

Press Release

Upgrading the Power Transmission System between Saraguay and Rockfield Substations

The BAPE Holds a Public Information Session

City of Québec, January 29, 2025 – The Bureau d'audiences publiques sur l'environnement (BAPE) announces the beginning of the public information period on the project of upgrading the power transmission system between Saraguay and Rockfield substations on the island of Montréal by Hydro-Québec and invites the population to the public information session on Monday, February 17, 2025.

During this session, participants will be able to attend a presentation by Hydro-Québec, the project initiator. They will also be able to ask questions and obtain information about the project, the environmental impact assessment and review procedure, the public consultation process and the role of the BAPE.

A simultaneous translation service will be available on site to facilitate participation by members of the English-speaking community.

Date: Monday, February 17, 2025

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Place: Le Ringue

8355, Montview, Town of Mount Royal

Live on the BAPE website and on its Facebook page



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Where to Consult the Documentation on the Project?

All documentation is available electronically in the Registre des évaluations environnementales, which is under the responsibility of the Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs. Documents can also be consulted at the Eleanor London Public Library, located at 5851 Cavendish Blvd. It is also possible to contact the BAPE for more information.

Citizens, groups, municipalities or organizations wishing to have the BAPE conduct a public hearing on the social, ecological and economic aspects of the project have until Friday, February 28, 2025 to submit a request for public consultation or mediation to the Minister de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs.

About the BAPE

Since 1978, the BAPE has been informing and consulting the population on projects and on any environmental issue that could have an impact on their environment or quality of life. As an impartial government agency, it investigates and advises the government in order to inform its decision-making.

Follow the BAPE on social networks and subscribe to its newsletter, *L'heure juste*. Also discover the *Projet Scarabec*, a comic strip that playfully illustrates the process of a public consultation.







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