As a result of deteriorating road conditions, growing traffic volumes, and an unsafe traveling environment, Cassells Street from King Street to Provincial Highway 11/17 will be reconstructed using a combination of four and five lane road sections to enhance the movement of traffic, address anticipated capacity deficiencies and provide improved safety to motorists and pedestrians. These works are planned to be completed in phases, with the first phase to start in the summer of 2018 and completion of the entire project by late 2021. The estimated construction cost of the entire project is $6,100,000.

The above noted project is being planned under Schedule C of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (dated October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015). Subject to comments received as a result of this Notice, and the receipt of all necessary approvals, the City intends to proceed with the design and construction of this project.

The Environmental Study Report documenting the study process and the preferred alternative has been prepared and is available for public review at the following location during normal business hours:

City of North Bay  
Engineering Department, Front Desk, Sixth Floor  
200 McIntyre Street East  
North Bay, Ontario P1B 8H8

Interested individuals should provide written comment to the City on the project within 30 calendar days from the date of this notice. Comments should be directed to the City of North Bay at the following address:

The Corporation of the City of North Bay  
Gerry McCrank C.E.T., LEL  
Senior Project Manager  
P.O. Box 360, 200 McIntyre Street East  
North Bay, Ontario, P1B 8H  
Tel: (705) 474-0626 ext. 2305  
e-mail: Gerry.McCrack@cityofnorthbay.ca

If concerns arise regarding this project, which cannot be resolved in discussion with the City of North Bay, a person or party may request that the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change make an order for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act (referred to as Part II Order), which addresses individual Environmental Assessments. Requests must be received by the Minister at the address below within 30 calendar days of this notice. A copy of the request must also be sent to Gerry McCrank at the City of North Bay. If there is no request received by Wednesday, March 28, 2018 the Reconstruction of Cassells Street from King Street to Provincial Highway 11/17 will proceed to detailed design and construction will be phased as presented in the planning documentation.

This Notice issued February 24, 2018.