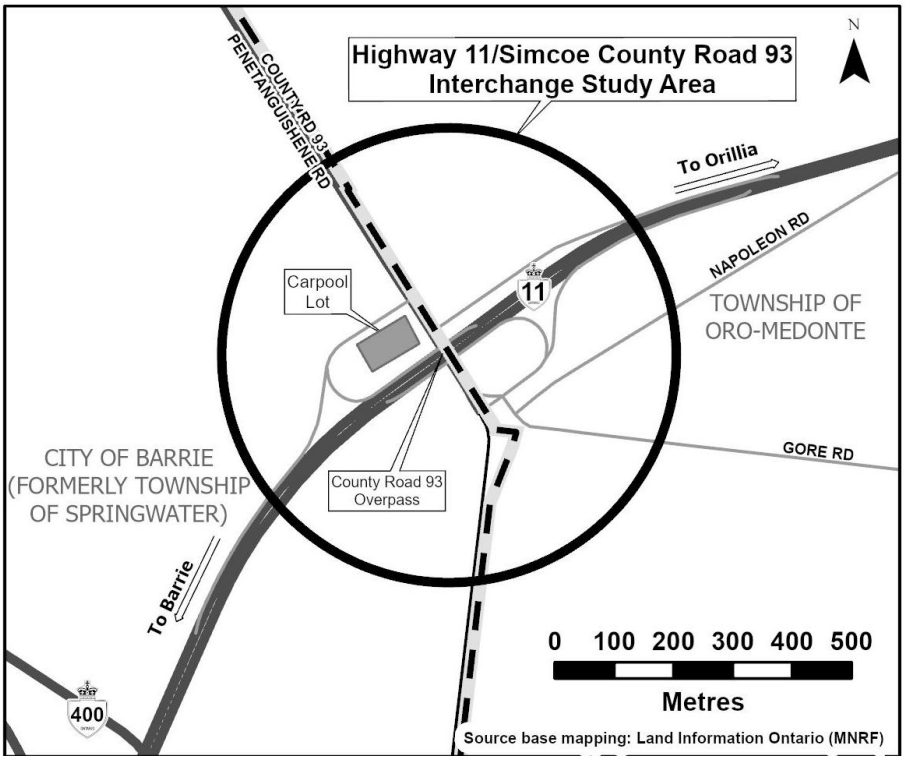
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The Project

The Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) has retained AECOM Canada ULC (AECOM) to undertake a Detail Design and Class Environmental Assessment (EA) Study for the replacement of the Penetanguishene Road (formerly Simcoe County Road 93) Overpass at Highway 11 and the associated interchange improvements. This project also includes the reconstruction of the interchange ramps as well as modifications to the existing carpool lot, shifting of the Highway 11 horizontal alignment, drainage improvements, new traffic signals at the west ramp terminal and roadside safety improvements. The project is located within the Township of Oro-Medonte, the County of Simcoe, and as a result of a recent municipal boundary adjustment, is now located within the City of Barrie (formerly Township of Springwater). The Recommended Plan for the above noted improvements was established through the Preliminary Design and EA Study (Group 'B') completed by the Ministry in 2022 and as documented in the *Highway 11 / Simcoe County Road 93 Overpass and Interchange Improvements Transportation Environmental Study Report* (Morrison Hershfield, November 2022).



The Process

This study is following the approved planning process for a Group 'B' in accordance with the *MTO Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) for Provincial Transportation Facilities* (amended 2000). A **Design and Construction Report (DCR)** has been prepared to document the Detail Design process for the Project including the Recommended Plan, consultation process, potential environmental effects and associated mitigation.

Comments

The DCR is available on the project website at **Hwy11-CR93.ca** for a 30-day comment period starting **September 28, 2026** and ending **October 29, 2026**. Comments can be submitted to the following members of the Project Team during the 30-day period:

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In addition, a request may be made to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks for an order requiring a higher level of study (i.e., requiring a comprehensive EA approval before being able to proceed), or that conditions be imposed (e.g., require further studies), only on the grounds that the requested order may prevent, mitigate or remedy adverse impacts on constitutionally protected Aboriginal and Treaty Rights. Requests on other grounds will not be considered. Requests should include the requester contact information and full name for the ministry.

Requests should specify what kind of order is being requested (request for additional conditions or a request for a comprehensive environmental assessment), how an order may prevent, mitigate or remedy those potential adverse impacts, and any information in support of the statements in the request. This will ensure that the ministry is able to efficiently review the request. The request should be sent in writing or by email to the following and copied to the Ministry of Transportation Project Manager listed above and to:

Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks
777 Bay Street, 5th Floor
Toronto ON M7A 2J3
Email: minister.mecp@ontario.ca

Director, Environmental Assessment Branch
Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks
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This notice issued September 28, 2026.

Information collected will be used in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record. If you have any accessibility requirements in order to participate in this project, please contact one of the Project Team members listed above.