About the Ontario Coalition for Watershed Security



The goals of the coalition for watershed security, defined as healthy and resilient watersheds that protect regional ecological integrity, social well-being, and economic vitality, are to:

- Encourage comments from members and hold regular discussions in a steering committee to identify issues of concern and/or suggestions to improve watershed security in Ontario;
- Invite all members to digital meetings to discuss possible campaigns on priorities identified by the steering committee;
- Develop and implement collaborative campaigns to advance watershed security in Ontario, such as petitions, submissions, and other actions, based on consensus in digital meetings; and,
- Solicit nominations for the Ontario Watershed Guardian Awards.

What might this look like?



Key details

- The Alliance is a community engagement project of the Ontario Headwaters Institute, a charity that promotes watershed security.
- The OHI will facilitate a steering committee to inform the work of the Coalition.
- Any individual or organization can join the Coalition by expressing support for Ontario's transition to watershed security in an e-mail to and will maintain their membership by acting in good faith with the other members.
- Any member can suggest a topic for a discussion in the steering committee and may be invited to a discussion of the steering committee. Any member can also suggest a campaign.
- All members will be invited to all digital meetings to discuss a proposed campaign, and no member is obligated to support any individual campaign.