



Staff Update

November 17th, 2022





Eastern Ontario First Nations Working Group



- EOFNWG next meeting hosted by SNC
- November 24, 2022 at 10 a.m.



March 24, 2022 EOFNWG meeting hosted
at the OPG Visitors Center in Cornwall



McIntosh Memorial Park Tree Lighting



Come celebrate the holiday season!

McIntosh Park Christmas Lighting Ceremony

Friday, November 25, 2022
6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

McIntosh Memorial Park Conservation Area
6 Cockburn Street, Berwick, ON

Lions Club Canteen

Free Hot Chocolate & Coffee

FOODBANK DONATIONS WELCOME



- November 25, 2022
6:00pm – 8:00pm
- Tree lighting at 7:00pm
- Free hot chocolate & coffee
- Donations to the local foodbank are being collected



Delta Youth Hunt



Delta Waterfowl Youth Hunt Program

- October 2 to 3 at the SNC Office
- Since 2007, SNC has partnered with Delta Waterfowl to offer the Youth Hunt
- 10 youth participated



Source Water Protection Committee



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- Ray Beauregard was re-appointed as the Committee Chair
- Applicants are being interviewed by Chair Ray to fill the committee vacancy



Pollinator Meadow Planting at Mill Run CA



Sowing Pollinator Seed Mix
Mill Run Conservation Area
Augusta

- 1 acre pollinator meadow seeded with wildflowers and grasses
- Funding from the Canadian Wildlife Federation
- Maintenance and monitoring planned for 2023



Findlay Creek Boardwalk Extension



View of the Leitrim Wetland Along Proposed Extension
Findlay Creek
Ottawa

Community Open House

December 2022

Date & Time TBC

- Draft designs shared for feedback and discussion



High Falls - Accessible Washroom Project



High Falls Conservation Area
Casselman

- Funding extension received on construction of an accessible washroom at High Falls Conservation Area
- The construction will be complete in 2023



Brisson Trail Re-development



Swallows Path
Casselman

- \$250,000 GFL sponsorship announced
- GFL is committed to the community in the development of the walking path and bird sanctuary
- The project is located along the South Nation River, on Brisson Road



Woodlot Advisory Service (WAS)



Woodlot Advisory Service postcard

- WAS Program continues to the end of November
- UCPR is fully subscribed for 2022
- Funding is still available in SD&G



Grasslands Project Update



Landowner has committed 4.05 ha towards a grasslands project. SNC is working with the landowner on behalf of Grasslands Ontario.

Brushing and treating of invasive alien Buckthorn has taken place and tree cutting and then seeding with native grasses and flowers will complete the project.

A fallow field will have the scattered trees and shrubs removed to make way for grassland.
Metcalf, ON
Ottawa



State of the Nation Report



STATE OF THE NATION

WATERSHED REPORT CARD 2018

South Nation Conservation has prepared this report card as a summary of the state of your forests, wetlands, and water resources. Measuring helps us better understand our watersheds. We can focus our work where it is needed and track progress.



- 5-Year Analysis of Watershed Conditions
 - Forest Conditions
 - Wetland Conditions
 - Surface Water Quality
 - Groundwater Quality
- Part of Conservation Ontario's Watershed Checkup
 - Launch in March 2023



Supporting Municipalities

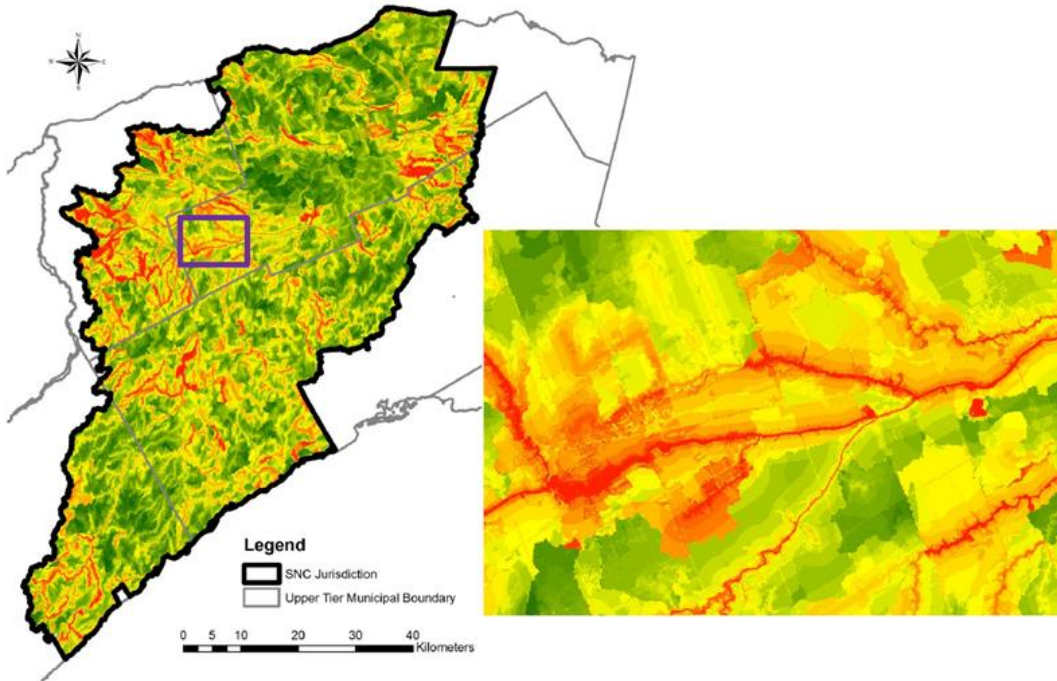


Brigil Subdivision, Limoges
Nation

- Completing stormwater facility inspections for Nation Municipality
- Preparing proposals for:
 - Russell
 - North Stormont
 - Alfred-Plantagenet



Collaborating on Reducing Flood Risk



Flood Risk in Russell Township

- Sharing Flood Risk Assessment results with partner municipalities
- Receiving input on 10-year Flood Mapping Capital Plan
- Key step for reducing flood risk



FHIMP Funding Approvals



- Bear Brook in UCPR
- Castor River in City of Ottawa and UCPR
- South Branch of the South Nation River in SDG
- Land Cover Update in SNC, RVCA and MVC

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