

We hope you had an excellent summer, that your batteries are recharged to help Ontario better protect our waters, and are pleased to share that proposed amendments to our objects have been approved by the Canada Revenue Agency.

Our lead object is now “To promote watershed security in Ontario”, with subsequent objects relating to research, education, and outreach activities to increase public understanding of watershed security and its importance to ecological, social, and economic wellbeing in Ontario.

If you are unsure about what watershed security is, we offer [Four Posters](#)

What is Watershed Security?

Cross Section of Watershed Courtesy of Conservation Ontario.

Watershed Security exists when a watershed is healthy and resilient, supporting regional ecological integrity, social wellbeing, and economic vitality.

Protecting a watershed's core ecological features and functions, such as natural heritage, surface & groundwater flow characteristics, and water quantity & quality maintain the ecological goods and services that in turn sustain us.

Where watershed security deteriorates, such as through poor planning or land occupancy practices, invasive species, or climate change, our environment, public health, and social & economic wellbeing will be challenged.

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