based on Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks guidelines.
Water Quantity Control	Requirements for flood control are based on the City of Peterborough and Otonabee Region Conservation guidelines. Usually the runoff that occurs after development must be controlled to match pre-development levels.
Low Impact Development (LID)	These SWM measures treat runoff closer to its source than the "end-of-pipe" facility and are designed to mimic existing runoff conditions. LID measures, such as bioretention, enhanced grass swales and dry swales, are small scale and designed to encourage infiltration, filtration and detention of stormwater.
Permeable Pipes	Modified storm pipe system that includes perforated pipes to encourage infiltration and reduce the volume of runoff reaching the pipe outlet.
Oil Grit Separators (OGS)	Specially designed manhole structures that allow for separation of oils and road grit from runoff. The waste is held in the manhole for regular clean out.
Dry Pond	Pond that retains water during a storm event, but allows water to infiltrate the soil or discharge so the pond is dry when there is no rainfall.
Treatment Train	Consists of a combination of LID and SWM Pond(s) that provide runoff treatment measures from the runoff source to the outlet point. The treatment train adds appropriate measures throughout the system. It provides flexibility in stormwater design to accommodate site-specific conditions.

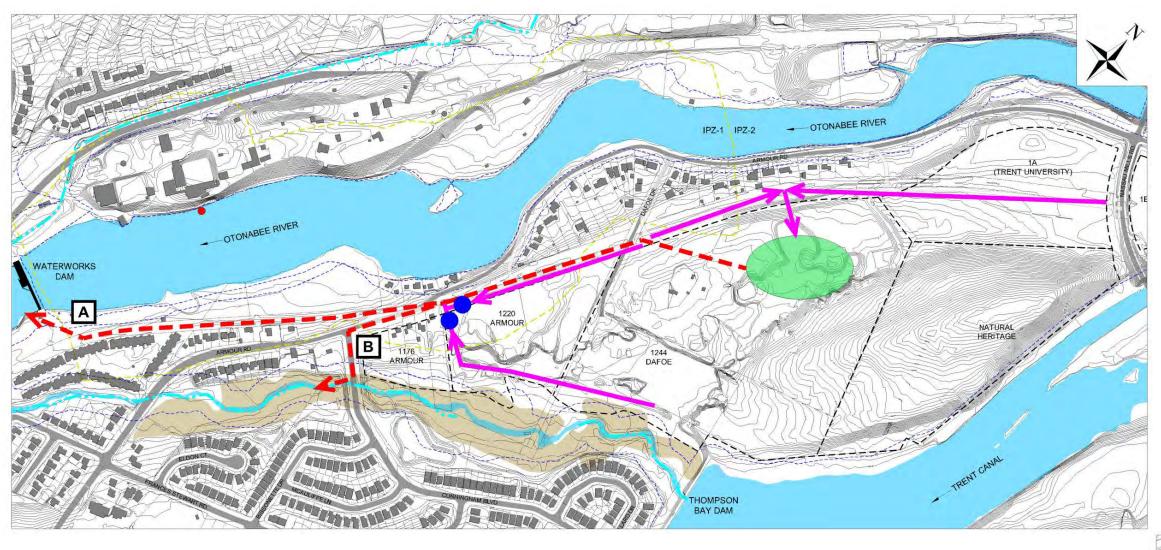
SWM Options for effectively treating runoff from transportation corridors and/or development lands were considered with reference to the locations where transportation infrastructure and/or development is planned.

- Armour Road/Auburn North Area
- Nassau Mills/West Campus Area
- Nassau Mills/ Armour/ University/ Pioneer/ East Campus Area
- Water Street/Woodland Drive Area
- Water Street South of Nassau Mills Road

The suitability of each type of SWM measure was examined for these locations and the preferred SWM option identified.



Stormwater Options – Armour Rd/Auburn North



OPTION 1

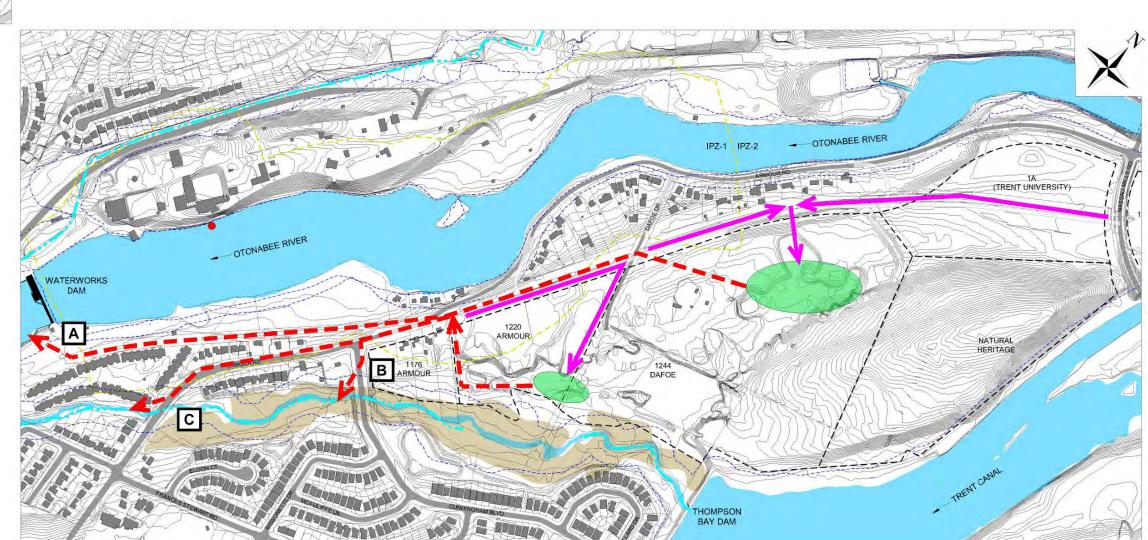
Use Quarry Depression as SWM Pond to service North Area and Oil Grit Separators to service South Area

- **A** Storm Sewer or Combination of Storm Sewer and Ditch to Otonabee River Downstream of Waterworks Dam
- **B** Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing

OPTION 2

Use Quarry Depression as SWM Pond to service North Area and Small SWM Pond to service South Area

- A Storm Sewer or Combination of Storm Sewer and Ditch to Otonabee River Downstream of Waterworks Dam
- **B** Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing
- C Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing



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OPTION 3

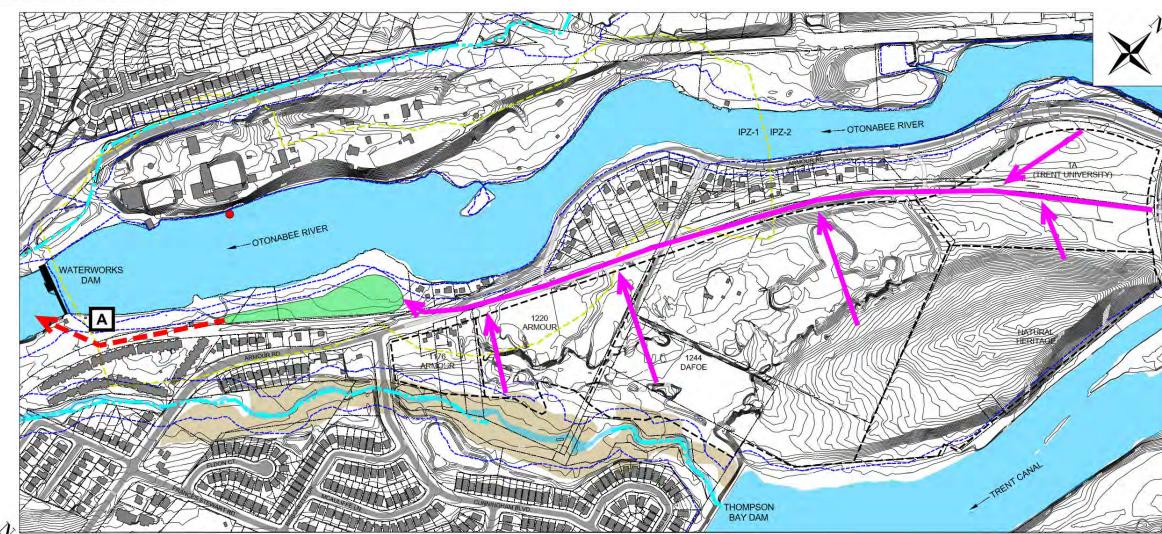
Two Independent SWM Ponds

- 1 Water Quality Outflow to Thompson Creek and balance of flow to A or B
- 2 Total Outflow to A or B
- A Storm Sewer or Combination of Storm Sewer and Ditch to Otonabee River Downstream of Waterworks Dam
- **B** Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing

OPTION 4

One SWM Pond at the Otonabee River Consistent with Master Drainage Plan and Secondary Plan

A - Total Pond Outflow To Storm Sewer Or Ditch To Otonabee River Downstream Of Waterworks Dam



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OPTION 5

One SWM Pond at Thompson Creek with a portion of Armour Road serviced by an Oil Grit Separator

- A Storm Sewer or Combination of Storm Sewers and Ditch to Otonabee River Downstream of Waterworks Dam
- **B** Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing
- C Outlet Downstream of Thompson Creek Crossing





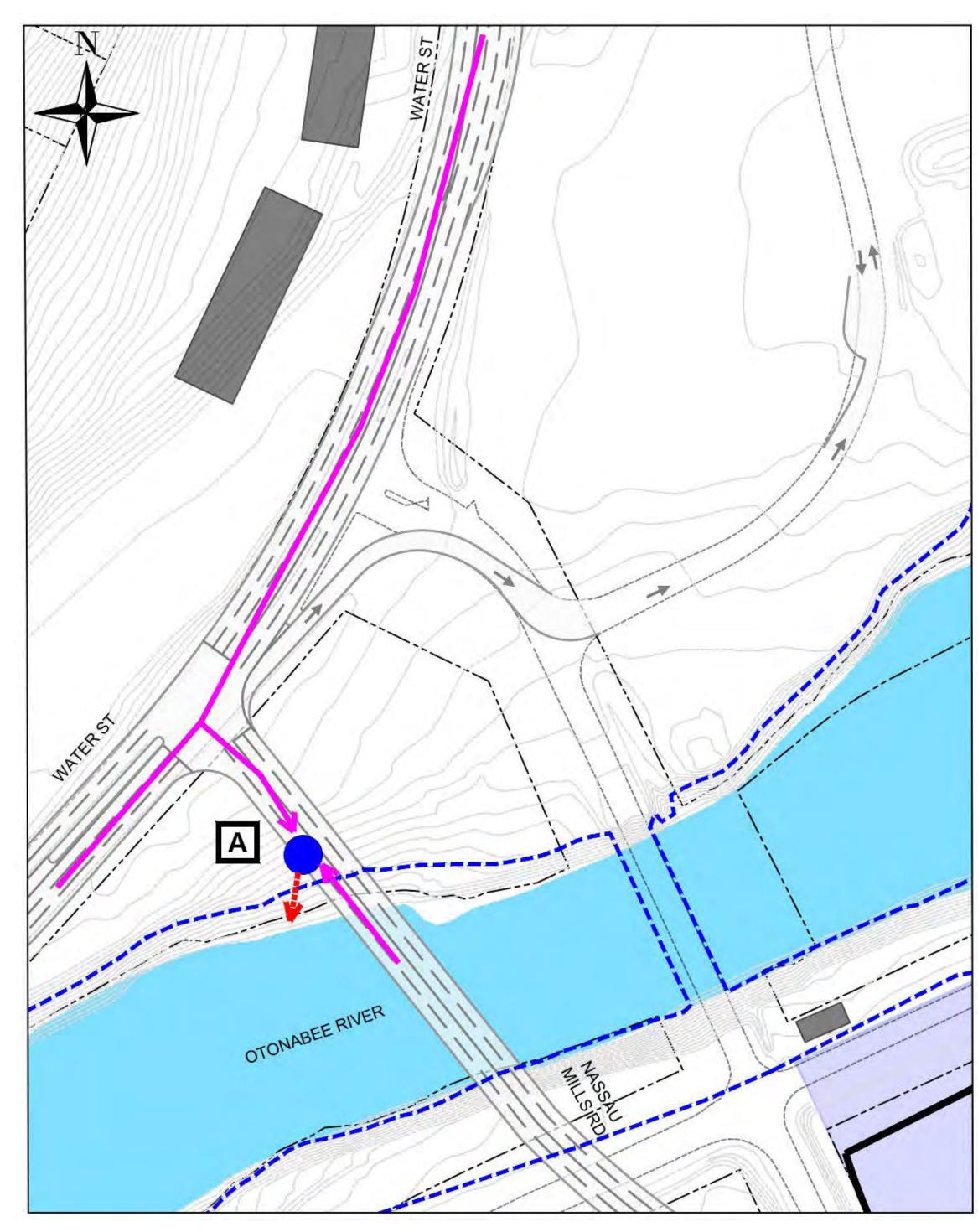
Evaluation of Stormwater Options – Armour Road/Auburn North

Criteria Group	Option 1 Quarry Pond servicing North Area and Oil Grit Separators servicing South Area	Option 2 Quarry Pond servicing North Area and Small SWM Pond servicing South Area	Option 3 Two Independent SWM Ponds	Option 4 One SWM Pond Consistent with Master Drainage Plan	Option 5 One SWM Pond at Thompson Creek
Natural Environment					
Cultural Environment					
Physical Environment					
Socio- Economic Environment					
Technical					

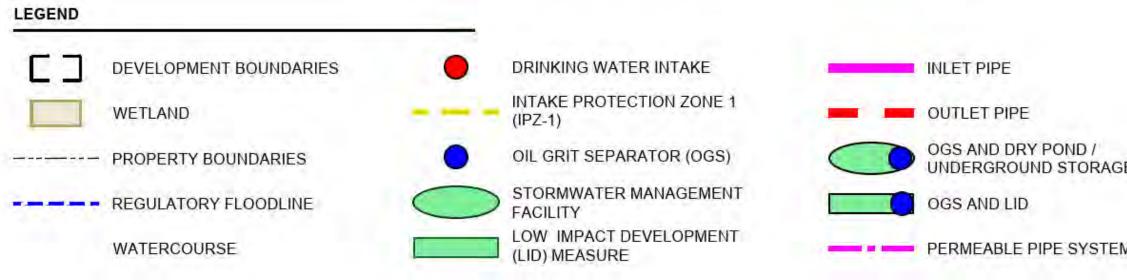
Option 3 is Preferred because:

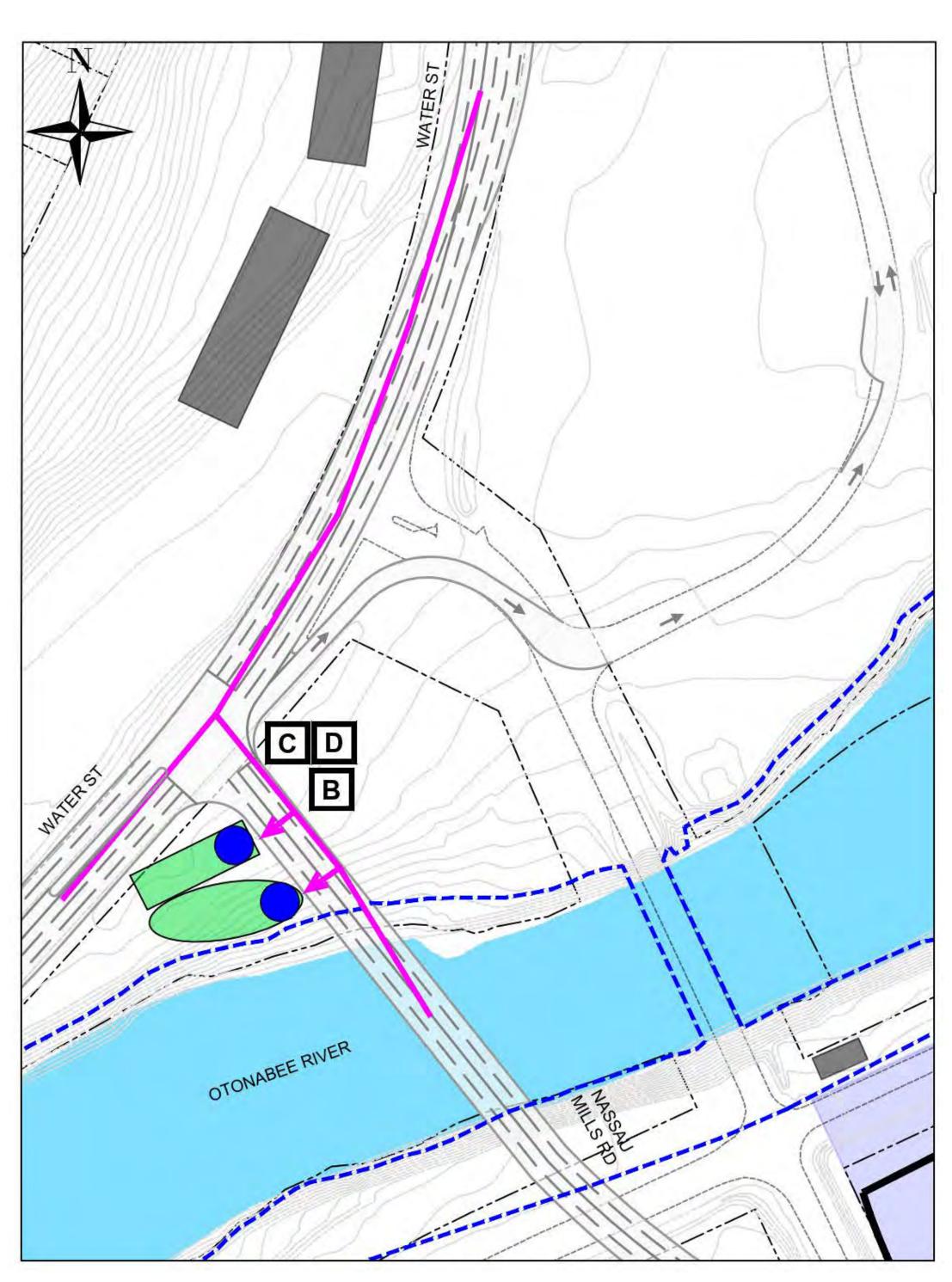
- Addresses water quality and quantity treatment
- o Allows road to be serviced at two locations keeping infrastructure costs lower
- Serves planned development by maximizing developable area
- Allows road and development to be implemented in stages or separately
- o Allows for potential integration with adjacent natural and recreation areas
- Minimizes potential disruption to existing residences

Stormwater Options – West Campus / Nassau Mills Road - Water Street - West Bank Drive



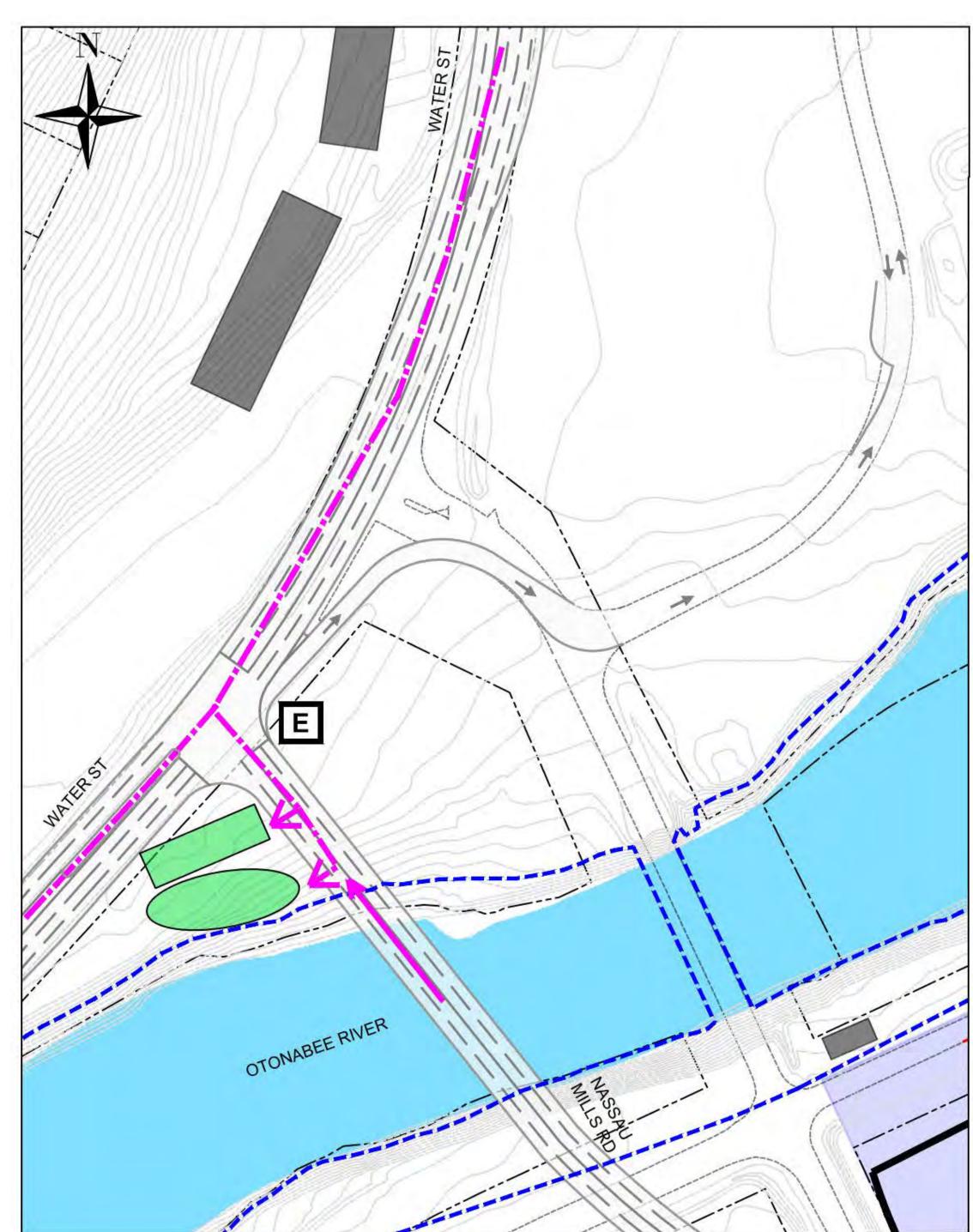
OPTION A
Oversized Storm Sewer Pipe Storage with Oil Grit Separator





OPTION B, C and D

- B Storm Sewers with Oil Grit Separator with Balance of Flow to Dry Pond / Underground Storage
- C Storm Sewers with Oil Grit Separator with Balance of Flow to Low Impact Development Measures
- D Storm Sewers with Low Impact Development Measures Only



OPTION E

Perforated Pipe System Integrated with Storm Sewers with Balance of flow to Dry Pond or Low Impact Development Measures

Evaluation of Stormwater Options – West Campus / Nassau Mills Road - Water Street - West Bank Drive

Most Preferred ()







Least Preferred

Criteria Group	Option A Oversized Storm Pipe with Oil Grit Separator	Option B Oil Grit Separator and Dry Pond / Underground Storage	Option C Oil Grit Separator and Low Impact Development Measure	Option D Low Impact Development Measure Only	Option E Perforated Pipe System to Dry Pond or Low Impact Development Measure
Natural Environment					
Cultural Environment					
Physical Environment					
Socio- Economic Environment					
Technical					

Option C is preferred subject to further assessment because:

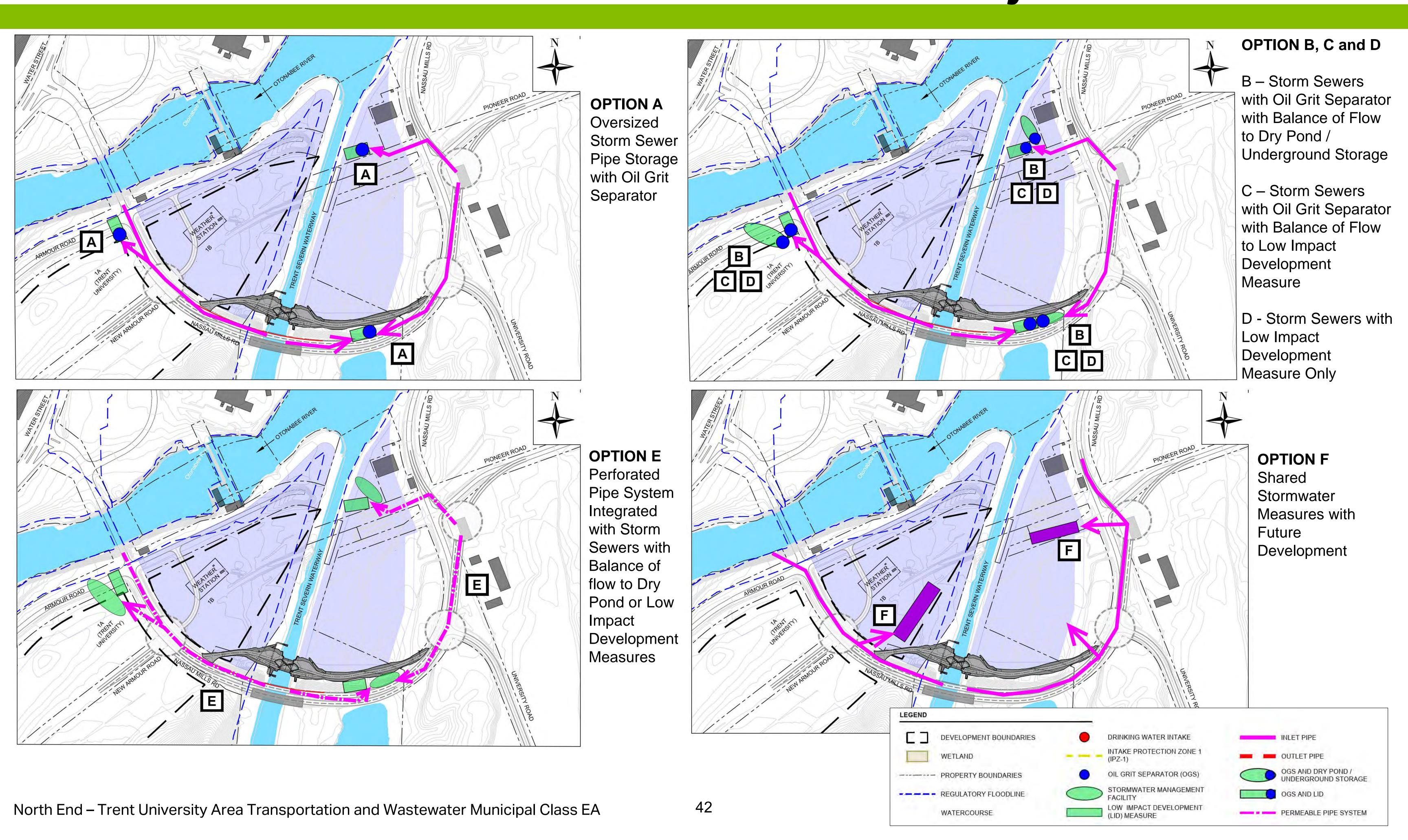
- Addresses water quality and quantity treatment
- Treats runoff from entire road and not just widening or improvements
- Allows integration of solution with recreation and natural environment
- Can be implemented in stages
- Allows for integration with transportation design
- Incorporates Low Impact Design (LID)

If further assessment indicates Option C cannot be implemented, the preferred is Option B

Water Street – South of Nassau Mills Road:

 Due to localized road improvements, stormwater management is recommended to be integrated into existing storm system

Stormwater Options – East Campus / Nassau Mills Road Alternatives: Armour Rd – Pioneer Rd – University Rd Intersections



Evaluation of Stormwater Options – East Campus / Nassau Mills Road Alternatives: Armour Rd – Pioneer Rd – University Rd

Most Preferred ()







Least Preferred

Criteria Group	Option A Oversized Storm Pipe with Oil Grit Separator	Option C Oil Grit Separator and Low Impact Development Measure	Option D Low Impact Development Measure Only	Option E Perforated Pipe System to Dry Pond or Low Impact Development Measure	Option F Shared Stormwater Facility with Development
Natural Environment					
Cultural Environment					
Physical Environment					
Socio- Economic Environment					
Technical					

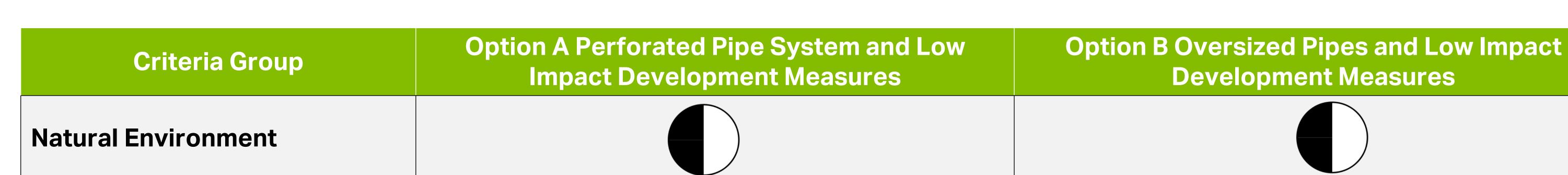
Option B is Preferred because:

- Addresses water quality and quantity treatment for the area
- o Treats runoff from entire road and not just widening or improvements
- Allows integration of solution with recreation and natural environment
- o Reduces impact on groundwater and wells within the area
- Can be implemented in stages

Stormwater Options – Water Street at Woodland Drive



Evaluation of Stormwater Options – Water St at Woodland Dr



Least Preferred

Natural Environment	
Cultural Environment	
Physical Environment	
Socio-Economic Environment	
Technical	

Option B is Preferred because:

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- o Addresses water quality and quantity treatment for the area
- o Treats runoff from entire road and not just widening or improvements
- o Allows integration of solution with recreation and natural environment
- Can be implemented in stages

Next Steps - Stormwater

- The project team will consider all comments received from this consultation and from a Public Information Centre to be held in the future. The PIC will present refined alternatives, preliminary evaluation and preliminary design alternatives.
- After receiving comments, the project team will confirm or update the Preliminary Preferred Options.
- Preliminary Designs will involve:
 - Develop SWM pond designs
 - Identify property requirements for SWM facilities including ponds, enhanced swales and oil-grit separators
 - Provide cost estimates
 - Develop implementation plan considering the needs of related transportation infrastructure and development
- The project team will then hold another round of consultation before preparing the Environmental Study Report for public review

Comments

How can you provide comments?

- Visit the Project website. Go to <u>http://www.peterborough.ca/</u> and click on: "Doing Business", "Studies and Projects" and look under "Projects" for "North End – Trent University Area Transportation and Wastewater Management Class Environmental Assessment"
- Send comments by email to: NorthEndEA@Peterborough.ca

Questions?

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