

Have Your Say Hastings Highlands!

Proposed Redevelopment and Accessibility Upgrades for Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout

About the Project:

The Municipality of Hastings Highlands is redeveloping Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout (107 Lookout Park Rd. Purdy, ON) to enhance the visitor experience, improve safety, and ensure accessibility for all community members. Planned upgrades include improved pathways, seating areas, parking, and facilities designed to meet modern accessibility standards.

The project aims to create a fully accessible and inclusive space, ensuring that people of all abilities can safely enjoy and experience the natural beauty of Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout.

Proposed Features and Upgrades

- **Upgraded Pathways and Walkways:** Have been redeveloped with stable, firm, and level surfaces, wide clear paths, and the addition of Tactile Walking Surface Indicators to provide safe and accessible use for everyone
- **Accessible Parking Space:** One Type A (van-accessible) parking space with access aisles for safe entry and exit, clearly identified with accessible signage to ensure ease of use for everyone
- **Upgrades to Outdoor Seating and Eating Area:** Installation of an accessible picnic table, placed on level, firm, and stable ground with clear surrounding space to ensure safe and comfortable use for everyone
- **Accessible Portable Toilet:** Designed for use by all visitors, including those using mobility aids, to ensure safe and convenient access

Additional Resources: A copy of the 'Accessibility Layout' for the *Proposed Redevelopment and Accessibility Upgrades for Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout* Project have been enclosed for your reference.

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We want to hear from you! The Municipality values the input and feedback it receives from all members of the community. For this project, we are particularly encouraging participation from people with disabilities and their caregivers to ensure that accessibility and inclusivity are fully addressed.

Feedback on the Proposed Redevelopment and Accessibility Upgrades for Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout can be submitted in any of the following ways:

- **Online:** Complete the online feedback request form at www.hastingshighlands.ca – click on Have Your Say Hastings Highlands!
- **In Person:** Attend the Municipal Office and complete a feedback request form related to this project
- **By Mail, Email or Hand-Delivery:**
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Deadline for Submissions: Friday, September 19, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.

Next Steps: The Municipality will review all submissions, which will assist in finalizing the project design and ensure accessibility and community needs are met.

Request an Alternate Format or Communication Support:

To request this notice in an alternate format or to receive communication support, complete the Municipality's *Accessible Information Request Form* available by contacting the Office of the Clerk. Available formats and supports include large print, high-contrast materials, plain language, other languages, electronic formats, and audio versions.

Office of the Clerk:

Email: clerk@hastingshighlands.ca

Phone: 613-338-2811 ext. 277

Please provide your feedback or comments on the 'Proposed Redevelopment and Accessibility Upgrades to Kamaniskeg Lake Lookout (107 Lookout Park Rd. Purdy, ON) *'

Notice of Collection and Use of Information: Submission of feedback for this engagement is voluntary. Responses will be collected and maintained in a manner that ensures anonymity and will be managed in accordance with the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (MFIPPA). The authority to collect this information is pursuant to the *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act* (AODA) and the *Municipal Act*, 2001, and in support of the Municipality's accessibility obligations and requirements under AODA standards. Information collected will be used to inform the project design and ensure accessibility and community needs are met.