



## **PUBLIC STATEMENT/MEDIA STATEMENT**

### **TOWNSHIP OF IGNACE HOSTS ITS FIRST DEEP GEOLOGICAL REPOSITORY OPEN HOUSE**

**MAY 13, 2025**

**April 17, 2025, Ignace, ON** – The Corporation of the Township of Ignace is very pleased to announce and cordially invites the public, residents of the community and other stakeholders to attend its first **TOWNSHIP OF IGNACE** Open House being held at the Curling Rink (Upstairs) at the Community Recreational Complex on Tuesday **May 13, 2025** with two identical information sessions being held at 2:00 pm and a second session beginning at 6:00 pm.

The two joint session, alongside the Nuclear Waste Management Organization (NWMO) and other experts and professionals will be held in two sessions to ensure it accommodates all residents and the public during the course of the day on May 13, 2025.

The OPEN HOUSE will feature a variety of information sharing components with the public including introductions and updates from Township Council, introduction of the members of the Hosting Implementation Committee, introduction of the newly established Community Engagement Committee, introduction of the Hosting Negotiation Team and Executive and Staff members of the Nuclear Waste Management Organization. Between the 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm presentations, there will be opportunities for the public and residents of Ignace to stroll around and ask questions, mingle and have discussions with NWMO, Township Staff and Council, Members of the Loomex Group, currently conducting the Transitional Housing and Aerodrome Studies, Staff of the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission and Impact Agency of Canada and other experts. NWMO plans to have some expertise staff at the event to provide more details on the technical components of the DGR project and the hosting process.

Coffee, tea and light refreshments will be available for residents.

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