COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT



City Hall, 5th floor, 71 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5
Telephone (905) 546-2424, ext. 4221

E-mail: cofa@hamilton.ca

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Consent/Land Severance

You are receiving this notice because you are either:

- Assessed owner of a property located within 60 metres of the subject property
- Applicant/agent on file, or
- Person likely to be interested in this application

APPLICATION	GL/B-23:93	SUBJECT	3530 UPPER JAMES STREET,
NO.:		PROPERTY:	GLANBROOK

APPLICANTS: Owner: 886444 ONTARIO LTD (C/O MOHAMMED GHADDER)

Agent: T. JOHNS CONSULTING GROUP LTD.(JOE GRAVINA)

PURPOSE & EFFECT: To sever the existing vacant lot into two parcels, the severed lands will be a

vacant residential building lot and the retained lands will be a vacant

commercial building lot.

Frontage	Depth	Area
56.90 m [±]	126.59 m [±]	1.35 ha [±]
75.14 m [±]	126.59 m [±]	1.05 ha [±]
	56.90 m [±]	56.90 m [±] 126.59 m [±]

Associated Planning Act File(s): N/A

This Notice must be posted by the owner of any land which contains seven or more residential units so that it is visible to all residents.

This application will be heard by the Committee as shown below:

DATE:	Tuesday, February 13, 2024
TIME:	2:40 p.m.
PLACE:	City Hall Council Chambers (71 Main St. W., Hamilton)
	To be streamed (viewing only) at
	www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

For more information on this matter, including access to drawings illustrating this request and other information submitted:

Visit www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

GL/B-23:93

- Email Committee of Adjustment staff at <u>cofa@hamilton.ca</u>
- Call 905-546-CITY (2489) or 905-546-2424 extension 4221

PUBLIC INPUT

Written: If you would like to submit written comments to the Committee of Adjustment you may do so via email or hardcopy. Please see attached page for complete instructions, written comments must be received no later than **February 9, 2024**

Orally: If you would like to speak to this item at the hearing you may do so via video link, calling in, or attending in person. Please see attached page for complete instructions, registration to participate virtually must be received no later than **February 12, 2024**

FURTHER NOTIFICATION

If you wish to be notified of future Public Hearings, if applicable, regarding GL/B-23:93, you must submit a written request to cofa@hamilton.ca or by mailing the Committee of Adjustment, City of Hamilton, 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 4Y5.

If you wish to be provided the Notice of Decision of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the Secretary-Treasurer of The City of Hamilton Committee of Adjustment by email at cofa@hamilton.ca or by mail through City Hall, 5th floor, 71 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of The City of Hamilton Committee of Adjustment in respect of the proposed consent does not make written submissions to The City of Hamilton Committee of Adjustment before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Ontario Land Tribunal may dismiss the appeal.

GL/B-23:93



Subject Lands

DATED: January 25, 2024

Jamila Sheffield, Secretary-Treasurer Committee of Adjustment Information respecting this application is being collected under the authority of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, c. P. 13. All comments and opinions submitted to the City of Hamilton on this matter, including the name, address, and contact information of persons submitting comments and/or opinions, will become part of the public record and will be made available to the Applicant and the general public.



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PARTICIPATION PROCEDURES

Written Submissions

Members of the public who would like to participate in a Committee of Adjustment meeting are able to provide comments in writing advance of the meeting. Comments can be submitted by emailing cofa@hamilton.ca or by mailing the Committee of Adjustment, City of Hamilton, 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 4Y5. Comments must be received by noon on the date listed on the Notice of Public Hearing.

Comments are available the Friday prior to the Hearing and are available on our website: www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

Oral Submissions

Members of the public are also able to provide oral comments regarding Committee of Adjustment Hearing items by participating Virtually through Webex via computer or phone or by attending the Hearing In-person. Participation Virtually requires pre-registration in advance. Please contact staff for instructions if you wish to make a presentation containing visual materials.

1. Virtual Oral Submissions

Interested members of the public, agents, and owners **must register by noon on the day listed on the Notice of Public Hearing to** participate Virtually.

To register to participate Virtually by Webex either via computer or phone, please contact Committee of Adjustment staff by email cofa@hamilton.ca. The following information is required to register: Committee of Adjustment file number, hearing date, name and mailing address of each person wishing to speak, if participation will be by phone or video, and if applicable the phone number they will be using to call in.

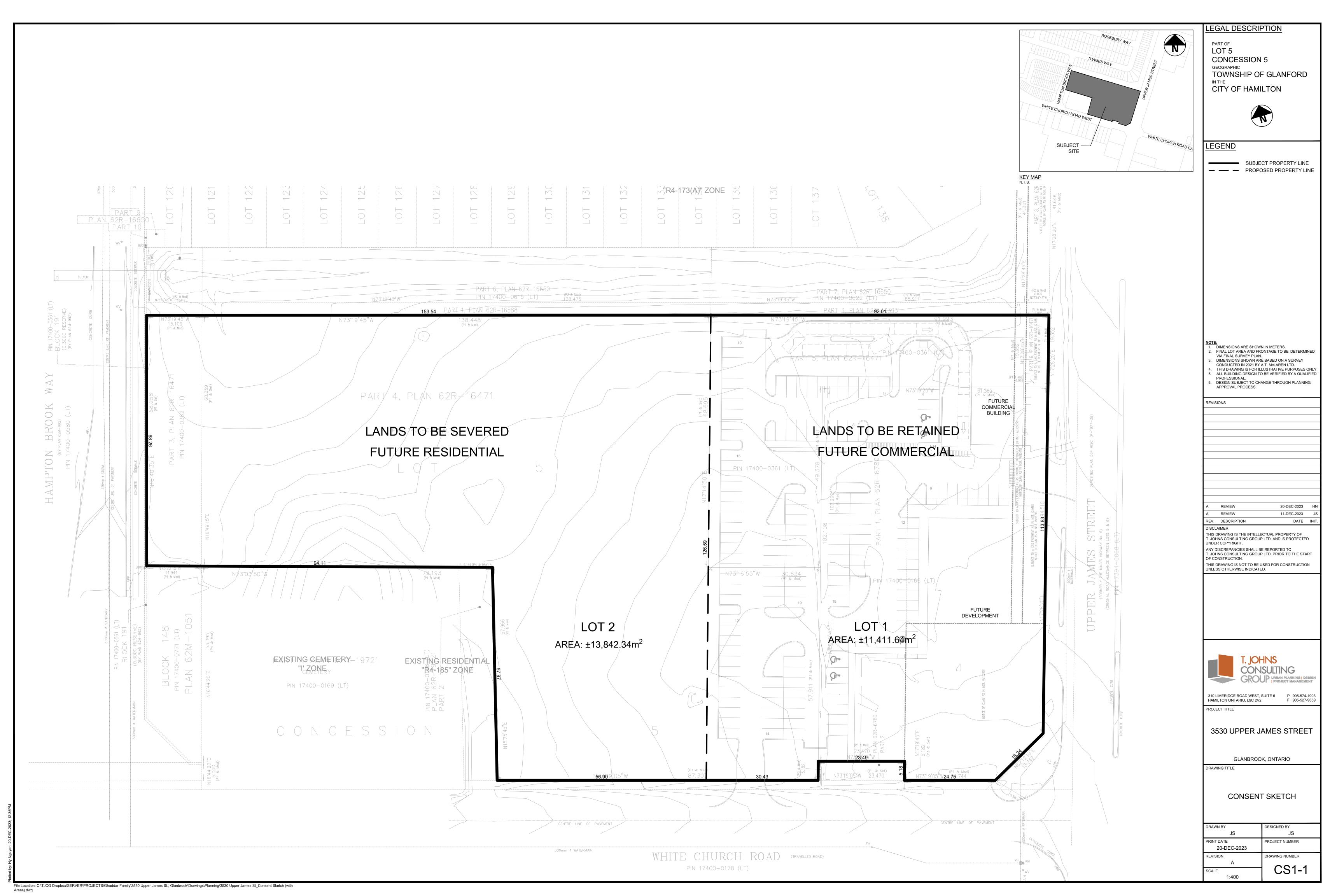
A separate registration for each person wishing to speak is required. Upon registering for a meeting, members of the public will be emailed a link for the Webex meeting one business day before the Hearing. Only those registered will be called upon to speak.

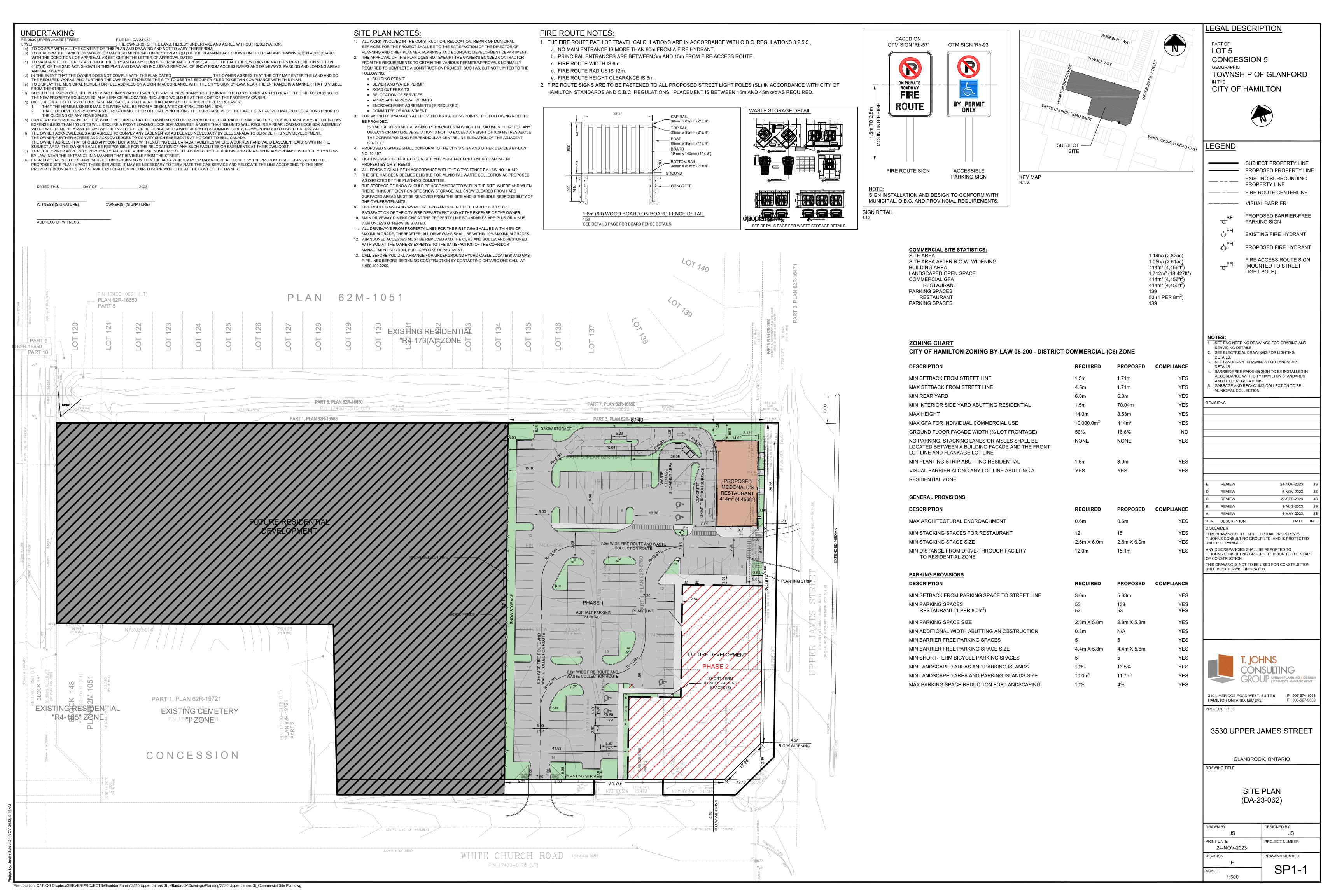
2. In person Oral Submissions

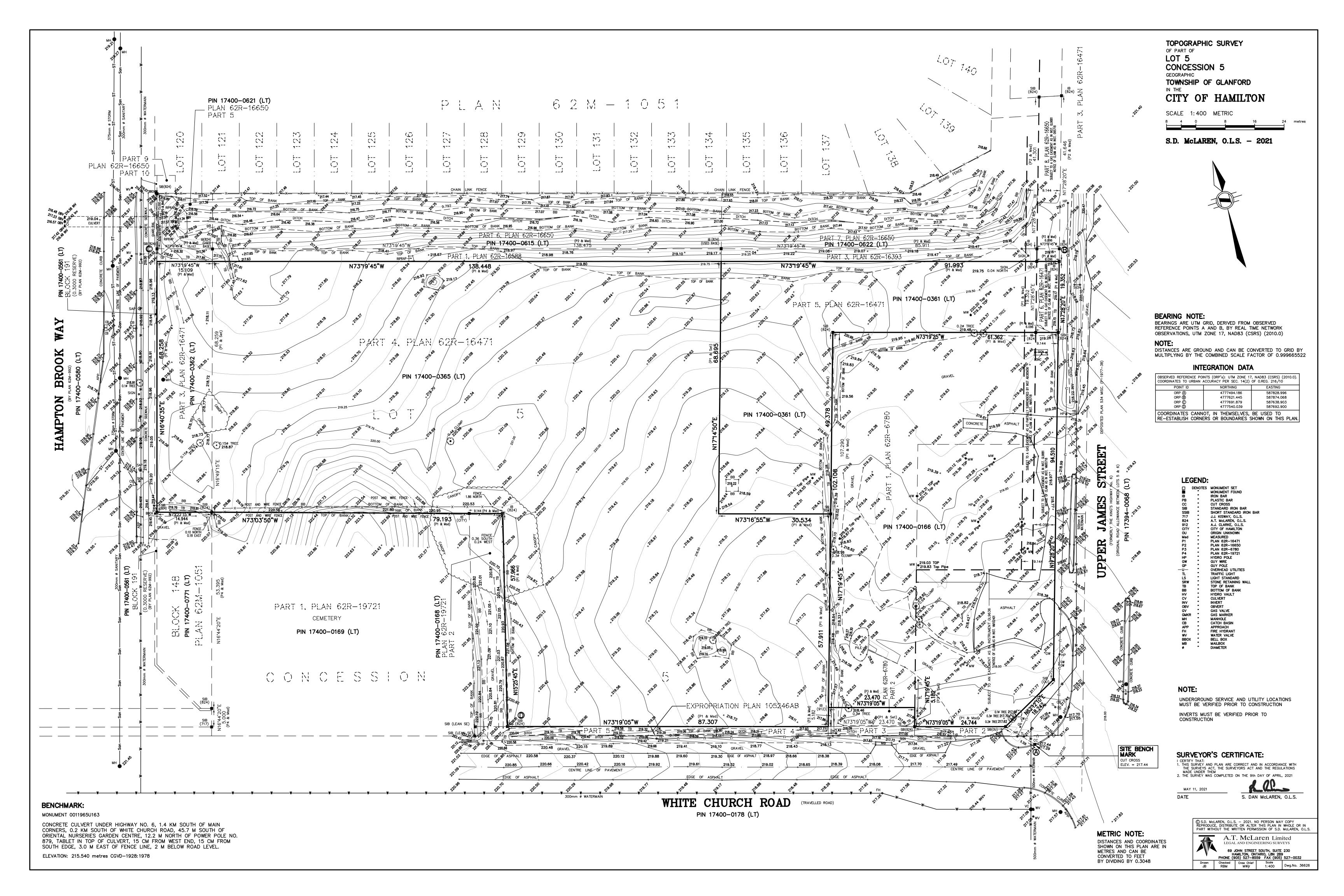
Interested members of the public, agents, and owners who wish to participate in person may attend Council Chambers on the date and time listed on the Notice of Public Hearing. Please note, you will be required to provide your name and address for the record. It is advised that you arrive **no less than 10 minutes** before the time of the Public Hearing as noted on the Notice of Public Hearing.

We hope this is of assistance and if you need clarification or have any questions, please email cofa@hamilton.ca or by phone at 905-546-2424 ext. 4221.

Please note: Webex (video) participation requires either a compatible computer or smartphone and an application (app/program) must be downloaded by the interested party in order to participate. It is the interested party's responsibility to ensure that their device is compatible and operating correctly prior to the Hearing.









December 18, 2023 Via Digital Submission

ATTN: Jamila Sheffield, Secretary-Treasurer

Committee of Adjustment
City of Hamilton
Planning and Economic Development Department
71 Main Street West, 5th Floor
Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

RE: 3530 Upper James Street, Hamilton (SPA File No. DA-23-062) Consent to Sever Application

T. Johns Consulting Group ("T. Johns Consulting") has been retained by the landowners to submit a Site Plan application for lands municipally known as 3530 Upper James Street, Hamilton. This consent to sever application is submitted in support of Site Plan application no. DA-23-062.

Site Description

3530 Upper James Street ("subject lands") are in the northwest quadrant of the signalized intersection of Upper James Street (classified as a Major Arterial Road) and White Church Road West (classified as a Major Arterial Road). The subject lands are legally described as Part of Lot 5 Concession 5, Geographic Township of Glanford in the City of Hamilton.

The subject property is a through-lot located at the corner of Upper James Street and White Church Road West with an approximate area of 2.5 hectares (6.27 acres) and approximately 141.2 metres (463.3 feet) of frontage on White Church Road West, 114.0 metres (374.0 feet) of frontage along Upper James Street and 68.3 metres (224.1 feet) of frontage along Hampton Brook Way.

The development area subject to this application includes the easterly portion of the site that comprises 1.14 hectares (2.82 acres) at the intersection of Upper James Street and White Church Road West. The development area is rectangular in shape with a generally flat topography. The lands are currently vacant with grass covering most of the site, with some concrete in the southeast corner. A portion of the lands were previously used for a Gas Station that has since been decommissioned.

Planning Status

The *Urban Hamilton Official Plan Volume 1* designates the subject lands "District Commercial" which permits a range of commercial uses.

The subject lands are within the *Mount Hope Secondary Plan*. Map B.5.4-1 designates the subject lands "District Commercial". The District Commercial designation permits retail and service commercial, gas bars, car washes and services stations, restaurants, taverns, and residential uses located above the first storey of a mixed-use building.

The *City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200* zones the subject lands District Commercial (C6) Zone. The C6 Zone permits a range of commercial uses including office, restaurant, and retail.



Proposed Development

The development area subject to this application includes the easterly portion of the site that comprises 1.14 hectares (2.82 acres) at the intersection of Upper James Street and White Church Road West. The proposed development is for a 1-storey drive-thru restaurant in the northeast corner with a GFA of 414.0m² and a 2-storey commercial plaza at the intersection of Upper James Street and White Church Road West, with 1,912.0m² of at grade retail space and 416.66m² of office space on the second storey. A phased development approach is being considered, with the potential phase 2 comprised of the commercial plaza, as illustrated on the Site Plan. The proposed development will be supported by one hundred and thirty-nine (139) parking spaces, including five (5) barrier free spaces. Landscaping and pedestrian connections are provided throughout the site.

A future minor variance application will be submitted to request relief from the District Commercial (C6) Zone of the *City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200* for ground floor façade width.

Please refer to the Site Plan and Consent Sketch for additional details.

T. Johns respectfully requests the circulation of this letter along with the enclosed documents to all relevant departments in support of the Consent to Sever applications.

Please find the enclosed:

- This Cover Letter;
- Consent to Sever application with signatures;
- Copy of the cheque in the amount of \$3,220.00 to satisfy the Consent to Sever application fee, made payable to the City of Hamilton;
 - Note that the cheque was hand delivered to City Hall on December 18th, 2023.
- Survey Plan;
- Site Plan; and,
- Consent Sketch.

The application and all required documents have been submitted electronically, save and except the cheques that were submitted to the City of Hamilton December 18th, 2023.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Joe Gravina at 905-574-1993 ext. 204.

Respectfully submitted,

T. Johns Consulting Group Ltd.

Joe Gravina, CPT Project Manager



Committee of Adjustment City Hall, 5th Floor, 71 Main St. W.,

Hamilton, ON L8P4Y5

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APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO SEVER LAND and VALIDATION OF TITLE

UNDER SECTION 53 & 57 OF THE PLANNING ACT

MAILING ADDRESS

Please see additional information regarding how to submit an application, requirements for the required sketch and general information in the Submission Requirements and Information.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Purchaser*				
Registered .				
Registered Owners(s)				
Applicant(s)**				
Agent or				
Solicitor				
*Purchaser must provide a copy of the portion the purchaser to make the application in respect to the purchaser to make the application in respect to the application required if the application required in the application requ	pect of the land that is the si	ubject of the application.		
1.2 All correspondence should be sent to	☐ Purchaser ☐ App l icant	☐ Owner ☑ Agent/Solicitor		
1.3 Sign should be sent to	☐ Purchaser ☐ App l icant	☐ Owner ☑ Agent/Solicitor		
.4 Request for digital copy of sign				
1.5 All correspondence may be sent by email				
APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO SEVER LAND (S	September 1, 2022)	Page 1 of 10		

2. LOCATION OF SUBJECT LAND

2.1	Complete the applicable so	ections:				
Municipal Address		3530 Upper James Street				
Assessment Roll Number						
Former Municipality		Glanford				
Lot		5		Concession	5	
Re	gistered Plan Number			Lot(s)		
Re	ference Plan Number (s)			Part(s)		
2.2 3	.2 Are there any easements or restrictive covenants affecting the subject land? ▼ Yes □ No If YES, describe the easement or covenant and its effect: Easement: INST. GL9881 - in favour of Union Gas (now Enbridge) PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION					
3.1	Type and purpose of prop	osed transaction	n: (che	eck appropriate	box)	
	 ✓ creation of a new lot(s) □ addition to a lot □ an easement □ validation of title (must also complete section 8) □ cancellation (must also complete section 9 □ creation of a new non-farm parcel (must also complete section 10) (i.e. a lot containing a surplus farm dwelling resulting from a farm consolidation) 				of title	
3.2	.2 Name of person(s), if known, to whom land or interest in land is to be transferred, leased or charged: Unknown.					
3.3	3 If a lot addition, identify the lands to which the parcel will be added: N/A					
3.4	4 Certificate Request for Retained Lands: Yes* * If yes, a statement from an Ontario solicitor in good standing that there is no land abutting the subject land that is owned by the owner of the subject land other than land that could be conveyed without contravening section 50 of the Act. (O. Reg. 786/21)					
4	DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT LAND AND SERVICING INFORMATION					
4.1	.1 Description of subject land:					
All c	limensions to be provided	in metric (m, m²	or ha).	, attach additior	nal sheets as ne	cessary.
	Retained (remainder)	Parcel 1		Parcel 2	Parcel 3*	Parcel 4*

Identified on Sketch as:	LOT 1	LOT 2			
Type of Transfer	N/A				
Frontage	75.14m (White Church)	56.90m (White Church)			
Depth	126.59m (Pre-	126.59m (Pre-			
Area	ROW widening) ROW widening) 1.05ha (Post-				
Existing Use	ROW widening) ROW widening)				
Proposed Use	Commercial	Residential			
Existing Buildings/ Structures	None	None			
Proposed Buildings/ Structures	1-storey Restaurant and 2-storey commercial plaza	56 Townhouse Dwellings (Common Element or Street TBD)	:		
Buildings/ Structures to be Removed	None	None			
* Additional fees apply. 4.2 Subject Land Servicing a) Type of access: (check appropriate box)					
✓ electricity	y ⊻ tele	phone [✓ school bussing	☑ garbag	je collection
5.1 What is the existing official plan designation of the subject land?					
Rural Hamil	Rural Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable): N/A				
	Rural Settlement Area: N/A				

Urban Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable) Neighbourhoods and District Commercial Mount Hope Secondary Plan: District Commercial and Institutional

Please provide an explanation of how the application conforms with a City of Hamilton Official Plan.

	The proposed developments will provide housing and commercial uses for residents' daily and weekly needs, and will contribute towards a complete community.
5.2	Is the subject land currently the subject of a proposed official plan amendment that has been submitted for approval?
	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Unknown
	If YES, and known, provide the appropriate file number and status of the application.
5.3	What is the existing zoning of the subject land? Deferred Development (DD) Zone (ZBL No. 464) and District Commercial (C6) Zone (ZBL No. 05-200)
	If the subject land is covered by a Minister's zoning order, what is the Ontario Regulation Number? N/A
5.4	Is the subject land the subject of any other application for a Minister's zoning order, zoning by-law amendment, minor variance, consent or approval of a plan of subdivision? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Unknown
	If YES, and known, provide the appropriate file number and status of the application.
5.5	Are any of the following uses or features on the subject land or within 500 metres of the subject land, unless otherwise specified. Please check the appropriate boxes, if any apply.

Use or Feature	On the Subject Land	Within 500 Metres of Subject Land, unless otherwise specified (indicate approximate distance)
An agricultural operation, including livestock facility or		
stockyard * Submit Minimum Distance Separation Formulae (MDS) if applicable		
A land fill		
A sewage treatment plant or waste stabilization plant		
A provincially significant wetland		
A provincially significant wetland within 120 metres		
A flood plain		
An industrial or commercial use, and specify the use(s)		±350m Autoshop
An active railway line		
A municipal or federal airport		

6.1 Has the subject land ever been the subject of an application for approval of a plan of subdivision or a consent under sections 51 or 53 of the *Planning Act*? □ Yes **▼** No □ Unknown If YES, and known, provide the appropriate application file number and the decision made on the application. N/A 6.2 If this application is a re-submission of a previous consent application, describe how it has been changed from the original application. N/A 6.3 Has any land been severed or subdivided from the parcel originally acquired by the owner of the subject land? ☐ Yes ✓ No If YES, and if known, provide for each parcel severed, the date of transfer, the name of the transferee and the land use. N/A 6.4 How long has the applicant owned the subject land? Since February 2021 **▼**Yes \square No 6.5 Does the applicant own any other land in the City? If YES, describe the lands below or attach a separate page. 50 Greenhill Avenue, Hamilton; 74 Best Avenue, Dundas; 85 Highland Road East, Hamilton PROVINCIAL POLICY 7.1 Is this application consistent with the Policy Statements issued under Section 3 of the *Planning* Act? **▼** Yes ☐ No (Provide explanation) Accommodate residential intensification and commercial uses on existing underutilized lands with frontage on existing roadways 7.2 Is this application consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (PPS)? \square No (Provide explanation) Lands are within the Urban Area of Hamilton and serviced by existing municipal roads and water, sanitary and stormwater infrastructure. 7.3 Does this application conform to the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe? **▼** Yes П No (Provide explanation) The subject lands are within the built-up area and are compatible with the surrounding context. 7.4 Are the subject lands subject to the Niagara Escarpment Plan? ☐ Yes **☑** No (Provide explanation)

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HISTORY OF THE SUBJECT LAND

7.5	Are the subject land ☐ Yes	ls subject to t ☑No	he Parkway Belt West Plan? (Provide explanation)
7 . 6	Are the subject land ☐ Yes	ls subject to t ☑ No	he Greenbelt Plan? (Provide explanation)
7.7	Are the subject land ☐ Yes	ls within an a ☑ No	rea of land designated under any other provincial plan or plans? (Provide explanation)
8	ADDITIONAL INFO	RMATION -	VALIDATION
8.1 Did the previous owner retain any interest in the subject land?			
	☐ Yes	□N o	(Provide explanation)
8.2	Does the current ov	vner have an	y interest in any abutting land?
	☐Yes	□No	(Provide explanation and details on plan)
8.3	Why do you conside	er your tit l e m	ay require validation? (attach additional sheets as necessary)
9	ADDITIONAL INFO	RMATION -	CANCELLATION
9.1	Did the previous ow	ner retain an	y interest in the subject land?
	□Yes	□No	(Provide explanation)
9.2	Does the current ov	vner have an	y interest in any abutting land?
	☐Yes	□No	(Provide explanation and details on plan)
9.3	Why do you require	cancellation	of a previous consent? (attach additional sheets as necessary)

10 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION - FARM CONSOLIDATION 10.1 Purpose of the Application (Farm Consolidation) If proposal is for the creation of a non-farm parcel resulting from a farm consolidation, indicate if the consolidation is for: ☐ Surplus Farm Dwelling Severance from an Abutting Farm Consolidation ☐ Surplus Farm Dwelling Severance from a Non-Abutting Farm Consolidation 10.2 Location of farm consolidation property: Municipal Address Assessment Roll Number Former Municipality Concession Lot Lot(s) Registered Plan Number Part(s) Reference Plan Number (s) 10.3 Rural Hamilton Official Plan Designation(s) If proposal is for the creation of a non-farm parcel resulting from a farm consolidation, indicate the existing land use designation of the abutting or non-abutting farm consolidation property. 10.4 Description of farm consolidation property: Frontage (m): Area (m² or ha): Existing Land Use(s): Proposed Land Use(s): Description of abutting consolidated farm (excluding lands intended to be severed for 10.5 the surplus dwelling) Frontage (m): Area (m² or ha): Proposed Land Use: 10.6 Existing Land Use: 10.7 Description of surplus dwelling lands proposed to be severed: Frontage (m): (from Section 4.1) Area (m² or ha): (from Section 4.1) Front yard set back: a) Date of construction: ☐ Prior to December 16, 2004 ☐ After December 16, 2004 b) Condition: ☐ Non-Habitable ☐ Habitable

COMPLETE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS 11.1 All Applications Application Fee Site Sketch Complete Application Form 11.2 Validation of Title All information documents in Section 11.1 Detailed history of why a Validation of Title is required ☐ All supporting materials indicating the contravention of the Planning Act, including PIN documents and other items deemed necessary. Cancellation 11.3 All information documents in Section 11.1 Detailed history of when the previous consent took place. All supporting materials indicating the cancellation subject lands and any neighbouring lands owned in the same name, including PIN documents and other items deemed necessary. Other Information Deemed Necessary 11.4 Cover Letter/Planning Justification Report Minimum Distance Separation Formulae (data sheet available upon request) Hydrogeological Assessment Septic Assessment Archeological Assessment 」Parking Study