

# City of Hamilton PLANNING COMMITTEE AGENDA

Meeting #: 23-002

**Date:** January 31, 2023

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** Council Chambers (Planning)

Hamilton City Hall
71 Main Street West

Lisa Kelsey, Legislative Coordinator (905) 546-2424 ext. 4605

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15.1 Closed Minutes - November 29, 2022
Pursuant to to Section 9.3, Sub-sections (e), (f) and (k) of the City's
Procedural By-law 21-021, as amended; and, Section 239(2), Subsections (e), (f) and (k) of the *Ontario Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended,
as the subject matter pertains to litigation or potential litigation, including
matters before administrative tribunals, affecting the municipality or local
board; advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including
communications necessary for that purpose; and, a position, plan,
procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations
carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local
board.

- Pursuant to to Section 9.3, Sub-sections (e), (f) and (k) of the City's Procedural By-law 21-021, as amended; and, Section 239(2), Subsections (e), (f) and (k) of the *Ontario Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended, as the subject matter pertains to litigation or potential litigation, including matters before administrative tribunals, affecting the municipality or local board; advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose; and, a position, plan, procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board.
- Municipal Comprehensive Review / Official Plan OPA 167 of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan and OPA 34 of the Rural Hamilton Official Plan Judicial Review Application of Minister's Decisions (LS22035(a)) (City Wide)
  Pursuant to to Section 9.3, Sub-sections (e) and (f) of the City's Procedural By-law 21-021, as amended; and, Section 239(2), Subsections (e) and (f) of the Ontario Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, as the subject matter pertains to litigation or potential litigation, including matters before administrative tribunals, affecting the municipality or local board; and, advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose.

#### 16. ADJOURNMENT



## PLANNING COMMITTEE MINUTES

23-001

January 17, 2023 9:30 a.m. Council Chambers, Hamilton City Hall

71 Main Street West

**Present:** Councillor M. Wilson. (Chair)

Councillor J.P. Danko (1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chair) Councillor T. Hwang (2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair)

Councillors J. Beattie, C. Cassar, E. Pauls, M. Francis,

C. Kroetsch, N. Nann, M. Spadafora, M. Tadeson, A. Wilson

Also in Attendance: Councillors T. Jackson, B. Clark

**Absent with Regrets:** Councillor T. McMeekin - Personal

#### THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE REFERRED TO COUNCIL FOR CONSIDERATION:

1. To Extend and Open a Portion of Lands as Public Highway being Nashville Circle by By-Law (PED23025) (Ward 5) (Item 9.1)

#### (Francis/Spadafora)

- (a) That the lands identified as Block 111 on Registered Plan 62M-965 be established as a public highway to form part of Nashville Circle;
- (b) That the By-Law to incorporate the lands to form part of Nashville Circle be prepared to the satisfaction of the City Solicitor and be enacted by Council;
- (c) That the City Solicitor, or designate, be authorized and directed to register the By- law.

Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

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YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

2. Applications for Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment for Lands Located at 3250 and 3260 Homestead Drive (PED23002) (Ward 11) (Item 10.1)

#### (Hwang/Tadeson)

- That Official Plan Amendment Application UHOPA-22-010, by UrbanSolutions Planning and Land Development Consultants (c/o Matt Johnston), on behalf of 1333664 Ontario Inc. (c/o Mike Valvasori, Owner) to redesignate lands municipally known as 3250 Homestead Drive from "District Commercial" to "Mixed Use Medium Density" on Schedule E-1 in the Urban Hamilton Official Plan and from "District Commercial" to "Mixed Use Medium Density" in the Mount Hope Secondary Plan, to permit a three storey, 40 unit multiple dwelling on the subject lands and abutting lands, known as 3260 Homestead Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23002, be APPROVED on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft Official Plan Amendment, attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23002, be adopted by City Council;
  - (ii) That the proposed Official Plan Amendment is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);
- (b) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-22-020, by UrbanSolutions Planning and Land Development Consultants (c/o Matt Johnston), on behalf of 1333664 Ontario Inc. (c/o Mike Valvasori, Owner) for a change in zoning from the District Commercial (C6, 344) Zone to the Mixed Use Medium Density (C5, 823) Zone and from the Mixed Use Medium Density (C5, 652, H102) Zone to the Mixed Use Medium Density (C5, 823) Zone, to permit a three storey, 40 unit multiple dwelling for lands located at 3250 and 3260 Homestead Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23002, be APPROVED on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft By-law, attached as Appendix "C" to Report PED23002, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council:

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- (ii) That the proposed change in zoning is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);
- (iii) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES – Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

3. Application for Amendments to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, Stoney Creek Zoning By-law No. 3692-92, and Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200, and Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, Stoney Creek (PED23003) (Ward 9) (Item 10.2)

#### (Francis/Beattie)

(a) That Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment Application UHOPA-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, to redesignate lands in the Nash Neighbourhood Secondary Plan from "Neighbourhood Park" to "Natural Open Space"; to redesignate lands from "Low Density Residential 2" to "Neighbourhood Park", "Natural Open Space" and "Utility"; to redesignate lands from "Low Density Residential 2" and "Utility"; to redesignate lands from "Neighbourhood Park" to "Low Density Residential 2" and "Low Density Residential 2h"; to redesignate lands from "Utility" to "Low Density Residential 2", "Low Density Residential 2h" and "Natural Open Space"; to remove the "Proposed Roads" identification on lands and adding these lands to the "Neighbourhood Park", "Low Density Residential 2' and "Low Density Residential 2h" designations; to realign "Proposed Road"; to remove the "Hedge Row" identification on lands; and to identify the subject

lands as a Site Specific Policy Area to permit a decrease in density in order to permit the development of the subject lands for 25 single detached dwellings (Lots 1 to 25), a Neighbourhood Park (Block 26), 51 townhouse dwellings (Blocks 27 and 28), 29 street townhouse dwellings (Blocks 29 to 34), Utilities (Block 35 to 37), Natural Open Space (Blocks 38 and 39) and the extension of a public road (Street "A"), on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:

- (i) That the draft Official Plan Amendment attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
- (ii) That the proposed amendment is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and the Niagara Escarpment Plan;
- (b) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, for a change is zoning from the Neighbourhood Development "ND" Zone to the Single Residential "R4" Zone (Block 1), Single Residential "R4-39" Zone, Modified (Block 2); Multiple Residential "RM2-47" Zone, Modified (Block 3); and Multiple Residential "RM3-72(H)" Zone, Modified, Holding (Block 4); to permit the development of 25 single detached dwellings, 29 street townhouse dwellings, 51 townhouse dwellings and the extension of a public road (Street "A"), on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft By-law attached as Appendix "C" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
  - (ii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provision of Section 36(1) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H' as a suffix to the proposed zoning for the following:

Notwithstanding the provision of Section 3.8 "Holding Zones", on those lands zoned "R4(H1)", "R4-39(H1)", "RM2-47(H1)" and "RM3-72"(H1, H2)" by this By-law, the Holding symbol (H) may be removed and thereby give effect to the R4(H1)", "R4-

- 39(H1)", "RM2-47(H1)" and "RM3-72(H1, H2)" Zone provisions in Section 2 above, upon completion of the following:
- (H1) That Niagara Escarpment Commission (NEC)
  Development Permit W/R/2021-2022/203, become Final and Binding and all conditions are cleared to the satisfaction of the Niagara Escarpment Commission.
- (H2) That the owner demonstrates the following:
  - (aa) That the storm conveyance Block 37 has been adequately sized and designed to accommodate a storm sewer outlet and overland drainages from both Blocks 27 and 28 including Street 'A' in line with a low point on Street 'A' without having any impact on Block 27 and 28;
  - (bb) That Blocks 27 and 28 top of grate (TOG) elevations for all rear yard catch basins (RYCB's) along the south limit on both Blocks 27 and 28 are set a minimum of 0.3 m above the maximum water elevation on the emergency spillway of the Stormwater Management (SWM) pond on the abutting land to the south. All RYCB's shall be designed considering 50% blockage conditions;
  - (cc) That the five-year hydraulic grade line (HGL) considering five-year operating level in the abutting pond (Nash 3 pond) is below obvert of the proposed storm sewer on Street 'A' and Block 37;
  - (dd) Blocks 27 and 28 shall remain undevelopable until such time as the ultimate storm water management pond facility is approved by all approval agencies with jurisdiction (MECP, City, NEC, HCA);
- all to the satisfaction of the satisfaction of Director of Growth Management, Growth Management Division.
- (iii) That the proposed change in zoning are consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and the Niagara Escarpment Plan and Niagara Escarpment Plan;

- (iv) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX;
- (c) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, for a change in zoning from the Neighbourhood Development "ND" Zone to the Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone and Neighbourhood Park (P1) Zone, in order to establish a future linkage block and protect lands located along the escarpment brow and to establish lands for a connection to the neighbourhood park to the south, on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft By-law, attached as Appendix "D" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
  - (ii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provision of Section 36(1) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H' as a suffix to the proposed zoning for the following:
    - "140. Notwithstanding Sections 7.1 and 7.5 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Neighbourhood Park (P1, H140) Zone and Conservation/Hazard Land (P5, H140), identified on Map Nos. 1353 and 1354 of Schedule "A" – Zoning Maps and described as 15 Ridgeview Drive, no development shall be permitted until such time as:
      - (a) That Niagara Escarpment Commission (NEC)
        Development Permit W/R/2021-2022/203, become
        Final and Binding and all conditions are cleared to
        the satisfaction of the Niagara Escarpment
        Commission.
  - (iii) That the proposed change in zoning is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and Niagara Escarpment Plan;
  - (iv) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX;
- (d) That Draft Plan of Subdivision Application 25T-201701, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o

Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED, subject to the following:

- (i) That this approval apply to the Draft Plan of Subdivision "City View Estates" 25T-2017001, certified by Nicholas P. Muth, O.L.S., dated August 18, 2022, consisting of 25 lots for single detached dwellings (Lots 1 to 25), one block for parkland for the connection to a future Neighbourhood Park (Block 26), six blocks for townhouse and street townhouse development (Blocks 27 to 34), three blocks for stormwater management (Blocks 35 to 37), two blocks for natural open space protection (Blocks 38 and 39), three blocks for right of way dedications (Blocks 40 to 42), and the extension of a public roadway (Street "A") attached as Appendix "F" to Report PED23003, subject to the Owner entering into a standard form subdivision agreement as approved by City Council and with the Special Conditions attached as Appendix "G" to Report PED23003;
- (ii) In accordance with the City's Comprehensive Development Guidelines and Financial Policies Manual there will be no City of Hamilton cost sharing for this subdivision;
- (iii) That payment of Cash-in-Lieu of Parkland will be required, pursuant to Section 51 of the *Planning Act*, prior to the issuance of each building permit. The calculation for the Cash-in-Lieu payment shall be based on the value of the lands on the day prior to the issuance of each building permit, all in accordance with the Financial Policies for Development and the City's Parkland Dedication By-law, as approved by Council.

Result: Main Motion, As Amended, CARRIED by a vote of 8 to 4, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NO - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

NO - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

NO - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

NO – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

#### NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

4. Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations (PED17203(c)) (City Wide (Outstanding Business List Item) (Item 11.1)

#### (Danko/Nann)

- (a) That Report PED17203(c), Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR)
   Accommodations, to license and regulate Short-Term Rentals in Hamilton, be approved;
- (b) That the By-law to amend the Licensing By-law 07-170 with respect to Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations outlined in Revised Appendix "D", with the annual 120 day rental cap removed, to Report PED17203(c), which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be approved subject to approval of items (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) below:
  - (i) That the City of Hamilton User Fees and Charges By-law 19-160 be amended to reflect the new Short-Term Rental Licensing Fee Schedule attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED17203(c);
  - (ii) That the request for 2.25 Full Time Equivalents (FTEs), with no net levy impact in the Licensing & By-law Services Division to support Licensing Short-Term Rentals Accommodations, be approved;
  - (iii) That an additional vehicle, including vehicle maintenance costs, at an estimated cost of \$42,000 be approved for Licensing and By-law Services for enforcing the Short-Term Rental Licensing program;
  - (iv) That subject to approval of (ii) and (iii) implementation costs be funded through an internal loan plus interest over a two-year term from the Investment Stabilization Reserve (112300) to be repaid once revenues are collected.
  - (v) That the Director of Licensing and By-law Services be authorized to sign any agreements between the City of Hamilton and Short-Term Rental Broker as required pursuant to the Licensing By-law 07-170 in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor;
- (c) That Council endorse the implementation plan as detailed in Report PED17203(c) to develop, administer and enforce the licensing of Short-Term Rentals units;
- (d) That, subject to the approval of Recommendation (b), Licensing and Bylaw Services be directed to work with Legal Services to obtain approval for set fines with the Ministry of the Attorney General, and create

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administrative penalties to amend By-law 17-225 (Administrative Penalties By-law); and,

(e) That Item 22P respecting Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR)
Accommodations be identified as complete and removed from the
Planning Committee's Outstanding Business List.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 10 to 2, as follows:

NO – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

NO – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES – Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES – Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### 5. Demolition Permit for 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton (Added Item 12.1)

#### (Danko/Spadafora)

WHEREAS, the owner of the above-mentioned property would like to demolish the existing dwelling without having to obtain a Building Permit for the proposed 14 unit townhome plan prior to receiving a demolition permit at 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton; and,

WHEREAS, there have been ongoing issues for approximately six years with the vacant single-family home being repeatedly trespassed and vandalized, creating ongoing safety and security concerns for the surrounding neighbours and owner;

#### THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Chief Building Official be authorized to issue a demolition permit for 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton, pursuant to Section 33 of the *Planning Act* as amended, without having to comply with the conditions in Sub-Section 6(a) of Demolition Control Area By-law 22-101.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 10 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

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YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES – Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

NOT PRESENT – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

6. Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) for Lack of Decision on Zoning By-law Amendment ZAC-22-025 for Lands located at 1019 Wilson Street West (LS21023(a)) (Ward 12) (Added Item 15.1)

#### (Cassar/Danko)

- (a) That the directions to staff in closed session respecting Confidential Report LS21023(a) be approved and remain confidential until made public as the City's position before the Ontario Land Tribunal.
- (b) That the balance of this Confidential Report LS21023(a) remain confidential.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 10 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

NOT PRESENT - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

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7. Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal for Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment Applications for Lands Located at 405 James Street North (LS23012) (Ward 2) (Added Item 15.2)

#### (Kroetsch/Cassar)

- (a) That the directions to staff in closed session respecting Confidential Report LS23012 be released to the public, following approval by Council; and
- (b) That the balance of Confidential Report LS23012 remain confidential.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 10 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

NOT PRESENT - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### FOR INFORMATION:

#### (a) APPROVAL OF AGENDA (Item 2)

The Committee Clerk advised of the following changes to the agenda:

#### 6. DELEGATION REQUESTS

- 6.1 Delegation Requests respecting Short Term Rental Licensing (Item 11.1) (For today's meeting)
  - (iv) Lilli Jones (in-person) WITHDRAWN
  - (v) Kwasi Obeng (pre-recorded)
  - (vi) Cliff Lloyd (in-person)
  - (vii) Norah McIntyre (in-person)
  - (viii) Hamza Patel (in-person)
  - (ix) Ben Oburota (virtual)
  - (x) Adam Wayland, Ontario Short-term Rental Hosts Association (in-person) (VIRTUAL)
  - (xi) Bryan and Natascha DiFrancesco (pre-recorded)
  - (xii) John Thistlethwaite (in-person)
  - (xiii) Bob Tyrrell (in-person)
  - (xiv) Scott Ramsay (virtual)
  - (xv) Melina Trindale (in-person)
  - (xvi) Sally Lloyd (in-person)
  - (xvii) James Buren (in-person)
  - (xviii) Emily Power (in-person) (VIRTUAL)
  - (xix) Kevin Marczi (in-person)
  - (xx) Andrew Robertson (in-person)
  - (xxi) Shannon Roberts (pre-recorded)
  - (xxii) Sameera Prematilake (virtual)

#### 10. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- 10.2 Application for Amendments to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, Stoney Creek Zoning By-law No. 3692-92, and Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200, and Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, Stoney Creek (PED23003) (Ward 9)
  - (a) Written Submissions
    - (i) Raivo Uukkivi

#### 11. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 11.1 Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations (PED17203(c)) (City Wide)
  - (a) Written Submissions
    - (iii) Lou Piriano, Realtors Association of Hamilton-Burlington
    - (iv) Steven Devisser
    - (v) Mark Krikke
    - (vi) Gabrielle Marchese
    - (vii) Hamza Patel
    - (viii) Omo Aisosa-igiebor
    - (ix) Bryan Adlam
    - (x) Shalaine Ritchie
    - (xi) Kirby Wilkins
    - (xii) Alex Poliakov
    - (xiii) Matthew Ferro
    - (xiv) Adam Oldfield
    - (xv) Paul Bellavia
    - (xvi) Holly Jespersen
    - (xvii) Gillian Fletcher
    - (xviii) Bryan DiFrancesco
    - (xix) Monica Fox
    - (xx) Scott Ramsay
    - (xxi) Connie Kidd
    - (xxii) Toni Daramola
    - (xxiii) Lynn Mackey
    - (xxiv) Cale McKenna
    - (xxv) Mark Wessman
    - (xxvi) Sameera Prematilake
    - (xxvii) Helene Ladouceur

#### 13. NOTICES OF MOTION

13.1 Demolition Permit for 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton

#### 15. PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

- 15.1 Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) for Lack of Decision on Zoning By-law Amendment ZAC-22-025 for Lands Located at 1019 Wilson Street West (LS21023(a)) (Ward 12)
- 15.2 Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal for Official Plan Amendment

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and Zoning By-law Amendment Applications for Lands Located at 405 James Street North (LS23012) (Ward 2)

#### (Danko/Hwang)

That the agenda for the January 17, 2023 Planning Committee meeting be approved, as amended.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (b) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 3)

The were no declarations of interest.

#### (c) APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Item 4)

(i) November 29, 2022 (Item 4.1)

#### (Francis/Cassar)

That the Minutes of the November 29, 2022 meeting be approved, as presented.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

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YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (d) DELEGATION REQUESTS (Item 6)

(i) Various Delegation Requests (Items 6.1 and 6.2)

#### (Danko/Hwang)

That the following Delegation Requests, be approved:

- (i) Delegation Requests respecting Short Term Rental Licensing (Item 11.1) (For today's meeting) (Item 6.1)
  - (i) Laura Qusen (in-person)
  - (ii) Cayley Stephenson (in-person)
  - (iii) Mark Krikke (in-person)
  - (iv) Lilli Jones (in-person)-WITHDRAWN
  - (v) Kwasi Obeng (pre-recorded)
  - (vi) Cliff Lloyd (in-person)
  - (vii) Norah McIntyre (in-person)
  - (viii) Hamza Patel (in-person)
  - (ix) Ben Oburota (virtual)
  - (x) Adam Wayland, Ontario Short-term Rental Hosts Association (in-person) (VIRTUAL)
  - (xi) Bryan and Natascha DiFrancesco (pre-recorded)
  - (xii) John Thistlethwaite (in-person)
  - (xiii) Bob Tyrrell (in-person)
  - (xiv) Scott Ramsay (virtual)
  - (xv) Melina Trindale (in-person)
  - (xvi) Sally Lloyd (in-person)
  - (xvii) James Buren (in-person)
  - (xviii) Emily Power (in-person) (VIRTUAL)
  - (xix) Kevin Marczi (in-person)
  - (xx) Andrew Robertson (in-person)
  - (xxi) Shannon Roberts (pre-recorded)
  - (xxii) Sameera Prematilake (virtual)
- (ii) Frank Lenarduzzi respecting Expansion of Permitted Uses for P4 Zoning (For the January 31st meeting) (Item 6.2)

Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

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YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (e) DELEGATIONS (Item 8)

### (i) Delegations respecting Short Term Rental Licensing (Item 11.1) (Added Item 8.1)

Chair M. Wilson advised that the in-person and virtual delegations would all be heard before the pre-recorded submissions.

The following Delegations were not in attendance when called upon:

- (ii) Cayley Stephenson
- (v) Kwasi Obeng
- (viii) Hamza Patel
- (ix) Ben Oburota (virtual)
- (xii) John Thistlethwaite (in-person)
- (xiv) Scott Ramsay (virtual)
- (xix) Kevin Marczi (in-person)

The following Delegations addressed the Committee respecting Short Term Rental Licensing (Item 11.1):

- (i) Laura Qusen (in-person)
- (iii) Mark Krikke (in-person)
- (vi) Cliff Lloyd (in-person)
- (vii) Norah McIntyre (in-person)
- (x) Adam Wayland, Ontario Short-term Rental Hosts Association (virtual)
- (xiii) Bob Tyrrell (in-person)
- (xv) Melina Trindale (virtual)
- (xvi) Sally Lloyd (in-person)
- (xvii) James Buren (in-person)
- (xviii) Emily Power (virtual)

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- (xx) Andrew Robertson (in-person)
- (xxii) Sameera Prematilake (virtual)
- (xxi) Shannon Roberts (pre-recorded)
- (xi) Bryan and Natascha DiFrancesco (pre-recorded)

#### (Beattie/Francis)

That the time limit for the Delegation from Bryan and Natascha DiFrancesco be extended to sixteen minutes to allow for the playing of their pre-recorded submission.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 7 to 4, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

NO – Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

NO - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

NO – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

NO - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (A. Wilson/Hwang)

That the following Delegations respecting Short Term Rental Licensing (Item 11.1), be received:

- (i) Laura Qusen (in-person)
- (iii) Mark Krikke (in-person)
- (vi) Cliff Lloyd (in-person)
- (vii) Norah McIntyre (in-person)
- (x) Adam Wayland, Ontario Short-term Rental Hosts Association (virtual)
- (xiii) Bob Tyrrell (in-person)
- (xv) Melina Trindale (virtual)
- (xvi) Sally Lloyd (in-person)
- (xvii) James Buren (in-person)
- (xviii) Emily Power (virtual)
- (xx) Andrew Robertson (in-person)
- (xxii) Sameera Prematilake (virtual)
- (xxi) Shannon Roberts (pre-recorded)
- (xi) Bryan and Natascha DiFrancesco (pre-recorded)

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#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (Hwang/Tadeson)

That the Committee recess until 12:32 p.m.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (f) PUBLIC HEARINGS (Item 10)

In accordance with the *Planning Act*, Chair M. Wilson advised those viewing the meeting that the public had been advised of how to pre-register to be a delegate at the Public Meetings on today's agenda.

In accordance with the provisions of the *Planning Act*, Chair M. Wilson advised that if a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Council of the City of Hamilton before Council makes a decision regarding the Development applications before the Committee

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today, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of the Council of the City of Hamilton to the Ontario Land Tribunal, and the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Land Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

(i) Applications for Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment for Lands Located at 3250 and 3260 Homestead Drive (PED23002) (Ward 11) (Item 10.1)

James Van Rooi, Planner I, addressed the Committee with the aid of a PowerPoint presentation.

#### (Tadeson/Spadafora)

That the staff presentation be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

Matt Johnston with Urban Solutions, was in attendance and indicated support for the staff report.

#### (Tadeson/Francis)

That the delegation from Matt Johnston with Urban Solutions, be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

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YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES – Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

Chair M. Wilson called three times for public delegations and none came forward.

#### (Tadeson/Spadafora)

- (a) That the written submissions in the Staff report, regarding this matter were received and considered by the Committee; and,
- (b) That the public meeting be closed.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES – Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 2.

(ii) Application for Amendments to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, Stoney Creek Zoning By-law No. 3692-92, and Hamilton Zoning Bylaw No. 05-200, and Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, Stoney Creek (PED23003) (Ward 9) (Item 10.2)

Michael Fiorino, Planner II, addressed the Committee with the aid of a PowerPoint presentation.

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#### (Francis/Beattie)

That the staff presentation be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES – Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

Franz Kloibhofer with AJ Clarke & Associates, was in attendance and indicated support for the staff report.

#### (Tadeson/Nann)

That the delegation from Franz Kloibhofer with AJ Clarke & Associates, be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES – Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

Chair M. Wilson called three times for public delegations and none came forward.

#### (Francis/Hwang)

- (a) That the following written submission regarding this matter was received and considered by the Committee;
  - (i) Raivo Uukkivi, in opposition to the proposal
- (b) That the public meeting be closed.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES – Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES – Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (Spadafora/Hwang)

(a) That Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment Application UHOPA-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, to redesignate lands in the Nash Neighbourhood Secondary Plan from "Neighbourhood Park" to "Natural Open Space"; to redesignate lands from "Low Density Residential 2" to "Neighbourhood Park". "Natural Open Space" and "Utility"; to redesignate lands from "Low Density Residential 2h" to "Low Density Residential 2" and "Utility"; to redesignate lands from "Neighbourhood Park" to "Low Density Residential 2" and "Low Density Residential 2h"; to redesignate lands from "Utility" to "Low Density Residential 2", "Low Density Residential 2h" and "Natural Open Space"; to remove the "Proposed Roads" identification on lands and adding these lands to the "Neighbourhood Park", "Low Density Residential 2' and "Low Density Residential 2h" designations; to realign "Proposed Road"; to remove the "Hedge Row" identification on lands; and to identify the subject lands as a Site Specific Policy Area to permit a decrease in density in order to permit the development of the subject lands for 25 single detached dwellings (Lots 1 to 25), a Neighbourhood Park (Block 26), 51 townhouse dwellings (Blocks

27 and 28), 29 street townhouse dwellings (Blocks 29 to 34), Utilities (Block 35 to 37), Natural Open Space (Blocks 38 and 39) and the extension of a public road (Street "A"), on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:

- (i) That the draft Official Plan Amendment attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
- (ii) That the proposed amendment is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and the Niagara Escarpment Plan;
- (b) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, for a change is zoning from the Neighbourhood Development "ND" Zone to the Single Residential "R4" Zone (Block 1), Single Residential "R4-39" Zone, Modified (Block 2); Multiple Residential "RM2-47" Zone, Modified (Block 3); and Multiple Residential "RM3-72(H)" Zone, Modified, Holding (Block 4); to permit the development of 25 single detached dwellings, 29 street townhouse dwellings, 51 townhouse dwellings and the extension of a public road (Street "A"), on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:
- (i) That the draft By-law attached as Appendix "C" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
- (ii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provision of Section 36(1) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H' as a suffix to the proposed zoning for the following:

Notwithstanding the provision of Section 3.8 "Holding Zones", on those lands zoned "RM3-72"(H)" by this By-law, the Holding symbol (H) may be removed and thereby give effect to the "RM3-72(H)" Zone provisions in Section 2 above, upon completion of the following:

(1) That the owner demonstrates the following:

- (aa) That the storm conveyance Block 37 has been adequately sized and designed to accommodate a storm sewer outlet and overland drainages from both Blocks 27 and 28 including Street 'A' in line with a low point on Street 'A' without having any impact on Block 27 and 28;
- (bb) That Blocks 27 and 28 top of grate (TOG) elevations for all rear yard catch basins (RYCB's) along the south limit on both Blocks 27 and 28 are set a minimum of 0.3 m above the maximum water elevation on the emergency spillway of the Stormwater Management (SWM) pond on the abutting land to the south. All RYCB's shall be designed considering 50% blockage conditions;
- (cc) That the five-year hydraulic grade line (HGL) considering five-year operating level in the abutting pond (Nash 3 pond) is below obvert of the proposed storm sewer on Street 'A' and Block 37;
- (dd) Blocks 27 and 28 shall remain undevelopable until such time as the ultimate storm water management pond facility is approved by all approval agencies with jurisdiction (MECP, City, NEC, HCA);
- all to the satisfaction of the satisfaction of Director of Growth Management, Growth Management Division.
- (iii) That the proposed change in zoning are consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and the Niagara Escarpment Plan and Niagara Escarpment Plan;
- (iv) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX;
- (c) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, for a change in zoning from the Neighbourhood Development "ND" Zone to the Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone and Neighbourhood Park (P1) Zone, in order to establish a future linkage block and protect lands located along the escarpment

brow and to establish lands for a connection to the neighbourhood park to the south, on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:

- (i) That the draft By-law, attached as Appendix "D" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
- (ii) That the proposed change in zoning is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and Niagara Escarpment Plan;
- (iii) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX;
- (d) That Draft Plan of Subdivision Application 25T-201701, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED, subject to the following:
  - (i) That this approval apply to the Draft Plan of Subdivision "City View Estates" 25T-2017001, certified by Nicholas P. Muth, O.L.S., dated August 18, 2022, consisting of 25 lots for single detached dwellings (Lots 1 to 25), one block for parkland for the connection to a future Neighbourhood Park (Block 26), six blocks for townhouse and street townhouse development (Blocks 27 to 34), three blocks for stormwater management (Blocks 35 to 37), two blocks for natural open space protection (Blocks 38 and 39), three blocks for right of way dedications (Blocks 40 to 42), and the extension of a public roadway (Street "A") attached as Appendix "F" to Report PED23003, subject to the Owner entering into a standard form subdivision agreement as approved by City Council and with the Special Conditions attached as Appendix "G" to Report PED23003;
  - (ii) In accordance with the City's Comprehensive Development Guidelines and Financial Policies Manual there will be no City of Hamilton cost sharing for this subdivision;
  - (iii) That payment of Cash-in-Lieu of Parkland will be required, pursuant to Section 51 of the *Planning Act*, prior to the issuance of each building permit. The calculation for the Cash-in-Lieu payment shall be based on the value of the lands on the day prior to the issuance of each building permit, all in accordance with the Financial Policies

for Development and the City's Parkland Dedication By-law, as approved by Council.

#### (Spadafora/Hwang)

That the recommendations in Report PED23003 respecting the Application for Amendments to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, Stoney Creek Zoning By-law No. 3692-92, and Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200, and Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, Stoney Creek, be **amended**, as follows:

- (a) To add new sub-sections (b) (ii) (H1) and (H2) as follows:
  - (ii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provision of Section 36(1) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H' as a suffix to the proposed zoning for the following:

Notwithstanding the provision of Section 3.8 "Holding Zones", on those lands zoned "RM3-72"(H)" by this By-law, the Holding symbol (H) may be removed and thereby give effect to the "RM3-72(H)" Zone provisions in Section 2 above, upon completion of the following:

Notwithstanding the provision of Section 3.8 "Holding Zones", on those lands zoned "R4(H1)", "R4-39(H1)", "RM2-47(H1)" and "RM3-72"(H1, H2)" by this By-law, the Holding symbol (H) may be removed and thereby give effect to the R4(H1)", "R4-39(H1)", "RM2-47(H1)" and "RM3-72(H1, H2)" Zone provisions in Section 2 above, upon completion of the following:

- (H1) That Niagara Escarpment Commission (NEC)
  Development Permit W/R/2021-2022/203, become
  Final and Binding and all conditions are cleared to
  the satisfaction of the Niagara Escarpment
  Commission.
- (1) That the owner demonstrates the following:
- (H2) That the owner demonstrates the following:
  - (aa) That the storm conveyance Block 37 has been adequately sized and designed to accommodate a storm sewer outlet and overland drainages from both Blocks 27 and 28 including Street 'A' in line with a low point on

- Street 'A' without having any impact on Block 27 and 28;
- (bb) That Blocks 27 and 28 top of grate (TOG) elevations for all rear yard catch basins (RYCB's) along the south limit on both Blocks 27 and 28 are set a minimum of 0.3 m above the maximum water elevation on the emergency spillway of the Stormwater Management (SWM) pond on the abutting land to the south. All RYCB's shall be designed considering 50% blockage conditions;
- (cc) That the five-year hydraulic grade line (HGL) considering five-year operating level in the abutting pond (Nash 3 pond) is below obvert of the proposed storm sewer on Street 'A' and Block 37;
- (dd) Blocks 27 and 28 shall remain undevelopable until such time as the ultimate storm water management pond facility is approved by all approval agencies with jurisdiction (MECP, City, NEC, HCA);
- (b) To add new sub-sections (c) (ii) and renumber the balance accordingly, as follows:
  - (c) That Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-17-001, by A.J Clarke and Associates (c/o Franz Kloibhofer), on behalf of 146769 Ontario Inc. (c/o Fabio and Pia Neri), Owners, for a change in zoning from the Neighbourhood Development "ND" Zone to the Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone and Neighbourhood Park (P1) Zone, in order to establish a future linkage block and protect lands located along the escarpment brow and to establish lands for a connection to the neighbourhood park to the south, on lands located at 15 Ridgeview Drive, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23003, be APPROVED on the following basis:
    - (i) That the draft By-law, attached as Appendix "D" to Report PED23003, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council:

- (ii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provision of Section 36(1) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H' as a suffix to the proposed zoning for the following:
  - "140. Notwithstanding Sections 7.1 and 7.5 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Neighbourhood Park (P1, H140) Zone and Conservation/Hazard Land (P5, H140), identified on Map Nos. 1353 and 1354 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described as 15 Ridgeview Drive, no development shall be permitted until such time as:
    - (a) That Niagara Escarpment
      Commission (NEC) Development
      Permit W/R/2021-2022/203, become
      Final and Binding and all conditions
      are cleared to the satisfaction of the
      Niagara Escarpment Commission.
- (ii)(iii) That the proposed change in zoning is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended) and Niagara Escarpment Plan;
- (iii) (iv) That this By-law will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XX:

#### Result: Amendment CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

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YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 3.

#### (g) DISCUSSION ITEMS (Item 11)

### (i) Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations (PED17203(c)) (City Wide) (Outstanding Business List Item) (Item 11.1)

Ben Spychaj, Project Manager, addressed the Committee with the aid of a PowerPoint presentation.

#### (a) (A. Wilson/Nann)

That the staff presentation be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

- YES Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson
- YES Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch
- YES Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann
- YES Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang
- YES Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis
- YES Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls
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- YES Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar
- YES Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson
- YES Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora
- NOT PRESENT Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (b) (Spadafora/Tadeson)

That the following written submissions (Item 11.1 (a)), be received:

- (i) Lilli Jones
- (ii) Norah McIntyre
- (iii) Lou Piriano, Realtors Association of Hamilton-Burlington
- (iv) Steven Devisser
- (v) Mark Krikke
- (vi) Gabrielle Marchese
- (vii) Hamza Patel
- (viii) Omo Aisosa-igiebor
- (ix) Bryan Adlam

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- (x) Shalaine Ritchie
- (xi) Kirby Wilkins
- (xii) Alex Poliakov
- (xiii) Matthew Ferro
- (xiv) Adam Oldfield
- (xv) Paul Bellavia
- (xvi) Holly Jespersen
- (xvii) Gillian Fletcher
- (xviii) Bryan DiFrancesco
- (xix) Monica Fox
- (xx) Scott Ramsay
- (xxi) Connie Kidd
- (xxii) Toni Daramola
- (xxiii) Lynn Mackey
- (xxiv) Cale McKenna
- (xxv) Mark Wessman
- (xxvi) Sameera Prematilake
- (xxvii) Helene Ladouceur

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 12 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

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YES - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

YES - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (c) (Danko/Nann)

- (a) That Report PED17203(c), Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations, to license and regulate Short-Term Rentals in Hamilton, be approved;
- (b) That the By-law to amend the Licensing By-law 07-170 with respect to Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations outlined in Revised Appendix "D", with the annual 120 day rental cap removed, to Report PED17203(c), which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be

approved subject to approval of items (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) below:

- (i) That the City of Hamilton User Fees and Charges Bylaw 19-160 be amended to reflect the new Short-Term Rental Licensing Fee Schedule attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED17203(c);
- (ii) That the request for 2.25 Full Time Equivalents (FTEs), with no net levy impact in the Licensing & Bylaw Services Division to support Licensing Short-Term Rentals Accommodations, be approved;
- (iii) That an additional vehicle, including vehicle maintenance costs, at an estimated cost of \$42,000 be approved for Licensing and By-law Services for enforcing the Short-Term Rental Licensing program;
- (iv) That subject to approval of (ii) and (iii) implementation costs be funded through an internal loan plus interest over a two-year term from the Investment Stabilization Reserve (112300) to be repaid once revenues are collected.
- (v) That the Director of Licensing and By-law Services be authorized to sign any agreements between the City of Hamilton and Short-Term Rental Broker as required pursuant to the Licensing By-law 07-170 in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor;
- (c) That Council endorse the implementation plan as detailed in Report PED17203(c) to develop, administer and enforce the licensing of Short-Term Rentals units;
- (d) That, subject to the approval of Recommendation (b), Licensing and By-law Services be directed to work with Legal Services to obtain approval for set fines with the Ministry of the Attorney General, and create administrative penalties to amend By-law 17-225 (Administrative Penalties By-law); and,
- (e) That Item 22P respecting Licensing Short-Term Rental (STR) Accommodations be identified as complete and removed from the Planning Committee's Outstanding Business List.

#### (d) (Kroetsch/A. Wilson)

That the above motion be amended to include an annual 180 day rental cap.

#### Result: Motion DEFEATED by a vote of 8 to 4, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

YES – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

NO - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

NO - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

NO - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

NO - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

NO - Ward 10 Councillor J. Beattie

NO - Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

NO – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

NO - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT - Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 4.

#### (h) NOTICES OF MOTION (Item 13)

### (i) Demolition Permit for 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton (Added Item 13.1)

#### (Danko/Spadafora)

That the Rules of Order be waived to allow for the introduction of a Motion respecting Demolition Permit for 820 Rymal Road East, Hamilton.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a 2/3rds vote of 10 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

YES - Ward 7 Councillor E. Pauls

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YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

NOT PRESENT - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

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YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 5.

#### (i) GENERAL INFORMATION / OTHER BUSINESS (Item 14)

#### (i) General Manager's Update (Added Item 14.1)

Jason Thorne, General Manager of Planning and Economic Development advised the Committee of staff changes and the implementation of Planning process changes.

#### (A. Wilson/Spadafora)

That the General Manager's Update be received.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 9 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

NOT PRESENT - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

NOT PRESENT - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

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YES - Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

#### (j) PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL (Item 15)

#### (Tadeson/Spadafora)

That Committee move into Closed Session for Items 15.1 and 15.2 pursuant to Section 9.3, Sub-sections (e), (f) and (k) of the City's Procedural By-law 21-021, as amended; and, Section 239(2), Sub-sections (e), (f) and (k) of the *Ontario Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended, as the subject matter pertains to litigation or potential litigation, including matters before administrative tribunals, affecting the municipality or local board; advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose; and, a position, plan, procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board.

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#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 9 to 0, as follows:

YES - Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

NOT PRESENT - Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT - Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

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YES - Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar

YES - Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson

YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora

NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

(i) Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) for Lack of Decision on Zoning By-law Amendment ZAC-22-025 for Lands located at 1019 Wilson Street West (LS21023(a)) (Ward 12) (Added Item 15.1)

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 6.

(ii) Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal for Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment Applications for Lands Located at 405 James Street North (LS23012) (Ward 2) (Added Item 15.2)

For disposition of this matter, refer to Item 7.

#### (k) ADJOURNMENT (Item 16)

#### (Hwang/Francis)

That there being no further business, the Planning Committee be adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

#### Result: Motion CARRIED by a vote of 10 to 0, as follows:

YES – Ward 1 Councillor M. Wilson

YES – Ward 2 Councillor C. Kroetsch

NOT PRESENT – Ward 3 Councillor N. Nann

YES - Ward 4 Councillor T. Hwang

YES - Ward 5 Councillor M. Francis

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YES - Ward 8 Councillor J.P. Danko

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YES – Ward 11 Councillor M. Tadeson

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YES – Ward 12 Councillor C. Cassar YES – Ward 13 Councillor A. Wilson YES – Ward 14 Councillor M. Spadafora NOT PRESENT – Ward 15 Councillor T. McMeekin

Councillor M. Wilson Chair, Planning Committee

Lisa Kelsey

Legislative Coordinator

# Retirement Living Proposal

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Famee Furlane Property Planning Subcommittee

Frank Lenarduzzi, Chair

### **Rational & Drivers**

#### **Record Population Growth**

In 2021/2022, Canada's population grew by a record 703,404 people (+1.8%) The vast majority of this growth (93.5%) is due to international migration.

#### **Aging Population**

On July 1, 2022, almost one in five Canadians (18.8% of the population; 7,329,910 people) were at least 65 years of age.

All levels of Government have identified housing issues as a priority, along with better healthcare and a cleaner greener future. At a Community level we need more recreational facilities to deal with this growth.

Our Club is under-utilized and we would like to help by offering more community services.

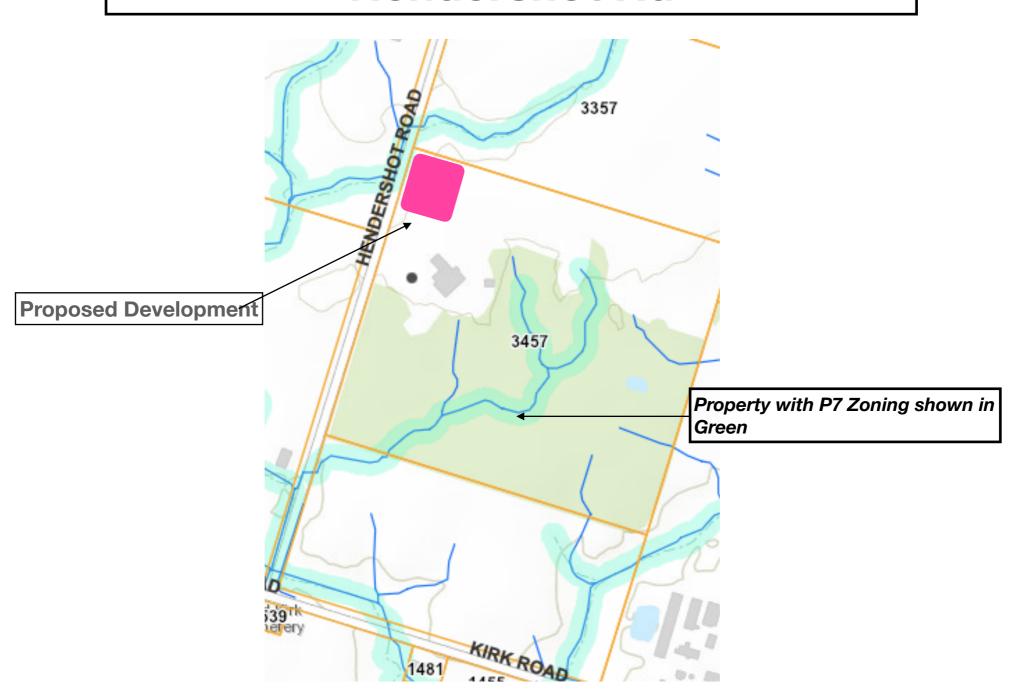
## Open Space FAMME FURLANE



The Famee Furlane of Hamilton is a no-profit Club providing Club functions and passive recreational amenities to the community at large. We also host a Weekly Religious Service for an outside group. <a href="https://fameefurlane.ca/">https://fameefurlane.ca/</a>

We are seeking to enhance the Club and Community services being provided.

# FAMEE FURLANE Northwest Corner of 3457 Hendershot Rd



# Summary of the Zoning Issue

We have closely looked at what is permitted and conclude the Zoning has some shortcomings that we would like to address. Specifically, the fact that it appears that we can't have any Site Habitation. Despite the fact that camping is permitted, which is a form of temporary habitation. Some consider senior living as temporary. Regardless, we would like to investigate senior living options on the site that could include:

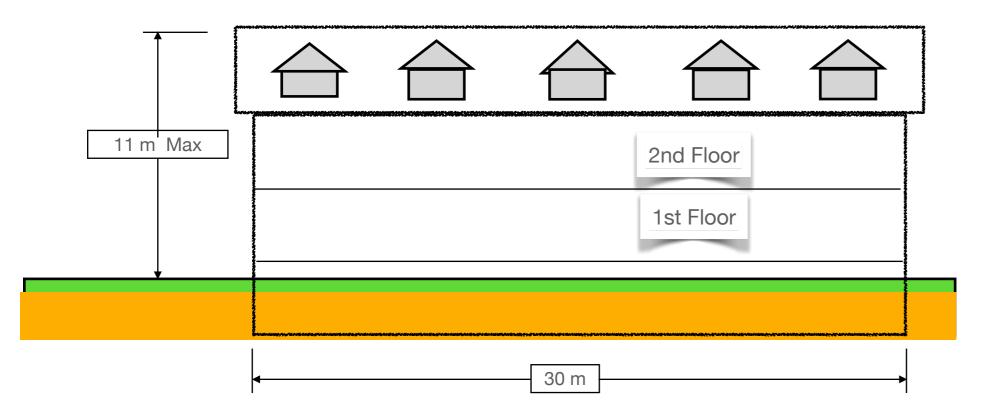
Respite Care; Palliative Care; Short-term Convalescent Care; Short-term Crisis Management Care; Non-Profit house for Seniors; Senior's Independent Living; Senior Assisted Living; Short-term Housing (Short-Term Rental) for Refugees, following the Russian invasion of Ukraine, for example.

We have evaluated each of these categories and have one building plan which has been developed for all these categories.

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#### Northwest Corner of 3457 Hendershot Rd Showing Proposed Building From View

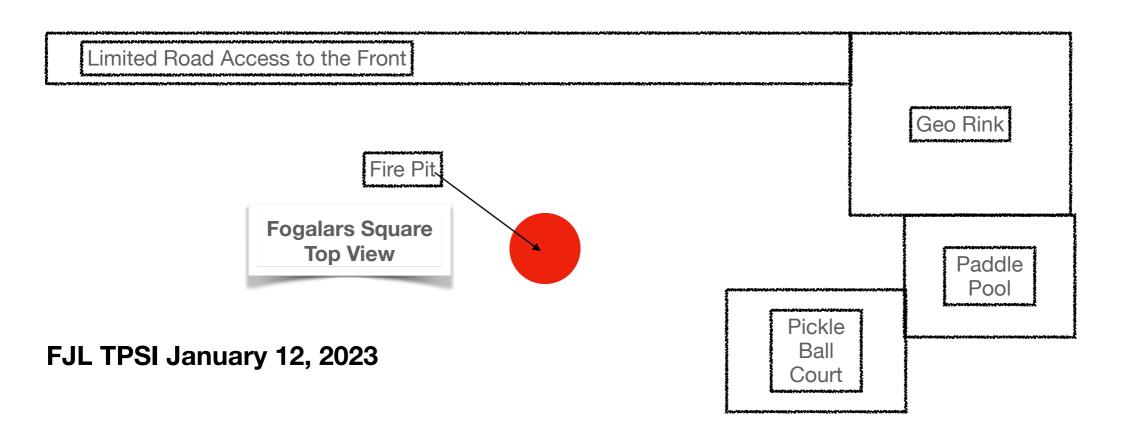
Seniors Building Front View



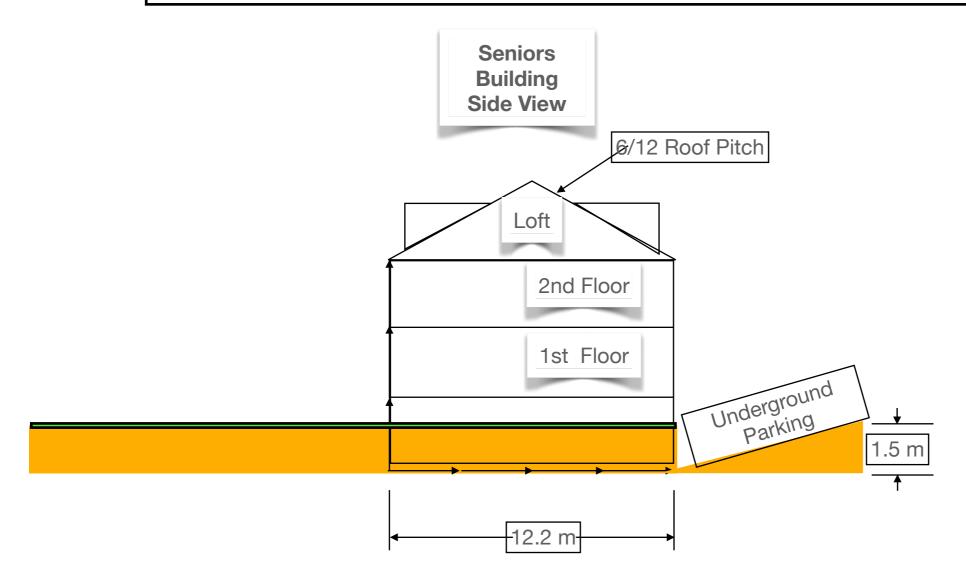
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#### Northwest Corner of 3457 Hendershot Rd Plot Plan Showing Amenities

Seniors Building
Top View

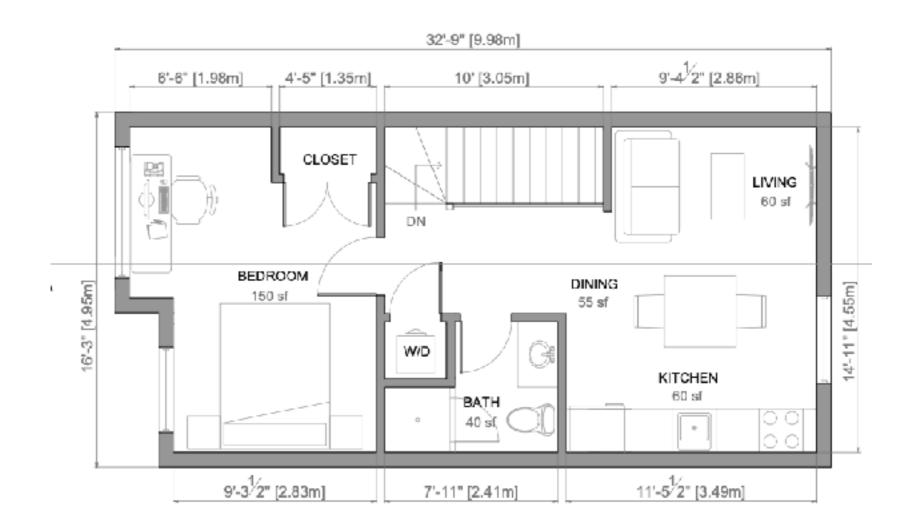


#### Northwest Corner of 3457 Hendershot Rd Showing Proposed Building Side View

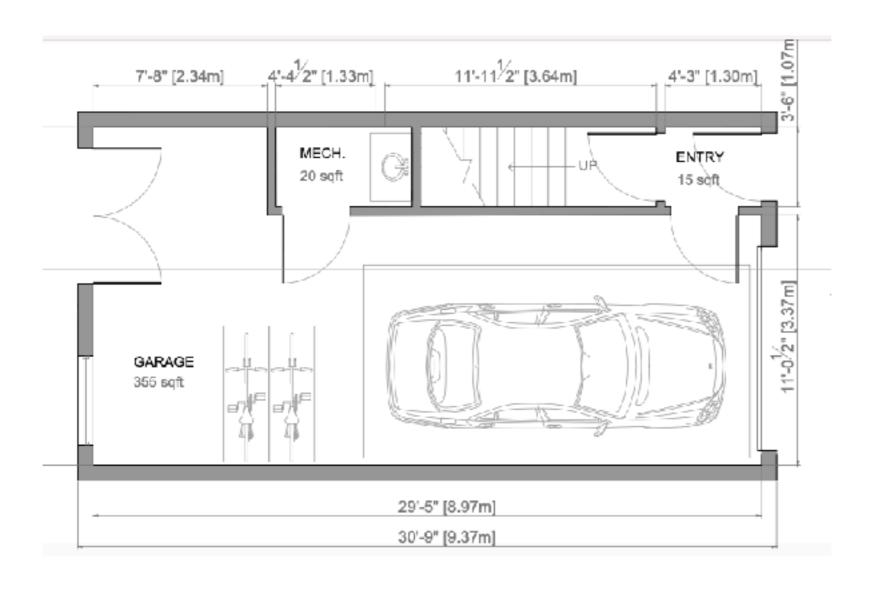


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# Example of 1st Floor Accommodations

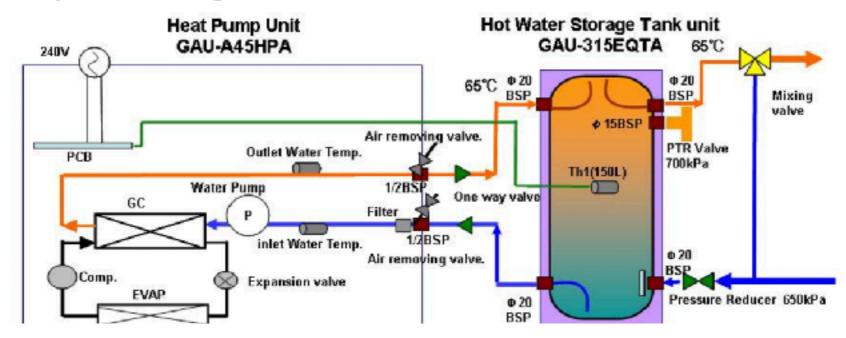


# Example of Basement Floor Plan



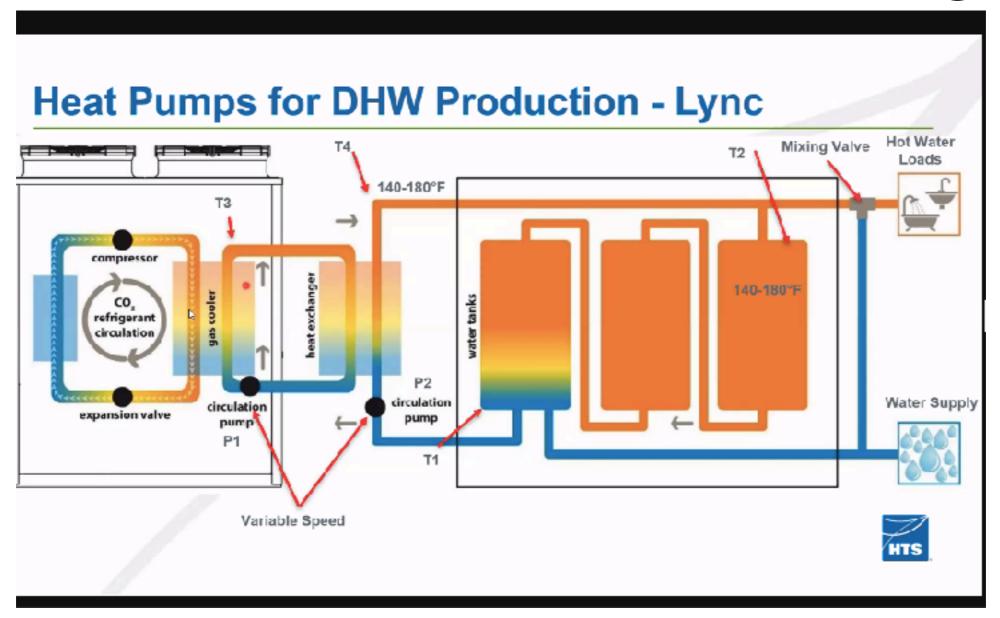
# Retirement Living With Ground-Source Heat Heat Pumps & Thermal Storage

#### System Circuit Diagram



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# Retirement Living with Air-Source Heat Pumps & Thermal Storage



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### Retirement Living with Outdoor State-ofthe-Art Amenities for the Local Community



## **Current Facilities**

**St. Elizabeth Village** is an example of a seniors facility that has grown over many years from a modest beginning of dedicated Sisters committed to improving healthcare for seniors located at Rymal Road and Garth.

**Garth Trails** is another example of an Adult Lifestyle Community located just off Twenty Rd and Garth St. It has a number of activities and events including exercise programs, bocce, darts, billiards, tennis, golf, ballroom dancing, needlework and horseshoes to mention a few.

While these are good examples; they fall short, in our mind, by not integrating the seniors with the Community at large. In most cases, the amenities are not shared with the local community and are exclusive to the residents.

In our view this is a mistake that we do not want to make. By allowing both the residents and the local community shared access to our site we plan a better senior living alternative where the residents could participate more fully in the Community at large. This core idea is shared by experts like Pat Armstrong.

## Better Option

Shared access to our site is our long-term vision. It would allow both young and old to work and participate in managing the facilities. I actively participate in several groups that represent thousands of seniors retired from the electricity sector.

One common theme I often hear is that seniors are a huge under-utilized resource and most of us seniors would be much happier if we had something useful to do.

We are seeking to do just that.

Our group has the expertise in the design, build and management of better senior facilities. Co-sharing amenities with the community at large is seen as an easy implementation.

## Short List of Participants

**Terra Power Systems Inc (TPSI).**, an Oakville based company, with a background in sustainable development and green building. TPSI have been involved in Planning Aspects with the Town of Oakville and have reviewed zoning requirements with the City of Toronto, City of Hamilton, Norfolk County, City of Mississauga and on North Vancouver Island in BC., with building projects in most of these listed jurisdictions.

**Nightingale Software** brings the IT expertise to the group. They operate the Web-based monitoring and control software that is used in our projects to both validate performance and provide remote monitoring and control.

**McMaster University** has been active in the past helping to evaluate the performance of sustainable technologies and have co-hosted numerous Workshops on Conservation and Demand Management. We will be seeking their cooperation on this project.

**Adrian Mauro** president of Chamberlain Architect Services Limited.

The Pensioner Chapter of the Society of United Professionals has offered both in-kind and funding support to promote Better Retirement Living for Seniors.

Better Retirement Living for Seniors - Subcommittee Pensioners Chapter — Society of United Professionals

# Expanded List of Participants & Contacts Offering Support for Better Retirement Living for Seniors

**Architects** 

Doctor/Engineers

**Teachers** 

Nursing Homes Heath Professionals

Net Zero Consultants

Commercial Real Estate People

McMater University

**Pharmacist** 

CEO's

Nurses

Bank Executives

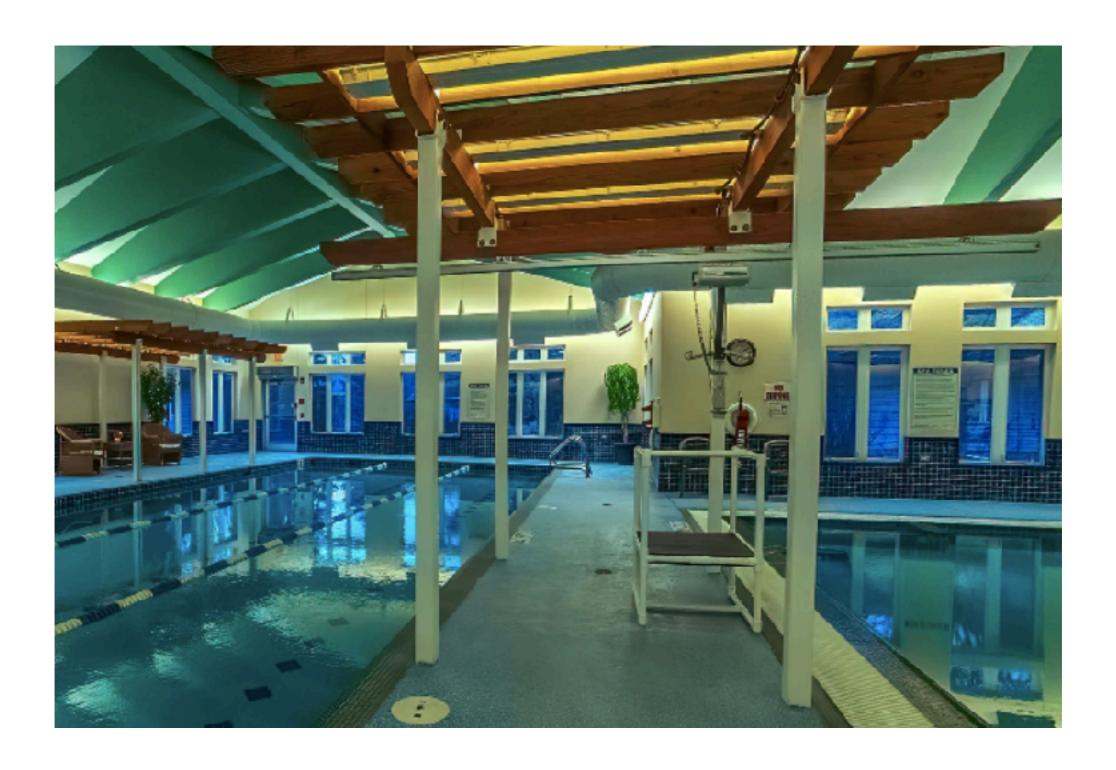
**Business People** 

Developers

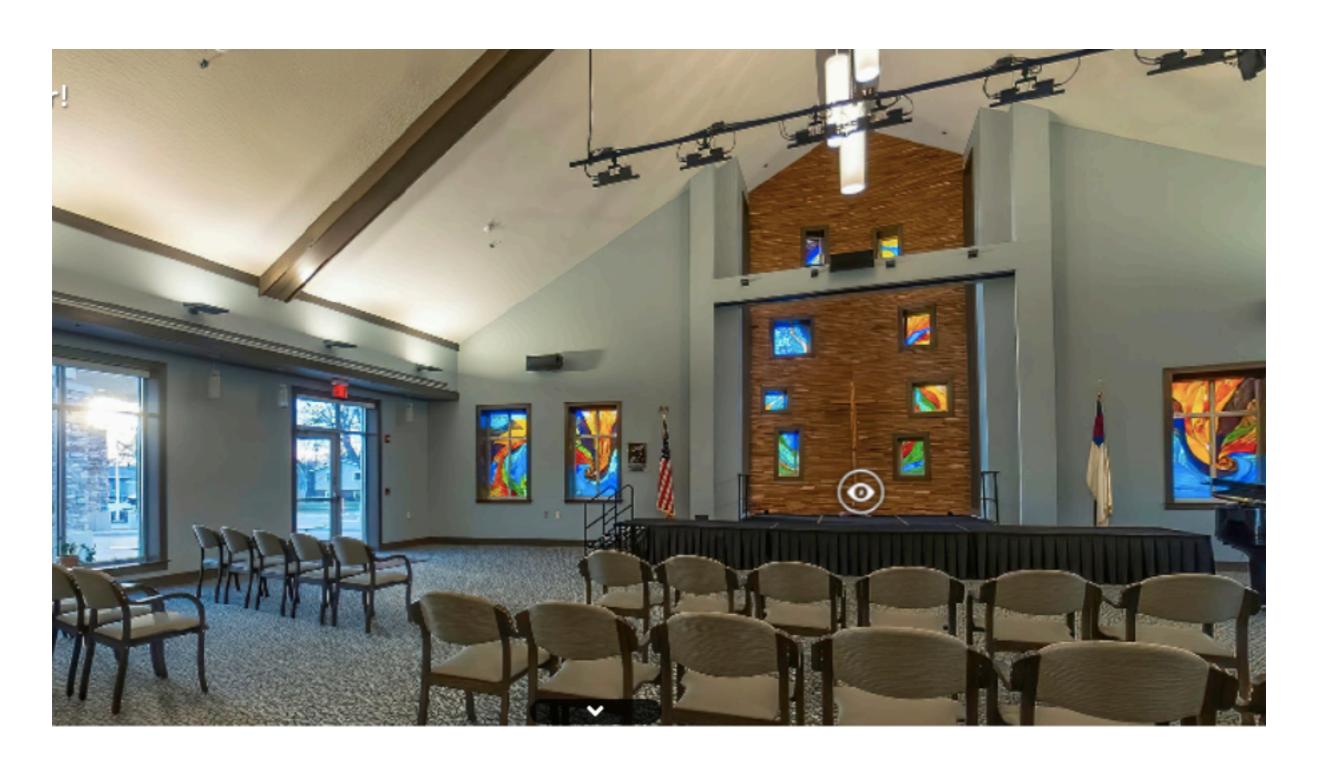
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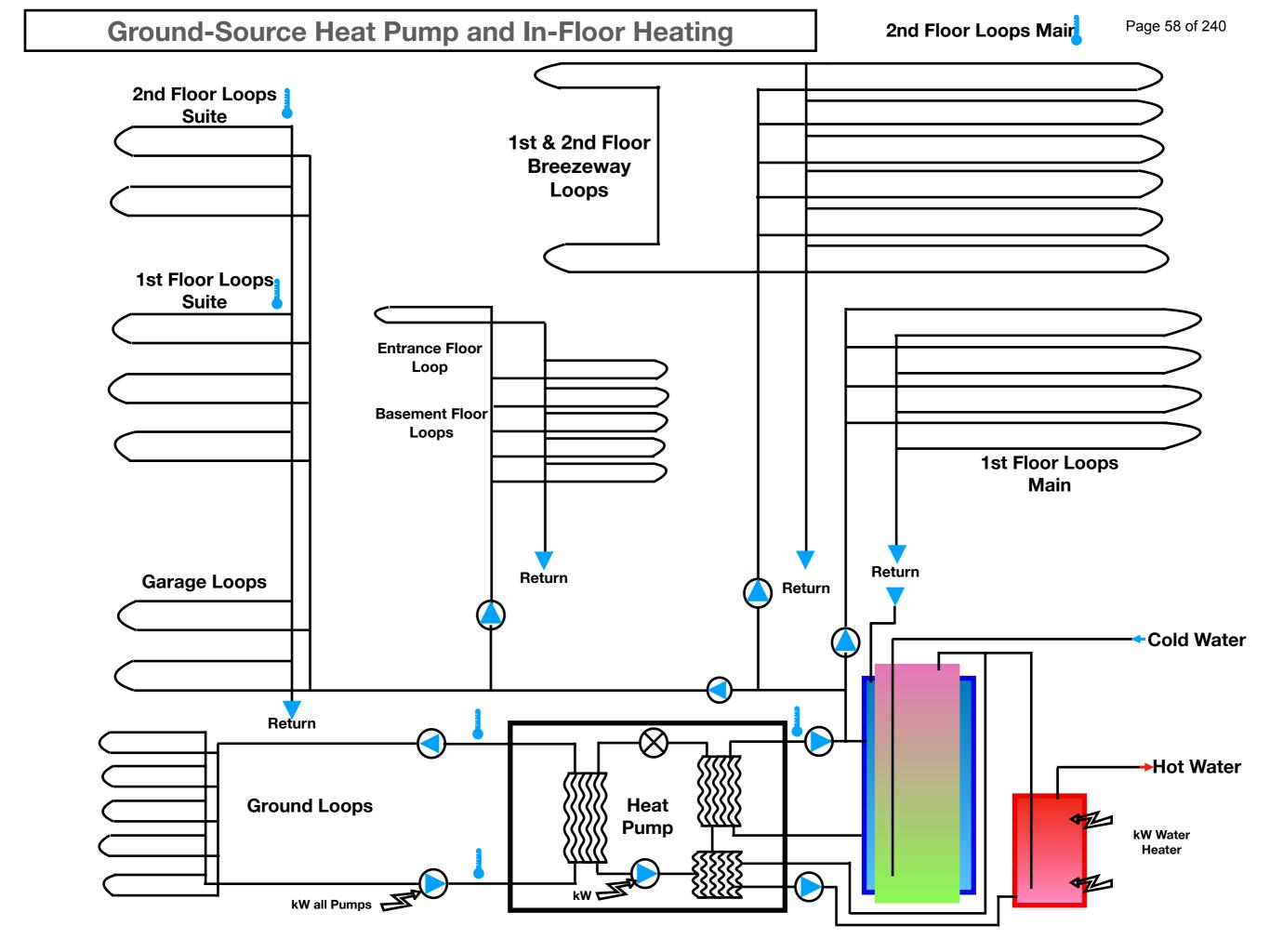
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## Lap Pool & Paddle Pool



## **Meeting Space & Privacy Zones**







#### INFORMATION REPORT

| то:                | Chair and Members Planning Committee   |
|--------------------|--|
| COMMITTEE DATE:    | January 31, 2023   |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO: | Active Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, and Plan of Subdivision Applications (PED23034) (City Wide) |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED:  | City Wide  |
| PREPARED BY:       | Shannah Evans (905) 546-2424 Ext. 1928   |
| SUBMITTED BY:      | Steve Robichaud Director, Planning and Chief Planner Planning and Economic Development Department                    |
| SIGNATURE:         |  |

#### COUNCIL DIRECTION

In accordance with the June 16, 2015, Planning Committee direction, this Report provides a status of all active Zoning By-law Amendment, Official Plan Amendment and Plan of Subdivision Applications relative to the statutory timeframe provisions of the *Planning Act* for non-decision appeals. In addition, this Report also includes a list and status of all Applications appealed to the Ontario Land Tribunal for non-decision.

#### **INFORMATION**

Staff were directed to report back to Planning Committee with a reporting tool that seeks to monitor Applications where the applicable statutory timeframes apply. This reporting tool would be used to track the status of all active Official Plan Amendment, Zoning Bylaw Amendment and Plan of Subdivision Applications.

For the purposes of this Report, the status of active Zoning By-law Amendment, Official Plan Amendment and Plan of Subdivision Applications have been divided, relative to the statutory timeframe provisions of the *Planning Act*, that were in effect pursuant to statutory timeframes prescribed in *Bill 73* and *Bill 139* and new statutory timeframes prescribed in *Bill 108*.

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#### Applications Deemed Complete Prior to Royal Assent of Bill 139 (December 12, 2017)

Attached as Appendix "A" to Report PED23034 is a table outlining the active Applications received prior to December 12, 2017, sorted by Ward, from oldest Application to newest. As of December 16, 2022, there were:

- 4 active Official Plan Amendment Applications, all of which were submitted after July 1, 2016, and therefore subject to the 90 day extension to the statutory timeframe from 180 days to 270 days;
- 7 active Zoning By-law Amendment Applications; and,
- 4 active Plan of Subdivision Applications.

Within 60 to 90 days of December 16, 2022, all seven development proposals have passed the applicable 120, 180 and 270 day statutory timeframes.

#### Applications Deemed Complete After Royal Assent of Bill 139 (December 12, 2017)

Attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23034 is a table outlining the active Applications received after December 12, 2017, but before Royal Assent of Bill 108, sorted by Ward, from oldest Application to newest. As of December 16, 2022, there were:

- 4 active Official Plan Amendment Applications, all of which are subject to the 90 day extension to the statutory timeframe from 210 days to 300 days;
- 8 active Zoning By-law Amendment Applications; and,
- 4 active Plan of Subdivision Applications.

Within 60 to 90 days of December 16, 2022, all eight development proposals have passed the applicable 150, 180 or 300 day statutory timeframes.

#### Applications Deemed Complete After Royal Assent of Bill 108 (September 3, 2019)

Attached as Appendix "C" to Report PED23034 is a table outlining the active Applications received after September 3, 2019, and subject to the new statutory timeframes, sorted by Ward, from oldest Application to newest. As of December 16, 2022, there were:

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- 29 active Official Plan Amendment Applications;
- 59 active Zoning By-law Amendment Applications; and,
- 19 active Plan of Subdivision Applications.

As of December 16, 2022, 8 development proposals are approaching the 90 or 120 day statutory timeframe and will be eligible for appeal. Fifty-six (55) development proposals have passed the 90 or 120 day statutory timeframe.

#### **Planning Division Active Files**

Combined to reflect property addresses, there are 79 active development proposals. Three (3) proposals are 2023 (4%), 39 proposals are 2022 files (49%), 37 proposals are pre-2022 files (47%).

A table comparing the number of projects by application type by month for 2021 (Figure 1) and 2022 (Figure 2) is attached as Appendix "D" to Report PED22034. This demonstrates that the number of active projects, reported monthly, have increased in 2022, with an average of 70 in 2021, and 82 in 2022. However, 16 of the active projects are pre-2020 files which have had limited activity in the past 18 months. It is noted that Planning staff monitor the activities associated with a file and if a file is considered to be inactive for more than six months, staff contact the Applicant and request if the Applicant wishes to withdraw the Application and if not, request clarification of the Applicants intention with respect to proceeding. If no response is received, staff will proceed to close the file.

Staff continue to work with the AMANDA Implementation Team to add enhancements to the database that will allow for the creation of more detailed reporting. As a result, future tables will include a qualitative analysis of the status of active Applications. Furthermore, the long-term goal of the Planning Division is to make this information available on an interactive map accessed through the City of Hamilton website, and an e-mail system will provide notification of when a new Application is received.

#### **Current Non-Decision Appeals to the Ontario Land Tribunal**

At the February 2, 2021, Planning Committee meeting, Planning Committee requested that information be reported relating to development Applications that have been appealed for non-decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal. Attached as Appendix "E" to Report PED23034 is a table outlining Development Applications, along with the applicant/agent, that have been appealed for non-decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal. There are currently 20 active appeals for non-decision. Third party appeals are not included in this information as Council has made a decision to approve the Application.

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#### APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

- Appendix "A" to Report PED23034 List of Active Development Applications (prior to December 12, 2017)
- Appendix "B" to Report PED23034 List of Active Development Applications (after December 12, 2017)
- Appendix "C" to Report PED23034 List of Active Development Applications (after September 3, 2019)
- Appendix "D" to Report PED23034 Number of Active Projects by Application Type by Month (2021 and 2022)
- Appendix "E" to Report PED23034 *Planning Act* Applications Currently Appealed for Non-Decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal

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## Active Development Applications Deemed Complete Prior to December 12, 2017 (Effective December 16, 2022)

| File                                    | Address  | Date<br>Received | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Incomplete | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Complete | 120 day<br>cut off<br>(Rezoning) | 180 day<br>cut off<br>(Plan of<br>Sub) | 270 day<br>cut off<br>OPA* | Applicant/<br>Agent                 | Days Since<br>Received<br>and/or<br>Deemed<br>Complete<br>as of<br>December<br>16, 2022 |
|---|--|------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Ward 7                                  |  |                  |   |   |                                  |  |                            |                                     |   |
| UHOPA-17-31<br>ZAC-17-071               | 1625 - 1655<br>Upper James<br>Street,<br>Hamilton  | 27-Sep-17        | n/a                                       | 02-Oct-17                               | 25-Jan-18                        | n/a                                    | 24-Jun-18                  | MB1 Development Consulting Inc.     | 1934  |
| Ward 9                                  |  |                  |   |   |                                  |  |                            |                                     |   |
| UHOPA-16-26<br>ZAC-16-065<br>25T-201611 | 478 and 490<br>First Road<br>West, Stoney<br>Creek | 12-Oct-16        | n/a                                       | 02-Nov-16                               | 09-Feb-17                        | 10-Apr-17                              | 09-Jul-17                  | T. Johns<br>Consultants<br>Inc.     | 2284  |
| UHOPA-16-27<br>ZAC-16-066<br>25T-201612 | 464 First<br>Road West,<br>Stoney<br>Creek         | 12-Oct-16        | n/a                                       | 02-Nov-16                               | 09-Feb-17                        | n/a                                    | 09-Jul-17                  | T. Johns<br>Consultants<br>Inc.     | 2284  |
| UHOPA-17-01<br>ZAC-17-001<br>25T-201701 | 15 Ridgeview<br>Drive, Stoney<br>Creek             | 02-Dec-16        | n/a                                       | 16-Dec-16                               | 01-Apr-17                        | 31-May-<br>17                          | 29-Aug-17                  | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates<br>Ltd. | 2233  |
| Ward 10                                 |  |                  |   |   |                                  |  |                            |                                     |   |
| ZAC-15-040                              | 9 Glencrest<br>Avenue,<br>Stoney<br>Creek          | 02-Jul-15        | n/a                                       | 17-Jul-15                               | 30-Oct-15                        | n/a                                    | n/a                        | WEBB Planning Consultants Inc.      | 2752  |

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### Active Development Applications Deemed Complete Prior to December 12, 2017 (Effective December 16, 2022)

| File                     | Address   | Date<br>Received | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Incomplete | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Complete | 120 day<br>cut off<br>(Rezoning) | 180 day<br>cut off<br>(Plan of<br>Sub) | 270 day<br>cut off<br>OPA* | Applicant/<br>Agent             | Days Since Received and/or Deemed Complete as of December 16, 2022 |
|--------------------------|---|------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Ward 12                  |   |                  |   |   |                                  |  |                            |                                 |  |
| ZAC-16-006<br>25T-201602 | 285, 293<br>Fiddlers<br>Green Road,<br>Ancaster | 23-Dec-15        | n/a                                       | 06-Jan-16                               | 21-Apr-16                        | 20-Jun-16                              | n/a                        | Liam Doherty                    | 2578   |
| ZAC-17-062               | 45 Secinaro<br>Avenue,<br>Ancaster              | 28-Jul-17        | n/a                                       | 01-Aug-17                               | 25-Nov-17                        | n/a                                    | n/a                        | T. Johns<br>Consultants<br>Inc. | 1995   |

#### **Active Development Applications**

- 1. When an Application is deemed incomplete, the new deemed complete date is the day the new materials are submitted. In these situations, the 120, 180 and 270 day timeframe commences on the date the new materials were submitted. In all other situations, the 120, 180 and 270 day timeframe commences the day the Application was received.
- \* In accordance with Section 17 (40.1) of the *Planning Act*, the City of Hamilton has extended the approval period of Official Plan Amendment Applications by 90 days from 180 days to 270 days. However, Applicants can terminate the 90 day extension if written notice to the Municipality is received prior to the expiration of the 180 statutory timeframe.

### Active Development Applications Deemed Complete After December 12, 2017 (Effective December 16, 2022)

| File                                       | Address  | Date<br>Received | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Incomplete | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Complete | 150 day<br>cut off<br>(Rezoning) | 180 day<br>cut off<br>(Plan of<br>Sub.) | 300 day cut<br>off (OPA) | Applicant/Agent                              | Days since<br>Received<br>and/or<br>Deemed<br>Complete<br>as of<br>December<br>16, 2022 |
|--|--|------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|---|
| Ward 2                                     |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |  | ·   |
| ZAR-19-008                                 | 124 Walnut<br>Street South,<br>Hamilton                    | 21-Dec-18        | n/a                                       | 18-Jan-19                               | 20-May-19                        | n/a                                     | n/a                      | IBI Group                                    | 1484  |
| Ward 6                                     |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |  |   |
| ZAC-19-035                                 | 694 Pritchard<br>Road,<br>Stoney<br>Creek                  | 08-May-19        | n/a                                       | 21-May-19                               | 05-Oct-19                        | n/a                                     | n/a                      | Urban in Mind<br>Planning<br>Consultants     | 1346  |
| Ward 10                                    |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |  |   |
| UHOPA-19-003*<br>ZAC-19-007<br>25T-2019001 | 238 Barton<br>Street,<br>Stoney<br>Creek                   | 19-Dec-18        | n/a                                       | 02-Jan-19                               | n/a                              | 17-Jun-19                               | 15-Oct-19*               | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.             | 1486  |
| Ward 11                                    |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |  |   |
| UHOPA-18-016*<br>ZAC-18-040<br>25T-2018007 | 9511 Twenty<br>Road West,<br>Glanbrook                     | 10-Jul-18        | n/a                                       | 15-Aug-18                               | n/a                              | 06-Jan-19                               | 06-May-19*               | Corbett Land<br>Strategies                   | 1648  |
| Ward 12                                    | ,  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |  |   |
| ZAC-18-048<br>25T-2018009                  | 387, 397,<br>405 and 409<br>Hamilton<br>Drive,<br>Ancaster | 09-Sep-18        | n/a                                       | 28-Sep-18                               | 06-Feb-19                        | 08-Mar-<br>19                           | n/a                      | Fothergill<br>Planning &<br>Development Inc. | 1587  |

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|---|--|------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|---|
| Ward 12 Continue                            | d  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |   |   |
| .UHOPA-18-022*<br>ZAC-18-056<br>25T-2018010 | 26 Southcote<br>Road,<br>Ancaster                    | 05-Nov-18        | n/a                                       | 15-Nov-18                               | n/a                              | 04-May-<br>19                           | 01-Sep-19*               | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.                  | 1530  |
| Ward 14                                     |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |   |   |
| ZAC-19-011                                  | 1933 Old<br>Mohawk<br>Road,<br>Ancaster              | 12-Dec-18        | n/a                                       | 10-Jan-19                               | 11-May-19                        | n/a                                     | n/a                      | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 1493  |
| Ward 15                                     |  |                  |   |   |                                  |   |                          |   |   |
| RHOPA-18-020*<br>ZAC-18-045                 | 173 and 177<br>Dundas<br>Street East,<br>Flamborough | 23-Jul-18        | n/a                                       | 15-Aug-18                               | n/a                              | n/a                                     | 19-May-19*               | MHBC Planning<br>Limited                          | 1629  |

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### Active Development Applications Deemed Complete After December 12, 2017 (Effective December 16, 2022)

#### **Active Development Applications**

- 1. When an Application is deemed incomplete, the new deemed complete date is the day the new materials are submitted. In these situations, the 150, 180, 210 and 300 day timeframe commences on the date the new materials were submitted. In all other situations, the 150, 180, 210 and 300 day timeframe commences the day the Application was received.
- \* In accordance with Section 34 (11.0.0.0.1), of the *Planning Act*, the approval period for Zoning By-law Amendment Applications submitted concurrently with an Official Plan Amendments, will be extended to 210 days.
- \* In accordance with Section 17 (40.1) of the *Planning Act*, the City of Hamilton has extended the approval period of Official Plan Amendment Applications by 90 days from 210 days to 300 days. However, Applicants can terminate the 90 day extension if written notice to the Municipality is received prior to the expiration of the 210 statutory timeframe.

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| File                       | Address  | Date<br>Received | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Incomplete | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Complete | 90 day<br>cut off<br>(Rezoning) | 120 day<br>cut off<br>(OPA or<br>Plan of Sub) | Applicant/Agent               | Days Since Received and/or Deemed Complete as of December 16, 2022 |
|----------------------------|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|
| Ward 1                     |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |                               |  |
| UHOPA-20-027<br>ZAC-20-042 | 1629-1655 Main<br>Street West,<br>Hamilton                         | 2-Nov-20         | n/a                                       | 1-Dec-20                                | n/a                             | 02-Mar-21                                     | GSP Group                     | 796  |
| UHOPA-22-005<br>ZAC-22-012 | 200 Market<br>Street, 55<br>Queen Street<br>North, Hamilton        | 19-Jan-22        | n/a                                       | 19-Jan-22                               | n/a                             | 19-May-22                                     | GSP Group                     | 331  |
| Ward 2                     |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |                               |  |
| UHOPA-20-025<br>ZAC-20-038 | 115 George<br>Street and 220-<br>222 Main Street<br>West, Hamilton | 04-Sep-20        | n/a                                       | 28-Sep-<br>20                           | n/a                             | 02-Jan-21                                     | GSP Group                     | 861  |
| UHOPA-21-007<br>ZAC-21-014 | 101 Hunter<br>Street East,<br>Hamilton                             | 23-Mar-21        | n/a                                       | 8-Apr-21                                | n/a                             | 21-Jul-21                                     | Coletara<br>Developments      | 691  |
| UHOPA-22-001<br>ZAC-22-003 | 65 Guise Street,<br>Hamilton                                       | 15-Nov-21        | n/a                                       | 18-Nov-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 15-Mar-22                                     | James Webb<br>Consulting Inc. | 392  |

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|----------------------------|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Ward 3                     |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-22-049                 | 338<br>Cumberland<br>Avenue,<br>Hamilton     | 20-July-22       | n/a                                       | 20-July-<br>22                          | 18-Oct-22                       | n/a   | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 150  |
| ZAC-22-053                 | 83 Emerald<br>Street South,<br>Hamilton      | 9-Aug-22         | n/a                                       | 22-Aug-<br>22                           | 7-Nov-22                        | n/a   | Gladki Planning<br>Associates Inc.                | 130  |
| Ward 5                     |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-21-043                 | 300 Albright<br>Road, Hamilton               | 29-Sep-21        | n/a                                       | 30-Sep-<br>21                           | 04-Jan-22                       | n/a   | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.                             | 471  |
| ZAC-22-013                 | 200 Centennial<br>Parkway North,<br>Hamilton | 19-Jan-22        | n/a                                       | 20-Jan-22                               | 19-April-22                     | n/a   | Calloway REIT<br>(Stoney Creek)<br>Inc.           | 330  |
| UHOPA-22-012<br>ZAC-22-023 | 2782 Barton<br>Street East,<br>Hamilton      | 17-Mar-22        | n/a                                       | n/a                                     | n/a                             | 14-July-222                                   | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.                  | 275  |
| UHOPA-22-016<br>ZAC-22-030 | 399 Greenhill<br>Avenue,<br>Stoney Creek     | 26-Apr-22        | n/a                                       | 27-Apr-22                               | n/a                             | 28-July-22                                    | Bousfields Inc.                                   | 234  |

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|----------------------------|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Ward 5 Continued           | ı  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-22-060                 | 3 North Park<br>Avenue,<br>Hamilton          | 8-Sep-22         | n/a                                       | 14-Sep-<br>22                           | 7-Dec-22                        | n/a   | IBI Group   | 100  |
| Ward 6                     |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-22-037<br>25T-202207   | 61 Eleanor<br>Avenue,<br>Hamilton            | 13-June-22       | n/a                                       | 15-June-<br>22                          | n/a                             | 12-Oct-22                                     | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.                  | 187  |
| ZAC-22-038                 | 4 and 10 Trinity<br>Church Road,<br>Hamilton | 13-June-22       | n/a                                       | 22-June-<br>22                          | 12-Sep-22                       | n/a   | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                      | 187  |
| UHOPA-22-019<br>ZAC-22-045 | 570 Upper<br>Ottawa Street,<br>Hamilton      | 8-July-22        | n/a                                       | 8-July-22                               | n/a                             | 5-Nov-22                                      | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 162  |
| UHOPA-22-027<br>ZAC-22-065 | 1400 Limeridge<br>Road East,<br>Hamilton     | 31-Oct-22        | n/a                                       | 10-Nov-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 28-Feb-23                                     | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.                             | 47   |
| 25T-202210                 | 705 Rymal<br>Road East,<br>Hamilton          | 22-Oct-22        | n/a                                       | 2-Dec-22                                | n/a                             | 24-Feb-23                                     | Wellings Planning<br>Consultants                  | 56   |

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|--|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Ward 7                                   |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| UHOPA-20-021<br>ZAC-20-037<br>25T-202006 | 544 and 550<br>Rymal Road<br>East, Hamilton    | 11-Sep-20        | n/a                                       | 11-Oct-20                               | n/a                             | 09-Jan-20                                     | Rymal East<br>Development<br>Corp.                | 891  |
| ZAC-22-016                               | 48 Miles Road,<br>Hamilton                     | 25-Jan-22        | n/a                                       | 10-Feb-<br>22                           | 25-Apr-22                       | n/a   | IBI Group   | 309  |
| ZAR-22-052                               | 311 Rymal<br>Road East,<br>Hamilton            | 3-Aug-22         | n/a                                       | n/a                                     | 1-Nov-22                        | n/a   | GSP Group Inc.                                    | 136  |
| UHOPA-23-001<br>ZAC-23-001               | 499 Mohawk<br>Road East,<br>Hamilton           | 8-Nov-22         | n/a                                       | 21-Nov-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 21-Feb-23                                     | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & land<br>Development | 39   |
| Ward 8                                   |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-20-018                               | 212 and 220<br>Rymal Road<br>West,<br>Hamilton | 20-Feb-20        | n/a                                       | 16-Mar-<br>20                           | 19-Jun-20                       | n/a   | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                      | 1058   |

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|--|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| Ward 8 Continued                         | Ward 8 Continued   |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |  |  |  |
| UHOPA-20-017<br>ZAC-20 029<br>25T-202003 | 393 Rymal<br>Road West,<br>Hamilton                          | 20-Jul-20        | n/a                                       | 19-Aug-<br>20                           | n/a                             | 17-Nov-20                                     | GSP Group Inc.                                    | 899  |  |  |  |
| ZAC-21-029<br>25T-202108                 | 204, 212, 220,<br>226 Rymal<br>Road West,<br>Hamilton        | 05-July-21       | n/a                                       | 09-Aug-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 02-Nov-21                                     | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                      | 523  |  |  |  |
| ZAC-22-024<br>25T-202204                 | 1456-1460<br>Upper James<br>Street, Hamilton                 | 28-Mar-22        | n/a                                       | 08-Apr-22                               | n/a                             | 26-Jul-22                                     | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates                       | 264  |  |  |  |
| ZAR-22-035                               | 105 Horning<br>Drive, Hamilton                               | 27-May-22        | n/a                                       | n/a                                     | 25-Aug-22                       | n/a   | Metropolitan<br>Consulting Inc.                   | 204  |  |  |  |
| ZAC-22-041                               | 251 Stone<br>Church Road,<br>Hamilton                        | 22-June-22       | n/a                                       | 29-June-<br>22                          | 21-Sep-22                       | n/a   | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                      | 178  |  |  |  |
| UHOPA-22-021<br>ZAC-22-047               | 1177, 1183,<br>1187 West 5 <sup>th</sup><br>Street, Hamilton | 13-July-22       | n/a                                       | 13-July-<br>22                          | n/a                             | 10-Nov-22                                     | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 157  |  |  |  |
| ZAC-22-066                               | 81 Rymal Road<br>East, Hamilton                              | 24-Oct-22        | n/a                                       | 24-Nov-<br>22                           | 22-Jan-22                       | n/a   | GSP Group Inc.                                    | 54   |  |  |  |

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|---|---|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| Ward 9                                    |   |                  |   |   |                                 |   |                                   |  |
| ZAC-20-004                                | 329 Highland<br>Road West,<br>Stoney Creek                  | 20-Dec-19        | n/a                                       | 16-Jan-20                               | 18-Apr-20                       | n/a   | WEBB Planning<br>Consultants Inc. | 1120   |
| ZAC-22-064<br>25T-202209                  | 82 Carlson<br>Street, Stoney<br>Creek                       | 11-Oct-22        | n/a                                       | 13-Oct-22                               | n/a                             | 12-Jan-23                                     | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.             | 67   |
| UHOPA-20-010<br>ZAC-20-015<br>25T-200303R | 2080 Rymal<br>Road East,<br>Glanbrook                       | 20-Dec-19        | 20-Jan-20                                 | 31-Jan-20                               | n/a                             | 19-May-20                                     | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.  | 1078   |
| ZAC-22-001                                | 2153, 2155, and<br>2157 Rymal<br>Road East,<br>Stoney Creek | 4-Nov-21         | n/a                                       | n/a                                     | 2-Feb-22                        | n/a   | Weston<br>Consulting              | 407  |
| ZAC-22-029<br>25T-202206                  | 481 First Road<br>W., Stoney<br>Creek                       | 22-Apr-22        | n/a                                       | n/a                                     | n/a                             | 24-Jul-22                                     | Kuok Kei Hong                     | 239  |

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|--|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| Ward 10                                  |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |                                   |  |
| UHOPA-21-018<br>ZAC-21-039               | 1400 South<br>Service Road,<br>Stoney Creek      | 10-Sep-21        | n/a                                       | 16-Sep-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 14-Jan-22                                     | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.             | 484  |
| UHOPA-21-006<br>ZAC-21-011               | 582 and 584<br>Hwy. 8, Stoney<br>Creek           | 08-Feb-21        | n/a                                       | 08-Mar-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 21-Jul-21                                     | SIMNAT<br>Consulting Inc.         | 704  |
| UHOPA-22-020<br>ZAC-22-046<br>25T-202208 | 220 McNeilly<br>Road, Hamilton                   | 8-July-22        | n/a                                       | 22-July-<br>22                          | n/a                             | 5-Nov-22                                      | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group      | 162  |
| UHOPA-22-026<br>ZAC-22-063               | 1310 South<br>Service Road,<br>Stoney Creek      | 28-Sep-22        | n/a                                       | 30-Sep-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 5-Jan-23                                      | The Planning<br>Partnership       | 80   |
| Ward 11                                  |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |                                   |  |
| 25T-202002                               | 9326 and 9322<br>Dickenson<br>Road,<br>Glanbrook | 16-May-20        | n/a                                       | 09-Apr-20                               | n/a                             | 07-Aug-20                                     | WEBB Planning<br>Consultants Inc. | 1036   |
| UHOPA-21-001<br>ZAC-21-001<br>25T-202101 | 3169 Fletcher<br>Road,<br>Glanbrook              | 14-Dec-20        | n/a                                       | 12-Jan-21                               | n/a                             | 12-May-21                                     | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.  | 760  |

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| Ward 11 Continue                          | ed  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |   |  |
| ZAC-22-008<br>25T-202201                  | 3479 Binbrook<br>Road,<br>Glanbrook           | 10-Jan-22        | n/a                                       | 24-Jan-22                               | n/a                             | 10-May-22                                     | Metropolitan<br>Consulting                        | 341  |
| UHOPA-22-008<br>ZAC-22-017                | 3054<br>Homestead<br>Drive, Hamilton          | 27-Jan-22        | n/a                                       | 10-Feb-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 25-May-22                                     | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 326  |
| UHOPA-22-020<br>ZAC-22-010<br>25T-2022003 | 3250 and 3260<br>Homestead<br>Drive, Hamilton | 17-Feb-22        | n/a                                       | 8-Mar-22                                | n/a                             | 17-June-22                                    | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development | 304  |
| UHOPA-22-014<br>ZAC-22-027<br>25T-202205  | 2876 Upper<br>James Street,<br>Glanbrook      | 05-Apr-22        | n/a                                       | 05-Apr-22                               | n/a                             | 03-Aug-22                                     | Rice Group  | 256  |
| ZAR-22-033                                | 91 Strathearne<br>Place,<br>Glanbrook         | 10-May-22        | n/a                                       | 26-May-<br>22                           | 8-Aug-22                        | n/a   | Urban in Mind                                     | 221  |
| ZAC-22-055                                | 2640 Binbrook<br>Road,<br>Glanbrook           | 16-Aug-22        | n/a                                       | 18-Aug-<br>22                           | 14-Nov-22                       | n/a   | IBI Group   | 123  |

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|----------------------------|--|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Ward 12                    |  |                  |   |   |                                 |   |  |  |
| UHOPA-20-013<br>ZAC-20-017 | 210 Calvin<br>Street, Ancaster                   | 18-Feb-20        | 04-Mar-20                                 | 11-Jun-20                               | n/a                             | 09-Oct-20                                     | SGL Planning &<br>Design Inc.                | 946  |
| ZAC-20-024                 | 140 Wilson<br>Street West,<br>Ancaster           | 15-Jun-20        | n/a                                       | 02-Jul-20                               | 13-Sep-20                       | n/a   | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.             | 942  |
| 25T-202102                 | 370 Garner<br>Road East,<br>Ancaster             | 18-Dec-20        | n/a                                       | 22-Jan-21                               | n/a                             | 17-Apr-21                                     | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.             | 756  |
| 25T-202105                 | 700 Garner<br>Road East,<br>Ancaster             | 18-Jan-21        | n/a                                       | 04-Feb-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 18-May-21                                     | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.                        | 725  |
| ZAC-21-027                 | 140 and 164<br>Sulphur Springs<br>Road, Ancaster | 05-Jul-21        | n/a                                       | 16-July-<br>21                          | 02-Oct-21                       | n/a   | Fothergill<br>Planning &<br>Development Inc. | 547  |
| UHOPA-22-002<br>ZAC-22-005 | 487 Shaver<br>Road, Ancaster                     | 2-Nov-21         | n/a                                       | 17-Nov-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 2-Mar-22                                      | GSP Group Inc                                | 393  |
| ZAR-22-042                 | 198 Lovers<br>Lane, Ancaster                     | 23-June-22       | n/a                                       | 30-June-<br>22                          | 22-Sep-22                       | n/a   | A.J. Clarke &<br>Associates Ltd.             | 177  |

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| File                       | Address                                 | Date<br>Received | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Incomplete | Date <sup>1</sup><br>Deemed<br>Complete | 90 day<br>cut off<br>(Rezoning) | 120 day<br>cut off<br>(OPA or<br>Plan of Sub) | Applicant/Agent                                    | Days Since Received and/or Deemed Complete as of December 16, 2022 |
|----------------------------|---|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Ward 12 Continue           | ed                                      |                  |   |   |                                 |   |  |  |
| ZAC-22-056                 | 343 Springbrook<br>Avenue,<br>Ancaster  | 2-Sep-22         | n/a                                       | 8-Sep-22                                | 17-Nov-22                       | n/a   | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                       | 106  |
| ZAC-22-058                 | 111 Fiddlers<br>Green Road,<br>Ancaster | 6-Sep-22         | n/a                                       | 7-Sep-22                                | 16-Nov-22                       | n/a   | T. Johns<br>Consulting Group                       | 110  |
| UHOPA-23-003<br>ZAR-23-003 | 382 Southcote<br>Road, Ancaster         | 9-Nov-22         | n/a                                       | 5-Dec-22                                | n/a                             | 9-Mar-23                                      | Urban Solutions<br>Planning & Land<br>Development  | 38   |
| Ward 13                    |   |                  |   |   |                                 |   |  |  |
| ZAC-22-044                 | 64 Hatt Street,<br>Dundas               | 6-July-22        | n/a                                       | 7-July-22                               | 4-Oct-22                        | n/a   | GSP Group Inc.                                     | 164  |
| ZAR-22-004                 | 12 Louisa<br>Street,<br>Flamborough     | 15-Nov-21        | n/a                                       | 23-Nov-<br>21                           | 13-Feb-22                       | n/a   | MB1<br>Development<br>Consulting Inc.              | 387  |
| RHOPA-23-002<br>ZAC-23-002 | 127 Freelton<br>Road,<br>Flamborough    | 16-Nov-22        | n/a                                       | 22-Nov-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 16-Mar-22                                     | Urban Solutions<br>Planning and<br>Land Developmen | 30   |

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|--|---|------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Ward 14                                  |   |                  |   |   |                                 |   |  |  |
| UHOPA-22-015<br>ZAC-22-028               | 631 and 639<br>Rymal Road<br>West, Hamilton | 22-Apr-22        | n/a                                       | 28-Apr-22                               | n/a                             | 29-July-22                                    | Bousfields Inc.  | 239  |
| Ward 15                                  |   |                  |   |   |                                 |   |  |  |
| ZAC-20-006                               | 518 Dundas<br>Street East,<br>Dundas        | 23-Dec-19        | n/a                                       | 22-Jan-20                               | n/a                             | 21-Apr-20                                     | Urban Solutions<br>Planning and<br>Land<br>Development | 1090   |
| UHOPA-21-003<br>ZAC-21-007<br>25T-202103 | 562 Dundas<br>Street East,<br>Flamborough   | 23-Dec-20        | n/a                                       | 08-Feb-<br>21                           | n/a                             | 22-Apr-21                                     | Metropolitan<br>Consulting Inc.                        | 724  |
| UHOPA-22-017<br>ZAC-22-031               | 306-308<br>Parkside Drive,<br>Flamborough   | 27-Apr-22        | n/a                                       | 3-May-22                                | n/a                             | 25-Aug-22                                     | MHBC Planning<br>Ltd.                                  | 228  |
| 25T-201507R                              | 74 Parkside<br>Drive,<br>Flamborough        | 11-Aug-22        | n/a                                       | 18-Aug-<br>22                           | n/a                             | 17-Oct-22                                     | IBI Group  | 128  |

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# Active Development Applications Deemed Complete After September 3, 2019 (Effective December 16, 2022)

# **Active Development Applications**

1. When an Application is deemed incomplete, the new deemed complete date is the day the new materials are submitted. In these situations, the 90 and 120 day timeframe commences on the date the new materials were submitted. In all other situations, the 90 and 120 day timeframe commences the day the Application was received.

# Number of Active Development Project by Application Type by Month (2021 and 2022)

Figure 1 - Number of Active Projects by Application Type, as Reported to Planning Committee - 2021

| Application Type  | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Zoning By-law Amendment   | 24  | 24  | 24  | 23  | 24  | 24  | 23  | 21  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 24  |
| Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment                         | 25  | 23  | 24  | 23  | 21  | 22  | 21  | 19  | 24  | 22  | 24  | 27  |
| Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment and Plan of Subdivision | 10  | 11  | 13  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 12  | 14  | 14  | 13  | 13  | 13  |
| Zoning By-law Amendment / Plan of Subdivision                     | 3   | 3   | 3   | 3   | 3   | 3   | 3   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 4   | 3   |
| Official Plan Amendment   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| Plan of Subdivision   | 7   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 9   | 7   | 6   | 6   | 5   | 5   | 6   | 6   |
| Total   | 69  | 68  | 72  | 72  | 71  | 70  | 65  | 63  | 71  | 69  | 73  | 73  |

Figure 2 - Number of Active Projects by Application Type, as Reported to Planning Committee - 2022

| Application Type  | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct* | Nov | Dec* |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|------|
| Zoning By-law Amendment   | 33  | 29  | 34  | 33  | 35  | 29  | 31  | 29  | 33  | -    | 30  | -    |
| Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment                         | 28  | 24  | 28  | 28  | 26  | 29  | 29  | 25  | 24  | -    | 25  | -    |
| Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment and Plan of Subdivision | 15  | 12  | 11  | 13  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 13  | 14  | -    | 14  | -    |
| Zoning By-law Amendment / Plan of Subdivision                     | 5   | 3   | 5   | 5   | 6   | 6   | 6   | 7   | 7   | -    | 7   | -    |
| Official Plan Amendment   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | -    | 0   | -    |
| Plan of Subdivision   | 6   | 6   | 5   | 5   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 4   | 5   | -    | 4   | -    |
| Total   | 87  | 74  | 83  | 84  | 84  | 82  | 84  | 79  | 83  | -    | 80  | -    |

<sup>\*</sup>No Planning Committee

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# Planning Act Applications Currently Appealed for Non-Decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) (Effective December 16, 2022)

|      | Address  | Applicant /Agent   | Date Appeal Received |
|------|--|--|----------------------|
| Ward | 2  |  |                      |
| 1    | 299-307 John Street South, Hamilton  | Urban Solutions Planning & Land Development Consultants Inc. | November 2021        |
| 2    | 186 Hunter Street West, Hamilton   | Urban Solutions Planning & Land Development Consultants Inc. | June 2022            |
| Ward | 5  |  |                      |
| 3    | 651 Queenston Road, Hamilton   | A.J. Clarke & Associates Ltd                                 | September 2022       |
| 4    | 2900 King Street East, Hamilton  | Urban Solutions Planning & Land Development Consultants Inc. | November 2022        |
| Ward | 9  |  |                      |
| 5    | 157 Upper Centennial Parkway, Stoney Creek                                   | WEBB Planning Consultants Inc.                               | September 2017       |
| Ward | 10   |  |                      |
| 6    | 1036, 1038, 1054, 1090 Barton Street, and 262<br>McNeilly Road, Stoney Creek | Glen Schnarr & Associates Inc.                               | November 2021        |
| 7    | 860, and 884 Barton Street, Stoney Creek                                     | MHBC Planning Limited  | March 2022           |
| Ward | 11   |  |                      |
| 8    | 526 Winona Road, Stoney Creek  | Urban Solutions Planning & Land Development Consultants Inc. | June 2022            |

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|      | Address  | Applicant /Agent              | Date Appeal Received |
|------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Ward | 11 Continued   |                               |                      |
| 9    | 3160,3168,3180, and 3190 Regional Road 56,<br>Binbrook                     | MHBC Planning Limited         | November 2022        |
| 10   | 3064, 3070, 3078, 3084 Regional Road 56,<br>Glanbrook                      | MHBC Planning Limited         | November 2022        |
| 11   | 11,19,20,21,23,27 & 30 Lakeside Drive, 81 Waterford Crescent, Stoney Creek | IBI Group                     | December 2022        |
| Ward | 12   |                               |                      |
| 12   | 140 Garner Road, Ancaster  | MHBC Planning Limited         | February 2022        |
| 13   | 1019 Wilson Street West, Ancaster  | MHBC Planning Limited         | July 2022            |
| 14   | 442-462 Wilson Street East, Ancaster                                       | GSP Group                     | July 2022            |
| Ward | 13   |                               |                      |
| 15   | 125 Pirie Drive, Dundas  | Wellings Planning Consultants | September 2022       |
| Ward | 14   |                               |                      |
| 16   | 801-870 Scenic Drive, Hamilton   | Valery Developments Inc.      | May 2021             |

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# Planning Act Applications Currently Appealed for Non-Decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) (Effective December 16, 2022)

|      | Address  | Applicant /Agent   | Date Appeal Received |
|------|--|--|----------------------|
| Ward | 15   |  |                      |
| 17   | 609 and 615 Hamilton Street North and 3 Nesbit<br>Boulevard and 129 – 137 Trudell Circle,<br>Flamborough (Waterdown) | Urban Solutions Planning and Land Development Consultants Inc. | October 2017         |
| 18   | 111 Silverwood Drive (111 Parkside Drive, Flamborough (Waterdown)  | Metropolitan Consulting Inc.                                   | October 2017         |
| 19   | 30, 36 and 42 Dundas Street East, 50 Horseshoe<br>Crescent, and 522 Highway 6, Flamborough                           | MHBC Planning  | August 2021          |
| 20   | 909 North Waterdown Drive, Flamborough   | Corbett Land Strategies Inc.                                   | December 2022        |



# CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT Planning Division

| ТО:                      | Chair and Members Planning Committee   |
|--------------------------|--|
| COMMITTEE DATE:          | January 31, 2023   |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO:       | Confirmation of Qualified Consultant to Conduct Peer Review of Inclusionary Zoning - Market Feasibility Study (PED23044) (City Wide) |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED:        | City Wide  |
| PREPARED BY:             | Tiffany Singh (905) 546-2424 Ext. 1221   |
| SUBMITTED BY: SIGNATURE: | Steve Robichaud Director, Planning and Chief Planner Planning and Economic Development Department                                    |

# RECOMMENDATION

- (a) That in accordance with Subsection 2.(1)7 of Ontario Regulation 232/18Council deem N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited ('NBLC') qualified to complete the required peer review and provision of a formal written opinion of the Inclusionary Zoning (IZ) Market Feasibility Study currently being prepared by urbanMetrics inc. on behalf of the City of Hamilton; and,
- (b) That the single source procurement, pursuant to Policy #11 Non-competitive Procurements, to NBLC for the required peer review be approved.

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Council authorization of the peer reviewer is required by Provincial legislation Ontario Regulation 232/18 (Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23044) thereby enabling the inclusionary zoning project to continue in a timely manner.

This report seeks to obtain Council's endorsement on the qualifications of N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited ('NBLC') to complete a peer review of the Market Feasibility Study prepared by urbanMetrics inc. towards fulfilling the necessary components of an inclusionary zoning municipal assessment report. The peer review is expected to take

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six to eight weeks to complete. A copy of the NBLC scope of work and qualifications of the NBLC staff who will be undertaking the peer review is attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23044

A report containing a comprehensive overview of all the background components of the project, consultation program, and next steps is planned for the end of Q1 2023.

Alternatives for Consideration - See Page 4.

# FINANCIAL - STAFFING - LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial: Based on discussions with eight other municipalities for similar services

undertaken in the past, it is estimate that the required peer review will cost

approximately \$8,000 - \$15,000.

Staffing: N/A

Legal: N/A

# HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

Inclusionary Zoning is a tool that may help increase the supply of affordable housing in the City over the long term. The tool requires new market rate residential development within a Protected Major Transit Station Area (PMTSA) to include a certain percentage of new affordable housing units.

The City of Hamilton is undertaking the required municipal assessment report that is legislated by Ontario Regulation 232/18 (Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23044) to be completed prior to implementation of an inclusionary zoning (IZ) by-law.

The municipal assessment report includes two key components. The first component is an analysis of existing and projected housing supply and affordability, demographic trends, and resulting housing needs across the City. The City has retained SHS Consulting to complete this analysis through a Housing Needs Assessment towards fulfilling the necessary IZ legislative requirements.

The second component of the municipal assessment report is an analysis of the market and financial viability of development and redevelopment from the enactment of an inclusionary zoning policy framework. The City has retained urbanMetrics inc. to complete a Market Feasibility Study towards fulfilling this portion of the municipal assessment. Ontario Regulation 232/18 requires that this work be peer reviewed prior to adoption of an Official Plan Amendment to establish an IZ framework.

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The results of both the Housing Needs Assessment and the Market Feasibility Study are anticipated in Q1 2023 and will be presented as part of a comprehensive staff report towards the end of Q1 2023.

# POLICY IMPLICATIONS AND LEGISLATED REQUIREMENTS

Ontario Regulation 232/18 Subsection 2.(1)7. requires that:

- an independent written opinion on the Municipal Feasibility Study component of the IZ project be obtained; and,
- Council deem the peer reviewer to be qualified to prepare the written opinion.

Staff are seeking to confirm that Council is satisfied that N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited ('NBLC') is qualified to complete the peer review and prepare the written opinion, which would enable the City to proceed with next steps and advance its work on IZ promptly. A copy of the NBLC scope of work and qualifications of the NBLC staff who will be undertaking the peer review is attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23044

# **RELEVANT CONSULTATION**

Staff interviewed municipalities in Ontario that either have or are investigating the feasibility of using the inclusionary zoning tool in their community or who have enacted inclusionary zoning by-laws. All have completed the peer review component of their municipal assessments as required by Ontario Regulation 232/18.

The following municipalities have retained NBLC either as the lead consultant or peer reviewer for undertaking the necessary market impact analysis:

- City of Mississauga;
- City of Kitchener, City of Waterloo and City Cambridge (collectively with the Region of Waterloo);
- City of Brampton;
- City of London;
- City of Toronto; and,
- City of Ottawa.

In addition, NBLC is familiar with the City of Hamilton, having completed real estate impact analysis work on both the LRT line and the CityHousing Hamilton Jamesville redevelopment. Staff in the Municipal Land Development Office and Corporate Real Estate Office were satisfied with the quality of their work.

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In addition, Procurement staff were consulted regarding retaining NBLC and confirmed that this single source request is in accordance with By-Law 20-205 as amended, Policy #11 Non-Competitive Procurements.

# ANALYSIS AND RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

NBLC has extensive experience working with other municipalities across Ontario on market assessment and development feasibility studies or peer reviews (see Appendix "B" attached to Report PED23044 for summary of qualifications). Staff from all the municipalities interviewed have confirmed NBLC's demonstrated expertise and professionalism making them qualified to provide the written peer review opinion.

Given the demonstrated breadth of experience and expertise of NBLC, staff are recommending NBLC to undertake the peer review and that Council endorse NBLC as qualified to undertake the peer review of the Market Feasibility Study completed by urbanMetrics inc. and prepare the required formal written opinion.

The results of the peer review will be presented to Committee and Council with the Market Feasibility and Housing Needs Assessment reports being prepared by urbanMetrics and SHS Consulting for public consultation and stakeholder feedback tentatively scheduled for late Q1, 2023 and Q2, 2023.

# **ALTERNATIVES FOR CONSIDERATION**

Based on the value of the work to be undertaken, NBLC's service could have been undertaken via Procurement Policy 5.1 - Low Dollar Value Procurements, or Policy 5.2 - Request for Quotations. However, none of these options are feasible as the Provincial legislation Ontario Regulation 232/18, stipulates that Council authorization of the peer reviewer is required by Provincial legislation Ontario Regulation 232/18. However, Council could direct staff to issue a full request for proposal (RFP) pursuant to Policy 5.4 - Request for Proposals. This is not recommended, as there are few firms with the necessary expertise and experience to conduct this type of detailed market analysis. The other leading firm in conducting this specific type of work has already been retained as the City's lead consultant (urbanMetrics inc.) for the Market Feasibility Study component, and therefore cannot peer review their own work.

# ALIGNMENT TO THE 2016 - 2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

# **Community Engagement and Participation**

Hamilton has an open, transparent and accessible approach to City government that engages with and empowers all citizens to be involved in their community.

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# **Economic Prosperity and Growth**

Hamilton has a prosperous and diverse local economy where people have opportunities to grow and develop.

# **Healthy and Safe Communities**

Hamilton is a safe and supportive City where people are active, healthy, and have a high quality of life.

# **Built Environment and Infrastructure**

Hamilton is supported by state-of-the-art infrastructure, transportation options, buildings and public spaces that create a dynamic City.

# **Our People and Performance**

Hamiltonians have a high level of trust and confidence in their City government.

# APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

Appendix "A" to Report PED23044 – Excerpts from Ontario Regulation 232/12 under

the Planning Act, R.S.O, 1990 - Requirement for

**Inclusionary Zoning** 

Appendix "B" to Report PED23044 – Summary of Qualifications of N. Barry Lyon

Consultants Limited



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## **ONTARIO REGULATION 232/18**

made under the

## **PLANNING ACT**

Made: April 11, 2018 Filed: April 11, 2018 Published on e-Laws: April 11, 2018

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### **INCLUSIONARY ZONING**

### **Definitions**

1. In this Regulation,

"inclusionary zoning by-law" means a by-law passed under section 34 of the Act to give effect to the policies described in subsection 16 (4) of the Act; ("règlement municipal relatif au zonage d'inclusion")

"non-profit housing provider" means,

- (a) a corporation without share capital to which the *Corporations Act applies, that is in good standing under* that Act *and whose primary object is to provide housing,*
- (b) a corporation without share capital to which the *Canada Business Corporations Act* applies, that is in good standing under that Act and whose primary object is to provide housing,
- (c) a non-profit housing co-operative that is in good standing under the Co-operative Corporations Act, or
- (d) an organization that is a registered charity within the meaning of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) or a non-profit organization exempt from tax under paragraph 149 (1) (I) of that Act, and whose land is owned by the organization, all or part of which is to be used as affordable housing; ("fournisseur de logements sans but lucratif")
- "offsite unit" means an affordable housing unit that is required in an inclusionary zoning by-law and that is erected or located in or on lands, buildings or structures other than those that are the subject of the development or redevelopment giving rise to the by-law requirement for affordable housing units. ("logement hors site")

## Assessment report

- **2.** (1) An assessment report required by subsection 16 (9) of the Act shall include information to be considered in the development of official plan policies described in subsection 16 (4) of the Act, including the following:
  - 1. An analysis of demographics and population in the municipality.
  - 2. An analysis of household incomes in the municipality.
  - 3. An analysis of housing supply by housing type currently in the municipality and planned for in the official plan.
  - 4. An analysis of housing types and sizes of units that may be needed to meet anticipated demand for affordable housing.

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- 5. An analysis of the current average market price and the current average market rent for each housing type, taking into account location in the municipality.
- 6. An analysis of potential impacts on the housing market and on the financial viability of development or redevelopment in the municipality from inclusionary zoning by-laws, including requirements in the by-laws related to the matters mentioned in clauses 35.2 (2) (a), (b), (e) and (g) of the Act, taking into account:
  - i. value of land,
  - ii. cost of construction,
  - iii. market price,
  - iv. market rent, and
  - v. housing demand and supply.
- 7. A written opinion on the analysis described in paragraph 6 from a person independent of the municipality and who, in the opinion of the council of the municipality, is qualified to review the analysis.
- (2) The analysis described in paragraph 6 of subsection (1) shall take into account the following related to growth and development in the municipality:
  - 1. Provincial policies and plans.
  - 2. Official plan policies.
- (3) An updated assessment report required by subsection 16 (10) or (11) of the Act shall contain the information specified in subsection (1).

## Official plan policies

- **3.** (1) Official plan policies described in subsection 16 (4) of the Act shall set out the approach to authorizing inclusionary zoning, including the following:
  - 1. The minimum size, not to be less than 10 residential units, of development or redevelopment to which an inclusionary zoning bylaw would apply.
  - 2. The locations and areas where inclusionary zoning by-laws would apply.
  - 3. The range of household incomes for which affordable housing units would be provided.
  - 4. The range of housing types and sizes of units that would be authorized as affordable housing units.
  - 5. For the purposes of clause 35.2 (2) (a) of the Act, the number of affordable housing units, or the gross floor area to be occupied by the affordable housing units, that would be required.
  - 6. For the purposes of clause 35.2 (2) (b) of the Act, the period of time for which affordable housing units would be maintained as affordable.
  - 7. For the purposes of clause 35.2 (2) (e) of the Act, how measures and incentives would be determined.
  - 8. For the purposes of clause 35.2 (2) (g) of the Act, how the price or rent of affordable housing units would be determined.
  - 9. For the purposes of section 4, the approach to determine the percentage of the net proceeds to be distributed to the municipality from the sale of an affordable housing unit, including how net proceeds would be determined.
  - 10. The circumstances in and conditions under which offsite units would be permitted, consistent with paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of section 5.



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# About Us

N. Barry Lyon Consultants has grown over the last forty four years from specializing in housing market research, to a broad based advisory firm involved in a wide range of public and private initiatives influencing the shape of our urban communities.

# Mission

Our mission is to uphold professionalism and excellence in our services; to work efficiently to bring about practical solutions which are grounded in reality and guided by long term vision; to use team effort to maximize innovation and creativity, to know our business insideout, and to always provide timely, candid advice.

# Our Work

Our work keeps us on top of emerging economic, demographic and market trends, changes in government policy, the pulse of the land development industry, land use planning and development trends.

# **Our History**

Barry Lyon (1939 – 2015) founded NBLC in 1976 after many years working in senior real estate positions and was regarded as one of the leading experts on residential development in the Greater Toronto Area.

Barry played a key role in the development of communities such as Meadowvale, Port Credit, Regent Park and Toronto's Waterfront.

Under Barry's direction, NBLC carried out market and financial feasibility studies on over 250,000 units of housing across Canada.

Barry is an inductee of the Building Industry and Land Development Association's Hall of Fame.





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# Matthew Bennett Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Partner, (2018-present) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Associate (2014-2018) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Planner & Real Estate Analyst (2008-2014)

N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

## **ACADEMIC**

Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning
Toronto Metropolitan University

Toronto Metropolitan University 2008

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member, Lambda Alpha Society, Honorary Society for the Advancement of Land Economics

Member, Ontario Land Economists

Member, Canadian Institute of Planners, Registered Professional Planner

Member, Ontario Professional Planners Institute

Young Leader, Urban Land Institute

Graduate Studio Mentor, Toronto Metropolitan University

Guest Lectures, Toronto Metropolitan University, University of Waterloo A graduate of the School of Urban Planning at Toronto Metropolitan University, Matthew Bennett is a Registered Professional Planner and Land Economist. Matthew has experience and knowledge with a diversified range of both public and private sector development and land use planning projects. His work includes most forms and types of residential, commercial, institutional, resort, recreational and mixed-use development.

At NBLC, Matt has analyzed real estate throughout a wide range of consulting assignments across Canada. These projects include highest and best use studies, market and financial feasibility analyses, major urban infrastructure and renewal initiatives and value planning exercises. Matt's work also often leverages his experience with financial analysis, concept development, and design.

Matt also has experience in the development of disposition and procurement strategies, including public-private partnership models, asset management programs and business plans for institutions and public bodies considering the development or redevelopment of land assets.

In addition to development feasibility assessments for private sector development clients, some of Matthew's recent and notable assignments include:

### **REAL ESTATE ADVISORY**

- Waterfront Toronto Quayside redevelopment, affordable housing and financial advisory services
- National Capital Commission, Business Plan and Economic Impact Analysis for LeBreton Flatts, Ottawa
- Waterfront Toronto, East Bay Front, Toronto Port Lands and Quayside Real Estate Strategies and Due Diligence
- York Region Transit, Davis Drive Residual Lands Disposition Strategy
- City of Brampton, Business Case for a Municipal Development Corporation
- United Church of Canada, National Portfolio Review and Real Estate Strategy (3,000 sites)
- United Church of Canada, Disposition Process Advisor (six site RFP process)
- Anglican Diocese of Toronto, Real Estate Review and Decision-Making Strategy (250 sites)

# Matthew Bennett Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Town of Oakville, Business Case and Inaugural Business Plan for its Municipal Development Corporation
- University of Toronto, Housing Plan for Families on St. George Campus
- Create TO/ Build Toronto, Real Estate Portfolio Review and Asset Management Analyses
- University of Toronto Scarborough, Master Plan Economic Impact Analysis
- Port Stanley Waterfront Development/Business Strategy
- Canada Lands, One Port Street Development Strategy
- Town of Oakville, Municipal Land Value Capture Analysis
- Toronto District School Board, Site Planning & Disposition Strategy (230+ sites) GTA Housing Action Lab
   Tower Renewal Partnership, strategic advisory

# **LAND USE PLANNING & POLICY**

- Impact Analysis for an Inclusionary Zoning Policy: City of Toronto; City of Markham, City of Kitchener,
   Cambridge and Waterloo (joint study)
- Peer Review, Inclusionary Zoning Impact Analysis, City of Ottawa
- Analysis of Alternative Cash-in-Lieu of Parkland (S.42) Policy Alternatives: City of Toronto; City of Markham; City of Guelph; Town of Halton Hills; Town of Oakville; and, City of Brampton;
- Cities of Toronto, Kitchener, and Mississauga: Analysis of cumulative impacts relating to Growth Funding Tool changes (Development Charges, Community Benefits Charge, Parkland Cash in Lieu and Inclusionary Zoning)
- City of Mississauga, Downtown Office CIP Financial Analysis
- Town of Milton Mobility Hub Plan
- City of Burlington Mobility Hubs Strategy
- Town of Oakville Official Plan Review, Assessment of Redevelopment Viability in Main Street Growth Areas
- City of Toronto, Growing Up (Vertical Communities) Study
- Region of Waterloo, Brownfields Financial Incentive Review

## **DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY**

- Create TO/ Waterfront Toronto Analysis of land value potential, Villiers Island
- PSP Downsview Redevelopment Master Plan, Financial Analyses, Economic Impact Analysis
- Town of Oakville, Redevelopment and Disposition Strategy, Oakville Trafalgar Hospital
- University of Saskatchewan, Student Housing Demand Analysis
- Peel District School Board, Britannia Farm Master Plan (CIP Award for Planning Excellence, 2017)
- University of Toronto, Huron Sussex Neighbourhood Real Estate Strategy (CIP Award for Planning Excellence, 2014)
- Infrastructure Ontario, Ontario Place Revitalization Analysis
- TDSB, Office Administrative Centre Development Analysis

# Matthew Bennett Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Toronto Region Conservation Authority, Administrative Headquarters redevelopment study and Public-Private-Partnership (PPP) procurement analysis
- Town of Oakville, Downtown Cultural Hub Redevelopment Analysis and Public-Private-Partnership (PPP) procurement analysis
- Trent University, Endowment Lands, Residential Redevelopment Analysis

### AFFORDABLE HOUSING

- Birch Housing, Portfolio Review and Real Estate Strategy
- York Region, Analysis of a Mixed-Tenure, Mixed-Income, Housing Pilot
- Toronto Housing Secretariat, Peer Review of Open Door Program Applications
- Mainstay Housing, Portfolio Review and Real Estate Strategy
- Toronto Supportive Housing Network, Portfolio Review and Real Estate Strategy
- Peel Region, Affordable Housing Strategy
- Waterfront Toronto, Analysis of a Mixed-income Housing Pilot
- SE Health, Mixed-Income Independent and Co-Living Senior's Housing Model
- City Housing Hamilton, Redevelopment Feasibility Analysis for Jamestown
- City of Mississauga, Incentives for Affordable Housing Study
- City of Toronto, Financial Incentives Study for Priority Neighbourhoods
- City of Toronto, Large Sites Affordable Housing Policy Review
- TCHC, Portfolio Review and Asset Management Strategy
- St. Christopher's House, Affordable Housing Redevelopment Analysis

# **REAL ESTATE AND TRANSIT**

- City of Ottawa, Confederation Line TOD Opportunity Analysis & Framework for RFP Implementation
- Metrolinx, Eglinton, Finch West & Sheppard East LRT Corridor Real Estate Strategies
- Metrolinx, GO Station (RER) Real Estate Impact Analysis
- City of Waterloo, Transit Real Estate Value Enhancement Strategy
- City of Toronto, Sheppard Subway Financing Plan Analysis (with KPMG)
- City of Toronto Spadina Subway Line Extension, Land Value Impact Analysis
- Metrolinx, Kennedy Mobility Hub Study
- Hurontario High Order Transit Study, Business Case

# nblc

# Mark Conway President, MCIP, RPP. PLE

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

President, (2000-present) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Head of Real Estate & Environment Group (1997-2000) Dillon Consulting Limited

Director of Planning & Development, (1993-1997) City of Toronto Economic Development Corporation (TEDCO)

Manager of Planning (1987-1993) Toronto Harbour Commission

Community Planner (1983 -1987) Ministry of Municipal Affairs

### **ACADEMIC**

Bachelor of Applied Arts, Urban and Regional Planning Toronto Metropolitan University

Bachelor of Arts, Geography Lakehead University 1980

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Advisory Committee, Centre for Urban Research and Land Development

Member, Lambda Alpha Society, Honorary Society for the Advancement of Land Economics

Member, Ontario Land Economists

Member, Expropriation Association of Ontario

Member, Canadian Institute of Planners, Registered Professional Planner

Member, Ontario Professional Planners Institute

Mark Conway is the President of NBLC and oversees the management and professional activities of the company.

Mark is a professional planner and land economist with about 40 years of experience ranging from municipal and corporate real estate strategies to site specific assessments of development feasibility. Mark has also played a lead role in the development of affordable housing, real estate and economic development strategies policies throughout Ontario.

The following are a sample of assignments that Mark has led at NBLC:

### **ADVISORY AND STRATEGY**

- Waterfront Toronto Evaluation Committee Sidewalk Labs Proposal
- Metrolinx TOC Advisory Panel
- City of Brampton Industrial Lands Strategy
- Town of Oakville Public Lands Study
- National Capital Commissions LeBreton Business Plan
- Canada Lands, Ottawa, Rockcliffe Park CFB Business Plan
- City of Toronto, Relief Line Real Estate Impact Study
- City of Toronto Film Studio Relocation Study
- CPA Association Real Estate Strategy
- PSP Downsview Redevelopment Masterplan, Toronto
- 20 Vic, Shopping Centre Intensification Study, Vancouver
- Chartwell REIT, Ottawa, Retirement Home Market Study
- Greywood Investment, Condominium Market Study, West Don Lands
- City of Toronto Development Charge Impact Analysis City of Toronto Canada Lands, One Port Street – Development Strategy
- Choice Property REIT Market Studies Multiple Sites
- Realstar, Rental Development Feasibility Study, Burlington
- Momentum Developments- Condominium Feasibility Study –Waterloo
- K&G Management Market Assessment Avondale Lands
- Parc Downsview Park Residential Market Analysis
- Daniels Corporation, Market Study, Erin Mills Rental Project
- United Jewish Appeal Lebovic Community Centre Lands RFP Management;
- FRAM, Port Credit Village, Market and Financial Feasibility Study
- City of Kingston Waterfront Condominium Market Feasibility Study
- Auburn Developments Barrel Yards Waterloo
- Town of Wasaga Beach Redevelopment Strategy

- Port Stanley Waterfront Development/Business Strategy
- Waterfront Toronto –Quayside Market and Financial Analysis
- Build Toronto, Portfolio Analysis
- City of Windsor Neighborhoods Market Analysis
- Town of Oakville Municipal Land –Value Capture Analysis
- Infrastructure Ontario- Community Hubs Study
- Portfolio Review Anglican Church Toronto Diocese
- Portfolio Review United Church of Canada
- City of Hamilton Creative Catalyst Study
- Peel District School Board Britannia Farms Redevelopment Study
- City of Kingston Kingston Penitentiary Redevelopment Analysis
- United Church of Canada National Portfolio Review
- League Assets Colwood Market and Redevelopment Analysis, Victoria
- Rompsen Investment Fund, Niagara Falls Golf Course Community Study
- TWRC, Toronto Port Lands Implementation Strategy
- Toronto Housing, Lawrence Heights Redevelopment Strategy
- Richie Brothers Auction Development Economic Impact Analysis
- Windsor Race Track, Redevelopment Assessment, Toldo Enterprises
- City of Waterloo, Community Arts Hub Feasibility Study

## **REAL ESTATE AND TRANSIT**

- Region of Durham GO Extension Business Case and Transit Funding Proposal
- Metrolinx Cooksville TOD Land Value Analysis
- City of Toronto DRL Real Estate Impact Analysis
- Toronto Portland Company SIM Industries Development Proforma
- City of Toronto Mimico Station TOD Analysis
- Kilmer Waterloo Transit Hub Market Study
- Metrolinx Milton Station TOD Analysis
- City of Ottawa Confederation Line TOD Opportunity Analysis
- City of Hamilton LRT Real Estate Impact Analysis
- Region of Waterloo ION TOD Real Estate Impact Analysis
- City of Toronto Smart Track Real Estate/Land Value Capture Analysis
- Metrolinx GO Station (RER) Real Estate Impact Analysis
- City of Waterloo, Transit Real Estate Value Enhancement Strategy
- Metrolinx, Finch LRT Real Estate Analysis
- Metrolinx, Eglinton Crosstown LRT Real Estate Study
- City of Toronto Spadina Subway Line Extension, Land Value Impact Analysis
- Metrolinx, Eglinton Crosstown LRT Retail Demand Forecast

- City of Toronto, Sheppard Eglinton Subway Financing Study (with KPMG)
- Metrolinx, Downtown Bus Terminal Development Feasibility Study
- Metrolinx, Cooksville Mobility Hub Study
- Metrolinx, Kennedy Mobility Hub Study
- TTC, Residential Feasibility Study, Selected TTC Station sites
- Metrolinx , Dundas Mobility Hubs Land Value Uplift Analysis
- Hurontario High Order Transit Study Business Case

### **DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY**

- Infrastructure Ontario Pan Am Games Athletes Village Feasibility Study
- Toronto Portlands Company Film Studio Development Feasibility
- Choice Property REIT Rental Market Study Parksville BC
- TDSB, Office Administrative Centre Development Analysis
- Fairmont Hots Springs B.C.– Master Plan Feasibility Study
- Cadillac Fairview, Redevelopment Analysis-Don Mills Shopping Centre
- TCH, Alexandra Park Revitalization Business Plan
- City of Kingston Block 4 Market and Feasibility Study
- Infrastructure Ontario, Ontario Place Redevelopment Feasibility Study
- Concert Properties; Site Analysis and Investment Strategy
- Port Stanley Redevelopment Business Plan; Municipality of Central Elgin
- Town of Oakville Downtown Cultural Hub Feasibility Study
- Quadreal Mississauga Rental Market Study

# LAND USE PLANNING POLICY

- Peel Region Employment Land CIP Review
- City of Brampton Employment Land CIP
- City of Toronto Inclusionary Zoning Study
- Region of Waterloo- Brownfields Financial Incentive Review City of Toronto Parkland Policy Options Analysis
- Town of Innisfil Employment Lands Analysis (w/SGL)
- Pickering Growth Management Strategy (w/SGL)
- Town of Aurora, Aurora 2C Employment Lands Study
- County of Essex Employment/Residential Lands Study (W/Jones)
- City of Niagara Falls Urban Boundary Peer Review
- Town of Grimsby Employment Lands Analysis
- Town of Halton Hills, 401 Corridor Industrial Secondary Plan
- Haldimand County, Growth Management Plan (w/SGL)
- Town of Markham, Yonge Corridor Intensification Study

- Hamlet of Norval Secondary Plan, Town of Halton Hills
- Town of Halton Hills, Intensification Study
- Glen Williams Secondary Plan, Town of Halton Hills
- Milton, CBD Secondary Plan, Town of Milton
- County of Norfolk Lakeshore Secondary Plan (w/MMM)
- City of Toronto, Keele Street Avenues Study
- UOIT Oshawa Downtown Master Plan- CIP Study
- Downtown Milton Secondary Plan

## **HOUSING STUDIES**

- City of Sudbury Housing Regeneration Strategy
- United Church of Canada National Housing Strategy
- City of Toronto Affordable Housing Policy
- Mainstay Not- For-Profit Housing Regeneration Strategy
- Toronto Interfaith Not-for Profit Housing Needs Study
- Peel Region Affordable Housing Strategy
- Town of Blue Mountains Attainable Housing Strategy
- City of Windsor Housing Regeneration Strategy
- City of Mississauga Incentives Requirement for Affordable Housing
- TCH, Alexandra Park Revitalization Business Plan
- TCH, Lawrence Heights Revitalization Business Plan
- City of Toronto, AHP Program Evaluation
- Grey County Housing Study
- Town of Blue Mountains Housing Study
- Trillium Housing Corporation 14 Trent Market Study
- Housing Lab, Market and Financial Guidance
- City of Toronto Affordable Housing Policy
- Peel Living Twin Pines Redevelopment Strategy
- City of Toronto Large Sites Affordable Housing Policy Review
- City of Mississauga Incentives for Affordable Housing Study
- City of Hamilton Affordable Housing Subsidy Analysis
- St Christopher's House Affordable Housing Community Land Trust
- Sidney Street Non- Profit Housing Corporation Feasibility Study
- TCH, Regent Park Financial Review
- City of Toronto Financial Advisor Bayside Affordable Housing
- City of Waterloo, Community Arts Hub Feasibility Study
- Ministry of Municipal Affairs, Affordable Housing Program
- Windsor Community Housing Regeneration Study

## **EXPERT WITNESS EXPERIENCE**

- City of Windsor v. Pacioka Expropriation Hearing with respect to Shergar v City of Windsor
- Town of Aurora vs Aurora 2C Landowners Group OMB Hearing

   Viability of Employment Lands designation
- Lakeside Park Dev v. City of St. Catharines, OMB Hearing, Condominium Project
- 131/151 Bloor Victoria College v. Morguard- GE Capital Lease Arbitration
- 2 Bloor- City of Toronto v. Brookfield Lease Arbitration
- Resort Residential Development Lafarge Canada v. City of Toronto OPA 492 Central Waterfront Plan Land Use Compatibility of Industrial and Residential Uses.
- Waterdown Bay Inc. v. City of Hamilton Residential Demand Analysis
- Smartcentres v. City of Burlington Residential Intensification at GO Stations.
- Private Developer v. Town of Innisfil Demand for Resort Residential Development
- Town of Halton Hills v. Private Developer Glen Williams Secondary Plan.
- Town of Halton Hills v. Private Developer Georgetown South Secondary Plan
- Town of Milton v. Private Developer Downtown Milton Secondary Plan.
- All Souls United Church v. City of Toronto High Density developments at Subway Stations
- Home Depot v. City of Toronto Land Use Compatibility of Big Box Stores in Industrial Areas
- Milalda Farms v. Province of Ontario 407 Widening Expropriation.
- McRae v. Province of Ontario 407 Widening Expropriation.
- Emerson Electric v. The Region of York Expropriation with respect to the Markham By-pass
- Simone v. City of Toronto Expropriation of Industrial Lands for Bathurst Street Extension
- Private developer v. Township of Oro Medonte Estate Lot Development
- Town of Aurora v. Private Developer Adequacy of Employment Lands
- SF Partners Grand Niagara Golf Course Resort Residential Valuation
- Sharon Investments v. Insured Damages from an improper land transfer
- Southcott Homes v. TDCSB Damages associated with failing to conclude a purchase agreement
- Base Ninety v. Ontario 407 Hwy Industrial Lands Expropriation, Burlington
- Smart Centres v. City of Burlington Feasibility of High Density Development at GO Train Stations, OMB Hearing
- Brewers v Block Revenue Forecast to Assess Costs

# DISPOSITION

- United Church of Canada RFP Five Properties
- York Region Transit Davis Drive Residual Lands Disposition Strategy
- National Capital Commission LeBreton Flats RFP Management, Ottawa
- City Ottawa Process Advisor TOD Confederation Line Phase 2
- Imperial Oil Port Credit Refinery Disposition and RFP Management
- Halton Catholic District School Board 2337 Coronation Drive Disposition

- Build Toronto, Disposition and Joint Venture Analysis -10 York Street
- Build Toronto, Disposition and Joint Venture Analysis -150 Front Street
- Disposition and Joint Venture -Goodwill Industries
- Family Service Toronto 355 Church Street- Disposition Analysis and RFP
- Toronto Community Housing Regent Park RFP Management
- Canadian National Institute for the Blind Disposition and RFP Management
- BDO Dunwoody Sapphire Tower Process Advisor
- Prom-Edu-Val 77 Charles Street, Disposition Analysis and RFP Management
- Canada Lands Company Downsview Park RFP Management
- Canadian Opera Company- 227 Front Disposition Analysis
- BMO Canada Lands 150 Front Street
- BMO 234 Simcoe Street Transaction Support
- Metrolinx 433 Front Street RFP Management
- Halton District School Board Lakeshore Woods School Site RFP Management
- Town of Midland Waterfront Lands RFP Management

# Nick Michael Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Partner, (2020-present) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Associate, (2016-2020) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Planner & Real Estate Analyst, (2014-2016) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Development Planner (2012-2014) R.G. Richards and Associates

Development Services, (2012) Region of Peel

Student Planner, (2011) City of Kingston

# **ACADEMIC**

Master of Planning Queen's University 2012

Bachelor of Arts York University 2009

# **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member, Association of Ontario Land Economists

Registered Professional Planner, Ontario Professional Planners Institute

Member, Canadian Institute of Planners

2020 OPPI Conference Keynote Speaker

Guest Lecturer on Housing Market, Economics, and Development Feasibility, Toronto Metropolitan University Nick is a Partner at N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited who specializes in the housing market and urban economics. He holds a Master's degree in Urban and Regional Planning from Queen's University and is a Registered Professional Planner (RPP) and Land Economist (PLE).

Nick has extensive experience assessing housing issues and regularly completes a wide range of assignments for both the public and private sector. These projects include highest and best use studies, market and financial feasibility analyses, affordable housing solutions, assessment of current supply and demand characteristics and projections, social housing regeneration initiatives, and market and land value analyses in support of expropriation hearings. Nick also has experience evaluating the impacts of major transit projects on real estate markets, the impact of financial incentives to encourage private sector investment, and providing market and economic support to the development of planning policies and guidelines.

Nick is also often retained to evaluate the office and industrial markets in Ontario by both the public and private sectors. Nick has developed incentive programs to target employment growth and provided numerous employment analyses in support of planning policies and real estate stategies.

Nick also has experience with the approval of Planning Act applications, having previously completed Official Plan and Zoning By-Law amendments, Committee of Adjustment applications, and approval for site plan control.

A selection of projects exemplifying Nick's experience are provided below:

# **REAL ESTATE ADVISORY**

- Kingston Penitentiary Visioning Exercise and Redevelopment
   Opportunity Canada Lands Corporation and the City of Kingston
- Borden Community Hub Market and Land Value Assessment InfrastructureOntario
- Species at Risk Compensation Lands (public land disposition) Market Soundingsand Analysis – Infrastructure Ontario
- Real Estate Portfolio Analysis and Development Potential Imperial Oil
- Real Estate Portfolio Analysis Greater Sudbury and Windsor-Essex Housing Corporations
- Value of Public Lands in Downtown Hamilton, Value Estimation, and DispositionStrategy – City of Hamilton
- Options for Film Studio Replacement in the Port Lands City of Toronto

# Nick Michael Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Zoning By-Law Amendment 628 Church Street, Toronto Aspen Ridge Homes
- Numerous private sector market, financial, and highest and best use analyses
- Numerous Planning Act Applications completed at R.G. Richards and Associates. Work included Official Plan and Zoning By-Law Amendments, Site Plans, Minor Variance and Consent Applications.

# LAND USE PLANNING & POLICY DEVELOPMENT

- The Impact of Government Imposed Charges on Housing Affordability City of Mississauga
- Official Plan Review Market and Land Needs Assessment East Gwillimbury
- Major Office Employment CIP Analysis Peel Region
- Employment and Affordable Housing CIP Analysis City of Brampton
- Affordable Housing and Employment CIP Analysis Durham Region
- Wasaga Beach Official Plan Review and Growth Management Exercise Town of Wasaga Beach
- Neighbourhood Market Value Analysis and Neighbourhood Typology Study City of Windsor
- Rental Replacement By-Law Analysis City of Mississauga
- Financing Options for the Delivery of Rail Deck Park City of Toronto
- Transit Corrido Zoning By-Law Review City of Hamilton
- Cumulative Impact Analysis (Development Charges, Parkland Fees, TO Core Policies) on Development Feasibility – City of Toronto

## **DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY**

- Downsview Redevelopment Master Plan, Market and Economic Analysis PSPInvestments and Canada Land Corporation
- Rental Housing Development Viability Analysis in Support of the Mayor's Task Force City of Kingston
- Review of the Need for Financial Incentives to Encourage Development in Hamilton's Downtown City of
- The need for Development Charge Exemptions to Encourage Development in Windsor's Downtown City of Windsor
- OMB Hearing Regarding the Market Impact and Development Potential of the Mimico Judson Rail Yards Metrolinx and City of Toronto
- Expropriation hearings in support of land value, market potential, and injurious affections for properties along the Eglinton LRT corridor
- Agincourt Mall Market Assessment, Development Opportunity, and Affordable Housing Gap Analysis –
   North American Development Group
- Highest and Best Use and Development Strategy of a former major warehouse site in the City of Brampton –
   Canadian Tire Real Estate Limited
- Downtown Kingston Condominium Market and Financial Study Private Sector Client
- Kingston Rental Market Feasibility Study CaraCo Development Corporation

# Nick Michael Partner, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Rental Market Feasibility Analysis Ottawa, London Sault Ste. Mare North American Development Group
- Market and Financial Feasibility Analysis of 1107 Main Street West in the City of Hamilton Coldwell Banker Brokerage

# AFFORDABLE HOUSING

- Housing Needs Analysis and Master Plan Oxford County
- Affordable Housing Strategy and Incentive Analysis City of Brampton
- Inclusionary Zoning Assessment Report and Financial Feasibility Analysis Toronto, London and Peel Region
- Redevelopment Feasibility Analysis for Jamestown Social Housing Property City Housing Hamilton
- Financial Feasibility and Land Value Analysis for City Owned Affordable Housing Development City of Kingston
- Incentives for Affordable Housing Study City of Mississauga
- Affordable Housing Strategy and Incentive Program Region of Peel
- Affordable Housing Demand Analysis Windsor Essex Community Housing Corporation
- Housing Regeneration Plan and Business Case (including Financial Feasibility) Windsor Essex Community Housing Corporation
- Housing Revitalization Plan and Business Case (including Financial Feasibility) City of Greater Sudbury
- Housing and Homelessness Plan Update City of Greater Sudbury
- The Impact of Government Funding on Affordable Housing Delivery Several Private Sector Clients

# **REAL ESTATE AND TRANSIT**

- Eglinton, Finch West & Sheppard East LRT Corridor Real Estate Strategies Metrolinx and the City of Toronto
- GO Station (RER) Real Estate Impact Analysis Metrolinx
- Downtown Relief Line Real Estate Study: Development Opportunities and Impacts City of Toronto
- Development Potential Adjacent the GO Transit Rail Stations Metrolinx
- Real Estate Investment Impact Analysis of the B-Line LRT City of Hamilton
- SmartTrack Real Estate Impact Analysis and Corridor Capacity Study City ofToronto
- Danforth GO Station Area Plan Metrolinx
- Hurontario LRT Corridor Analysis of Office Market Demand City of Mississauga
- Land Value Uplift and Development Impacts of a Property along Eglinton Avenue in Support of Metrolinx
   Expropriation Metrolinx
- The Impact of LRT and RER Transit on the Office Market in Peel Region Region of Peel, City of Mississauga, City of Brampton

# Cameron Macdonald Associate, MCIP, RPP, PLE

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate (March 2021 – present) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Planner & Real Estate Analyst (March 2018 – March 2021) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Real Estate Analyst (April 2017 – March 2018) Urbanation

Research Associate (January 2016 – April 2017) Centre For Urban Research and Land Development

## **ACADEMIC**

Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning Toronto Metropolitan University, 2017

Bachelor of Arts (Hon.) University of Toronto, 2009

# **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member, Association of Ontario Land Economists

Registered Professional Planner, Ontario Professional Planners Institute

Member, Canadian Institute of Planners

Member, Urban Land Institute

Cameron is an Associate at N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited who specializes in development feasibility and land economics. He holds a bachelor's degree in Urban and Regional Planning from Toronto Metropolitan University and is a Registered Professional Planner, a Member of the Canadian institute of Planners, and a Professional Land Economist.

Cameron has extensive experience assessing housing markets and regularly completes a wide range of assignments for both public and private sector clients. These projects include highest and best use studies, market and financial feasibility analyses, assessment of current supply and demand characteristics and projections, and market/land value analyses. Cameron also has experience evaluating the impacts of major transit projects on real estate markets, the impact of financial incentives to encourage private sector investment and providing market and economic support to the development of planning policies and guidelines.

Cameron also has experience evaluating and analyzing employment markets in Ontario, for both public and private sector clients. This includes work developing incentives programs that target employment growth, developing leasing strategies based on market analysis, completing employment feasibility studies, and providing employment analyses in support of planning policies and real estate strategy.

A selection of projects exemplifying Cameron's experience are provided below:

### **REAL ESTATE ADVISORY**

- Redevelopment Analysis for an existing industrial building as part of the Downsview Redevelopment, Canada Lands Corporation
- Kingston Provincial Campus Visioning Exercise and Development Options Analysis, City of Kingston
- Weston GO Station Development Options Analysis, Metrolinx
- Villiers Island Valuation Analysis, CreateTO
- City-Owner Uptown Properties Strategic Utilization Analysis, City of Waterloo
- Subject Matter Support for Sidewalk Labs Proposal Waterfront Toronto
- Market and Real Estate Strategy (office, industrial, residential) for the Humber River Hospital Lands – Infrastructure Ontario

# Cameron Macdonald Associate, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Land Value Analysis and Options Analysis for a site in North York, Thimble Realty
- Assessment of market potential and land value estimate across the GO Rail Network, Metrolinx and MTO
- Waterfront East LRT Business Case, Waterfront Toronto
- Planning and Market Feasibility Analysis for a residential project in Port Elgin
- Multiple Employment Lands Conversion Studies in Toronto, Choice Properties
- Employment Land Conversion Analysis in North York, CT REIT
- Employment Land Conversion Analysis in Scarborough, Westdale Properties
- Employment Land Conversion Analysis in North York, OTT Financial
- South Port Market and Leasing Strategy, CreateTO
- Employment Land Conversion Analysis in Scarborough, Nova Depot
- Development Options Analysis for an employment property in Toronto, Toronto Stock Yards Land
   Development Board
- Finch-Kennedy Smartrack Station, Development Options Analysis, East Urban Properties Inc.
- Tourism Industry Workforce Housing Business Case (South Georgian Bay), Blue Mountain Village Association

# LAND USE PLANNING & POLICY DEVELOPMENT

- Inclusionary Zoning Impact Analysis, City of Toronto
- Inclusionary Zoning Impact Analysis, City of Brampton
- Growth Funding Tools Cumulative Impact Analysis, City of Kitchener
- Growth Funding Tools Cumulative Impact Analysis, City of Toronto
- Growth Funding Tools Cumulative Impact Analysis, City of Mississuaga
- Britannia Secondary Plan Market Analysis, Town of Milton
- Inclusionary Zoning Impact Analysis, City of London
- Affordable Housing and Employment CIP Analysis, Durham Region
- Population and Employment Needs Study for a property in Toronto, Toronto Stock Yards Land Development Board
- Settlement Area Boundary Expansion in South Huron, Tridon Group
- Employment Analysis and Economic Impact Study for a project in North York, First Capital
- Parkland Dedication Guidelines, City of Vaughan
- Industrial and Office Market and Incentive Analysis, City of Brampton

# **DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY & MARKET ANALYSIS**

- Downsview Market and Economic Analysis, Employment Conversion Study, Housing Issues Study, and other supporting analysis – PSP Investments, Northcrest Developments, and Canada Land Corporation
- Employment Use Analysis for a site in Etobicoke, Tallisker Corporation
- Residential Market Feasibility Analysis for a site in St. Catharines, Canada Lands Corporation

# **Cameron Macdonald** Associate, MCIP, RPP, PLE

- Land Value Analysis and Development Options Analysis for a former industrial site in the City of Toronto,
   Harry Korolnek Holdings
- Land Value Analysis for a transit adjacent site in Downtown Toronto, EDEV Realty Advisors
- Multiple Residential and Employment Market/Financial Feasibility Analyses for various private sector clients throughout Ontario.
- Multiple Affordable Housing Analyses for various private sector clients
- Multiple Highest and Best Use Analyses for various private sector clients.
- Multiple Land Valuation Analyses for various private sector clients.

# Joe Chipman Senior Analyst

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Senior Analyst, (2021-present) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Development Analyst (2018-2021) New Commons Development

Planner & Real Estate Analyst (2016-2018) N. Barry Lyon Consultants Limited

Public Consultation Assistant (2015-2016) Brook Pooni Associates

Student Planner (2015) Diamond Corp

### **ACADEMIC**

Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning Toronto Metropolitan University 2016

Bachelor of Geography Simon Fraser University 2012

Certificate of Urban Studies Simon Fraser University 2012

# **PROFFESIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Candidate Member, Planning Institute of British Columbia & Canadian Institute of Planners Joe Chipman joined N. Barry Lyon Consultants as a Planner and Real Estate Analyst in May 2016 and rejoined the firm as a Senior Analyst in January 2021. His professional experience at NBLC includes feasibility analysis, real estate strategy, market analysis, affordable housing policy, and economic analysis of land use planning and policy.

Joe graduated with a Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning from Toronto Metropolitan University in 2016. His research focused on development feasibility analysis, urban economics, and housing policy. He also holds a Bachelor of Arts in Geography and a Certificate of Urban Studies, both from Simon Fraser University.

While at Toronto Metropolitan University, Joe worked as a student planner for Diamond Corp., assisting with due diligence research for the acquisition of high-density residential and mixed-use development sites in Toronto. He also worked as a public consultation assistant for Brook Pooni Associates, where he and his team helped to educate the public and solicit feedback regarding the proposed redevelopment of Honest Ed's/Mirvish Village in downtown Toronto. Prior to rejoining NBLC in 2021, Joe worked as a development analyst and project manager for New Commons Development, a non-profit owner's representative and real estate developer based in Vancouver and Toronto.

Joe is a Candidate Member of the Ontario Professional Planners Institute and is currently working toward his accreditation as a Registered Professional Planner.

Some of the work undertaken by Joe includes:

# **DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY**

- Cadillac Fairview Affordable Rental Housing Analysis
- Great Eagle Holdings Development Feasibility Analysis
- Spotlight Development Affordable Ownership Analysis
- Emshih Developments Affordable Housing Feasibility Analysis
- City of Hamilton Affordable Rental Housing Analysis
- New Commons Development Affordable Housing Cost Analysis
- North American Development Group Residential Market Update & Affordable Housing Gap Analysis

# Joe Chipman Senior Analyst

- Options for Homes Development Feasibility Analysis
- Toronto Community Housing Residential Market and Land Value Analysis
- Build Toronto Land Value Analysis
- Maplegrove York Apartments Purpose-Built Rental Market Feasibility Analysis

## **REAL ESTATE STRATEGY**

- Metrolinx Commercial Review of Transit Oriented Communities Project
- Woodbine Entertainment Affordable Housing Advisory
- Northcrest Developments Affordable Housing Advisory
- Region of Halton Regional Ontario Street (Allendale Campus) Phase 1 Implementation Plan
- City of Greater Sudbury Social Housing Regeneration Plan
- Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario Real Estate Strategy
- Windsor-Essex Community Housing Corporation Social Housing Regeneration Plan
- United Church of Canada & CMHC National Land Inventory & Real Estate Strategy
- Town of Oakville Financial Analysis of Surplus Lands

### LAND USE PLANNING AND POLICY

- City of Toronto Evaluation of Potential Impacts of an Inclusionary Zoning Policy
- City of Markham Evaluation of Potential Impacts of an Inclusionary Zoning Policy
- City of London Evaluation of Potential Impacts of an Inclusionary Zoning Policy
- City of Toronto Evaluation of Potential Impacts of Proposed Municipal Charges and Fees for Residential Development
- City of Mississauga Evaluation of Potential Impacts of Proposed Municipal Charges and Fees for Residential Development
- City of Kitchener Evaluation of Potential Impacts of Proposed Municipal Charges and Fees for Residential Development
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# CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT Planning Division

| ТО:                | Chair and Members Planning Committee  |
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| COMMITTEE DATE:    | January 31, 2023  |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO: | Applications for Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment for Lands Located at 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115 and 117 George Street and the South Portion of 107 and 109 George Street, Hamilton (PED23022) (Ward 2) |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED:  | Ward 2  |
| PREPARED BY:       | Alaina Baldassarra (905) 546-2424 Ext. 7421   |
| SUBMITTED BY:      | Stephen Robichaud Director, Planning and Chief Planner Planning and Economic Development Department   |
| SIGNATURE:         |   |

#### RECOMMENDATION

- (a) That amended **Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment Application UHOPA-20-025 by Bousfields Inc.** (c/o Ashley Paton) on Behalf of Coletara **Development, Owner,** to amend the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan to
  change the classification of the Maximum Height from "Mid-rise" and "Low-rise 2"
  to "High-rise 2" on Map B.6.1-2 to permit the development of a 23 storey mixed
  use commercial / residential building, for lands located at 220 and 222 Main
  Street West, 115 and 117 George Street and the south portion of 107 and 109
  George Street, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23022, be **APPROVED** on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft Official Plan Amendment, attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23022, be adopted by City Council;
  - (ii) That the proposed Official Plan Amendment is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);

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- (b) That amended **Zoning By-law Amendment Application ZAC-20-038 by Bousfields Inc.** (c/o Ashley Paton) on Behalf of Coletara Development, Owner, for a change in zoning from the Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and the Downtown Mixed Use Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone to the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, H141) Zone to permit a 23 storey mixed use building with 282 dwelling units, 854 square metres of retail space and 152 parking spaces for lands located at 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115 and 117 George Street and the south portion of 107 and 109 George Street, as shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23022, be **APPROVED** on the following basis:
  - (i) That the draft By-law, attached as Appendix "C" to Report PED23022, which has been prepared in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be enacted by City Council;
  - (ii) That the proposed change in zoning is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe, 2019, as amended, and will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan upon approval of Official Plan Amendment No. XX:
  - (iii) That the amending By-law apply the Holding Provisions of Section 36(1) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 to the subject lands by introducing the Holding symbol 'H132' to the proposed Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820) Zone:
    - H132. Notwithstanding Section 6.1 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820) Zone, identified on Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described as 220 and 222 Main Street West and 107 and 109 George Street, no development shall be permitted until such time as:
    - (1) The Owner submits and receives approval of the following Cultural Heritage studies, to the satisfaction of the Director, Heritage and Urban Design:
      - (aa) Documentation and Salvage Report for 220 Main Street West and 222 Main Street West:
      - (bb) Commemoration Brief for 220 Main Street West and 222 Main Street West;

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- (2) The Owner establish an easement to allow vehicle access to the rear of the existing building located at 107 and 109 George Street, to the satisfaction of the Manager of Transportation Planning;
- (3) The Owner enters into a conditional building permit agreement with respect to completing a Record of Site Condition or a signed Record of Site Condition (RSC) being submitted to the City of Hamilton and the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP). This RSC must be to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner, including a notice of acknowledgement of the RSC by the MECP, and the submission of the City of Hamilton's current RSC administration fee;
- (4) That the Owner demonstrate that the proposed development does not exceed the height of the Niagara Escarpment to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner;
- H141. Notwithstanding Section 6.1 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820) Zone, identified on Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described 115 and 117 George Street, no development shall be permitted until such time as the Owner submits and receives approval of a Conservation Plan, to the satisfaction of the Director, Heritage and Urban Design.

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Applicant has applied for an Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment to permit a 23 storey mixed use building consisting of 282 dwelling units and 854 square metres of retail space with a six storey podium, and incorporating an existing heritage building at the intersection of Queen Street South and George Street together with 152 parking spaces on lands located at 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115 and 117 George Street and the south portion of 107 and 109 George Street. The subject lands are bounded by Main Street West, Queen Street South and George Street.

The purpose of the Official Plan Amendment is to amend the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan to change the classification of the Maximum Height from "Mid-rise" and "Low-rise 2" to "High-rise 2" within the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan.

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The purpose of the Zoning By-law Amendment is to change the Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and the Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone to the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, H141) Zone in Zoning By-law No. 05-200. Site specific modifications are proposed to accommodate the proposed development.

As part of the Zoning By-law Amendment, two Holding Provisions are required to be added to the subject lands. The purpose of the Holding Provisions are to ensure that no development shall be permitted until such time as the owner submits and receives approval for a Documentation and Salvage Report (220 and 222 Main Street West), Conservation Plan (115 and 117 George Street) and a Commemoration Brief (220 and 222 Main Street West), establishes an easement to allow vehicle access to the rear of the existing building located at 107 and 109 George Street, enters into a conditional building permit agreement with respect to completing the Record of Site Condition, and demonstrates that the proposed development does not exceed the height of the Niagara Escarpment.

The applications have merit and can be supported as the proposal is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended), and will comply with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan and Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan upon finalization of the OPA. The proposed development provides for an appropriate level of intensification at this location that will support the provision of a mix of housing types in the neighbourhood.

Alternatives for Consideration - See Page 30

FINANCIAL - STAFFING - LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial: N/A

Staffing: N/A

Legal: As required by the *Planning Act*, Council shall hold at least one public

meeting to consider Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law

Amendment applications.

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#### HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

#### **Report Fact Sheet**

| Application Details                   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Owner:                                | Coletara Development   |
| Applicant:                            | Bousfields Inc. (c/o Ashley Paton)   |
| File Numbers:                         | UHOPA-20-025 and ZAC-20-038  |
| Type of Application:                  | Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment  |
| Proposal:                             | To permit a 23 storey mixed use building with 282 dwelling units, 854 square metres of retail space and 152 parking spaces.  |
|                                       | The subject application proposes the demolition of the circa 1891 building at 222 Main Street West (listed on the Municipal Heritage Register as a non-designated property) and the circa 1907 building at 220 Main Street West (listed on the Inventory of Heritage Properties). The applicant proposes to retain the circa 1871 building located at 115 and 117 George Street in Hess Village. |
| Property Details                      |  |
| Municipal Address:                    | 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115, and 117 George Street and the southern portion of 107 and 109 George Street, Hamilton   |
| Lot Area:                             | 0.29 ha (2,900 square metres).   |
| Servicing:                            | Existing full municipal services.  |
| Existing Use:                         | Three, two and a half storey commercial buildings.   |
| Documents                             |  |
| Provincial Policy<br>Statement (PPS): | The proposal is consistent with the PPS (2020).  |
| A Place to Grow:                      | The proposal conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended).   |
| Official Plan Existing:               | "Downtown Urban Growth Centre" on Schedule E and "Downtown Mixed Use Area" on Schedule E-1.  |
| Official Plan<br>Proposed:            | No changes proposed.   |

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| Documents                            |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Secondary Plan Existing:             | "Downtown Mixed Use" on Map B.6.1-1 – Land Use Plan in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan.  "Mid-rise" (220-222 Main Street West) and "Low-rise 2" (107-117 George Street on Map B.6.1-2 – Maximum Building Heights in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan.  |
| Secondary Plan<br>Proposed:          | Staff amended the application and are recommending the following modification:  "High-rise 2" on Map B.6.1-2 – Maximum Building Heights in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan.  |
| Zoning Existing<br>Bylaw No. 05-200: | Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone (220 and 222 Main Street West) and Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone (107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street).   |
| Zoning Proposed<br>Bylaw No. 05-200: | Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, H141) Zone.  |
| Modifications<br>Proposed:           | <ul> <li>Staff amended the application and are recommending the following modification:</li> <li>To permit a maximum of five parking spaces to be located outside of a building, whereas parking spaces are required to be located within a building;</li> <li>To permit a maximum 6.0 metre setback from the street line along George Street and a maximum 4.7 metre setback for all other street lines, whereas a maximum 4.5 metre setback is permitted;</li> <li>To permit a maximum setback of 8.5 metres for that portion of a building providing an access driveway to a garage, whereas 6.0 metres is required;</li> <li>To permit a driveway with a maximum width of 7.7 metres, whereas a maximum width of 7.5 metres is permitted; and,</li> <li>To permit a maximum building height of 78 metres for a portion of the subject lands, whereas maximum building heights of 44 metres (220 and 222 Main Street West) and 22 metres (107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street) are permitted.</li> </ul> |
| Processing Details                   |   |
| Received:                            | September 4, 2020.  |
| Deemed Complete:                     | September 28, 2020.   |
| Notice of Complete Application:      | Sent to 225 property owners within 120 metres of the subject lands on October 7, 2020.  |

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| <b>Processing Details</b> |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Public Notice Sign:       | Posted on October 7, 2020 and updated with public meeting date on January 4, 2023.  |
| Notice of Public Meeting: | Sent to 225 property owners within 120 metres of the subject property on January 13, 2023.  |
| Public Consultation       | <ul> <li>The applicant has completed the following additional Public Consultation:</li> <li>January 20, 2021 – project microsite launched with project information and digital links to application materials.</li> <li>January 28, 2021 – phone call with the president of the Strathcona Community Council.</li> <li>February 16, 2021 – attended the Durand Neighbourhood Association Executive Meeting.</li> <li>February 24, 2021 – virtual public open house held via Zoom. Notices of the open house were delivered to all addresses within 120 metres of the subject lands and emailed to the Kirkendall Neighbourhood Association, Durand Neighbourhood Association, Central Neighbourhood Association and the Strathcona Community Council. A total of 23 residents attended the virtual open house.</li> </ul> |
| Public Comments:          | One letter expressing concern was submitted. The letter is attached as Appendix "F" to Report PED23022 and is discussed on page 22 of this Report.  |
| Processing Time:          | 858 days.   |

#### **Existing Land Use and Zoning**

|                   | Existing Land Use                                 | Existing Zoning   |
|-------------------|---|---|
| Subject<br>Lands: | Three, two and a half storey commercial buildings | Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone (220 and 222 Main Street West and Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone (107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street) |

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#### **Surrounding Land Uses:**

North Two and a half storey commercial Downtown Mixed Use –

buildings Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone

South Two and a half storey commercial Downtown Mixed Use (D3) Zone

buildings

#### **Surrounding Land Uses Continued:**

East Two storey commercial buildings Downtown Central Business

District (D1, H21) Zone and Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone

Mixed Use Medium Density (C5,

West One storey commercial building

and two and a half storey multiple 29

297) Zone

dwellings

#### POLICY IMPLICATIONS AND LEGISLATED REQUIREMENTS

#### **Provincial Policy Statement (2020)**

The Provincial Planning Policy Framework is established through the *Planning Act* (Section 3) and the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) (PPS). The *Planning Act* requires that all municipal land use decisions affecting planning matters be consistent with the PPS. The following policies, amongst others apply to the proposal.

- "1.1.3.1 Settlement areas shall be the focus of growth and development.
- 1.1.3.2 Land use patterns within settlement areas shall be based on densities and a mix of land uses which:
  - a) Efficiently use land and resources;
  - Are appropriate for, and efficiently use, the infrastructure and public service facilities which are planned or available, and avoid the need for their unjustified and/or uneconomic expansion;
  - e) Support active transportation; and,

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- f) Are transit-supportive, where transit is planned, exists or may be development.
- 1.1.3.3 Planning authorities shall identify appropriate locations and promote opportunities for transit-supportive development, accommodating a significant supply and range of housing options through intensification and redevelopment where this can be accommodated taking into account existing building stock or areas, including brownfield sites, and the availability of suitable existing or planned infrastructure and public service facilities required to accommodate projected needs."

The subject property is located within a settlement area as defined by the PPS. The proposed residential development would contribute to the supply of a range of housing options. The site is located within the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan which provides the area with convenient access to downtown amenities and outdoor city parks (including Victoria Park and Hamilton Amateur Athletic Association Grounds).

The property is located on Queen Street South which has been identified as a Higher Order Transit Station Area in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan. The Higher Order Transit Station Area is within 200 metres to the Higher Order Transit Station at Queen Street South and King Street West which is an LRT Stop and as a result has been identified as a Priority Transit Corridor. Therefore, the proposal would efficiently use land and existing infrastructure and is transit supportive by providing intensification within the Hamilton Street Railway (HSR) Transit area and is within close proximity to GO Transit (Hamilton GO Centre) Station.

Cultural Heritage and Archaeology

- "2.6.1 Significant built heritage resources and significant cultural heritage landscapes shall be conserved.
- 2.6.2 Development and site alteration shall not be permitted on lands containing archaeological resources or areas of archaeological potential unless significant archaeological resources have been conserved.
- 2.6.3 Planning authorities shall not permit development and site alteration on adjacent lands to protected heritage property except where the proposed development and site alteration has been evaluated and it has been demonstrated that the heritage attributes of the protected heritage property will be conserved."

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The subject property meets three of the ten criteria used by the City of Hamilton and Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries for determining archaeological potential:

- 1) In the vicinity of distinctive or unusual landforms;
- 2) In areas of pioneer EuroCanadian settlement; and,
- 3) Along historic transportation routes.

These criteria define the property as having archaeological potential. Accordingly, Section 2 (d) of the *Planning Act* and Section 2.6.2 of the *Provincial Policy Statement* apply to the subject applications. An acknowledgement note of the archaeological requirements applicable to the site is required and will be addressed at the future Site Plan Control stage.

The following three cultural heritage properties are subject to this application:

- 220 Main Street West Listed in the City's Inventory of Heritage Buildings;
- 222 Main Street West Listed in the City's Municipal Heritage Register; and,
- 115 and 117 George Street Listed in the City's Municipal Heritage Register.

The subject properties are also adjacent to properties designated under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act (107 and 109 George Street and 34 Hess Street South) and non-designated properties listed on the Municipal Heritage Register. The properties at 220 and 222 Main Street West are located within the Main Street West Cultural Heritage Landscape (CHL). The subject sites are also located within the Central Established Historical Neighbourhood.

A Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment (CHIA), prepared by GBCA Architects, dated June 24, 2020, GBCA Architects, and revised on February 9, 2021 were reviewed by Planning staff and the Hamilton Municipal Heritage Committee – Policy and Design Working Group on October 19, 2020 and March 15, 2021.

The subject application proposes the demolition of the circa 1891 building at 222 Main Street West (listed on the Municipal Heritage Register as a non-designated property) and the circa 1907 building at 220 Main Street West (listed on the Inventory of Heritage Properties). The Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment (dated February 9, 2021) does not find 222 Main Street West to be worthy of designation under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, though the property retains some cultural heritage value. Further, the report documents the significantly altered state of 220 Main Street West, currently vacant, and the reduction in the architectural character of the original dwelling. As such, it was determined that the buildings at 220 and 222 Main Street West could be

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demolished. Cultural Heritage Staff have requested that a Documentation and Salvage Report and Commemoration Brief are submitted prior to the Holding Provision being lifted on the subject lands.

The circa 1871 building located at 115 and 117 George Street in Hess Village (listed on the Municipal Heritage Register as a non-designated property) is proposed to be retained on the subject lands. As part of the application Cultural Heritage Staff have requested that a Conservation Plan be submitted, reviewed and approved prior to any construction occurring on the property. In addition, the property is proposed to be designated as part of a separate process under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act*.

In order to address the remaining cultural heritage comments, a Holding Provision is proposed that requires that a Documentation and Salvage Report, Conservation Plan, and Commemoration Brief be submitted and approved before any development can occur on the property.

#### Noise

"1.2.6.1 Major facilities and sensitive land uses should be planned to ensure they are appropriately designed, buffered and / or separated from each other to prevent or mitigate adverse effects from odour, noise and other contaminants, minimize risk to public health and safety, and to ensure the long-term viability of major facilities."

To address Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks' (MECP) noise guidelines, the applicant submitted a revised Environmental Noise Feasibility Study dated August 2020 and prepared by dBA Acoustical Consultants Inc. The Study reviewed the vehicle traffic on Main Street West, King Street West and Queen Street South, and rail traffic on the CP Railway corridor which are the dominant transportation noise sources affecting the proposed development. An updated Noise Impact Study based on the final detailed design is required at the Site Plan Control stage and all required noise warning clauses and noise control measures will be required to be implemented as conditions of final site plan approval.

Metrolinx provided comments stating that the Noise Study would need to be updated to include the analysis on the operation of GO Transit (Hamilton GO Centre) on Canadian Pacific's Hamilton Subdivision facility at the Site Plan Control stage.

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#### **Human Made Hazards**

"3.2.2 Sites with contaminants in land or water shall be assessed and remediated as necessary prior to any activity on the site associated with the proposed use such that there will be no adverse effects."

The subject property was determined by Staff to require a Record of Site Condition (RSC) to be completed on the subject lands. Staff have included a Holding Provision requiring the completion of a Record of Site Condition and Notice of Acknowledgment letter from the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks for the RSC or a conditional building permit agreement respecting completion of an RSC prior to the Holding Provision being lifted.

Based on the foregoing and subject to the proposed Holding Provisions, the proposal is consistent with the PPS.

### A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended)

The Growth Plan directs the majority of growth to settlement areas that have access to municipal water and wastewater systems and can support the achievement of complete communities. The following policies, amongst others, apply to the proposal.

- "2.2.1.2 Forecasted growth to the horizon of this Plan will be allocated based on the following:
  - a) The vast majority of growth will be directed to settlement areas that:
    - i) Have a delineated built boundary;
    - ii) Have existing or planned *municipal water and wastewater* systems; and,
    - iii) Can support the achievement of *complete communities*;
  - c) Within settlement areas, growth will be focused in:
    - i) Delineated built-up areas;
    - *ii)* Strategic growth areas;
    - *Locations* with existing or planned transit, with a priority on *higher order transit* where it exists or is planned; and,
    - *iv)* Areas with existing or planned *public service facilities*;

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- 2.2.1.4 Applying the policies of this Plan will support the achievement of *complete* communities that:
  - Feature a diverse mix of land uses, including residential and employment uses, and convenient access to local stores, services, and public service facilities; and,
  - c) Provide a diverse range and mix of housing options, including second units and affordable housing, to accommodate people at all stages of life, and to accommodate the needs of all household sizes and incomes:"

The subject property is located within a settlement area as defined by the PPS. The proposed residential development would contribute to the supply of a range of housing options and is located in proximity to Downtown which provides the area with convenient access to downtown amenities and outdoor city parks (including Victoria Park and Hamilton Amateur Athletic Association Grounds).

The property is located on Queen Street South which has been identified as a Higher Order Transit Station Area in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan. The Higher Order Transit Station Area is within 200 metres to the Higher Order Transit Station at Queen Street South and King Street West which is an LRT Stop and as a result has been identified as a Priority Transit Corridor. Therefore, the proposal would efficiently use land and existing infrastructure and is transit supportive by providing intensification within the Hamilton Street Railway (HSR) Transit area and is within close proximity to GO Transit (Hamilton GO Centre) Station.

#### **Urban Hamilton Official Plan and Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan**

The subject lands are identified as "Downtown Urban Growth Centre" on Schedule "E" – Urban Structure and designated "Downtown Mixed Use Area" on Schedule "E-1" – Urban Land Use Designations in the UHOP. The following policies, amongst others, apply to the proposal.

- "E.2.3.1.2 The Downtown Urban Growth Centre shall be the pre-eminent node in Hamilton due to its scale, density, range of uses, function and identity by residents of the City as the Downtown and accordingly, it shall be planned for a range of uses appropriate to its role as the City's pre-eminent node;
- E.2.3.1.5 The Downtown Urban Growth Centre shall serve a regional retail function by providing retail stores and services which appeal to a broad regional

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market and serve residents across the City and the surrounding area as well as providing day-to-day retail facilities and services to serve Downtown residents; and,

E.2.3.1.6 The Downtown Urban Growth Centre shall function as a residential neighbourhood with a large and diverse population. A range of housing types, including affordable housing and housing with supports, shall be encouraged as set out in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan and other associated secondary plans and policies of this Plan."

#### **Downtown Mixed Use Designation**

- "E.4.4.2 The area designated Downtown Mixed Use shall also serve as a central focus for the City by creating a sense of place. Retail and service commercial uses are a key element in maintaining that function and ensuring the continued vibrancy of the Downtown. New commercial development shall be designed and oriented to enhance the streetlife of the Downtown;
- E.4.4.7 Permitted density and heights shall be set out in the secondary plan for the lands designated Downtown Mixed Use; and,
- E.4.4.8 Within the area designated Downtown Mixed Use, a higher density form of housing shall be encouraged, including *affordable* housing, that may be integrated with business uses including retail and service commercial establishments on the ground floor, as further set out in the Downtown Secondary Plan."

The subject property is located within Downtown Urban Growth Centre. The proposed residential development would contribute to the supply of a range of housing options. The proposal would efficiently use land, existing infrastructure and is located along a Higher Order Transit Station Area and within 200 metres of the Higher Order Transit Station (LRT Station stop) as described in the above policy review. The transit surrounding the area, including the Higher Order Transit Areas are supported by both HSR (Bus and LRT) and Metrolinx (Go Train and Go Bus). The site is located within an area with convenient access to downtown amenities and outdoor city parks (including Victoria Park and Hamilton Amateur Athletic Association Grounds). The proposal includes ground floor retail along Main Street West to encourage activity along the street frontage for the broader neighbourhood.

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As identified within the applicable policies a mixed-use multiple dwelling is a permitted use. The permitted densities and building heights are set out in the Secondary Plan and the analysis regarding the requested Official Plan Amendment application to reclassify the property in order to permit an increased building height has been provided below.

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The subject lands are designated as "Downtown Mixed Use" and identified as "Pedestrian Focus" for only the properties known as 115-117 and 107-109 George Street (Hess Village) on Map B.6.1-1: Land Use Plan in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan. The subject lands known as 220 and 222 Main Street West are identified as "Mid-rise" and the properties known as 115-117 and 107-109 George Street are identified as "Low-rise 2" on Map B.6.1-2 in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan. The following policies, amongst others, apply to the proposal.

General Land Use Policies and Building Heights

- "B.6.1.4.6 When considering an application for development, the following matters shall be evaluated:
  - a) Compatibility with adjacent land uses including matters such as shadowing, grading, overlook, noise, lighting, traffic and other impacts;
  - b) The consideration of transition in height to adjacent and existing buildings;
  - c) That height, massing, scale and arrangement of the buildings and structures are compatible with adjacent development and sympathetic to the character and heritage of the neighbourhood; and,
  - d) The conservation of on-site and adjacent cultural heritage resources.
- B.6.1.4.12 Building heights are identified on Map B.6.1.2 Downtown Hamilton Building Heights and the maximum heights for each area shall fall into the following categories:
  - b) Low Rise 2 up to 6 storeys;

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- c) Mid Rise up to 12 storeys; and,
- e) High Rise 2 up to 30 storeys.
- B.6.1.4.14 Notwithstanding Policy B.6.1.4.12 and Map B.6.1-2 Building Heights, maximum building height within the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan area shall be no greater than the height of the top of the Escarpment as measured between Queen Street and Victoria Avenue, identified on Appendix "D" Niagara Escarpment Heights; and,
- B.6.1.4.15 The siting, massing, height, and design of a building on one site shall not necessarily be a precedent for development on an adjacent or nearby site."

The proposal includes a tower that has a height of 23 storeys with a podium base of seven storeys. An Official Plan Amendment is required to change the designation from "Low Rise 2" and "Mid Rise" to "High Rise 2" to permit the proposed height. It was determined through a Shadow Impact Study, prepared by Kozlowski Architect and dated July 31, 2020 that the proposed height, scale, and massing respects existing uses by providing a gradation of building height on site to transition from the low rise buildings fronting George Street at the rear of the proposed multiple dwelling. In addition, a Pedestrian Wind Study, Shadow Impact Study, Urban Design Brief, Visual Impact Assessment and Concept Architectural Plans were included. Staff have reviewed the documentation and are satisfied that the increased height will not have a negative impact to the adjacent property and is lower than the height of the Niagara Escarpment.

Staff have reviewed the building base and tower façade as part of the submission. Staff are satisfied that the proposed setbacks and stepbacks are appropriate for the development and the surrounding area. Final elevations will be reviewed and approved at the detailed design stage through the Site Plan Control application.

As stated above, the application was reviewed by cultural heritage staff and additional information is required in order to address their comments. As a result, a Holding Provision was added requiring the appropriate documentation in order to address their comments.

A Visual Impact Study, prepared by GSP Group and dated August 2020, was submitted to assess if the proposal impacted views to the Niagara Escarpment. Based on the documentation submitted Staff determined that the development would not impact the views to the Niagara Escarpment. As part of the Holding Provision, the owner will be

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required to provide documentation confirming that the proposal is not higher than the Niagara Escarpment prior to any development taking place on the subject lands.

Therefore, the development meets the current Tall Building Guidelines.

High-Rise (Tall) Buildings

- "B.6.1.4.19 The Downtown Hamilton Tall Building Guidelines shall apply to tall building development and shall be used by City Staff when evaluating tall building development proposals;
- B.6.1.4.21 Tall building development shall require transition to adjacent existing and planned low-rise and mid-rise buildings through the application of separation distances, setbacks, and stepbacks in accordance with Policies B.6.1.4.31 through B.6.1.4.39 of this Plan and as informed by the Downtown Hamilton Tall Building Guidelines;
- B.6.1.4.23 All tall buildings shall meet the following requirements:
  - a) The building base shall be designed to:
    - i) Fit harmoniously within the context of neighbouring streetwall heights. Where there is no consistent streetwall height context for the area, the streetwall height shall be established in a manner that maintains a comfortable pedestrian scale and appropriate street proportion;
    - ii) Reduce and mitigate wind impacts on the public realm, including streets, sidewalks, parks and open spaces, and privately owned publicly accessible spaces. Pedestrian level wind conditions shall be suitable for sitting and standing, with higher standards applied to parks and open spaces and Pedestrian Focus Streets; and,
    - iii) Minimize shadows, in accordance with Policies B.6.1.4.34 through B.6.1.4.39 of this Plan, to preserve the utility of sidewalks, parks, public and private open spaces, school yards and buildings, childcare centres, playgrounds, sitting areas, patios, and other similar uses.

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- b) The building base may be required to setback at grade to achieve access to sunlight on sidewalks, parks, public and private open spaces, schoolyards and buildings, childcare centres, playgrounds, sitting areas, patios, and other similar uses;
- c) Tall building development shall provide setbacks from the lot line to the building face of the tower and adequate separation distance between towers on the same lot. These lot line tower setbacks shall ensure that individual tall buildings within a city block and the cumulative effect of multiple tall buildings within a block contribute to creating a strong and healthy neighbourhood by fitting in with the existing and/or planned context. Providing adequate space between towers shall:
  - Enhance the ability to provide a high-quality, comfortable public realm;
  - ii) Protect development potential of other sites within blocks;
  - iii) Provide access to sunlight on sidewalks, parks, public and private open spaces, school yards and buildings;
  - iv) Provide access to natural light and a reasonable level of privacy for occupants of tall buildings;
  - vi) Limit the impacts of uncomfortable wind conditions on streets, parks, open spaces, and surrounding properties; and.
  - vii) Provide appropriate transitions to adjacent lower-scale planned context, built heritage resources, and cultural heritage landscapes.
- B.6.1.4.31 Development shall provide built form transition in scale through a variety of design methods including angular planes, location and orientation of the building, and the use of setbacks and stepbacks of building mass; and,
- B.6.1.4.41 Above-ground vehicular parking shall be fronted by permitted uses other than parking at street level and upper storeys shall be screened from view from the street."

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The proposed development was reviewed against the Downtown Hamilton Tall Buildings Guidelines and it complies with the applicable policies. In terms of policy B.6.1.4.23 c) ii), the proposed tower has been provided in a location that would minimize negative impacts of surrounding sites to develop. As per policy B.6.1.4.21, B.6.1.4.23 c) vii) and B.6.1.4.31, the proposal provides an appropriate transition to the adjacent lower scale neighbourhood (Hess Heritage Village) and maintains an existing heritage building at the corner of George Street and Queen Street South.

As per policy B.6.1.4.23 a), B.6.1.4.23 b) ii) and iii) B.6.1.4.23 c) iv) and vi), a wind study, prepared by SLR dated August 11, 2020, and shadow study, prepared by Kozlowski Architect and dated July 31, 2020, were submitted in support of the applications. Based on the studies submitted, Staff have determined that the proposed development complies with the Shadow study guidelines within the Tall Building Guidelines for the Downtown Secondary Plan. In addition, as part of the proposed redevelopment, the proposed scale and existing pedestrian streetscape along George Street and Queen Street South will be maintained (Hess Village).

As per policy B.6.1.4.41, the applicant is proposing to construct three levels of underground parking. There are also two levels of above ground parking which have residential units fronting on Main Street West and a portion of Queen Street South. The residential use is permitted within the current zoning and designation while screening the parking from the street. As a result, the proposal meets the intent of the policy which discourages applicants from providing inactive uses along the public realm.

- "B.6.1.6.2 A portion of the lands designated Downtown Mixed Use are also identified as Pedestrian Focus Streets on Map B.6.1.1 Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan Land Use Plan. In addition to Section E.4.3 Pedestrian Focus Streets of Volume 1, the following policies shall apply to areas identified as Pedestrian Focus Streets:
  - a) The vision for Pedestrian Focus Streets is to complete the streetwall and provide an uninterrupted building line at the street level through compatible development and infill development along the corridor;
  - b) Notwithstanding Policy E.4.3.4 f) of Volume 1, all development shall be a minimum height of three storeys;
  - c) The height of new buildings and additions shall be consistent with the traditional streetwall height at the street line;

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- d) Taller building masses shall be sufficiently stepped back from the street to avoid interference with the perceived massing of the street as primarily a low to mid-rise corridor;
- e) The articulation of façades shall retain a similar rhythm and scale to the street front shops in its surroundings;
- The articulation of the façade of new buildings shall reflect or complement the traditional patterns of fenestration in adjacent buildings;
- g) Limited articulation of the front façades may be permitted in order to create sheltered areas at ground level or to allow for the incorporation of architectural design elements and access to significant views, provided that the sense of enclosure is maintained and that the articulation does not detract from the retention of the traditional building line;
- h) The ground floor frontage shall be clearly articulated in the massing of the façade, substantially glazed, with generous floor-to-floor heights and designed to accommodate signage; and,
- i) Where possible, buildings shall be constructed to the side lot line in order to maintain the sense of enclosure and avoid gaps in the streetscape."

As per Policy B.6.1.6.2 a), the proposal meets the intent because the proposed building provides a continuous street wall on Main Street West and a significant portion of Queen Street South. The proposal also maintains the existing heritage façade and existing streetscape along George Street and a portion of Queen Street South as part of the proposed development (Hess Village). As per Policy B.6.1.6.2 b), the base of the podium and tower is more than three storeys in height.

As per Policies B.6.1.6.2 c), d), e), f), g) and h), there are varying heights surrounding the proposed development. Staff reviewed the location of the podium façade and tower and are of the opinion that the proposed development respects both the current varying landscape height and the opportunity for surrounding properties to be redeveloped according to the downtown zoning.

As per Policy B.6.1.6.2 i), the proposal meets the intent of the policy by developing the proposed mixed use building without leaving any façade gaps at the corner of Main

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Street West and Queen Street South. The façade gaps proposed to exist along Queen Street South are because the driveway access for the development is from Queen Street South. In addition, a portion of the existing heritage building is proposed to be maintained at the corner of George Street and Queen Street South. Therefore, the existing interface at Queen Street South and George Street will be maintained.

Therefore, Staff support the OPA to change the Maximum Height Classification from "Mid-rise" and "Low-rise 2" to "High-rise 2".

#### City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200

To facilitate the proposed development, a rezoning from the Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and the Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone to the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, H141) Zone in City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200 is required. The maximum height permitted within Schedule "F" (Special Figures) – Figure 1 Map is 44 metres for 220 and 222 Main Street West and 22 metres for 107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street. The site specific modifications required to accommodate the proposal are outlined in the Report Fact Sheet and discussed in detail in Appendix "D" attached to Report PED23022, and the removal of Holding Provision 'H21' and the proposed Holding Provisions are further discussed in the Analysis and Rationale for Recommendation section of this Report.

#### **RELEVANT CONSULTATION**

| Departments and Agencies  |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| <ul> <li>Staging of Development / Legislative Approvals Section, Growth Management Division, Planning and Economic Development Department;</li> <li>Landscape Architectural Services, Strategic Planning Division, Public Works Department;</li> <li>Asset Management Section, Engineering Services Division, Public Works Department; and,</li> <li>Construction Section, Engineering Services Division, Public Works Department.</li> </ul> | No Comment or<br>Concerns |

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|  | Comment   | Staff Response   |
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| Metrolinx  | <ul> <li>Metrolinx has no objections to the Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment;</li> <li>At the site plan stage, the Applicant shall update the Environmental Noise Impact Study to include analysis on the operation of GO Transit on Canadian Pacific's Hamilton Subdivision. The Applicant is encouraged to contact Third Party Projects Review to obtain the current rail traffic forecast to facilitate updates to the Environmental Noise Impact Study;</li> <li>At the Site Plan stage, the Owner shall register on title an environmental easement in favour of Metrolinx against the subject residential dwellings; and,</li> <li>The applicant's solicitor shall submit a letter of undertaking to Metrolinx stipulating that the following warning clause will be inserted into all development agreements, offers to purchase and Agreements of Purchase and Sale or Lease of each dwelling unit within 300 metres of the railway right-of-way.</li> </ul> | All outstanding comments will be addressed at the Site Plan Control stage.           |
| Waste Management<br>Operations Section,<br>Environmental<br>Services Division,<br>Public Works<br>Department | The site is eligible for municipal waste collection subject to meeting the city requirements. Advised that additional information is required to confirm it is serviceable by the municipal waste collection program otherwise private collection will be required.   | Waste collection will<br>be reviewed in detail<br>at the Site Plan<br>Control stage. |

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|   | Comment  | Staff Response   |
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| Development Engineering Approvals Section, Growth Management Division, Planning and Economic Development Department         | The Development Engineering Approvals section is able to support the rezoning application. The proponent has revised the allowable discharge rate based on the existing catchment area draining to the combined sewer on Queen Street South and controlled the sum of the 100-year post-development storm discharge and peak sanitary discharge to the two-year pre-development storm discharge rate. The proponent has satisfactorily demonstrated that there is adequate fire flow available within the municipal system to meet the required fire flow demand for the proposed development. | Additional updates<br>and studies will be<br>required at the Site<br>Plan Control stage.   |
| Forestry and Horticulture Section, Environmental Services Division, Public Works Department                                 | <ul> <li>Forestry approves the Tree Management<br/>Plan and Landscape Plan prepared by<br/>GSP Group and dated May 30, 2022.</li> <li>Outstanding fees are required and can be<br/>addressed as part of a future application.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Additional fees for<br/>Forestry Permit, Loss<br/>of Canopy, and street<br/>tree fees will be<br/>required to be paid at<br/>the Site Plan Control<br/>stage.</li> </ul>  |
| Transportation Planning Section, Transportation Planning and Parking Division, Planning and Economic Development Department | Transportation Planning is in support of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendments because the development is projected to be generally supported by the surrounding transportation network and the parking ramp configuration internal to the site will potentially limit conflicts between vehicles entering and exiting the main driveway access on Queen Street South.  | <ul> <li>The dedication of<br/>Daylight Triangles will<br/>be required at the<br/>Site Plan Control<br/>stage.</li> <li>The Driveway Ramp<br/>into parking garage,<br/>Long-term and Short-<br/>Term Bicycle Parking<br/>spaces will be<br/>implemented at the<br/>Site Plan Control<br/>stage.</li> </ul> |

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|   | Comment  | Staff Response   |
|---|--|--|
| Transportation Planning Section, Transportation Planning and Parking Division, Planning and Economic Development Department Continued | <ul> <li>Transportation Planning reviewed and approved the following: 115-117 and 220 and 222 Main Street West, Hamilton, Transportation Impact Study, Parking Justification and Transportation Demand Management Report dated September 2020 and an addendum to the report dated February 7, 2022 prepared by Paradigm Transportation Solutions Limited.</li> <li>Transportation Planning will be requiring a 6.096 m X 6.096 m daylight triangle at the intersection of Main Street West and Queen Street South and a 4.57 m X 4.57 m daylight triangle at the corner of Queen Street South and George Street.</li> <li>Transportation Planning waives the Right-of-Way dedication along Queen Street South.</li> <li>Transportation Planning notes that a mutual access agreement may be required to allow access to the rear of the existing building on 109 George Street.</li> </ul> |  |
| Public Consultation   |  |  |
| Issue   | Comment  | Staff Response   |
| Concern about value of adjacent property for redevelopment purposes.  | Concern regarding the location of the tower proposed since the developer intended to build 5 metres from the shared property line on Main Street East and the City requires a 25 metre minimum distance between towers. The neighbour requested that the setback of the proposed tower be at least 12.5 metres from the property line.   | The applicant has revised the proposal and is proposing a minimum of 13 metres from the side lot line on Main Street West. |

#### **Design Review Panel (DRP)**

The development proposal was presented to the City's Design Review Panel (DRP) on February 11, 2021 after submission of the Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law

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Amendment applications. The proposal has been modified since the application was presented at the Design Review Panel.

The DRP provided a number of design recommendations to staff and the applicant, including the summarized comments below, amongst others:

- The panel acknowledged that the site is located on a Primary Corridor and is suited for an appropriately designed tall building; however, the City of Hamilton's Tall Building Guidelines (TBGs) should be applied in order to mitigate negative impacts to the adjacent properties. The TBGs should be reviewed and followed, especially separation distances and floor plate areas. Generally, the height and density should both be lowered to reduce negative impacts to the community;
- The DRP noted the tower separation from the interior lot lines creates a difficult scenario for the future development of the adjacent lots;
- The DRP agreed that the Queen Street streetscape must incorporate active uses
  with more permeability between the proposal and the street with multiple
  entrances. The panel noted that parking should be situated below ground, but
  any proposed above grade parking should be screened from public views and
  should be wrapped by either residential or commercial uses to mimic the existing
  rhythm along the street;
- The building massing needs to respect Hess Village and provide appropriate transitions to mitigate shadows and access to sun issues;
- The DRP commended the applicant on preserving and integrating the existing heritage building into the development. More consideration should be given to how the buildings relate to each other;
- The DRP noted that the proposed building height at the corner seems
  reasonable but the design (at the time of the review) appears bulky and has
  severe impacts on the surrounding community [possible option was removing the
  mid-rise portion of the proposed building), The overall building mass and floor
  plate areas should be reduced to create a more sophisticated and sleek
  proposal;
- The DRP agreed that the incorporation of the existing heritage building positively contributes to the development, although the proposal should better relate to the heritage building by providing more breathing room; and,

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 The DRP agreed that the Queen Street façade should be composed of active uses and noted that enhanced landscaping alone does not achieve an active streetscape. A blank façade will not retain the unique character of the area.

Applicant's Response to DRP Advice:

Through changes to the proposals, the stepback of the tower was increased from a minimum of approximately 5 metres to 12.5 metres from the interior side lot lines. The proposal addressed the comments to add active uses by incorporating retail at grade along Main Street West and the majority of the portion fronting Queen Street. The proposal also includes retail units fronting the podium parking within levels 2 and 3 along Main Street West and Queen Street. The proposal removed the midrise portion of the building and is providing landscaping and a separation between the proposed multiple dwelling and the existing heritage building.

#### **PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

In accordance with the provisions of the *Planning Act* and the Council approved Public Participation Policy, Notice of Complete Application and Preliminary Circulation was sent to 225 property owners within 120 metres of the subject property on October 7, 2020. A Public Notice sign was posted on the property on October 7, 2021 and updated with the Public Meeting date on January 4, 2023. Finally, Notice of the Public Meeting was mailed on January 13, 2023 in accordance with the requirements of the *Planning Act*.

#### **Public Consultation Strategy**

In accordance with their submitted Public Consultation Strategy, the applicant hosted a virtual neighbourhood meeting on February 24, 2021. There were 23 people who attended the neighbourhood meeting. Details on the Public Consultation Strategy are summarized in the Report Fact sheet. A summary of the public consultation and comments have been attached as part of Appendix "F" to Report PED23022.

To date, one public submission expressing concern has been received by staff and included in the report (see Appendix "F" attached to Report PED23022).

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#### ANALYSIS AND RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The proposal has merit and can be supported for the following reasons:

- (i) It is consistent with the PPS (2020) and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);
- (ii) The applications comply with the policies of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan and complies with the general intent of the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan; and,
- (iii) The proposed development is compatible with existing land uses in the immediate area and represents good planning by providing for the development of range of housing types, contributing to a complete community, making efficient use of existing infrastructure within the urban boundary, there is no sun/shadow impact and supporting commercial businesses and public transit within the downtown Hamilton area.

#### 2. Official Plan Amendment

The purpose of the Official Plan Amendment is to amend the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan to change the classification of the Maximum Height from "Midrise" and "Low-rise 2" to "High-rise 2".

The proposed residential development is a permitted use in the current "Downtown Mixed Use" designation in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan. The existing "Mid-rise" and "Low-rise 2" classifications do not permit the proposed building height as identified within the Maximum Building Heights map within the Downtown Secondary Plan, therefore an Official Plan Amendment is required to permit the proposed height of the mixed-use multiple dwelling. The applicant has proposed to amend the Downtown Secondary Plan to redesignate the subject lands to "High Rise 2". The proposed building height can be supported as the height complies with the policies of the Downtown Secondary Plan and Tall Buildings Guidelines with respect to the height of new buildings being less than the height of the escarpment.

As per the Urban Hamilton Official Plan and Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan, Staff are satisfied that the proposed Official Plan Amendment meets the intent of the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan to encourage a broad mix of household types. The proposed height of the building, scale and massing respects existing uses by providing a gradation of building height on site to transition from the low rise buildings fronting George Street at the rear of the

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proposed multiple dwelling. In addition, the submission confirmed that the proposed increase in height would not be higher than the height of the Niagara Escarpment which will be reconfirmed at the detailed design stage. In addition, a Pedestrian Wind Study, Shadow Impact Study, Urban Design Brief, Visual Impact Assessment and Concept Architectural Plans were included. Staff have reviewed the documentation and are satisfied that the increased height will not have a negative impact to the adjacent property and is lower than the height of the Niagara Escarpment.

The proposal addresses cultural heritage comments by implementing recommendations through the Cultural Heritage Assessment Review by requiring a Conservation Plan (for 115 – 117 George Street), Documentation and Salvage Report (for 220 and 222 Main Street) and Commemoration Brief (for 220 and 222 Main Street West). In addition, a holding provision has be added requiring confirmation that the development is not taller than the Niagara Escarpment. Therefore, staff support the proposed Official Plan Amendment.

#### 3. Zoning By-law Amendment

The subject lands are zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone in Zoning By-law No. 05-200. The applicant has proposed to change the zoning to the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, H141) Zone. Modifications to the development standards of the (D1) Zone are required to facilitate the proposal and are summarized in the Report Fact Sheet above and discussed in detail in Appendix "D" attached to Report PED23022.

As part of the change in zoning, two figures are required to be modified within Zoning By-law No. 05-200. Schedule B – Property Detail is amended by adding Figure 3 in order to clarify the limits of the proposed increase in height for areas of the property identified as 220 and 222 Main Street West and the south portion of 115, 117, 107 and 109 George Street. In addition, Schedule F is amended in order to modify Figure 1 in the Downtown Secondary Plan in order to permit a maximum height of 78 metres for a portion of the property identified as 220 and 222 Main Street West and the south portion of 115, 117, 107 and 109 George Street. Based on the Niagara Escarpment Height – Appendix "D" map in the Downtown Secondary Plan the height of the escarpment is 190 metres and the elevations submitted show a height of 185.90 m (not including the mechanical penthouse). For the purposes of confirming if the proposed building height (75 m) to the average grade of the property (111 m). Therefore, the proposed

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building as shown would not be taller than the height of the escarpment. As part of the detailed design stage, a Holding Provision has been added to confirm that the height of the building does not exceed the height of the escarpment in order to confirm compliance with applicable policies.

The proposed development is compatible with existing land uses in the immediate area, will contribute to a complete community and will comply with the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan upon approval of the Official Plan Amendment. Therefore, staff support the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment.

#### 4. Holding Provision

As part of the applications, Staff are supportive of removing existing Holding Provision 'H21' that was added on the property by By-law No. 18-114. The purpose of the Holding Provision is to require a Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment be submitted and conditional approval issued on the subject lands prior to the lifting of the Holding Provision. As part of the Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment application a Cultural Heritage Impact Assessment was submitted and reviewed by Staff. Additional requirements were identified which have been included as part of the new Holding Provision to be added to the property as part of the current applications. In terms of the requirement to obtain conditional approval, a Site Plan Control application is required as per Site Plan Control By-law No. 15-176, as amended. Therefore, Staff have a mechanism to require a future Site Plan Control application.

There are two new 'H' Holding Provisions are recommended to proposed to address the following:

The first Holding Provision (H132) is for the following:

- The Owner submits, receives approval and implements the following Cultural Heritage studies, to the satisfaction of the Director of Heritage and Urban Design:
  - A Documentation and Salvage Report for 220 and 222 Main Street West be submitted in accordance with the City's Guidelines for Documentation and Salvage Reports prior to any demolition and the Owner shall demonstrate that a copy of this Report is submitted to the Hamilton Public Library; and,
  - Commemoration Brief for 220 and 222 Main Street West.

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- The Owner establish an easement to allow vehicle access to the rear of the existing building located at 107 and 109 George Street, to the satisfaction of the Manager of Transportation Planning;
- The Owner enters into a conditional building permit agreement with respect to completing a Record of Site Condition or a signed Record of Site Condition (RSC) being submitted to the City of Hamilton and the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP). This RSC must be to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner, including a notice of acknowledgement of the RSC by the MECP, and the submission of the City of Hamilton's current RSC administration fee; and,
- That the Owner demonstrate that the proposed development does not exceed the height of the Niagara Escarpment to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner.

The second Holding Provision (H141) requires a Conservation Plan be submitted and receives approval application to the satisfaction of the Director of Heritage and Urban Design prior to any development for the addresses municipally described as 115 and 117 George Street.

Development will not be able to proceed until the 'H' Holding Provision is lifted for each individual municipal address.

#### **ALTERNATIVES FOR CONSIDERATION**

Should the applications be denied, the subject lands can be used in accordance with the Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and Downtown Mixed Use - Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone in Zoning By-law No. 05-200. The Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone permits a range of commercial, residential and institutional uses within the existing building until such time that the Holding Provision is lifted. The Downtown Mixed Use - Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone permits a range of uses including commercial, residential and institutional uses.

#### **ALIGNMENT TO THE 2016 – 2025 STRATEGIC PLAN**

#### **Community Engagement and Participation**

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#### APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

Appendix "A" to Report PED23022 – Location Map

Appendix "B" to Report PED23022 - Draft Official Plan Amendment

Appendix "C" to Report PED23022 - Draft Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 05-200

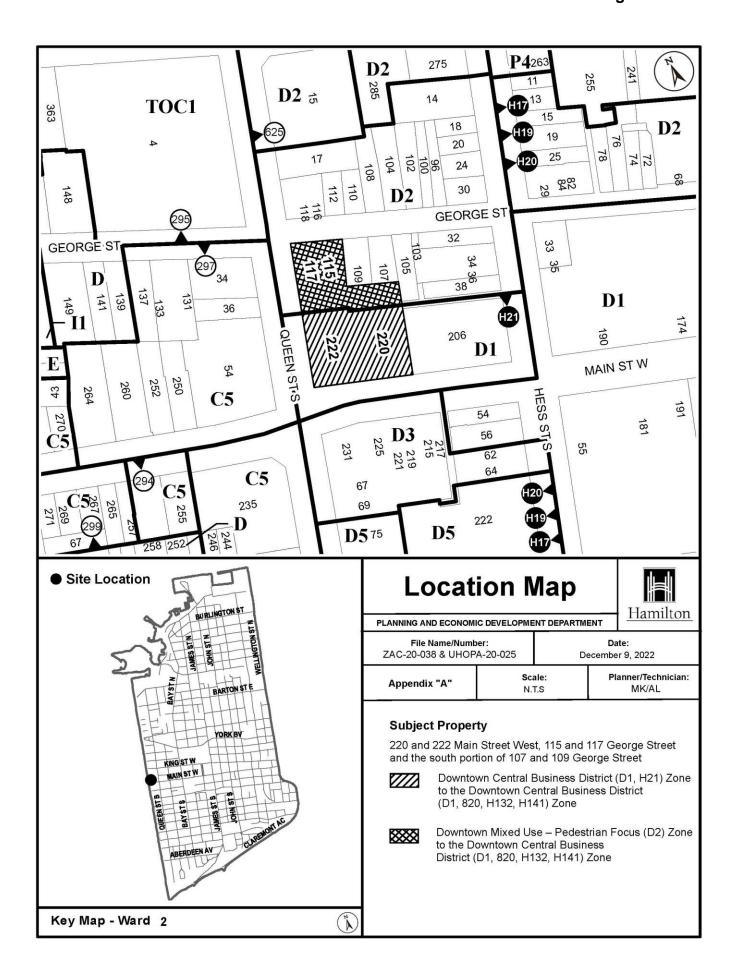
Appendix "D" to Report PED23022 - Zoning By-law Site Specific Modification Chart

Appendix "E" to Report PED23022 – Revised Concept Plan and Elevations

Appendix "F" to Report PED23022 - Public Submissions

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Schedule "1"

## DRAFT Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. X

The following text, together with Appendix "A", Volume 2: Map B.6.1-2 – Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan – Maximum Building Heights, attached hereto, constitutes Official Plan Amendment No. "X" to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan.

#### 1.0 **Purpose and Effect:**

The purpose and effect of this Amendment is to amend the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan to change the Maximum Height classification from "Mid-rise" and "Lowrise 2" to "High-rise 2" to permit the development of a mixed use High Rise building.

#### 2.0 Location:

The lands affected by this Amendment are known municipally as 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115 and 117 George Street, and portions of 107 and 109 George Street in the former City of Hamilton.

#### 3.0 Basis:

The basis for permitting this Amendment is:

- The proposed development implements the vision of the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan by providing a mix of uses on site and contributing to a range of housing options within Downtown Hamilton.
- The proposed development conforms with the design criteria for High-Rise (Tall)
   Buildings in the Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan and the Downtown Hamilton Tall
   Buildings Guidelines.
- The Amendment is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement, 2020 and conforms to the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe, 2019, as amended.



| 4.0 | <u>Actual</u> | Chanc | <u>jes:</u> |
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#### 4.1 **Volume 2 – Secondary Plans**

#### Maps

#### 4.1.1 Maps

- a. That Volume 2: Map B.6.1-2 Downtown Hamilton Secondary Plan Maximum Building Heights be amended by:
  - i) changing the height category for a portion of the subject lands from "Mid-rise" to "High-rise 2"; and,
  - ii) changing the height category for a portion of the subject lands from "Low-rise 2" to "High-rise 2",

as shown on Appendix "A", attached to this Amendment.

#### 5.0 Implementation:

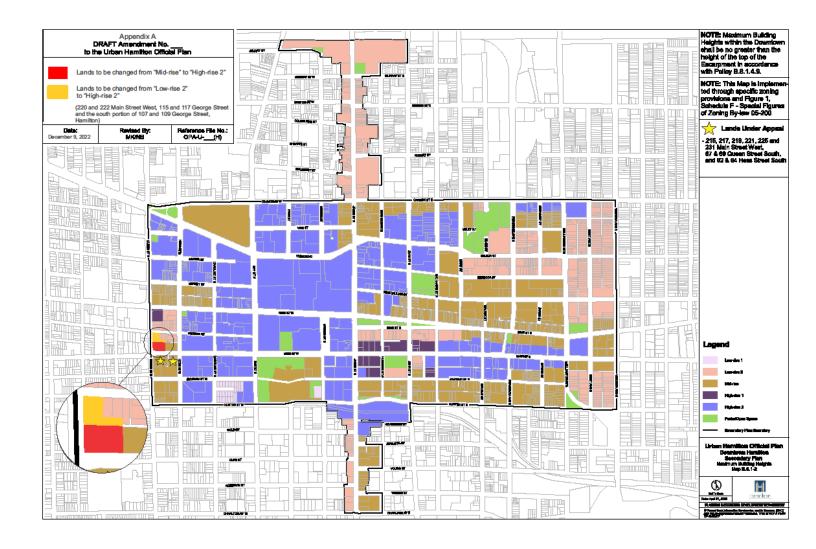
An implementing Zoning By-Law Amendment, Site Plan and Consent application will give effect to the intended uses on the subject lands.

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Authority: Item,

Report (PED23022)

CM: Ward: 2

Bill No.

#### CITY OF HAMILTON BY-LAW NO.

To Amend Zoning By-law No. 05-200
Respecting Lands Located at
220 and 222 Main Street West and 107, 109, 115, and 117 George Street, Hamilton

**WHEREAS** Council approved Item \_\_\_ of Report \_\_\_\_\_ of the Planning Committee, at its meeting held on January 10, 2023;

**AND WHEREAS** this By-law conforms to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, upon the adoption of Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment No. XXX;

**NOW THEREFORE** Council amends Zoning By-law No. 05-200 as follows:

- That Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps is amended by changing the zoning from the Downtown Central Business District (D1, H21) Zone and the Downtown Mixed Use – Pedestrian Focus (D2) Zone to the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132, 141) Zone for the lands known as 220 and 222 Main Street West and 107, 109, 115, and 117 George Street as shown on Schedule "A" attached to this By-law.
- 2. That Schedule "B" Property Details is amended by adding Figure 3 220 & 222 Main Street West and south portions of 107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street as shown on Schedule "B" to this By-law.
- 3. That Schedule "C" Special Exceptions is amended by adding the following new Special Exception:
  - "820. Within the lands zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1) Zone, identified on Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described as 220 and 222 Main Street West and 107, 109, 115 and 117 George Street, the following special provisions shall apply:
    - a) Section 6.0 c) i) shall not apply where the required step back is measured to the hypotenuse of a daylight triangle.
    - b) Notwithstanding Sections 6.1.1.1 i) 1. A., 6.1.3 a) i) and ii), and 6.1.3 c) iv), the following special provisions shall apply:
      - i) Restricted Uses In the case of a Parking Facility developed after the effective date of

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this By-law, a maximum of five parking spaces shall be permitted to be located outside of a building. All other parking spaces shall be contained within a building.

- ii) Building Setback from a Street Line
- For any portion of a building below 11.0 metres in height, except where a visibility triangle shall be provided for a driveway access, the following shall apply:
  - A. Maximum 6.0 metres from the George Street Line; and,
  - B. Maximum 4.7 metres from all other Street Lines.
- Notwithstanding Section ii) 1. above, a maximum setback of 8.5 metres for that portion of a building providing an access driveway to a garage.
- iii) Built Form for New Development

A driveway with a maximum width of 7.7 metres shall be permitted for ingress and egress.

- 4. That Schedule "D" Holding Provisions be amended by removing Holding Provision 21 for lands municipally known as 220 and 220 Main Street West, Hamilton.
- 5. That Schedule "D" Holding Provisions be amended by adding the following Holding Provision:
  - "132. Notwithstanding Section 6.1 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820) Zone, identified on Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described as 220 and 222 Main Street West and 107 and 109 George Street, no development shall be permitted until such time as:
    - i) That the owner submits, receives approval and implements the following Cultural Heritage studies, to the satisfaction of the Director of Heritage and Urban Design:
      - A. A Documentation and Salvage Report for 220 and 222 Main Street West be submitted in accordance with the City's Guidelines for Documentation and Salvage Reports prior to any demolition

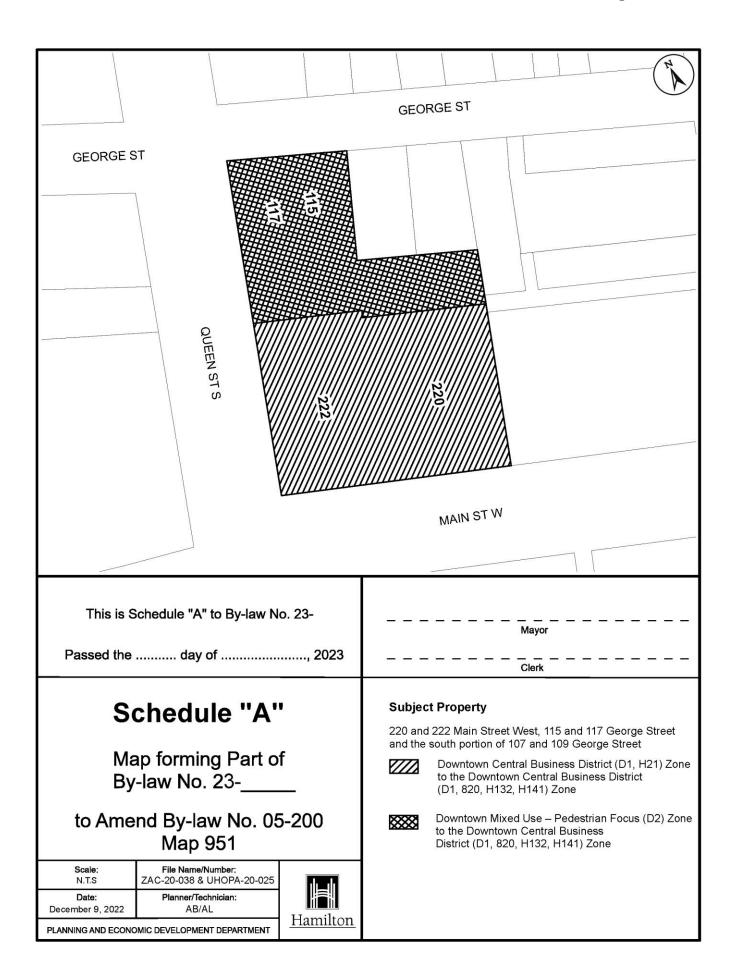
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- and the Owner shall demonstrate that a copy of this Report is submitted to the Hamilton Public Library; and,
- B. Commemoration Brief for 220 and 222 Main Street West.
- ii) The Owner establish an easement to allow vehicle access to the rear of the existing building located at 107 and 109 George Street, to the satisfaction of the Manager of Transportation Planning.
- iii) The Owner enters into a conditional building permit agreement with respect to completing a Record of Site Condition or a signed Record of Site Condition (RSC) being submitted to the City of Hamilton and the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP). This RSC must be to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner, including a notice of acknowledgement of the RSC by the MECP, and the submission of the City of Hamilton's current RSC administration fee.
- iv) That the Owner demonstrate that the proposed development does not exceed the height of the Niagara Escarpment to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner.
- 6. That Schedule "D" Holding Provisions be amended by adding the following Holding Provision:
  - "141. Notwithstanding Section 6.1 of this By-law, on those lands zoned Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820) Zone, identified on Map 951 of Schedule "A" Zoning Maps and described 115, and 117 George Street, no development shall be permitted until such time as the Owner submits and receives approval of a Conservation Plan, to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner.
- 7. That Schedule "F" Special Figures, Figure 1 Maximum Building Height be amended by changing the Maximum Building Height for a portion of the subject lands from 44 metres and 22 metres to 78 metres as shown on Schedule "C" to this By-law.
- 8. That no building or structure shall be erected, altered, extended or enlarged, nor shall any building or structure or part thereof be used, nor shall any land be used, except in accordance with the Downtown Central Business District (D1, 820, H132) Zone, subject to the special provisions referred to in Section 2 of this By-law.
- 9. That the clerk is hereby authorized and directed to proceed with the giving of notice of the passing of the By-law in accordance with the *Planning Act*.

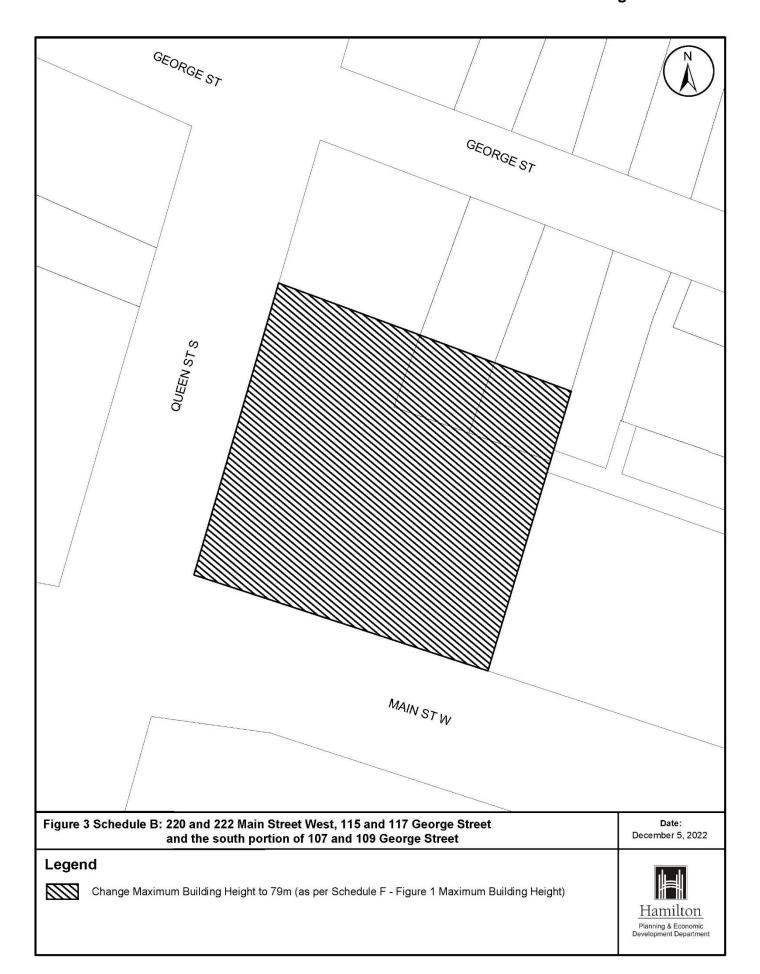
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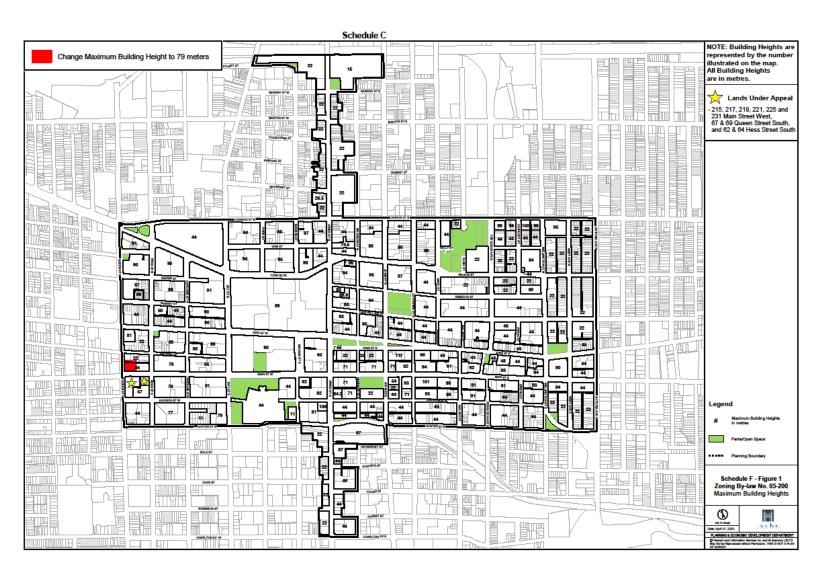
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# **Site Specific Modifications to the Zone**

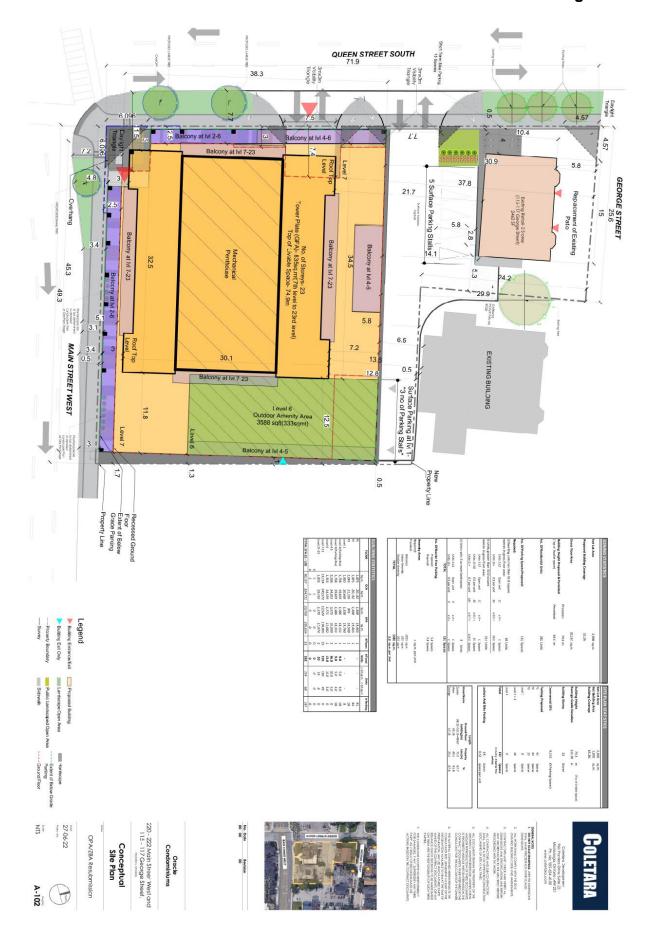
| Regulation       | Required                | Modification                     | Analysis  |
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| 6.0 c) i)        | A minimum stepback of   | No minimum stepback shall        | The purpose and intent of the regulation is to require    |
| Minimum          | 3.0 m shall be required | apply where the required         | variations in the building façade in order to improve the |
| Stepback from    | from the building base  | stepback is measured to the      | public realm surrounding the proposed building. The       |
| Building Base    | façade height of 22     | hypotenuse of a daylight         | proposed modification is only for the portion of the      |
| Façade           | metres.                 | triangle.                        | building where the stepback would be measured at the      |
| Height           |                         |                                  | hypotenuse of the daylight triangle. The 3.0 m stepback   |
|                  |                         |                                  | will be required on all other portions of the building.   |
|                  |                         |                                  | Therefore, the requested modification is considered       |
|                  |                         |                                  | minor and can be supported by Staff.                      |
| 6.1.1.1 i) 1. A. | Parking shall only be   | In the case of a Parking         | The purpose and intent of the regulation is to not permit |
| Restricted       | contained within a      | Facility developed after the     | surface parking along the public realm in order to        |
| Uses: Parking    | building.               | effective date of this By-law, a | improve the pedestrian experience. The proposed           |
| Facility         |                         | maximum of five parking          | modification would only allow five of the proposed        |
|                  |                         | spaces shall be permitted to     | parking spaces to be outside of a building (all other     |
|                  |                         | be located outside of a          | parking spaces would be required to be located within     |
|                  |                         | building. All other parking      | the building as per the existing regulation). The         |
|                  |                         | spaces shall be contained        | proposed modification meets the intent of the By-law      |
|                  |                         | within a building.               | because the parking spaces would be screened by           |
|                  |                         |                                  | structures (the registered heritage building at the       |
|                  |                         |                                  | corner of George Street and Queen Street North and        |
|                  |                         |                                  | the proposed multiple dwelling at Main Street West and    |
|                  |                         |                                  | Queen Street North) and not visible to the public realm.  |
|                  |                         |                                  | Since the proposal maintains the intent of the            |
|                  |                         |                                  | regulation, Staff are in support of the modification.     |
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| Regulation     | Required                    | Modification                                       | Analysis   |
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| 6.1.3 a) i)    | Maximum 4.5 metres for      | The modification is to permit a                    | The purpose and intent of the regulation is to create a    |
| Building       | any portion of              | maximum setback of 6.0 m                           | continuous building façade close to the street and to      |
| Setback from   | building below 11.0         | along George Street and 4.7 m                      | discourage uses such as surface parking along a public     |
| a Streetline   | metres in height, except    | along all other streets for any                    | road. The subject lands have a registered heritage         |
|                | where a visibility triangle | portion of building below 11.0                     | building on-site which is proposed to be maintained as     |
|                | shall be provided           | metres in height, except where a                   | part of this development. Therefore, the change in the     |
|                | for a driveway access.      | visibility triangle shall be                       | setback maximum is required to recognize the location      |
|                |                             | provided for a driveway access.                    | of the current building located at the intersection of     |
|                |                             |  | George Street and Queen Street North. Therefore,           |
|                |                             |  | Staff are in support of the proposed modification.         |
| 6.1.3 a) ii)   | Notwithstanding Section     | A maximum setback of 8.5                           | The purpose and intent of the regulation is to keep        |
| Building       | 6.1.3 a) i) above, a        | metres for that portion of a                       | buildings close to the street to maintain street           |
| Setback from   | maximum setback of 6.0      | building providing an access driveway to a garage. | presence. Staff are of the opinion that the proposed       |
| a Streetline   | metres for that             | driveway to a garage.                              | increase in the setback for the driveway access is         |
|                | portion of a building       |  | minor in nature and there is no negative impact to the     |
|                | providing an access         |  | façade treatment on Queen Street South. Therefore,         |
|                | driveway to a garage.       |  | Staff are supportive of the proposed modification.         |
| Sections 6.1.3 | Notwithstanding Section     | A driveway with a maximum                          | The proposed modification to the proposed driveway         |
| c) iv)         | 6.1.3 c) ii) and iii)       | width of 7.7 metres shall be                       | width to go from 7.5 metres to 7.7 metres is considered    |
| Built Form for | above, a driveway with      | permitted for ingress and                          | minor in nature. Therefore, Staff are supportive of the    |
| New            | a maximum width of 7.5      | egress.  | proposed modification.                                     |
| Development    | metres shall be             |  |  |
|                | permitted for ingress       |  |  |
|                | and egress.                 |  |  |
| Schedule "F"   | Maximum Building            | Maximum Building Height for a                      | The purpose and intent of the application is to identify a |
| _              | Height shall be 44          | portion of the subject lands shall                 | maximum building height on the subject lands. As part      |
| Special        | metres and 22 metres.       | be 78 metres.                                      | of the proposal, the submission confirmed that the         |
| Figures        |                             |  | proposed increase in height would not be higher than       |
|                |                             |  | the height of the Niagara Escarpment as per the            |
|                |                             |  | Downtown Secondary Plan. In addition, a Pedestrian         |
|                |                             |  | Wind Study, Shadow Impact Study, Urban Design              |

| Regulation | Required | Modification | Analysis  |
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|            |          |              | Brief, Visual Impact Assessment and Concept             |
|            |          |              | Architectural Plans were included. Staff have reviewed  |
|            |          |              | the documentation and are satisfied that the increased  |
|            |          |              | height will not have negative impacts and is lower than |
|            |          |              | the height of the Niagara Escarpment. Therefore, Staff  |
|            |          |              | are in support of the proposed modification.            |

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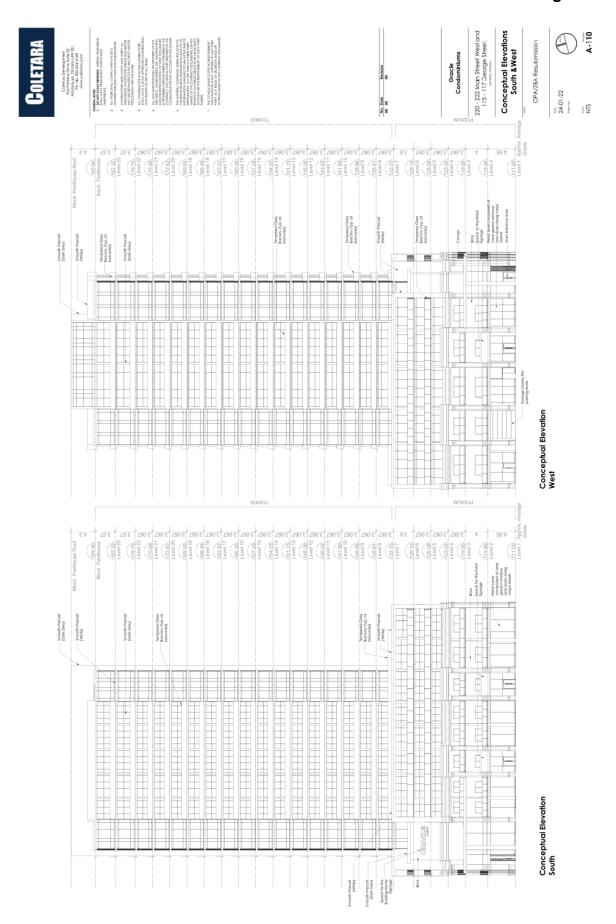
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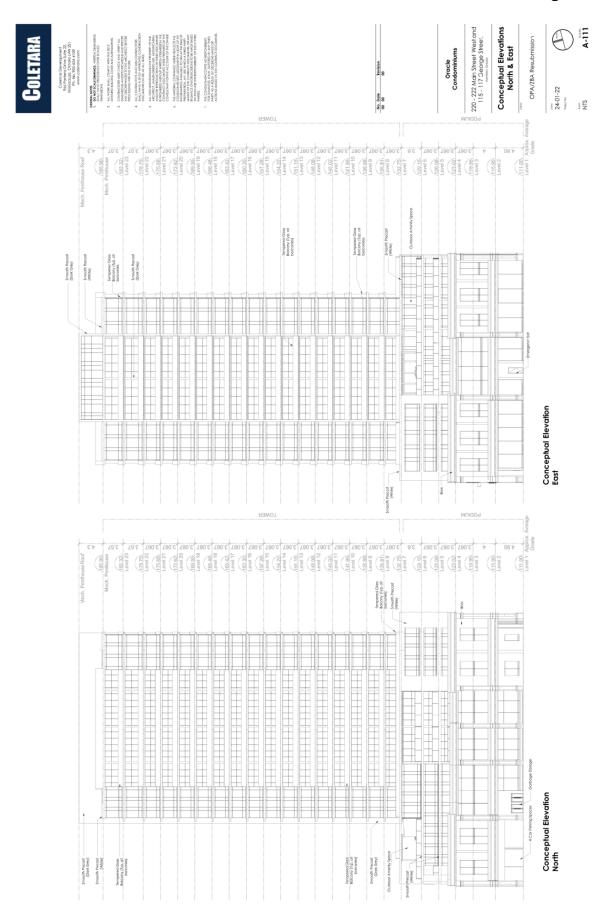




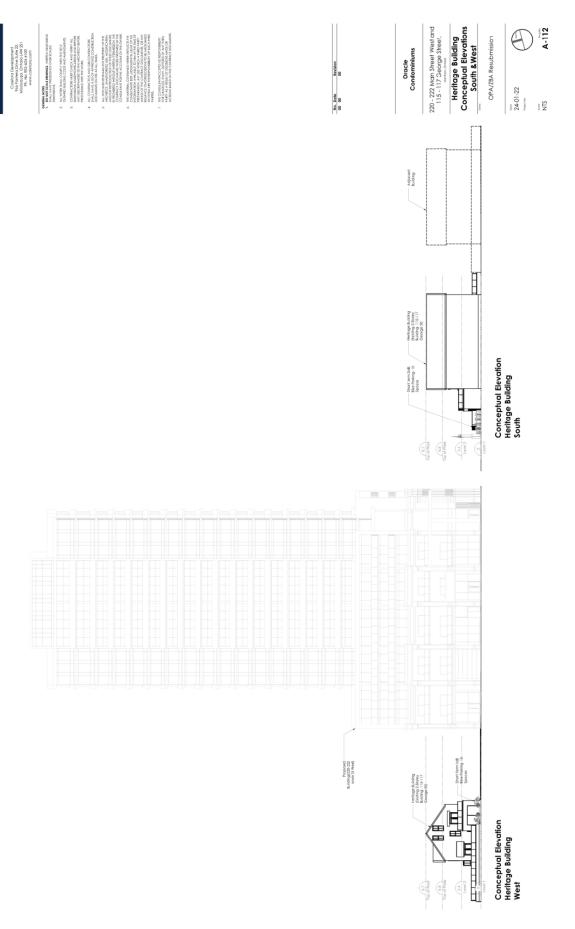
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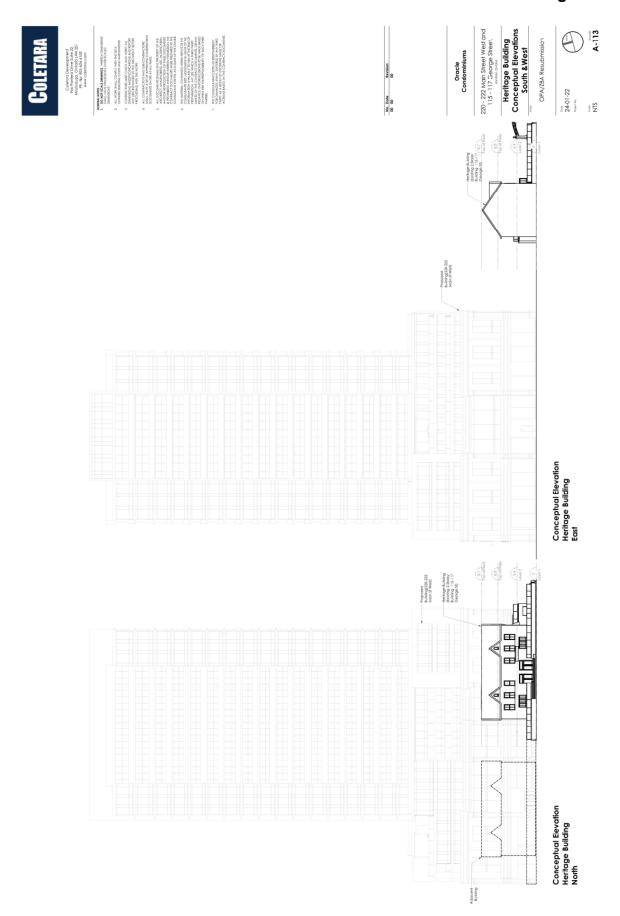
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## Kehler, Mark

From: Andrew C Adams

Sent: Tuesday, February 8, 2022 3:35 PM

To: Kehler, Mark
Subject: Re: 206 Main St. W

Follow Up Flag: Follow up Flag Status: Flagged

Hi Mark,

I was wondering if there has been a resubmission by Colatera on the project at the neighbouring site to our property at 206 Main St. W?

If you could kindly add my home address for notices to owners of nearby subject lands, that would be most appreciated.

Andrew Adams



On Nov 19, 2021, at 2:05 PM, Kehler, Mark < Mark. Kehler@hamilton.ca> wrote:

Hi Andrew,

Unfortunately City Hall remains closed to the public so I cannot sit down with you to review the file.

The most recent concept submitted by the applicant is here: https://cityshare.hamilton.ca/s/xYnSfbZzMJYMrso

Staff have responded to the applicant that the proposed tower separation to the east property line does not align with the City's Tall Buildings Guidelines, including guidelines that protect for the development potential of adjacent lands.

A Notice of Complete Application was mailed to all property owners within 120 m of the subject lands in October 2020. If you have an address you would like future notices for this application mailed to you can email it to me and I will add it to the file.

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If you would like to discuss further, please don't hesitate to give me a call.

## Mark Kehler

Senior Planner - Urban Team Planning and Economic Development Planning, City of Hamilton (905) 546-2424 Ext.4148



NOTE: As of March 18, all City of Hamilton offices and facilities have been closed to the public with the exception of the First Floor, City Hall, to help prevent the possible spread of the Covid-19 virus.

Planning staff will continue to serve the community over the phone or by email. However, staff are working from home as a precautionary measure to protect both the public and staff and staff will endeavour to reply to your email as soon as possible.

Digitial submissions and resubmissions are preferred. Alternatively you may make your submission by courier, mail or by drop off at the First Floor, City Hall.

Please be aware that information on the City's response to Covid-19 and the City of Hamilton Official Plan, Zoning By-laws and submission requirements can be found on the City's website at www.hamilton.ca.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

From: Andrew C Adams

Sent: November 17, 2021 3:58 PM

To: Farr, Jason < Jason.Farr@hamilton.ca>
Co: Kehler, Mark < Mark.Kehler@hamilton.ca>

Subject: Re: 206 Main St. W

Thanks very much for the prompt response Councillor. And thank you for the introduction to Mark.

Mark, can we please arrange a day to sit down and to review this file? I'm wondering when you raised the issue of tower separation, did you give a specific metre suggestion? We would like to develop the 206 site some day, and having a 5 m setback on the 220 property would force us to maintain a 20 m setback on our property, which would greatly devalue our project. We believe that 12.5m of setback for both 220 and 206 would be the most fair.

Finally, was something mailed to our building regarding this submission? I ask because if so, we did not receive it. There are several businesses in the building and it's possible that it was misplaced. Is it possible that we have any official correspondence on the 206 Main St. W. property come to my personal home address so that we can stay on top of the planning process?

Thanks very much for your help,

Andrew-C. Adams

On Mon, Nov 15, 2021 at 8:59 AM Farr, Jason < Jason.Farr@hamilton.ca > wrote:

The issue of the tower separation to <u>206 Main St W</u> was raised by staff in our response to the applicant.

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We are expecting a formal resubmission in response to staff comments but have not yet received it.

Dr. Adams, you are welcome to check in with Mark (City Planner on the file - cc) for updates and he will ensure your concerns are noted and responded to in any future staff report.

Thanks for engaging, Dr. Adams and good to hear from you again.

Councillor Jay

Sent from my iPhone

From: Andrew C Adams

Date: November 14, 2021 at 7:41:32 PM EST To: "Farr, Jason" < <u>Jason.Farr@hamilton.ca</u>>

Subject: 206 Main St. W

Dear Councillor Farr,

I hope all is well with you. We had met prior to the pandemic at your office to discuss our building at 206 Main St. W. It's the old yellow house at the corner of Main and Hess. We operate a dental anaesthesia practice from that location.

We understand that Colterra has purchased the neighbouring properties at 220 Main W. and intends to build 23 story towers there. They are asking to build up to the 5m boundary to our shared property line. Further, we understand that the city wants 25m between towers. Since we one day intend to develop our site, we feel this is unfair, since we would then have to build 20m from our property line as currently proposed. The approval of Coltera to build up to 5m of the property line would greatly devalue our property as it would limit the footprint of a property on our site. We feel that it would only be fair for Coltera and us to have a setback each of 12.5m from the property line. Can you please advise on the Coltera submissions and applications and what stage they are at? We would like the opportunity to be heard on this matter.

Thank you, Andrew Adams



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SHAPING GREAT COMMUNITIES

April 12, 2021 File: 21009

Andrea Dear, MCIP, RPP Senior Planner City of Hamilton 71 Main Street West, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

Dear Ms.Dear:

RE: PUBLIC CONSULTATION RESPONSE

UHOPA-20-025 / ZAC-20-038

115-117 GEORGE STREET & 220-222 MAIN STREET WEST, HAMILTON

In accordance with the City of Hamilton's "Public Consultation Strategy Guidelines" (no date), we are pleased to submit this summary of the community consultation to date for the proposed development at 115-117 George Street and 220-222 Main Street West, on behalf of the owners of the property: 115 George Street Inc., 220 Main Street (Hamilton) Holdings Inc., and 222 Main Street (Hamilton) Holdings Inc.

A virtual community meeting was hosted on Wednesday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm via Zoom. As required by the guidelines, individual invitations were provided via email on or before January 21, 2021 to the following:

- Andrea Dear, Planner, City of Hamilton;
- Councillor Farr, Councillor, Ward 2;
- Strathcona Community Council (Jason Morse, President);
- Durand Neighbourhood Association (Chris Redmond, President);
- · Central Neighbourhood Association; and
- Kirkendall Neighbourhood Association.

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In addition, notices of the virtual community meeting (included as **Appendix A**) were hand-delivered to each property within 120 m of the subject property (address included as **Appendix B**) on January 21, 2021 by Coletara Development.

A copy of the presentation materials presented at the virtual community meeting is attached as **Appendix C**.

Below is a timeline of the consultation efforts by the consultant team and owner of the Site:

- Various dates 2020-2021 Phone calls and meetings between owners and neighbouring property and business owners.
- January 20, 2021 Virtual public meeting notices hand-delivered to all addresses within 120 m of the Site by Coletara Development.
- January 20, 2021 Project microsite launched with project information and digital links to all submitting reports/plans.
- January 21, 2021 Emails sent to Kirkendall Neighbourhood Association, Durand Neighbourhood Association, Central Neighbourhood, and the Strathcona Community Council with a copy of the Virtual meeting notice and a meeting request to speak about the proposal.
- January 28, 2021 Call with Jason Morse (President of Strathcona Community Council) with Ashley Paton (Planner, GSP), Paul Kemper (Coletara Development) and Michael Krasic (Coletara Development). Comments/questions are summarized in table below.
- February 16, 2021 Durand Neighbourhood Association Executive Meeting (attended by Councillor Jason Farr) attended by project team (Ashley Paton, Paul Kemper). Comments/questions are summarized in table below.
- February 24, 2021 Virtual Community Meeting held on Zoom (see Appendix
   D for list of attendees with registrant postal codes and redacted names).
   Comments/questions are summarized in table below

## Summary of Comments and Questions Received from the Public

Restoration of 115-117 George Street, the proposed uses of this building and
questions as to how elements of the existing buildings will be incorporated into
the new buildings. Response clarified that the intention is for the
retained/restored building at 115-117 George Street to be used as a
commercial/retail unit and that similar materiality and articulation (i.e. window
placement, brick etc.) to the 2 existing buildings proposed to be removed will
respect what exists there today.

- Alleyway: questions were raised about the future of the alleyway that provides
  access to abutting businesses. Response included explanation that access will
  be maintained for abutting 2 properties through the site as they are the only
  properties that have an access easement. The other business east of the Site
  are serviced via the laneway accessible from Hess Street.
- Parking: Questions raised to clarify the demand for parking in this area.
  Response included the owner's intention to provide enough parking for
  residents who want it without providing an oversupply. The proposed parking
  rate is aligned with sales for the nearby Platinum condos at 15 Queen Street
  South (also developed by Coletara Development). Slight reduction in parking is
  requested from what the Zoning By-law currently requires.
- Tenure of Units: Questions were asked about the future tenure of the building (i.e. rental or condominium) and whether the units would provide affordable or assisted living units. Responses were provided stating the units will be condominium units and will be sold at market rate (i.e. not affordable and not assisted living/retirement).

One (1) member of the public expressed concern that their questions were not answered during the Zoom webinar however the Zoom Q+A report nor any of the panelists saw their questions appear. An individual email response was provided to their questions and comments.

## Summary of Response and Modifications to the Proposal

Responses to the comments/questions received from the community and City of Hamilton staff and modifications to the proposal based on these comments are currently being prepared and will be submitted under separate cover.

We trust that the information above provides additional information relating to the public consultation process that has occurred with regards to the above mentioned applications. Should you have any questions or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

GSP Group Inc.,

Ashley Paton, B.U.R.PI., MCIP, RPP

Planner / Urban Designer



# WELCOME TO THE CITY OF HAMILTON

# PLANNING COMMITTEE

January 31, 2023

# PED23022 - (ZAC-20-038 / UHOPA-20-025)

Applications for Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment for Lands Located at 220 and 222 Main Street West, 115 and 117 George Street and the South Portion of 107 and 109 George Street, Hamilton.

Presented by: Alaina Baldassarra



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**SUBJECT PROPERTY** 

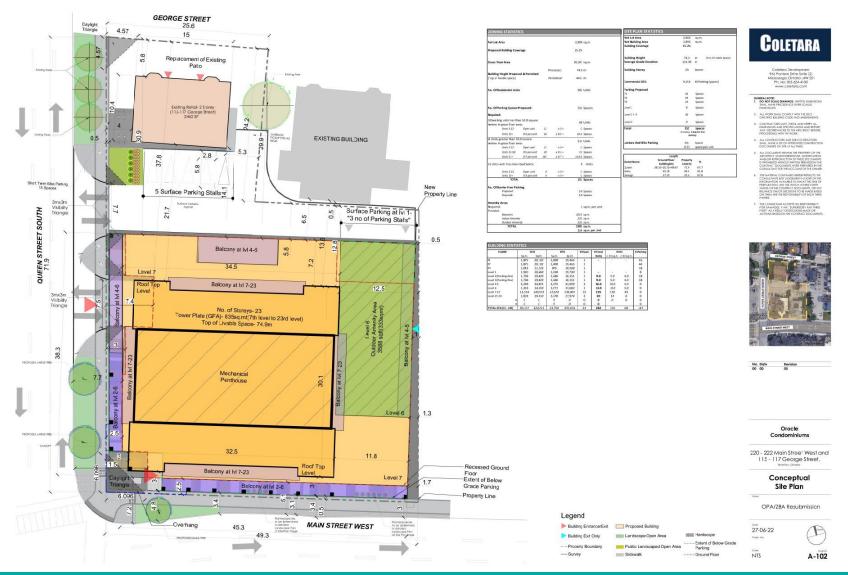


220 & 222 Main Street West and the south portion of 107 & 109 George Street, Hamilton





# Appendix E



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OPA/ZBA Resubmission









Conceptual Floor Plan

Level 1

4.57X4.57 Daylight Triangle

Short Term Bike Parking 15 Spaces

George Street

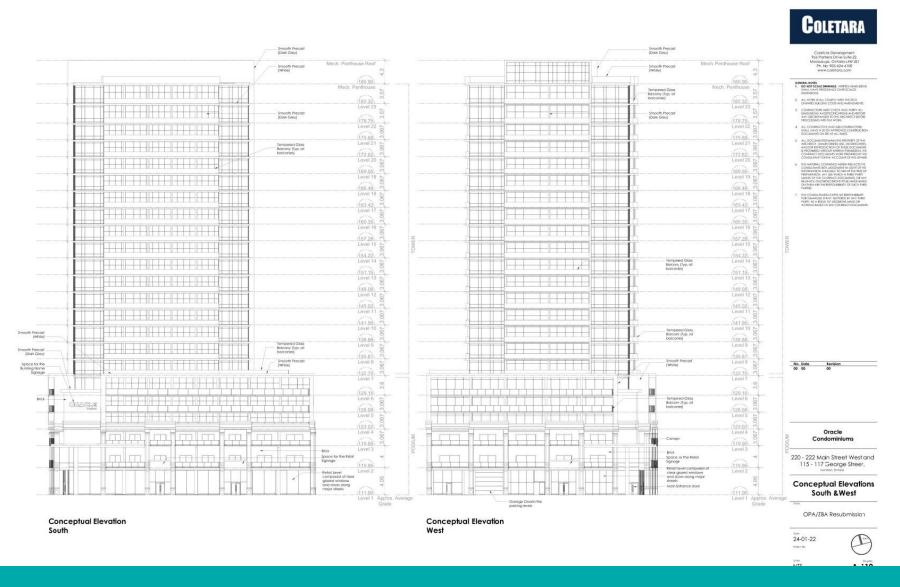
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Smooth Reco (Dark Grey)

> Tempered Gloss Balcony (Typ. all balconies)

> > 24-01-22 Proper No.







Conceptual Elevations North & East



**Conceptual Elevation** 

Mech. Penthouse

175.681 m Level 21 kg 172.621 m Level 20 kg

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# Appendix E





## Oracle Condominiums

220 - 222 Main Street West and 115 - 117 George Street,

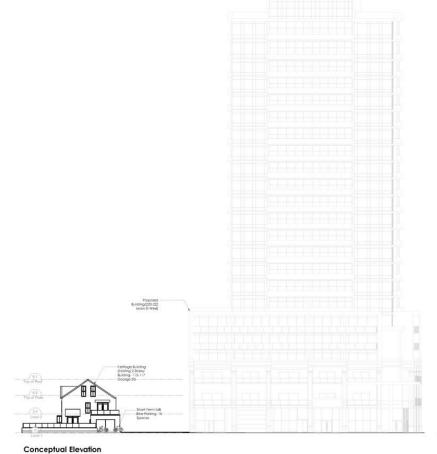
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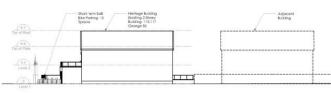
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**Conceptual Elevation Heritage Building** South

Heritage Building

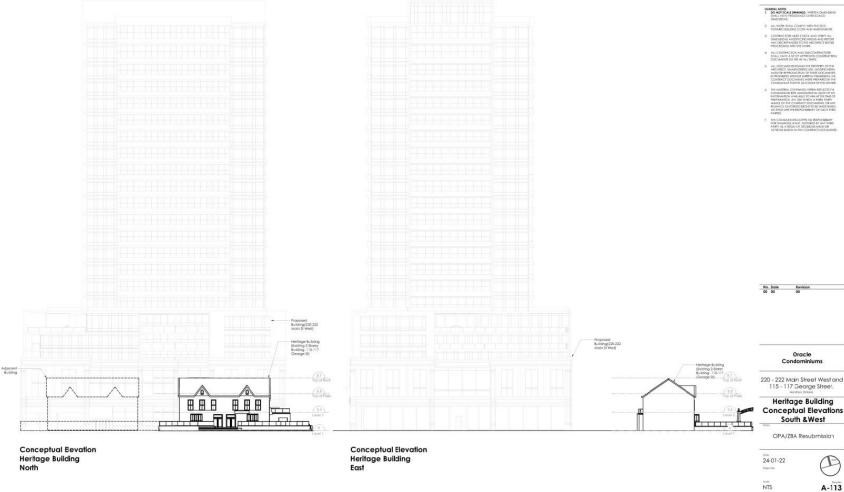
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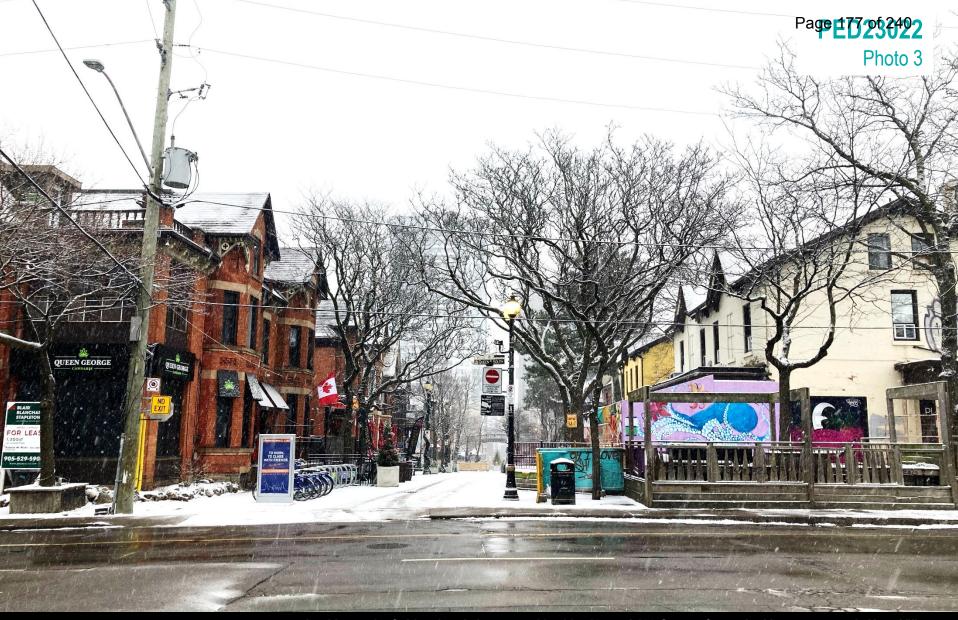




Looking north at the Subject Lands known as 220 and 222 Main Street West, buildings to be demolished

Looking south at the Subject Lands known as 220 and 222 Main Street West, buildings to be demolished





Looking at the Subject Lands known as 115, 117, 107 and 109 George Street, looking east towards Hess Village





Looking at the building of 115 and 117 George which will be retained as part of the application  $% \left( 1,0\right) =0$ 



Looking at the rear of the property for 115, 117, 107 and 109 George Street, Location of the private driveway for the proposed development





Looking west of the Subject Lands (Northwest corner of the intersection of Queen Street South and Main Street West)







Looking southwest of the Subject Lands at the corner of the intersection of Queen Street South and Main Street West







Looking south of the Subject Lands on Main Street West

Looking south of the Subject Lands on Main Street West





## THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING

THE CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING COMMITTEE



# CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT Planning Division

| TO:                      | Chair and Members Planning Committee  |
|--------------------------|---|
| COMMITTEE DATE:          | January 31, 2023  |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO:       | Application for Revised Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands<br>Located at 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive, Flamborough<br>(PED23023) (Ward 15) |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED:        | Ward 15   |
| PREPARED BY:             | Charlie Toman (905) 546-2424 Ext. 5863  |
| SUBMITTED BY: SIGNATURE: | Steve Robichaud Director, Planning and Chief Planner Planning and Economic Development Department   |
|                          |   |

#### RECOMMENDATION

That Revisions to Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507R, by MHBC Planning on behalf of Flamborough Power Centre Inc. (Owner) to remove the extension of Street B on the subdivision known as "Flamborough Power Centre North Business Park" and located at 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive, Flamborough, as shown on Appendix "A", attached to Report PED23023, be **APPROVED** subject to the following conditions:

- (a) That the approval applies to the Draft Plan of Subdivision application "25T-201507R" prepared by J.D. Barnes Limited, and certified by R. S. Querubin, O.L.S, dated June 1, 2022, consisting of one block for employment uses (Block 20), one block for Conservation / Hazard Land (Block 21), dedicated road widening for Enterprise Crescent (Blocks 8 and 9) and 0.30 metre reserves (Blocks 18 and 19), subject to the Owner entering into a standard form subdivision agreement as approved by City Council and with Special Conditions as attached to Appendix "F" to Report PED23023;
- (b) In accordance with the City's Comprehensive Development Guidelines and Financial Policies Manual (2017) there will be no cost sharing for this subdivision;

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(c) That payment of Cash-in-Lieu of Parkland will be required, pursuant to Section 51 of the *Planning Act*, with the calculation for the payment to be based on the value of the lands on the day prior to the day of issuance of each building permit, all in accordance with the Financial Policies for Development and the City's Parkland Dedication By-laws, as approved by Council.

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The application is for a revision to a Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507, known as Flamborough Power Centre North Business Park and attached as Appendix "B" to Report PED23023, to remove the extension of a public road (Street B), municipally known as Enterprise Crescent, is to accommodate larger employment land parcels in response to shifting market demands. Street B, as shown on the existing draft plan of subdivision, is internal to the subject lands. The approved Draft Plan of Subdivision included Street B to facilitate the development of smaller land parcels which were reflective of market conditions at the time.

Draft Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507 was approved in 2018 to facilitate the development of employment land uses covering 38.2 ha. The subdivision is being registered in two phases with Phase 1, approximately 26.5 ha in area, being registered in January 2021 as Plan 62M-1270 (see Appendix "C" attached to Report PED23023). Phase 1 of the subdivision included the registration of approximately 20 metres of Street B ending with a temporary cul-de-sac until Phase 2 was completed.

The proposed revision to the Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision would result in Phase 2 establishing one block (Block 20) for employment uses and one block (Block 21) dedicated to the City as Conservation / Hazard Land and associated road widening and 0.3 metre reserves.

Should this application be approved, the existing temporary cul-de-sac at the end of Enterprise Crescent would become permanent. The owner would be required to submit a future Consent, Part Lot Control or Draft Plan of Subdivision application to create smaller employment land lots within Block 20 fronting onto Clappison Avenue, Enterprise Crescent, or Parkside Drive.

The proposed revision will provide for the orderly development of employment uses. The proposal has merit and can be supported as it is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020), conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended), and complies with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan (UHOP).

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## Alternatives for Consideration - See Page 14

#### FINANCIAL - STAFFING - LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial: N/A

Staffing: N/A

Legal: The *Planning Act* does not require Council to hold a Public Meeting to

consider a revision (Major or Minor) to a Draft Approved Plan of

Subdivision.

## HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

| Application Details                   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Owner:                                | Flamborough Power Centre Inc.  |
| Applicant/Agent:                      | MHBC Planning Limited (c/o Gerry Tischer)  |
| File Number:                          | 25T-201507R  |
| Type of Application:                  | Revisions to Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision  |
| Proposal:                             | To delete a public road (extension of Street B known as Enterprise Crescent) to create one employment land block (Block 20) and one block for Conservation / Hazard Land (Block 21). |
| Property Details                      |  |
| Municipal Address:                    | 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive (see Appendix "A" to Report PED23023)   |
| Lot Area:                             | ± 9.29 ha (irregular)  |
| Servicing:                            | Full municipal services.   |
| Existing Use:                         | The lands within Phase 2 of Draft Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507 are vacant.   |
| Documents                             |  |
| Provincial Policy<br>Statement (PPS): | The proposal is consistent with the PPS (2020).  |
| A Place to Grow:                      | The proposal conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended).   |

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| Documents                  |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| Official Plan<br>Existing: | "Employment Areas" on Schedule E – Urban Structure and "Business Parks" on Schedule E-1 – Urban Land Use Designations.   |
| Official Plan<br>Proposed: | No amendment proposed.   |
| Zoning Existing:           | General Business Park (M2) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 388) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 437) Zone, and Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone. |
| Zoning Proposed:           | No amendment proposed.   |
| Processing Details         |  |
| Received:                  | August 3, 2022   |
| Deemed Complete:           | August 11, 2022  |
| Processing Time:           | 173 days   |

## **Previous Applications**

The subject lands were subject to an Urban Hamilton Official Plan Amendment application (UHOPA-18-12), Zoning By-law Amendment application (ZAC-15-039) and Draft Plan of Subdivision application (25T-201507), as shown on Appendix "B" to Report PED23023 for the purpose of developing the subject lands, known as the Flamborough Power Centre North Business Park, for employment uses. The effect of these applications was to permit the development of:

- Six blocks (Blocks 1, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9) for employment and limited ancillary uses;
- Two blocks (Blocks 6 and 10) for Conservation / Hazard Lands;
- One block (Block 3) for a Stormwater Management Facility:
- Three proposed streets (extension of Clappison Avenue, proposed Street A and Street B):
- One block (Block 12) for a Road Widening; and,
- Two blocks (Blocks 11 and 13) for 0.3 m reserves.

Phase 1 of Draft Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507, as shown on Appendix "C" attached to Report PED23023, was registered in January 2021 and the City has issued Site Plan Approval for several employment developments, including Stryker Medical (DA-16-165), Lincoln Electric (DA-19-178) and AXYZ Automation (DA-21-103). A subdivision agreement has been registered between the applicant and the City.

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#### **EXISTING LAND USE AND ZONING**

Existing Land Use Existing Zoning

Subject Lands: Vacant General Business Park (M2) Zone,

Prestige Business Park (M3) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 388) Zone and Conservation / Hazard

Land (P5) Zone.

**Surrounding Land Uses:** 

North Agricultural, car wash (under Rural (A2) Zone and Prestige

construction) Business Park (M3, 469) Zone.

South Borers Creek, Commercial Conservation/Hazard Land (P5)

uses, Vacant Land Zone and General Business Park

(M2) Zone.

East Low Density Residential, Urban Residential (Semi-Detached

Belmont Park & Link) "R4" Zone and

Neighbourhood Park (P1) Zone.

West Employment Uses General Business Park (M2) Zone,

Prestige Business Park (M3) Zone, and Prestige Business Park (M3,

288) Zone.

#### POLICY IMPLICATIONS AND LEGISLATED REQUIREMENTS

## **Provincial Policy Statement**

The Provincial planning policy framework is established through the *Planning Act* (Section 3) and the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) (PPS). The *Planning Act* requires that all municipal land use decisions affecting planning matters be consistent with the PPS and conform to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (Growth Plan) 2019, as amended.

The mechanism for the implementation of the Provincial plans and policies is through the Official Plan. Through the preparation, adoption and Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) approval of the City of Hamilton Official Plans, the City of Hamilton has established the local policy framework for the implementation of the Provincial planning policy framework. SUBJECT: Application for Revised Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive, Flamborough (PED23023) (Ward 15) - Page 6 of 15

As the application complies with the UHOP, it is staff's opinion that the application is:

- Consistent with Section 3 of the Planning Act;
- Consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020); and,
- Conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended).

#### **Urban Hamilton Official Plan**

The subject lands are identified as "Employment Areas" on Schedule E - Urban Structure and designated "Business Parks" on Schedule E-1 - Land Use Designations. The original draft plan of subdivision was reviewed and found to conform to the applicable Urban Hamilton Official Plan through PED18133, including natural heritage and archaeology policies.

The following policies, amongst others, apply to the proposed revision:

## **Employment Areas**

- "E.2.7 Employment Areas are the primary employment generators in the City and the location of diverse areas of employment. These employment areas range from the historic, heavy industrial, and port employment areas to planned business parks.
- E.2.7.7 Employment Areas shall be planned and designed to maximize access to goods movement corridors and the efficiency of goods movement within the Employment Areas. Goods movement includes maximizing access to the highway network, the port, and the airport.

Employment Area – Business Park Designation

E.5.4 Business Parks are planned for a broad range of employment uses compatible with the design policies for business parks. These areas are well served by roadway infrastructure and are generally more able to accommodate proper buffering from sensitive land uses."

The proposed revision to the draft approved plan of subdivision will not impact the planned function of the Flamborough Power Centre North Business Park as the subject lands have sufficient access to Clappison Avenue and Enterprise Crescent. Removal of Street B from the Draft Plan of Subdivision will increase the amount of land

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available for employment uses within Block 20, as shown on Appendix "D" to Report PED23023, by approximately 0.86 hectares.

### Transportation

- "C.4.5.2 The road network shall be planned and implemented according to the following functional classifications and right-of-way-widths:
  - f) Local Roads, subject to the following policies:
    - iv) Local roads ending in cul-de-sacs shall generally be discouraged, except under the following criteria:
      - 1. Where the road extension would have to cross a railway right-of-way or any other utility corridor;
      - 2. Where it has been determined by the City that public street connectivity is not essential to the street circulation network or the underground services and utility grid network of the adjacent area; or,
      - Where the local road network is arranged such that connections for pedestrians and cyclists are direct and continuous."

Street B, known as Enterprise Crescent, is a local road and the proposed revision to the draft approved plan of subdivision would result in the temporary cul-de-sac constructed as a condition of the first phase of the subdivision becoming permanent. Street B was planned to facilitate creation of smaller lots within the business park and is internal to the subject lands. Based on technical studies provided by the applicant, including a Transportation Impact Study addendum, staff are satisfied that the proposed revision to end Street B in a cul-de-sac will not negatively impact the broader street circulation nor will it affect the development opportunities or any adjacent lands within the business park.

#### Infrastructure

- "C.5.3.12 Water and wastewater systems shall be designed and constructed in accordance with the specifications and standards of the City, provincial guidelines, and other applicable standards, regulations and guidelines.
- C.5.3.15 The City shall be satisfied that adequate infrastructure services can be provided prior to any development or intensification proceeding and,

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where technically and economically possible, the City shall require such services to be located underground."

Staff are satisfied that the proposed subdivision revision can be adequately serviced by existing water and wastewater systems subject to the submission of a Watermain Hydraulic Analysis and Water Quality Analysis which are recommended as Condition No. 46 in Appendix "F" attached to PED23032.

#### Plan of Subdivision

- "F.1.14.1.2 Council shall approve only those plans of subdivision that meet the following criteria:
  - a) The plan of subdivision conforms to the policies and land use designations of this Plan.
  - b) The plan of subdivision implements the City's staging of development program;
  - c) The plan of subdivision can be supplied with adequate services and community facilities;
  - d) The plan of subdivision shall not adversely impact upon the transportation system and the natural environment;
  - e) The plan of subdivision can be integrated with adjacent lands and roadways;
  - f) The plan of subdivision shall not adversely impact municipal finances: and.
  - g) The plan of subdivision meets all requirements of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990 c. P.13."

As has been previously discussed, the proposed revision to the Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision complies with the UHOP and meets all requirements of the *Planning Act*.

The proposed revision to the Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision is consistent with the Criteria for Staging of Development as the site can be adequately serviced using existing infrastructure, subject to the recommended Draft Plan Conditions. The development will not adversely impact the transportation system or natural environment. The application will not adversely impact municipal finances as removal of the extension of Street B reduces the amount of public road that would be dedicated and maintained by the City, while increasing the amount of assessed employment lands.

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Based on the foregoing, staff are of the opinion that the proposed development complies with the policies of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan.

### City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200

The subject lands are currently zoned General Business Park (M2) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 388) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 437) Zone, and Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone. The boundaries of these zones are depicted in Appendix "A" to Report PED23023.

The General Business Park (M2) Zone and General Business Park (M3) Zone permits a range of employment uses including Manufacturing, Research and Development Establishment and Warehouses. The General Business Park (M3, 388) Zone includes a modification to the minimum yard abutting a street and landscaped area regulations of the General Business Park (M3) Zone. The Prestige Business Park (M3, 437) Zone includes a modification to allow a Fitness Club and Medical Clinic in addition to the standard uses permitted in that zone.

The Conservation / Hazard Land (P5) Zone applies to the lands within the pipeline corridor and limits permitted uses to conservation, flood and erosion control facilities and passive recreation.

Should the revision to the subdivision be approved, Block 20 would be split zoned between General Business Park (M2) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3) Zone, Prestige Business Park (M3, 388) Zone, and Prestige Business Park (M3, 437) Zone. Section 2.6 f) of Zoning By-law No. 05-200 states "Where a lot is divided into more than one zone, each such portion of the lot shall be used in accordance with the provisions of this By-law for each of the applicable zones". The applicant will be required to demonstrate compliance with the applicable zoning by-law regulations prior to development of the subject lands through Site Plan Control.

## **RELEVANT CONSULTATION**

| Departments and Agencies  |             |  |
|---|-------------|--|
| <ul> <li>Hamilton Conservation Authority;</li> <li>Ministry of Transportation; and,</li> <li>Commercial Districts and Small Business Section,<br/>Corporate Real Estate Office, Economic Development<br/>Division, Planning and Economic Development<br/>Department.</li> </ul> | No Comment. |  |

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| Departments and Agencies   |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <ul> <li>Heritage &amp; Urban Design Section, Planning Division,         Planning and Economic Development Department; and,</li> <li>Alectra Utilities.</li> </ul> |   | No Comment.   |
|  | Comment   | Staff Response  |
| Forestry and Horticulture Section, Environmental Services Division, Public Works Department  | In accordance with the New Developments Tree Planting Policy, the city of Hamilton collects cash in lieu of Trees for residential subdivisions; the Forestry & Horticulture Section will provide clearance of a Street Tree Planting condition upon receipt of a plan depicting new trees and a cash payment as shown in item 2.8 of the completed Subdivision Agreement. The remittance is to be made payable directly to the Forestry & Horticulture Section.  There are no municipal tree assets on site; therefore, no Tree Management Plan is required.  | The applicant has already entered into a Subdivision Agreement with the City which includes provisions respecting Street Trees.   |
| Development Engineering Approvals Section, Growth Management Division, Planning and Economic Development Department  | Can support the proposed revision to the Draft Plan of Subdivision subject to the following conditions being included as part of the Draft Plan Approval:  1. That the Owner shall utilize the existing 300mmØ watermain stub at the end of Enterprise Court for servicing and provide adequate flushing velocities in the watermain on Enterprise Court as a result of this development. This must be demonstrated through a Watermain Hydraulic Analysis. If the average demands from the development do not result in adequate flushing velocities within the watermain on Enterprise Court, then a looped watermain connection will need to be provided to Clappison Avenue through the development with the required easements in place. | Approval of a Watermain Hydraulic Analysis or a requirement for a looped watermain connection is required as Condition No. 46 of Appendix "F" attached to Report PED23023.  Approval of the Stormwater Management Brief is required as Condition No. 45 of Appendix "F" attached to Report PED23023  Requirement for a Subdivision Agreement Addendum respecting assumption of the watermain has been included as Condition No. 47 of Appendix "F" attached to Report PED23023. |

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|   | Comment  | Staff Response   |
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| Development Engineering Approvals Section, Growth Management Division, Planning and Economic Development Department Continued | 2. Prior to registration, the owner agrees that a stormwater management brief (SWM brief) will require for the proposed development on Block 20 to demonstrate how onsite stormwater quantity and quality controls will be handled in accordance with the technical memo ('Stormwater Management Technical Memorandum' prepared by SLA, dated: June 10, 2022) and approved SWM Report for Flamborough Power Centre North (prepared by SLA; dated: August 2017).  3. The Owner agrees to enter into a Subdivision Agreement Addendum with the City agreeing that the City of Hamilton will not assume the watermains for the Flamborough Power Centre subdivision until Block 20 has been developed and the Owner submits a water quality analysis. |  |
| Legislative Approvals Section, Growth Management Division, Planning and Economic Development Department                       | Request that a draft plan condition be added to finalize street naming and municipal addressing for the individual Lots and Blocks.  | This is addressed through<br>Condition No. 48 of Appendix<br>"F" attached to Report<br>PED23023.                       |
| Hamilton<br>Conservation<br>Authority (HCA)   | No concerns with the proposed revision or additional conditions required.  | Noted.   |
| Landscape<br>Architectural Services,<br>Strategic Planning<br>Division, Public Works<br>Department (LAS)                      | Noted that the Recreational Trails Master Plan identifies a trail planned (Initiative 15-3) along the corridor connecting Parkside Drive to the existing Borer's Creek Trail and Belmont Park to the south.  | The applicant has not indicated an interest in entering into a Parkland Development Financing Agreement with the City. |

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|   | Comment  | Staff Response   |
|---|--|--|
| Landscape Architectural Services, Strategic Planning Division, Public Works Department (LAS) Continued        | Requested that the applicant consider entering into a Parkland Development Financing Agreement with the City to construct this trail segment but noted that this was not a condition of the existing draft approved plan of subdivision for the subject lands.   |  |
| Recycling and Waste<br>Disposal Section,<br>Environmental<br>Services Division,<br>Public Works<br>Department | This development is an industrial property which is ineligible for municipal waste collection as outlined in the City of Hamilton's Solid Waste Management By-law No. 20-221.  A private waste hauler must be  | This is included as a Note 2 of Appendix "F" attached to Report PED23023.  |
|   | arranged for the removal of all waste materials.   |  |
| Transportation Planning Section, Planning and Economic Development Department                                 | Transportation Planning staff have reviewed the Transportation Impact Study addendum letter, prepared by BA Group and dated July 13, 2022, and advise that the overall increase in trip generation is projected to be relatively low and will not significantly affect the surrounding road network.   | The requirement for a revised pavement markings, signage and infrastructure plan is addressed through Condition No. 49 of Appendix "F" to Report PED23023. |
|   | A revised pavement marking, signage and infrastructure plan shall be provided reflecting the revised cross-section of Clappison Avenue (five lane roadway with centre left-turn lane) following the removal of the two un-built sections of Street B (Enterprise Crescent). The design shall indicate and illustrate the proposed lane configuration, additional supplementary pavement markings and infrastructure to be included within the municipal right-ofway. |  |

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|                               | Comment   | Staff Response  |
|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Ministry of<br>Transportation | Have no concerns with the proposed revision but note that development of each block/parcel within the draft plan of subdivision will require a full MTO development review and permits. | MTO permits will be addressed at the future site plan control stage for each development block / lot. |

## **Public Engagement**

The *Planning Act* and Public Participation policies in the Urban Hamilton Official Plan do not require a statutory public meeting or written notification to surrounding properties of an application for a revision (minor or major) to a Draft Approved Plan of Subdivision.

The *Planning Act* does require that written notice of changes of draft approval shall be provided to any public body that made a submission during the statutory public meeting.

During the statutory public meeting to consider the original draft plan of subdivision, the City received one public submission from an abutting land owner at 32 Parkside Drive requesting that the applicant be required to extend full municipal services along their frontage on Parkside Drive and that the subdivision does not impact their drainage. Staff note that special condition 23 of draft plan approval for the subdivision, see Appendix "E" to Report PED23023, is for the owner to enter into an agreement with the City respecting the extension of municipal services on Parkside Drive across the frontage of the subject lands.

#### ANALYSIS AND RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The application is for Revision to Draft Plan of Subdivision to remove a section of Street B, municipally known as Enterprise Crescent. The proposal has merit and can be supported for the following reasons:

- It is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);
- ii) It provides for larger employment land parcels in response to shifting market demands;
- iii) It makes efficient use of land and infrastructure; and,
- iv) The proposed development is compatible with the existing development in the immediate area with respect to use, size and scale.

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1. The subject lands are part of Phase 2 of the subdivision known as "Flamborough Power Centre North Business Park" and located at 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive (Flamborough). The subject application (25T-201507R) is to remove the extension of a public road (Street B), municipally known as Enterprise Crescent, to accommodate larger employment land parcels in response to shifting market demands.

In reviewing of Sub-section 51(24) of the *Planning Act*, to assess the appropriateness of the proposed subdivision revision, staff advise that:

- i) It is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2019, as amended);
- ii) It complies with the applicable policies of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan;
- iii) The proposed subdivision revisions will be compatible with the existing road network and block pattern of the surrounding area;
- iv) The dimensions and shapes of the proposed lots conform to the Zoning By-law and are sufficient to accommodate development of employment lands;
- v) Restrictions and regulations for the development of the subdivision are included in the conditions of draft plan approval;
- vi) Adequate utilities and municipal services are available to service the proposed blocks within the subdivision, the particulars of which will be determined as part of conditions of draft approval; and,
- vii) The application will not have any negative impact on City's finances.

Therefore, staff are supportive of the Draft Plan of Subdivision revision and recommend its approval.

#### ALTERNATIVES FOR CONSIDERATION

Should the application be denied, the lands would be developed in accordance with the existing Draft Plan approval which includes the extension of Street B, municipally known as Enterprise Crescent, back to Clappison Avenue.

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#### ALIGNMENT TO THE 2016 - 2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

### **Community Engagement and Participation**

Hamilton has an open, transparent and accessible approach to City government that engages with and empowers all citizens to be involved in their community

## **Economic Prosperity and Growth**

Hamilton has a prosperous and diverse local economy where people have opportunities to grow and develop.

## **Healthy and Safe Communities**

Hamilton is a safe and supportive City where people are active, healthy, and have a high quality of life.

#### **Built Environment and Infrastructure**

Hamilton is supported by state-of-the-art infrastructure, transportation options, buildings and public spaces that create a dynamic City.

#### APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

Appendix "A" to Report PED23023 – Location Map

Appendix "B" to Report PED23023 – Original Draft Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507

Appendix "C" to Report PED23023 – Registered Plan of Subdivision 62M-1270

Appendix "D" to Report PED23023 – Proposed Draft Plan of Subdivision 25T-201507R

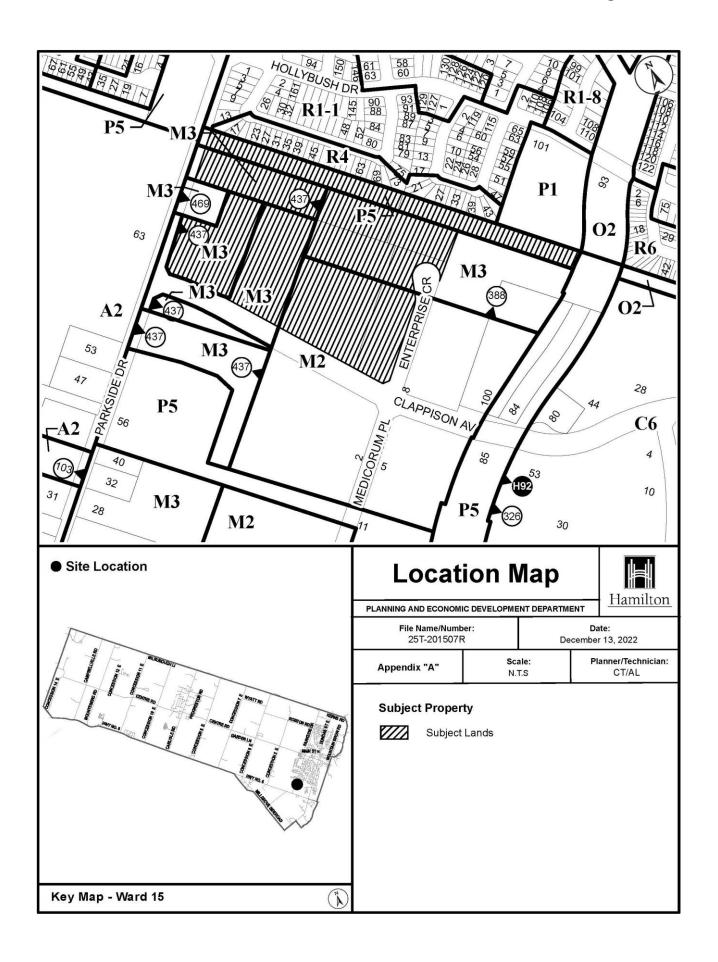
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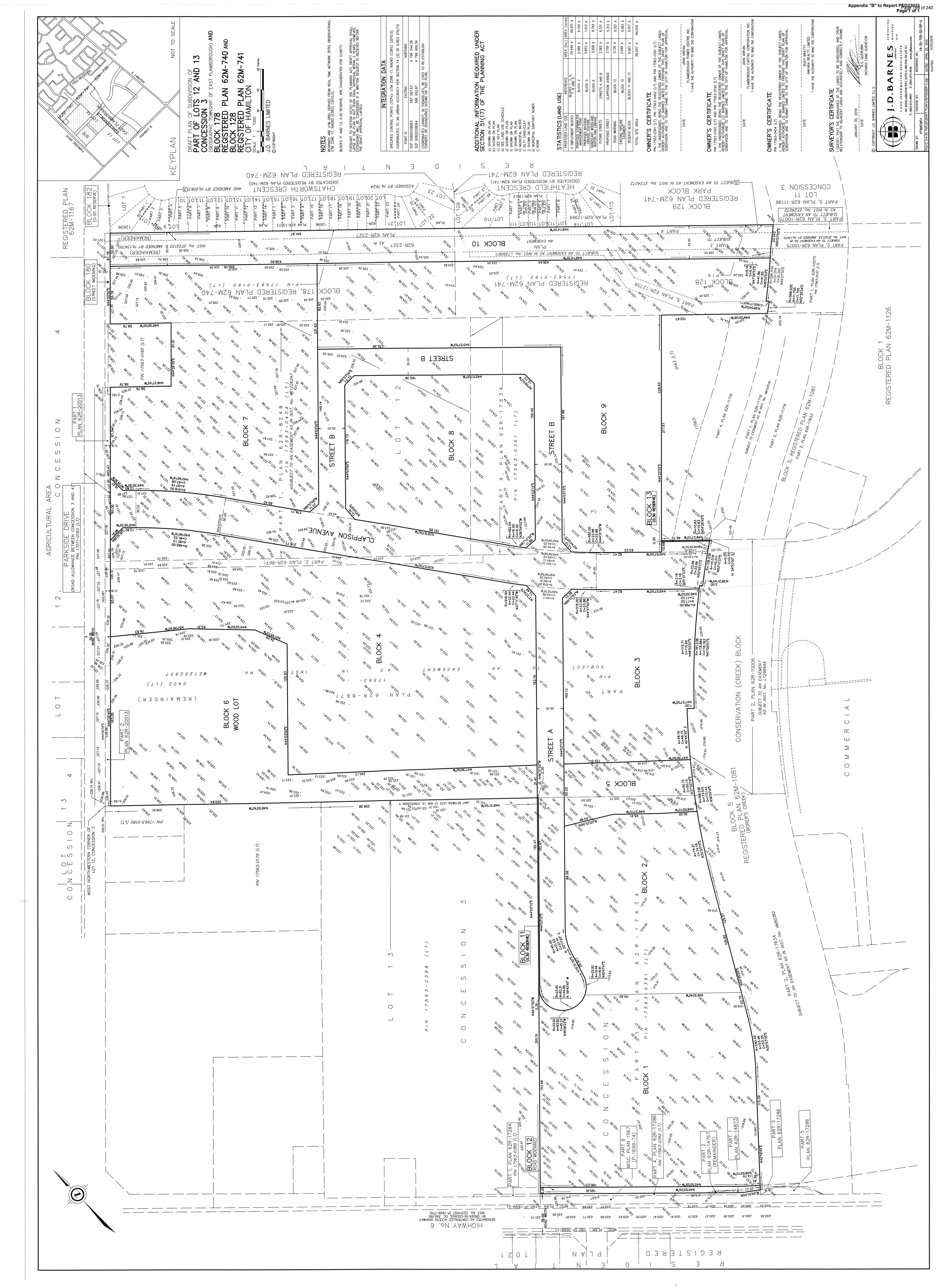
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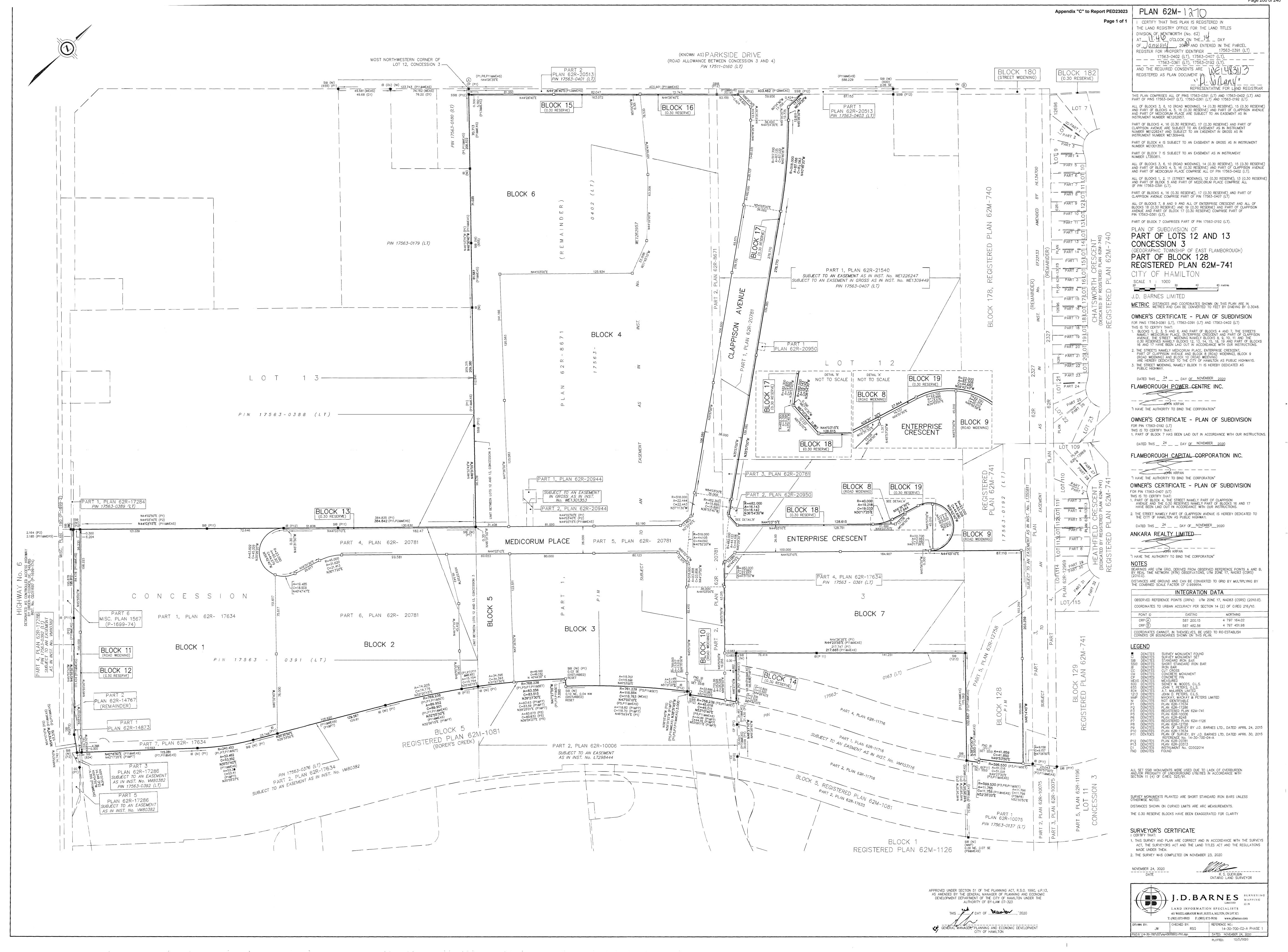
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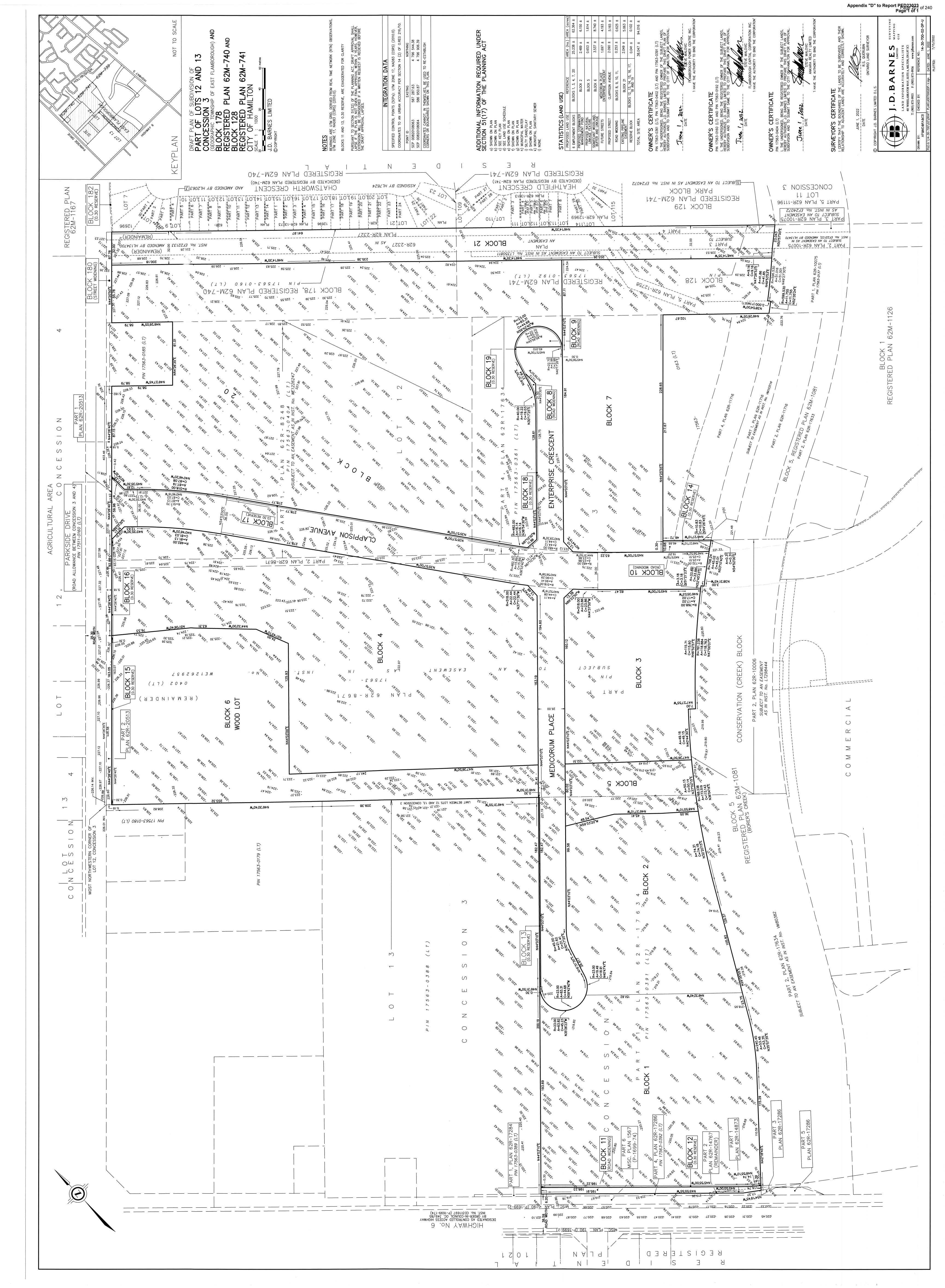
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#### Special Conditions for Draft Plan of Subdivision Approval for 25T-201507 "Flamborough Power Centre North"

That this approval for the Revised Draft Plan of Subdivision, 25T-201507, prepared by J.D. Barnes and certified by R.S. Querubin, O.L.S., dated January 30, 2018, consisting of 7 blocks for employment uses (Blocks 1, 3, 4, 7, 8, and 9), 3 blocks for Conservation/Hazard Land uses (Blocks 5, 6 and 10), 1 block for a road widening (Block 12), 1 Block for a Stormwater Management Facility (Block 2), 1 Block for a 0.3 m reserve (Block 11) and three municipal roads (Extension of Clappison Avenue, Street A and Street B) be received and endorsed by City Council with the following special conditions:

#### **Development Engineering**

- That, prior to registration of the plan of subdivision, the Owner shall show on the final plan a 0.3 m reserve:
  - Along the north side of Street A from the west limit of Block 6 to the west limit of Street A;
  - b. Along the west limit of the lands owned by others south of Block 9 from the south limit of Block 9 to the north limit of the Borer's Creek lands;

all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

- 2. That, prior to servicing, the owner shall:
  - a. Provide detailed design and cost estimates to construct a bridge where Clappison Avenue will cross Borer's Creek entirely at the owner's expense in accordance with the approved Class Environmental Assessment Study for Flamborough Power Centre Inc. prepared by Fothergill Planning & Development Inc., June 1, 2005;
  - Agree to pay the entirety of costs of peer review of the bridge design in accordance with the City's policies;
  - c. determine the type of structure to be employed at the Clappison Avenue crossing of Borer's Creek by considering natural, social and economic factors including the potential impact to valley features such as bank stability / erosion potential and riparian vegetation, stream morphology, fish habitat, other aquatic habitat features, the interaction of groundwater and surface water, and considering that creek crossing structure must be designed and constructed to convey greater of 100 year or Hurricane Hazel storm in accordance with City of Hamilton Development Guidelines, 2017:

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- 3. That, **prior to registration**, the owner shall construct the bridge to cross Borer's Creek on Clappison Avenue entirely at the owner's expense to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 4. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner shall provide drainage area plans and associated drainage calculations for both sanitary and storm systems to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 5. That, prior to preliminary grading, the applicant agrees to obtain written permission from the owners of any adjacent lands for any works that will require access to or changes on lands outside the boundary of the subject lands to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- That, prior to registration, the Owner agrees to pay their proportionate share of the total cost of urbanization of Parkside Drive to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 7. That, prior to preliminary grading, the owner shall include in the engineering design and cost estimate schedules provisions to construct sidewalks on both sides of all proposed streets including those noted as future works entirely at the owner's expense to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 8. That, prior to preliminary grading, the owner shall include in the engineering design and cost estimate schedules provisions to construct temporary traffic controls as required at the intersection of Clappison Avenue and Parkside Drive entirely at the owner's expense to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 9. That, prior to preliminary grading, the owner shall include in the engineering design and cost estimate schedules provisions to construct a temporary concrete sidewalk on the south side of Parkside Drive where the subject lands front directly onto Parkside Drive from the east limit of the subject lands to Clappison Avenue entirely at the owner's expense to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 10. That, *prior to servicing*, the Owner include in the engineering design and cost estimates provision for construction of a 1.5 m high black vinyl coated heavy duty chain link fence entirely at the owner's expense in the following locations:
  - Along the east boundary of Block 10 and Block 11 from Parkside Drive to the limit of Borer's Creek;
  - b. Adjacent to the limits of Borer's Creek, along south limit of Block 9 and Block 11 from the east limit of the subject lands to the east limit of the external lands south of Block 9 (approximately 85 m west of the east limit of Block 11);
  - c. Along the entire south limit of Block 1;

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- d. Along the entire south limit of Block 2;
- e. Along the entire south limit of Block 3;
- f. Along the east and west limits of Block 5 from Street A to the south limit at Borer's Creek;
- g. Along the east and west boundaries of Block 6 from Street A to Parkside Drive including the north-south portion of the boundary between Block 4 and Block 6;
- h. Along the west limit of Block 2, adjacent to Block 1;

all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

- 11. That, **prior to registration of the plan of subdivision**, 9.0 m by 9.0 m daylight triangles be established on the final plan of subdivision at the following intersections:
  - a. Street B and Clappison Avenue (north intersection);
  - b. Street B and Clappison Avenue (south intersection);
  - c. Street A and Clappison Avenue;
  - d. Where Street B transitions from an east-west configuration to a north-south configuration;

- 12. That, prior to registration, 12 m by 12 m daylight triangles be established on the final plan of subdivision at the intersection of Clappison Avenue and Parkside Drive based on the widened limits of Parkside Drive to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 13. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner agrees in writing that the removal of all existing septic beds, buildings, wells, and/or any structures will be at the sole cost to the owner to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 14. That, prior to servicing, the Owner be required to relocate, if necessary, all affected utility poles, hydrants, pedestals, hydro vaults, etc. on Parkside Drive entirely at the owner's expense to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 15. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner agrees to provide in writing a plan or procedure for dealing with issues concerning dust control and street cleaning (external roads included) throughout construction within the subdivision. This document will also include first point of contact, a schedule for regular cleaning of streets that is specific to the methods to be used, the source of water, and the contractor or agent to be used to undertake the works as well as

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contractor/agent contact information so that the City can direct the work to be completed as necessary all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

- 16. That, prior to servicing, the owner shall submit a Hydrogeological report to the City, prepared by a qualified professional, to assess impacts, identify any significant recharge and discharge zones, and provide recommendations to mitigate the groundwater impacts during any construction within the subdivision, including but not limited to building construction, and to undertake the works as recommended including monitoring. The report shall also provide a groundwater contingency plan to ensure that an appropriate mitigation strategy is available to be implemented in the case whereof:
  - a. an aquifer is breached during excavation;
  - b. groundwater is encountered during any construction within the subdivision, including but not limited to house construction;
  - c. sump pumps are found to be continuously running; and,
  - d. water supply and sewage disposal systems and any surface and groundwater related infrastructure are negatively impacted;

all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

- 17. That, **prior to servicing**, the Owner, through a soil consultant or other qualified consultant:
  - a. shall check existing wells that provide potable water supply to other properties located within a reasonable distance of the subject lands to establish the existing depth of water within wells prior to commencement of construction; monitor these wells during construction, and continue monitoring and checking the wells after completion of construction until full buildout of the subdivision;
  - b. if, in the opinion of the City, any problems arise, they must be appropriately addressed by the Owner;

- 18. That, prior to preliminary grading, the owner shall prepare and provide a Construction Management Plan that provides details on any construction activity that will encroach into the municipal road allowance such as construction staging, scaffolding, cranes etc. The plan must identify any required sidewalk and/or lane closures and the estimated length of time for such closures). Details on heavy truck routing must also be included, all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 19. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner shall revise the Functional Servicing Report, signed and sealed by a qualified, licensed professional

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- engineer (P.Eng.) to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 20. That, prior to preliminary grading, copies of lot and drainage plans showing existing and final grades and demonstrating that drainage is controlled and directed away from the pipe line easement must be submitted to Imperial Oil Ltd. and Sun-Canadian Pipeline Authority for their review and approval to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 21. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner shall submit an overall subdivision grading plan including:
  - Demonstration of how the individual Blocks will be graded and drained in the interim development condition (post servicing but prior to Site Plan) such that they drain independently and not adversely affect adjacent Blocks, private lands, pipeline easement etc.;
  - b. each block shall have at least one (1) dedicated storm outlet including an overland flow route to the municipal system;

- 22. That, prior to Servicing, the owner shall design and construct an appropriate storm conveyance to convey the greater of 100-year pre-development or regional storm flows from the external drainage area north of Parkside Drive entirely at the owner's expense, to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 23. That, prior to Servicing, the Owner shall include in the engineering design and cost estimate schedule provision for the construction of storm sewers within the Parkside Drive right-of-way including all restoration works to convey local and external drainage entirely at the owner's expense, to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 24. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the Owner agrees to:
  - a. submit a detailed Stormwater management (SWM) report prepared by a qualified professional engineer that demonstrates how quality, quantity, and erosion control will be handled in accordance with City of Hamilton Development Guidelines (2017) and MOECC Stormwater Management Design Guideline (2003);
  - identify and establish a suitable storm outlet for the proposed SWM facility to convey controlled and uncontrolled flows to Borer's Creek;
  - c. demonstrate that the hydraulic grade line (HGL) for the post-development 100-year storm event is located at or below the top of grate elevation at all inlet locations, and that the 5 year HGL shall not exceed the obvert of the sewers:

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- d. Verify that the proposed SWM Facility, Block 2, shall be of sufficient size, shape, and depth to adequately accommodate the ultimate SWM facility, including an adequate decanting area as per City standards. Until such time as the size and shape are confirmed, the adjacent Block 1 shall be considered, as undevelopable. The SWM facility design geometry shall be as per City of Hamilton Development Guidelines (2017) and facility landscaping as per City of Hamilton Landscape Design Guidelines for SWM facilities (2009);
- e. maintain drainage routing through the subject lands for any external storm flows that drain to or through the lands;
- f. demonstrate that runoff from the 100-year storm can be conveyed to the appropriate downstream outlet(s) without impacting adjacent properties;

all to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

- 25. That, prior to servicing, the owner agrees that they will be responsible for the design and construction of the stormwater management (SWM) facility and will maintain the facility entirely at the owner's expense until it is assumed by the City including the following commitments:
  - a. to submit an operation and maintenance manual as per the City of Hamilton Operation and Maintenance Report for Stormwater Management Facilities (May 2009);
  - to inspect and monitor the Stormwater management facility upon commencement of construction or pre-grading of the subject lands through to assumption of the facility by the City in accordance with the conditions of ECA issued by MOECC;
  - c. To keep detailed logs concerning Stormwater management facility performance and maintenance, including costs of cleaning and removal of sediment and to submit such logs to the City during pre-grading and construction activities in accordance with the operation manual;
  - d. To construct, operate, and maintain at the Owner's expense, the Stormwater management facility, in a manner acceptable to the City, including any changes to conditions of the MOE&CC's approval, throughout servicing of all stages of draft plan registration and development of all registered lots and blocks, or until such time as determined by the Senior Director of Growth Management Division; and,
  - To remove sediment from the Stormwater management facility attributed to development, carry out a bathymetric survey, and verify volumetric capacity of the Stormwater management facility prior to release of the Owner's operation and maintenance responsibilities for the Stormwater management facility;

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- 26. That, **prior to registration of the final plan of subdivision**, the Owner shall submit the necessary transfer deeds to the City's Legal Services to convey an adequate Stormwater Management Facility block (Block 2, and potential additional lands being Block 1, subject to an approved Stormwater management design), of the draft plan to the City with no City Share for land or construction costs in accordance with the current Development Charges Bylaw, to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 27. That, prior to registration of the draft plan of subdivision, the Owner shall submit the necessary transfer deeds to the City's Legal Department to convey an easement on Block 1 of the draft plan for the SWM facility outlet and the sanitary sewer & storm outlet for external lands, to the satisfaction of the Senor Director of Growth Management.
- 28. That, **prior to servicing**, the owner shall agree to provide sanitary servicing along Parkside Drive from Clappison Avenue west along the frontage of the development lands to the west limit at the property line adjacent to 40 Parkside Drive to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 29. That, **prior to registration**, the owner will dedicate lands between the Clappison Avenue right-of-way and the lands owned by others south of Block 9 to the city and add a 0.3m block on the City's property along the west boundary of the lands owned by others, to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 30. That, prior to registration, the owner shall demonstrate that the temporary turning circle at the existing north limit of Clappison Avenue immediately south of Borer's Creek has been properly removed to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.

#### **Development Planning:**

31. That, **prior to preliminary grading**, the proponent shall carry out an archaeological assessment of the entire property and mitigate, through preservation or resource removal and documentation, adverse impacts to any significant archaeological resources found. No demolition, grading, construction activities, landscaping, staging, stockpiling or other soil disturbances shall take place on the subject property prior to the approval of the Director of Planning and Chief Planner and the Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport confirming that all archaeological resource concerns have met licensing and conservation requirements. All archaeological reports shall be submitted to the City of Hamilton for approval concurrent with their submission to the Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport.

#### **Ministry of Transportation:**

32. That prior to final approval, the owner shall submit to the Ministry of Transportation for review and approval a detailed Storm Water Management

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report, in accordance with the MTO Storm Water Management Requirements for Land Development Proposals.

- 33. That prior to final approval, the owner shall submit to the Ministry of Transportation for review and approval a traffic impact study to assess site impacts on Hwy 6 and Hwy 5, and ensure that appropriate mitigation, if required, is provided for by the owner. Please see the link below for additional information on the Ministry's Traffic Impact Study Guidelines.
- 34. That prior to final approval, Block 12 (new Right-of-Way) will be dedicated as public highway on the owner's certificated on the final plan.
- 35. That prior to final approval, the owner shall enter into a legal agreement with the Ministry of Transportation whereby the owner agrees to assume financial responsibility for the construction of all necessary associated highway improvements.

#### **Hamilton Conservation Authority:**

- 36. That the applicant prepares and implements an erosion and sediment control plan for the subject property to the satisfaction of the Hamilton Conservation Authority. The approved plan should include the following notes:
  - All erosion and sediment control measures shall be installed prior to development and maintained throughout the construction process, until all disturbed areas have been revegetated;
  - All erosion and sediment control measures shall be inspected after each rainfall to the satisfaction of Authority staff;
  - Any disturbed area not scheduled for further construction within 45 days will be provided with a suitable temporary mulch and seed cover within 7 days of the completion of that particular phase of construction; and,
  - All disturbed areas shall be revegetated with permanent cover immediately following completion of construction.
- 37. That the applicant prepares and implements a Stormwater Management Plan for the subject property to the satisfaction of the Hamilton Conservation Authority. The approved plan shall ensure that post development flows will equal predevelopment levels and that current provincial drainage and stormwater quality guidelines are implemented.
- 38. That the applicant prepares and implements a lot grading plan to the satisfaction of the Hamilton Conservation Authority.
- 39. That the applicant obtain a permit from the Hamilton Conservation Authority under its Development, Interference with wetlands, and alterations to shorelines and Watercourses Regulation 161/06 under Ontario Regulation 97/04 prior to any

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construction and/or grading activities associated with the installation of the Con Span culvert installation and any watercourse alteration.

#### **Union Gas:**

40. The owner/developer provide to Union the necessary easements and/or agreements required by Union for the provision of gas services for this project, in a form satisfactory to Union.

#### Transportation:

- 41. That, **prior to servicing**, an updated TIS shall be provided to the satisfaction of the Manager, Transportation Planning, Planning and Economic Development Department.
- 42. That, **prior to servicing**, the owner shall include in the engineering design and cost estimate schedules provisions to construct the signalized intersection of Parkside Drive and Clappison Avenue and further that:
  - it will be designed as a temporary installation with the existing Parkside Drive cross-section;
  - b. it will also be designed with the future / ultimate cross-sections of Parkside Drive and Clappison Avenue;
  - all costs associated with these works, including but not limited to design and construction, will be at the expense of the applicant;

all to the satisfaction of the Manager of Traffic Operations and Engineering.

43. That, **prior to servicing**, the Applicant shall provide a design that adequately incorporates Hamilton Pedestrian Mobility Plan with regards to the needs of pedestrians with disabilities (i.e. AODA regulations and barrier free designs) where the Built environmental standard - buffered sidewalks must have a minimum clear width of 1.5 m along right-of-way to the satisfaction of the Manager, Transportation Planning, Planning and Economic Development Department.

#### Notes to Draft Plan Approval

1. Pursuant to Section 51(32) of the *Planning Act*, draft approval shall lapse if the plan is not fiven final approval within three years. However, extensions will be considered if written request is received before the Draft Approval lapses.

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#### **Ministry of Transportation**

- Direct access to the development from Hwy 6 will not be granted at any time. Any currently existing access to Hwy 6 shall be closed permanently and the Right-of-Way restored.
- The City of Hamilton should make considerations for access connections to the proposed "Street A" and Clappison Avenue in the future planning of lands, not included in this application, which are bordered by Hwy 6, Parkside Dr, Clappison Avenue and "Street A".
- 4. All future access connections to Parkside Drive shall follow the recommended spacing and standards set out by the Access Management Guidelines.
- 5. The proposed subdivision is considered a major traffic generator. As such, all buildings/sites on all development blocks of the subdivision require MTO Building and Land Use permits prior to the start of any construction on the blocks. Additionally, permits are required prior to Site Grading/Servicing/internal road construction, and for site signs; and MTO Encroachment permit is required for any works proposed within Hwy 6 limits.
- All structures (above and below ground), including land uses considered essential to the site's viability must be setback a minimum of 14m from the future designated Hwy 6 limits.

## Revised Special Conditions for Draft Plan of Subdivision Approval for 25T-200803R

That the following revised special conditions for Draft Plan of Subdivision Approval for 25T-201507R be received and endorsed by City Council:

- a) That the second paragraph of the preamble in Schedule 1 be deleted and replaced with the following:
  - 1. That this approval for the Revised Draft Plan of Subdivision, 25T-201507, prepared by J.D. Barnes and certified by R.S. Querubin, O.L.S., dated June 1, 2022, consisting of five blocks for employment uses (Blocks 1, 3, 4, 7, 20), three blocks for Conservation/Hazard Land uses (Blocks 5, 6 and 21), four blocks for a road widening (Block 8 11), one Block for a Stormwater Management Facility (Block 2), Seven Blocks for a 0.3 m reserve (Blocks 12-19) and three municipal roads (Extension of Clappison Avenue, Modicum Place and Enterprise Crescent) be received and endorsed by City Council with the following special conditions;
- b) That the following Condition Nos. 45 through 49 (inclusive) be added:

### **Growth Management:**

- 45. That, **prior to registration**, the Owner agrees that a stormwater management brief (SWM brief) will be required for the proposed development on Block 20 to demonstrate how onsite stormwater quantity and quality controls will be handled in accordance with the technical memo ('Stormwater Management Technical Memorandum' prepared by SLA, dated: June 10, 2022) and approved SWM Report for Flamborough Power Centre North (prepared by SLA; dated: August 2017), to the satisfaction of the Senior Director of Growth Management.
- 46. That, **prior to registration**, the Owner shall include in an engineering design and cost schedule, a provision for a flushing and monitoring program, including a water quality analysis, in accordance with MECP standards, to address water quality maintenance for the watermain along Enterprise Crescent until the City assumes the watermain within the Flamborough Power Centre subdivision. The Owner further agrees to reimburse to the City of Hamilton for actual costs, including administrative costs associated with the flushing. Furthermore, the Owner agrees to utilize the existing 300mm dia. watermain stub at the end of Enterprise Crescent for servicing. If the average demands from the development do not result in adequate flushing velocities within the watermain on Enterprise Crescent, then a looped watermain connection is required to be provided to Clappison Avenue through the development with the required

- easements in place (in accordance with City standards), all to the satisfaction of the Director of Development Engineering.
- 47. That, **prior to registration**, the Owner agrees to enter into a Subdivision Agreement Addendum with the City agreeing that the City of Hamilton will not assume the watermains for the Flamborough Power Centre subdivision until Block 20 has been developed and the Owner submits a water quality analysis, to the satisfaction of the Director of Development Engineering.

### **Legislative Approvals**

48. That, **prior to registration**, the owner and agent work with Legislative Approvals / Staging of Development staff to finalize street naming and municipal addressing for the individual Lots and Blocks, to the satisfaction of the Director of Growth Management.

## **Transportation Planning**

49. That, **prior to registration**, the owner shall provide a revised pavement marking, signage and infrastructure plan illustrating the revised cross-section of Clappison Avenue following the removal of the two un-built sections of Street 'B' (Enterprise Crescent). The design shall indicate the proposed lane configuration and infrastructure to be included within the municipal right-of-way and shall be completed to the satisfaction and approval of the Manager, Transportation Planning and Manager, Transportation Operations & Maintenance.

#### NOTES TO DRAFT PLAN APPROVAL

- 1. Pursuant to Section 51 (32) of the *Planning Act*, draft approval shall lapse if the plan is not given final approval within 3 years. However, extensions will be considered if a written request is received two months before the draft approval lapses.
- 2. This development is an industrial property which is ineligible for municipal waste collection as outlined in the City of Hamilton's Solid Waste Management By-law No. 20-221. A private waste hauler must be arranged for the removal of all waste materials.



## WELCOME TO THE CITY OF HAMILTON

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

January 31, 2023

## **PED23023** – (25T-201507R)

Application for Revised Draft Plan of Subdivision for Lands Located at 74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive, Flamborough.

Presented by: Charlie Toman





**SUBJECT PROPERTY** 

74, 78, 90 and 96 Parkside Drive, Flamborough

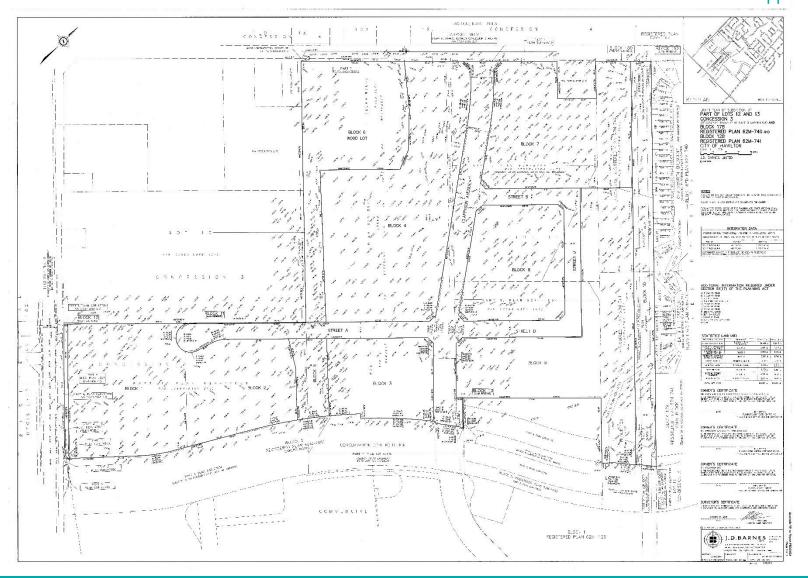




### **P1** 02 **M3 A2 M3** 28 CLAPPISONAL P5 **C6** 10 **M3** P5 **M2** Site Location **Location Map** Hamilton PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT File Name/Number: 25T-201507R December 13, 2022 Scale: Planner/Technician: Appendix "A" CT/AL N.T.S **Subject Property** Subject Lands (1) Key Map - Ward 15

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**Looking east from Enterprise Crescent** 

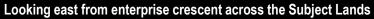




**Looking north from Enterprise Crescent across the Subject Lands** 











**Looking east from Clappison Avenue looking towards the Subject Lands** 





# THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING

THE CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING COMMITTEE



### **INFORMATION REPORT**

| TO:                      | Chair and Members Planning Committee  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|
| COMMITTEE DATE:          | January 31, 2023  |  |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO:       | Provincial Amendments to the Greenbelt Plan (Greenbelt Plan Amendment No. 3) (PED23046) (City Wide) |  |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED:        | City Wide   |  |
| PREPARED BY:             | Christine Newbold (905) 546-2424 Ext. 1279  |  |
| SUBMITTED BY: SIGNATURE: | Steve Robichaud Director, Planning and Chief Planner Planning and Economic Development Department   |  |
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#### COUNCIL DIRECTION

This Report provides further information and analysis to Council regarding the December 16, 2022 decision by the Province of Ontario to remove lands within the City of Hamilton from the Greenbelt Plan and Greenbelt Plan Area Boundary Regulation. The location of the lands removed from the Greenbelt are shown in Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23046.

#### **INFORMATION**

On November 4, 2022, the Province requested comments on proposed changes to the Greenbelt Plan through the Environmental Registry of Ontario (ERO) (ERO Postings 019-6216 and 019-6217). The proposals included the removal of 7,400 acres (2,995 ha) of land from the Greenbelt Plan Area in Ontario to be used to build housing in the near term.

Within the City of Hamilton, approximately 795 hectares of lands were identified for potential removal at the following locations:

 Lands located south of Garner Road West, west of Fiddlers Green Road, east of Shaver Road in the vicinity of Book Road ('Book Road Lands') (727 ha in size);

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- Lands located south of White Church Road East, west of Miles Road, north of Chippewa Road East, east of Upper James Street ("Whitechurch Lands") (64 ha in size); and,
- Lands located at 331 and 339 Fifty road, at the north-west corner of Barton Street and Fifty Road ("Fifty Road Lands") (4 ha in size).

Through the November 4, 2022 ERO postings, the Province indicated that the proposed removals support the goals of the Province to build 1.5 million homes over the next 10 years under the More Homes Built Faster Plan through the construction of housing in the very short term and that should these lands be removed from the Greenbelt Plan, significant progress on approvals and implementation is to be achieved by the end of 2023, with construction to begin no later than 2025. The Province also expects that proponents would fully fund necessary infrastructure upfront. If these conditions are not met, the ERO posting indicated that the government will begin the process to return the properties back to the Greenbelt Plan.

On November 30, 2022, City Council approved the following recommendations:

- "(a) That the City does not support the removal of lands from the Greenbelt Plan because removal of the lands contradicts the vision and goals of the Greenbelt Plan to provide permanent protection to the natural heritage and water resource systems that are crucial to sustain ecological and human health and build resilience to and mitigate climate change and the City has no requirement for additional lands to accommodate housing growth to 2051 given the recent expansions to the urban area approved through Official Plan Amendment No. 167, and further;
- (b) That Report PED22213 be forwarded to the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (MMAH) to be considered as part of the City of Hamilton's comments on Environmental Registry of Ontario (ERO) Postings 019-6216 and 019-6217 respecting proposed amendments to the Greenbelt Plan."

The Staff Report and Council-adopted recommendations were forwarded to the Province prior to the November 4, 2022 commenting deadline.

Through updates to ERO Postings 019-6216 and 019-6217 and confirmed through the December 16, 2022 letter from the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Province issued its decision on proposed changes to the Greenbelt Plan. In the City of Hamilton, all lands proposed for removal through the ERO postings have been removed from the Greenbelt Plan.

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Additional direction from the Province was not provided to clarify the expectations of progress towards approvals nor were details of the process to be undertaken to return lands to the Greenbelt Plan Area should there not be significant progress.

### Implications of Existing Policy Framework on Greenbelt Removals

Lands removed from the Greenbelt Plan area remain in the rural area of Hamilton and therefore are subject to the policies of the Rural Hamilton Official Plan (RHOP).

Guiding the RHOP are three of ten Directions to guide development decisions. The ten directions were established in 2006 and updated through the GRIDS2 process and endorsed by City Council. Revised Directions are incorporated in the Urban Hamilton Official Plan (UHOP) but speak to both the urban and rural areas. Direction #4 in the UHOP is the same of the existing Direction #3 in the RHOP and articulates the direction for development in the City's rural areas as follows:

"Direction #3 – Protect rural areas for a viable rural economy, agriculture resources, environmentally sensitive recreation and enjoyment of the rural landscape."

Policies of the RHOP build on this direction, as well as on existing Provincial policy directions to ensure viable agricultural areas.

### **Land Use Designations**

Land use designations in the RHOP are based on the principle that agricultural uses are the primary long-term land use in the rural area and the purpose of the designation in the RHOP is to provide a secure land base for agricultural activity. The RHOP designates the areas removed from the Greenbelt Plan as follows:

Table 1

| Area Removed from Greenbelt Plan | RHOP Designations                          |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Book Road Lands                  | Agriculture                                |
|                                  | Rural                                      |
|                                  | Open Space                                 |
|                                  | Mineral Aggregate Resource Extraction Area |
| Whitechurch Lands                | Agriculture                                |
| Fifty Road Lands                 | Specialty Crop                             |

Agriculture, Rural and Specialty Crop designations permit agricultural uses and agricultural-related uses and on-farm secondary uses. In addition, lands designated Rural permit resource-based rural uses and institutional uses serving the rural community. To develop these lands for residential uses would require amendments to the official plan and zoning by-laws. However, the following policies of the RHOP were

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approved and modified by the Province in the November 4, 2022 decision on RHOPA 34:

- "D.2.2.1 Lands designated Agriculture shall not be redesignated for non-agricultural uses, except for expansions to the urban boundary through a municipal comprehensive review in accordance with the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe. (OPA 34, Mod. 2)"
- "D.3.2.1 Lands Designated Specialty Crop shall not be redesignated for non-agricultural uses, except for expansions to the urban boundary thorough a municipal comprehensive review in accordance with the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe. (OPA 34, Mod. 3)"
- "D.4.2.1 Lands designated Rural shall not be redesignated for uses not permitted by the policies of this Plan, except for expansions to the urban boundary through a municipal comprehensive review in accordance with the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe. (OPA 34, Mod. 4)".

Expansion areas are within Hamilton's urban area and the lands removed from the Greenbelt Plan Area are not within the expansion areas, therefore amendments to the RHOP are not to be permitted outside a municipal comprehensive review (MCR) process where lands would be redesignated from Rural to Urban. Hamilton's first phase of its MCR addressed land needs for growth and has concluded with the Minister's approval and modification of OPA 167 and 34 resulting in the expansion of the urban boundary. The next two phases of the MCR address RHOP policy conformity and local-level policy conformity and do not address the urban boundary and growth.

The Book Road Lands, in addition to Rural and Agricultural designations, includes a Mineral Aggregate Resource Extraction. Designation on a property on which there is an existing licence issued under the Aggregate Resources and is therefore a mineral aggregate operation. There is also an area designated Open Space which recognizes the existing cemetery use.

It should be noted that under Section 9(1) of the *Greenbelt Act, 2005*, municipalities located within areas designated as Protected Countryside of the Greenbelt Plan are required to amend official plans to conform to the Greenbelt Plan through official plan update processes and conformity exercises under Section 26 of the *Planning Act*. The RHOP designates lands with both Greenbelt Plan designations on Schedule A as well as local Rural designations and policies on Schedule D. Greenbelt designations are found on Schedule B – Natural Heritage System, and Schedules B-1 through B-8 which show the different natural heritage features. The Greenbelt Natural Heritage System designation is found on Book Road Lands only.

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Amendments to the RHOP must be made to bring the RHOP into conformity with the revised Greenbelt Plan Area. Those amendments will occur as part of the Phase 2 of the MCR which is reviewing and updating the RHOP policies and schedule. Until an amendment to the RHOP addressing provincial plan conformity can be brought forward for approval, the RHOP framework, which incorporates the Greenbelt Plan policies and designations will remain.

It should be noted that the Book Road lands only show Protected Countryside and Greenbelt Natural Heritage System on a 'finger' of land across the area as shown on Appendix "B" attached to Report PED23046. The remainder of the lands were added to the Greenbelt Plan Area in 2017 as part of the Province's coordinated provincial plan review initiative. Updates to RHOP policies and mapping were planned to occur during the current RHOP update and conformity process. With the recent Greenbelt Plan removals, only the Greenbelt Natural Heritage System and underlying Protected Countryside designation will need to be removed on Book Road Lands.

#### **Natural Heritage**

Within the RHOP, Whitechurch and Book Road lands are shown as part of the Natural Heritage System on RHOP Schedule B and part of the Book Road Lands continue to be shown as part of the Greenbelt Natural Heritage System designation. The Fifty Road Lands and Whitechurch Lands are not part of the Greenbelt Natural Heritage System and review of the natural heritage mapping within the RHOP.

The RHOP policies of Section C.2.0 set out the policies for the Natural Heritage System in the rural area and direct the protection, restoration and enhancement of the natural heritage system to ensure a heathy, functional ecosystem. Core Areas form the foundation of the Natural Heritage System are made up of key natural heritage features and key hydrologic features and their vegetation protection zones as well as provincially significant and local natural areas. The RHOP also contains policies for Core Areas within the Greenbelt Natural Heritage System of the Protected Countryside which apply to the Book Road and Whitechurch Lands, although these lands are now no longer part of the Greenbelt Plan Area. As discussed above, the current mapping is now out of date and amendments are required to resolve this conflict.

Table 2

| Area Removed from Greenbelt Plan | RHOP Natural Heritage System  |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Book Road Lands                  | Core Areas and Linkages Features include: - Unevaluated wetlands; - Watercourses; - Significant Woodlands; and, - Duff's Corners South Woodlot. |

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| Area Removed from Greenbelt Plan | RHOP Natural Heritage System   |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Book Road Lands <b>Continued</b> | <ul> <li>Environmentally Significant Area (ESA);</li> <li>Potential Species at Risk (SAR) Habitat;</li> <li>Potential Significant Wildlife Habitat (SWH);</li> <li>and,</li> <li>Linkage (hydro corridor)</li> </ul> |
| Whitechurch Lands                | Core Areas<br>Features:<br>Key Hydrologic Features - Streams   |
| Fifty Road Lands                 | No natural heritage features indicated by RHOP mapping   |

Table 2 identifies the natural heritage features on the land removed from the Greenbelt Plan Area. The Book Road Lands contain Core Areas comprised of different natural heritage features. Permitted uses within Core Area are limited to existing agriculture; forest, fish and wildlife management; conservation and flood or erosion control projects existing uses; passive recreation, and infrastructure projects. Policies within the RHOP specify that any development within or adjacent to Core Area features will not be permitted unless ecologic function has been evaluated through the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) demonstrating that the proposal has no negative impacts on the natural features and its ecological function and appropriate vegetation protection zones are identified.

When considering larger tracts of land for development, analysis of Natural Heritage Features usually occurs in stages. Sub-watershed studies provide an appropriate level of analysis to inform planning for stormwater management and the development of land use concepts for secondary plan development. Detailed review and preparation of EIS occur at the development stage through subdivision approval processes and any further OPA or rezoning processes required to implement approved Secondary Plans. However, the development of large tracts of land for housing in the rural area is not contemplated in the policies of the RHOP as indicated in the land use designation policies described above.

#### **Airport Policies**

Policies in the RHOP support the continued development of the John C. Munro International Airport as a major economic node and transportation facility. The City maintains Noise Exposure Forecasts (NEF) which are shown on RHOP Appendix D – Noise Exposure Forecast Contours and Primary Zoning Regulation Area and restricts development that is noise- or land use-sensitive to airport operations. Development of new residential and sensitive uses in areas that exceed the 28 NEF are prohibited. For development proposals for residential or sensitive uses within a 25 and 28 NEF, noise

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studies are required, and noise mitigation measures are to be implemented. Appendix "B" attached to Report PED23046 shows that a large portion of the Book Road Lands are encumbered by the NEF contours with the 25, 28, 30 ad 35 NEF contours traversing the lands.

### **Servicing Policies**

The servicing policies of both the RHOP and the UHOP work together to direct the provision of services within the rural area. First, the objective of the RHOP with respect to servicing is that all rural development is to occur on sustainable private services. Both the UHOP and RHOP prohibit the extension of lake-based municipal water and wastewater systems outside the urban area boundary except in response to public health emergencies.

Notwithstanding the RHOP and UHOP policies that prevent extension of municipal services, Appendix "C" attached to Report PED22213 – Proposed Amendments to the Greenbelt Plan – ERO Posting 019-626 and 019627 – City of Hamilton Comments (November 29, 2022) provided high level staff comments on servicing potential for each of the areas removed from the Greenbelt and is attached to as Appendix "C" to Report PED23046.

Table 3

| Area Removed from Greenbelt Plan | Staff Servicing Comments  |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Book Road Lands                  | <ul> <li>Water and wastewater servicing and capacity needs to be determined through Master Plan process;</li> <li>Timing in relation to other projects is of concern should these lands proceed to development by 2025. Temporary solutions to overflow may be needed; and,</li> <li>Development requires urbanization and expansion of Garner Road West and Fiddler's Green (EA process is initiated only for Garner Road West)</li> </ul> |
| Whitechurch Lands                | <ul> <li>Land have not been assessed for water and wastewater capacity but should be done through Master Plans;</li> <li>Routing options for sanitary need analysis and should be done in conjunction with adjacent boundary expansion area; and,</li> <li>lands are not well connected to existing transportation systems for transit and active transportation.</li> </ul>  |

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| Area Removed from Greenbelt Plan | Staff Servicing Comments  |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Whitechurch Lands Continued      | - Lands are outside Transit Service Area.   |
| Fifty Road Lands                 | Concerns with Transportation system - Development will exacerbate transportation challenges on Fifty Road; and, - Additional lanes and active transportation facilities will be required. |

High level Water/wastewater/stormwater servicing comments were provided to assess the potential for servicing of the lands through the extension of municipal services in order to meet the development timeframes indicated by the province, i.e. construction to begin by 2025. The comments indicate that the Book Road and Whitchurch lands are unlikely to be serviced in time to permit housing construction by 2025. Table 3, above, provides a short summary of the material in Appendix "C" attached to Report PED23046.

#### **Summary**

At the time of the proposal for the removal of lands from the Greenbelt Area, it was unclear how the Province would manage the removals from the Greenbelt Area to implement housing development on the lands. The lands remain in the rural area and therefore subject to the policies of the RHOP leaving these lands unable to be developed in the very near term for housing as the RHOP does not allow extension of municipal services outside the urban area, nor does it allow resignations on lands designated Agriculture, Rural or Specialty Crop outside of the municipal comprehensive review process. In addition, the current conflict within the local RHOP policies will not be reconciled until an amendment is approved to bring the RHOP into conformity with the provincial planning framework.

#### Implications of Greenbelt Removals on Growth Area Planning

On November 4, 2022, the Province issued the Notice of Decision on the City of Hamilton's Official Plan Amendments (Amendment No. 167 to the UHOP and No. 34 to the RHOP) as part of the City's Municipal Comprehensive Review.

The Provincial decision including amendments to the City's urban boundary to add approximately 2200 gross ha of land the urban area to accommodate residential growth, and very small area of employment growth. The expansion areas are also shown on Appendix "A" attached to Report PED23046.

The amendments to the UHOP approved through OPA 167 (including the Provincial modifications) provide direction for accommodating the City's forecasted growth of

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people and jobs to 2051 through a combination of intensification, increased densities in both the built-up area and existing greenfield areas, as well as growth within the Urban Expansion Areas. There is sufficient land supply to accommodate forecasted housing growth to 2051 and possibly beyond.

With the addition of former Greenbelt Area lands now identified for housing by the Province, the City now needs to consider these lands in the context of City-wide urban growth and servicing although the policy frameworks do not support or recognize these lands as urban lands. Provincial commentary on the timing of development expected in the former Greenbelt areas would indicate that these areas are near term growth areas and therefore priority areas for growth and needs to be reflected in city-wide master planning processes. This confounds efforts to establish phasing and servicing plans for lands within the urban boundary where there is the direction and policy basis for growth. The uncertainty of development timing on the former Greenbelt lands or the possibility of a return of lands back to the Greenbelt Plan Area as indicated by the Province, creates a conundrum on moving forward on planning for growth within the urban area. The land base for which the City must plan is uncertain.

Staff are in the process of finalizing the future growth area population and housing allocations and determining density targets for development in the new greenfield areas of the urban expansion boundaries. City-wide master planning projects (Transportation, Water-wastewater and Stormwater) require the population allocations to complete modelling and analysis to determining servicing strategies for the entire city, including the new growth areas. Secondary Planning approaches are also being considered to move forward on planning for new growth areas.

It is likely that parallel streams of analysis in the Master Plan projects will need to occur due the uncertainty of development on the lands that have been removed from the Greenbelt Plan Area. There are likely to be additional costs and delays to running parallel streams of analysis however those costs or timing implications have not been estimated.

#### APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

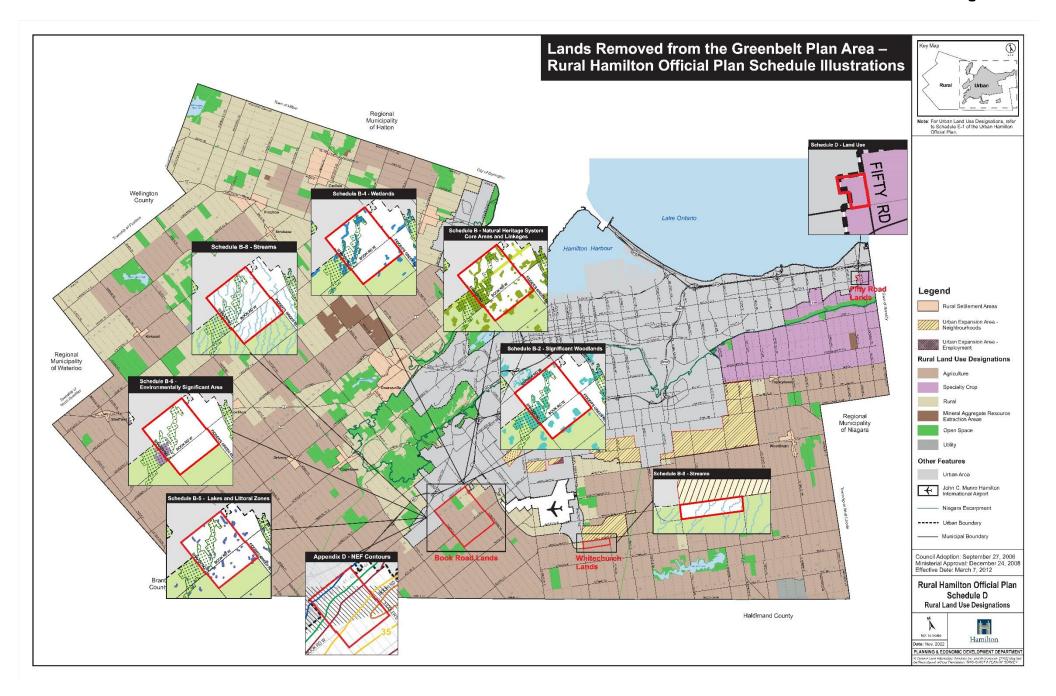
Appendix "A" to Report PED23046 - Location Map – Lands Removed from the Greenbelt and Urban Boundary Expansion Areas

Appendix "B" to Report PED23046 - Lands Removed from the Greenbelt – Rural Hamilton Official Plan Schedule Illustrations

Appendix "C" to Report PED23046 - Appendix "C" to Report PED22213 – Summary Staff Comments on Greenbelt Plan Removals

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Appendix "A" to Report PED23046 of 240 Page 1 of 1 **Lands Removed from the Greenbelt Plan Area** Lake Ontario Legend **Urban Structure Elements** Lands Subject to Non-Decision 117 (a) (353 James Street North) Neighbourhoods Employment Areas Major Activity Centres Major Open Space Urban Expansion Area -Urban Expansion Area -Nodes Downtown Urban Growth Centre Sub Regional Service Corridors Priority Transit Corridor Other Features Rural Area John C. Munro Hamilton International Airport Niagara Escarpment **— —**  Urban Boundary Municipal Boundary Lands Subject to Non Decision 113 West Harbour Setting Sail Council Adoption: July 9, 2009 Ministerial Approval: March 16, 2011 Effective Date: August 16, 2013 **Urban Hamilton Official Plan** Schedule E **Urban Structure** Hamilton PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT © Teranet Land Information Services Inc. and its licensors. [2009 May Not be Reproduced without Permission. THIS IS NOT A PLA DF SURVEY



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| Criteria   | Fifty Road   | Whitechurch Road  | Book Road  |
|--|--|---|--|
| Servicing –<br>Water /<br>wastewater /<br>stormwater | <ul> <li>Lands are adjacent to existing infrastructure that has been sized to accommodate.</li> <li>Water servicing needs to be reviewed with neighbouring municipality (Grimsby).</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Area will be assessed with respect to water servicing and wastewater capacity through ongoing W/WW/SWM Master Plan.</li> <li>Lands should be reviewed in conjunction with Whitechurch Urban expansion lands (white belt lands).</li> <li>Would have to presume sufficient capacity in the Dickenson trunk main to accommodate sanitary servicing. Additional servicing requirements not significant, although routing options need to be analyzed in conjunction with white belt lands. Option could possibly include an outlet to Twenty Road SPS.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Input regarding water servicing and wastewater capacity needs to be determined through ongoing W/WW/SWM Master Plan.</li> <li>Concerns about development in this area proceeding prior to the completion of the Dickenson trunk sewer due to potential for overflow. Sanitary outlet would need to be determined.</li> </ul>  |
| Transportation                                       | <ul> <li>Lands are contiguous to existing transportation system</li> <li>Development of lands will exacerbate transportation challenges on Fifty Road furthering the need for requiring upgrades including additional lanes and active transportation facilities, as planned through the Barton and Fifty Environmental Assessment.</li> <li>QEW/Fifty Road is experiencing operational</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Lands are not well connected to existing transportation systems for transit and active transportation; lands are outside of transit service area</li> <li>Development in close proximity to provincial highway system</li> <li>Development in close proximity to Airport Employment Growth District</li> <li>Need to ensure lands for future Highway 6-RHVP connector are maintained. Alignment has not been determined.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Development of lands will require urbanization and expansion of Garner Road West (EA initiated January 2022, programed in capital budget)</li> <li>Development of lands will require urbanization and upgrading of Fiddler's Green (EA not initiated, capital improvements not programmed)</li> <li>Development supports S-Line Transit Priority Corridor</li> <li>Development in close proximity to provincial highway system</li> </ul> |

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| Criteria            | Fifty Road   | Whitechurch Road  | Book Road   |
|---------------------|--|---|---|
|                     | issues; MTO has identified this as challenge for nearby developments  • Area is not currently served by fixed route transit services  • Significant upgrades to active transportation facilities are needed in vicinity of lands to be implemented as part of Barton and Fifty upgrades  | Would align with future Red Hill ring road  | <ul> <li>Development in close proximity to<br/>Ancaster Employment Lands and<br/>Airport Employment Growth District</li> <li>Will create pressures on rural roads<br/>including Shaver Road and Book<br/>Road</li> <li>Development in northern portion of<br/>subject lands adjacent to Garner<br/>Road may be developable in the<br/>near term from a transportation<br/>perspective. Garner Road EA will<br/>be completed and Garner Road<br/>supports transit.</li> </ul>  |
| Natural<br>Heritage | <ul> <li>These properties do not support features or functions associated with the City's Natural Heritage System (including the Greenbelt Natural Heritage System)</li> <li>These properties are located close to areas that have been developed/proposed to be developed which would minimize further negative impacts on other areas within the City that support the Natural Heritage System.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>This area supports Core Areas (Key Hydrologic Features-Streams).</li> <li>The removal of this area from the Greenbelt Plan is not supported from a Natural Heritage perspective</li> <li>A comprehensive Secondary Plan or Servicing Strategy has not been completed for this area. It is unclear how this area will be developed in an efficient manner.</li> <li>There is currently limited natural heritage information for this area. To determine how the Natural Heritage System can be integrated within the proposed development and to ensure that any developments or site alteration within or adjacent to</li> </ul> | Site contains a Natural Heritage     System that includes the Greenbelt     Natural Heritage System, Core     Areas and Linkages. The     features/functions of the Natural     Heritage System include     Unevaluated wetlands,     Watercourses, Significant     Woodlands, Duff's Corners South     Woodlot Environmentally     Significant Area (ESA), Potential     Species at Risk (SAR) Habitat,     Potential Significant Wildlife Habitat     (SWH), Linkage (hydro corridor)      The removal of this area from the     Greenbelt Plan is not supported     from a Natural Heritage perspective     A comprehensive Secondary Plan     or Servicing Strategy has not been     completed for this area. It is |

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| Criteria Fifty F | Road | Whitechurch Road   | Book Road   |
|------------------|------|--|---|
|                  |      | Core Areas shall not negatively impact their environmental features or ecological functions (RHOP policy C.2.3.3), detailed plans/inventories would be required to be undertaken. The evaluation of natural features and their functions need to occur during appropriate timing widows (i.e., birds are evaluated in the spring when they are breeding; multi-season vegetation surveys).  This area is located within the Niagara River Area of Concern watershed (designated in 1987 by the International Joint Commission). The AOC was identified due to water quality issues. Most restoration efforts have been focused on Niagara River, however, projects such as re-establishing riparian habitat have been undertaken within the AOC watershed. It is unclear how specific initiatives such as this have been taken into consideration. | unclear how this area will be developed in an efficient manner.  There is currently limited natural heritage information within this area. To determine how the Natural Heritage System can be integrated within the proposed development and to ensure that any developments or site alteration within or adjacent to Core Areas shall not negatively impact their environmental features or ecological functions (RHOP policy C.2.3.3), detailed plans/inventories would be required to be undertaken. The evaluation of natural features and their functions need to occur during appropriate timing windows (i.e., birds are evaluated in the spring when they are breeding; multi-season vegetation surveys).  To implement the RHOP, the City of Hamilton has applied specific Conservation/Hazard Land zoning to many of the features within the Natural Heritage System within this area. These zones have been applied to protect the Natural Heritage System from the impacts of development. Fragmentation of the Natural Heritage System may occur. |

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| Criteria | Fifty Road  | Whitechurch Road   | Book Road  |
|----------|---|--|--|
|          |   |  | There are several headwater tributaries located within this area. Within the Provincial Policy Statement and the Greenbelt Plan, it is recognized that natural heritage features and functions do not respect administrative boundaries. It is unclear if this crossjurisdictional relationship has been considered.   |
| Planning | Lands are surrounded to the north and west by existing development (Foothills of Winona) subdivision. | <ul> <li>Lands are located adjacent to the Urban Expansion Area to the north which was added to the urban area through OPA 167. If lands are removed from the Greenbelt Plan, planning of this area should occur comprehensively. The lands to the north require a Secondary Plan to be completed prior to development occurring.</li> <li>Lands are connected to the Mount Hope settlement area but disconnected from the remainder of the urban area, and separated by rural lands which will not develop for any urban uses in the near term due to restrictions on residential development by the airport noise contours.</li> </ul> | Lands are bisected by the airport Noise Exposure Forecast contour 28. The Rural and Urban Hamilton Official Plans do not permit residential development above the 28 NEF contour. The Provincial ERO posting notes that the lands are being removed from the Greenbelt to allow for housing to be developed. It is not clear why these lands are being proposed for removal given the restriction on residential development in the area resulting from the noise contour. |