

The following Indigenous Communities were provided the Notice of Completion on May 13, 2026 to announce the Transportation Environmental Summary Report (TESR) was available for the 30-day comment period:

- Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council / Haudenosaunee Development Institute;
- Wendat Nation;
- Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation; and
- Six Nations of the Grand River.

The following table summarizes the comments received from Indigenous Communities following the Notice of Completion.

Summary of Indigenous Community Questions and Comments Following the Notice of Completion

Stakeholder	Comments	Project Team Response
Six Nations of the Grand River Elected Council	Expressed frustration with the lack of communication. An email was sent in 2024 requesting the Fisheries and Terrestrial reports, but the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) had not responded. Requested the Notice of Completion be withdrawn and additional time be provided for the review of the reports and TESR due to a 3-month queue. Also requested capacity funding to support review activities.	The Project Team did not have a record of the 2024 email request. The reports were provided for review upon learning of this request. MTO offered the opportunity to meet and discuss the project and prepare a TESR Errata to document comments and input received after the 30-day comment period. Capacity funding was not available for this phase of the project. MTO committed to exploring participation opportunities in the Detail Design phase such as early engagement, fieldwork participation and review of technical materials.
Six Nations of the Grand River Elected Council	On June 11, 2026, SNGREC submitted a Section 16 Order Request to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP).	MTO submitted the required information and documentation to MECP on October 9, 2026.
Mississaugas of the Credit River First Nation	Requested capacity funding and a Technical Review Agreement to support review of the TESR.	Capacity funding was not available for this phase of the project. MTO offered the opportunity to meet and discuss the project. A TESR Errata could be prepared to document comments received after the 30-day comment period.