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Province Re-appoints Chair of Lakehead Source Protection Committee

The Lakehead Source Protection Authority (SPA) is pleased to announce the re-appointment of Lucy Kloosterhuis as the Chair of the Source Protection Committee (SPC) for the Lakehead Source Protection Area.

The Source Protection Committee oversees the planning process to establish programs and policies to protect municipal drinking water sources in the Lakehead region, as called for under the *Clean Water Act, 2006*, and its regulations. The Lakehead Source Protection Plan was approved and became effective in October of 2013.

"I am very much looking forward to continuing my role as Chair of the Source Protection Committee and working with the Committee members, with whom I have built strong working relationships," Ms. Kloosterhuis said. "Our Committee has shown a strong desire to protect our water supply and I look forward to working with all of our members to continue this commitment," said Kloosterhuis.

As a respected community leader, Lucy's past involvement with the SPC will be invaluable as she guides the Committee in its important responsibilities under the *Clean Water Act*. Lucy Kloosterhuis is Mayor of the Municipality of Oliver Paipoonge and had previously served a five-year term on the Lakehead Source Protection Committee (SPC) as a Municipality representative member, and a three-year term as the SPC Chair.

More information is available on the local Drinking Water Source Protection website: www.lakeheadca.com/watershed/sourcewaterprotection

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