













## Source Protection Programs Branch (SPPB)

Aftermath of Walkerton Tragedy (2000)

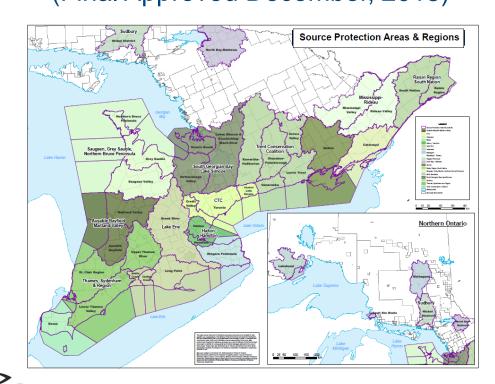
Justice Dennis O'Connor's two-part report with >120 recommendations

Introduction of Clean Water Act (2006) by the Ministry of Environment and Climate Change

Creation of SPPB (Nested under the Drinking Water Management Division)

Ontario investment of over \$250 million

Addressing risks to water resources through the creation and implementation of 22 local Source Protection Plans (Final Approved December, 2015)



Ontario



"Tell me and I forget, teach me and I may remember, involve me and I learn."

— Benjamin Franklin

Implementation of legislation is a comprehensive process and it requires significant compromise due to the multitude of involved stakeholders

Persistence and patience are key to creating successful outcomes

**Communication, trust** and **transparency** are vital for policy development



## Policy and Programs Assistant

- Coordination and facilitation of qualitative research and analysis for Program Framework Review
- Creation of Government Review Team summaries
- Analysis of the Assessment Reports and use of various terminology and definition of stormwater management facilities
- Data collection and summary of scoped methodologies in pilot projects outside of the Source Protection Regions
- Restructuring and standardization of the completed Environmental Compliance Approvals (ECAs) data for the process of secondary screening
- Utilization of Ministry's tools (i.e. mapping tool, Integrated Divisional System (IDS), and etc.)
- Secondary screening of new ECA applications and existing ECA files



