for used nuclear fuel and warrants further study."

Central Huron, located along Ontario's West Coast on the shore of Lake Huron in Huron County, is one of 21 Canadian municipalities that expressed an interest in learning about the government's repository plan and have undergone Phase 1 preliminary assessments. Of those, Central Huron and eight other Ontario municipalities have been identified as potential sites warranting further study. According to the NWMO, the preliminary findings do not confirm the technical suitability and safety of any site, and no community is being asked to confirm its willingness to host the project at this point. Under Canada's "adaptive phased management" approach to siting a deep geological repository, the preliminary assessment is the initial phase of study in a nine-step selection process. • A decision on a repository for low- and intermediate-level radioactive waste in Canada was delayed until March 1 by Canada's Minister of Environment and Climate Change, Catherine McKenna, it was announced on November 27, 2015. The Canadian government was to make a decision on Ontario Power Generation's (OPG)

proposed repository by early December 2015. The facility would be located about 1.2 kilometers from Lake Huron, near OPG's Bruce nuclear power plant in Kincardine, Ontario, and would



Central Huron, in Ontario on the shore of Lake Huron, will be assessed as a possible site for a spent nuclear fuel repository.

accept LLW and ILW from the company's Bruce, Pickering, and Darlington plants. In a statement, OPG said that it respects McKenna's need for more time to review a joint review panel's



