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Ford government ‘deliberately’ avoided public consultations on environment, auditor concludes

Bonnie Lysyk also says the provincial government needs to do better job of informing the public and that MZO's should be subject to public scrutiny.

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Bonnie Lysyk, Auditor General of Ontario, says the Ontario government has ignored the public's rights to consultation on environmentally significant decisions.

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[Minister's zoning orders](#) should be subject to public scrutiny, Ontario's auditor general says in a new report that also lambastes the provincial government for not being more transparent with the public on environmental issues.

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