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With the passage of Bill 97, *A Plan to Protect Ontario*, transition work is now underway to support the regional consolidation of conservation authorities.

As part of this work, transition committees are being established to help guide and inform transition activities, including the development of transition plans. We anticipate transition committees to be launched in mid-July.

Each transition committee will be led by a dedicated project executive, who will also provide continuity by serving as the first Chief Administrative Officer of the new regional conservation authority for up to two years.

The work of these committees will be grounded in local priorities and insights. Accordingly, committee membership will draw from each existing conservation authority being consolidated and will include:

- the current CAO or General Manager, and
- one board member.

Thank you to those of you who have already advised us of your appointed members—we appreciate your leadership and participation. For those who have not yet done so, please submit the names of your two appointed members to the CCEO at this email address by **June 30, 2026**.

We recognize that a board resolution is required to make these appointments. If your board meeting schedule necessitates an extension beyond June 30th, please contact the CCEO to discuss.

Thank you again for your continued partnership as we begin this important transition toward regional conservation authorities.

Hassaan Basit
Chief Conservation Executive