

Albion, 1840

Alton, 1820

Belfountain, 1825

Bolton, 1823

Caledon East, 1821

Caledon Village, 1826

Campbell's Cross, c. 1820

Cataract, 1858

Cheltenham, 1827

Claude, c. 1832

Inglewood, 1883

Mayfield West, 2006

Melville, 1831

Mono Road, 1871

Mono Mills, 1819

Palgrave, 1846

Sandhill, 1839

Terra Cotta, 1855

Tullamore, c. 1820

Victoria, c. 1850

Wildfield, 1833

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Ms. Kathryn Lockyer, Clerk
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Dear Ms. Lockyer:

RE: Provincial Plan Review

At the regular meeting of Council held on March 18, 2014, Council passed a resolution regarding the Provincial Plan Review. The following resolution was adopted:

Whereas the Province of Ontario is preparing for the statutory 10-year review of the Niagara Escarpment Plan, the Oak Ridges Moraine Conservation Plan, the Greenbelt Plan, and the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe in 2015 and 2016; and

Whereas the review of the four Provincial plans presents opportunities to clarify and harmonize the intents of each plan and also offers an opportunity to remove contradictions between the plans; and

Whereas section 3.4.1 of the Greenbelt Plan specifically states that Settlement Areas "are an integral part of the long-term economic and social sustainability of the Greenbelt and this Plan envisions that they continue to evolve and grow in keeping with their rural and/or existing character"; and

Whereas section 3.4.4 of the Greenbelt Plan allows municipalities to continue to plan for a settlement area expansion within the Greenbelt Plan area if such a consideration was initiated prior to the date the Greenbelt Plan came into effect; and

Whereas sub-section 3.4.4.1.d) of the Greenbelt Plan further states that the proposed settlement area expansion shall "maintain the rural and/or existing character of the settlement area"; and

Whereas sub-section 2.2.7.2 of the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe directs municipalities to plan all settlement area expansions within its proclaimed area to achieve a minimum density target of 50 persons and jobs combined per hectare; and

Whereas the required density target of 50 persons and jobs combined per hectare is not compatible with Greenbelt community character; and

Whereas vast majority of the Greenbelt Plan is inside the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe, and thereby creating two contradictory requirements for justifiable and lawful settlement area expansions of Greenbelt communities;

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