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Floodway History on Permanent Display

The history of the Neebing-McIntyre Floodway and the details of how it works is now on display to the public.

The Lakehead Region Conservation Authority (LRCA) has installed two sets of Floodway Anniversary interpretive displays along the Neebing-McIntyre Floodway. The panels explain the history of flooding in the Intercity area and how the diversion project was adopted as the best way to combat regular flooding. Photos and illustrations help to illustrate how the Floodway works, it's capacity and also point out the benefits of the Floodway.

“As a result of the construction of the Neebing-McIntyre Floodway, which was completed 25 years ago, millions of dollars in development has taken place in the Intercity area, more than 5,000 trees have been planted along the Floodway and more than six kilometres of access pathways have been constructed,” says LRCA Chairman, Bill Bartley.

The new signs are located near the Floodway Diversion Structure on Ford Street and on LRCA property at 1111 Fort William Road.