



CRC at Work! Participate in Making our Voices Heard!

Mark your calendars!

GET COUNCIL MEETING

Come to show your concern about the proposed Hidden Quarry!

Impacts on 6th Line Eramosa
Fisheries Study – Brydson Creek

Monday, **January 19**, 2015 – 7 pm
8348 Wellington Road 124 at Brucedale

4th CRC COMMUNITY MEETING

Come and learn where the Hidden Quarry application stands & the latest CRC news!

Thursday, **February 26**, 2015 – 7 pm

Eden Mills Community Hall
108 York Street, Eden Mills

\$\$ Support the CRC with your paid membership! \$\$

Without funds we cannot do the necessary work or engage expert consultants.

Please don't forget to sign up and pay for your 2015 membership before February 28, 2015!

Your \$20/person or \$35/family membership makes a difference.

Just click here: <http://www.crcrockwood.org/pages/membership.aspx>

Thank you to all who have already responded!

Write it down!

“To live in a place you must first imagine it.” - Jay Ruzesky

March 25, 2013!! It is almost two years since our community first learned about the proposal to blast a hole in our midst – a “Hidden Quarry.” Since then we have all been imagining, with distress, what our lives and environment would become if a pit and quarry were to become reality here.

Importantly, this potential shock to our community, natural environment and rural heritage has also clarified and reinforced in us what we value here. Instantly, from that first moment in March 2013, we have been observing, “imagining,” where we live, highly sensitized to its beauty and inheritance. We have found that we have a shared vision of our community. We have recognized that, as citizens and voters, we have a legitimate stake in shaping the community in which we live. We are responsible for providing leadership through our grassroots voices. We are taking action!

The CRC must work within the reality of laws and bylaws, regulatory guidelines and planning policies, to identify practical issues related to a pit and quarry – hydrogeology, haul routes, blasting or economic impact, to name a few. However, we “concerned residents” also have the potential to describe our community in such a way that a radical shift to industrial activity simply cannot be contemplated by our elected municipal and county representatives. We’ve already had an effect on their attitudes to this project. We must keep up the momentum!

It's urgent! Guelph Eramosa Township Council will be completing its studies and analyses over the next few months. Please send a letter, poem or story (copy to crc@crcrockwood.org) to your local councillor describing your community--Rockwood, Eramosa, Nassagaweya, or Acton--as you experience them.

How do you imagine the place where you live? Do you see a pit and quarry in that vision?