

# PEOPLE & PROJECTS



## OPWA AWARD X 2

Two of our clients have received a “Project of the Year” award from the Ontario Public Works Association:

*D’Orazio Infrastructure Group / Lake  
Huron Primary Water Supply System Joint  
Board of Management  
Strathroy-Caradoc Pipeline*

Located in southwestern Ontario, the Township of Strathroy-Caradoc, facing increasing concerns about water quality and quantity from the existing well-based system, carried out a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment to identify the best long-term water supply solution.

Dillon teamed with our pipeline contractor partner, D’Orazio, to execute the project utilizing design-build project delivery. Our role included preliminary engineering and preparing the successful proposal, detailed design, obtaining all regulatory approvals, coordinating several subconsultants as well as property requirements and acquisitions with the owner’s representatives, and project QA/QC during construction of the works.

The \$14 million project was substantially completed in February 2006, less than nine months after the start of construction and for approximately 30% less than the approved design and construction budget.

The project team included **Gary Komar, Harry Grund, Bill Boussey, Janet Smolders, Bruce Bulmer, John Clemente** and **Jason Johnson**.

*City of Hamilton  
Dundas and Kenora  
Community Recycling Centre Design*

Construction of the city’s community recycling centres (CRCs) evolved out of the development of their solid waste management master plan. In order to reach their aggressive diversion targets, the CRCs were a key component.

In 2004, Dillon was retained to design and provide construction services for the CRCs. Our design needed to simultaneously address both customer concerns and the city’s operational issues. Public and operator safety were paramount.

Both sites (Dundas and Kenora) had to have a household hazardous waste depot, a garbage bulb where residents could dispose of non-recyclable items, and a recycling line where customers would drop off their recyclable materials.

A number of unique features and issues at each site made this an interesting and challenging project.

The project team, managed by **Bill Allison**, included **Gary Hergott, Harold DeHaan, Brian McMaster** and **Warren Tobey**.