



Melancthon Against Quarries

Say No To Deep Blasting

Say Yes to Pure Water

April 28, 2025



You Can Help

- Sylvia Jones and Strada will speak to Town Council
 - Thursday, May 1, 5:30
 - 157101 Highway 10, Melancthon
 - You can help stop the blasting
 - Come out and 'Just Say No' - in person
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Blasting Below the Water Table

On Thursday, May 1 at 5:45pm, Strada Quarries will update Melancthon Town Council on its blast quarry plans.

At 6:00 pm, Sylvia Jones, our Member of Provincial Parliament, will update Council on priorities of the government and will hear concerns from Members of Council.

Let's make sure that they all hear our concerns – loud and clear.

Please join your friends and neighbours at the Township Office on Hwy 10 to let Strada know how strongly we oppose their unnecessary blast quarry. Help make sure that Sylvia Jones knows that as our representative we expect her to oppose the

blast quarry. Let our Town Council know that we expect them to deny the zoning amendments Strada is seeking to make their blast quarry possible.

To be sure to get in to the Council Chamber, come at about 4:30.

To greet Mr. Powers and Ms. Jones as they come into the building, meet us outside at around 5pm. Coffee and cookies to be provided.

Let's remind them -

1. The Strada Quarry would be the first blasting below the water table quarry in Dufferin County.
2. Blasting and water degradation will transform Melancthon from an agricultural community to a mining community
3. Blasting below the water table brings to each one of us serious risks of damage from
 1. polluted and diminished water
 2. carcinogenic silica dust
 3. flyrock
 4. explosion vibrations
 5. thick dust clouds
 6. environmental degradation
 7. intense heavy truck traffic.
4. ***This is about greed not need.*** Ontario has an oversupply of licensed gravel.

Remember, this could go on for up to 50 years. If approved, it will eventually lead to the return of the Mega Quarry. It will bring comprehensive destruction of what we all value about our life here.

Let's let them know that you won't stand for it. Bring a friend. If you can't make it, let them know you're watching by checking in on Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83373505349?pwd=0ilulSJakHNbNAqUPUdNVJG7cz0kP6.1>

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