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The Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority (ABCA) Board of Directors approved the 2019 Budget at their meeting held December 20, 2018. The budget was comprised of the General Levy, Project Levy, Special Benefitting Levy and other sources of revenue.

Bluewater

Central Huron

The apportionment of benefit for the General and Project Levies has been established in accordance with the formula set forth in Ontario Regulation 670/00 which assesses benefit pursuant to the modified current value assessment of each municipality. The Province of Ontario provides this calculation to the ABCA each year.

Huron East

Summary of 2019 Approved Levy

General Levy	\$188,398
Project Levy	\$ 61,408
Total	\$249,806

Lambton Shores

Lucan Biddulph

Please note that the general and project levy amounts are paid in two instalments and a separate invoice will be sent in May and November of this year. A separate invoice will be sent out at the appropriate time for the Special Benefitting Levy amount once it has been determined. Should you have any questions regarding the components of the ABCA 2019 levies, please contact the undersigned.

Middlesex Centre

North Middlesex

Perth South

The ABCA will be hosting an **Information Session** for new Board members, Councillors and interested Municipal Staff. Join us either **Tuesday afternoon on February 5th (1:30 to 3:30 pm) OR Thursday evening on February 7th (6:30 to 8:30 pm)**. The agenda will include a tour of the office and presentation on what a conservation authority is . . . what a conservation authority does . . . and the sources of funding for programs and services that protect, enhance and restore our natural environment. Please contact Judith Parker at jparker@abca.ca by **February 1** to register the interested individuals in one of these informative sessions.

South Huron

Warwick

West Perth

Yours truly,

AUSABLE BAYFIELD CONSERVATION



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