

# WELCOME TO THE CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING COMMITTEE

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**PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT** 

## PED24110 – Market and Land Supply Monitoring Report, 2023

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### Purpose

- The report outlines the City's progress towards provincial and local growth and affordability targets.
- The need to monitor and report annually was identified by Council through the City's Growth Related Integrated Development Strategy (GRIDS 2) and Municipal Comprehensive Review.
- The report represents a snapshot in time.
- The information will inform future evaluations of the City's growth strategy and creation of housing strategies, policies and programs.



## Market and Land Supply **MONITORING REPORT 2023** City of Hamilton

## **Urban Hamilton Official Plan**

- Amendments to Section F.3.5 of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan were approved without modification through OPA 167 to implement the Council direction to monitor, and report annually on land supply and development activity.
- Policies F.3.5.1 and F.3.5.2 requires the City to report annually on the following metrics:
  - The residential intensification rate
  - The planned density of the designated greenfield area
  - The planned density of the urban growth centre and other urban nodes
  - Construction activity including the range and mix of housing types
  - The Vacant Residential Land Inventory

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- Comparation of the City's actual population and employment growth to the forecasted population growth identified in policy A.2.3.1 and employment growth identified in Policy A.2.3.2
- Employment and land absorption
- Housing affordability
- Cost of housing and land development

## Methodology

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- Dillon Consulting was retained to prepare a framework for the Market and Land Supply Monitoring Report.
- Staff in the Sustainable Communities Section consulted with other Sections and Departments within the City.
- The data sources include:
  - Statistics Canada;
  - Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC);
  - City's internal databases and building permit data; and,
  - Realtors Association of Hamilton and Burlington.
- The data available for certain metrics is limited to broader geographies such as the Hamilton Census Metropolitan Area (CMA) or City of Hamilton.

## **Population Growth**

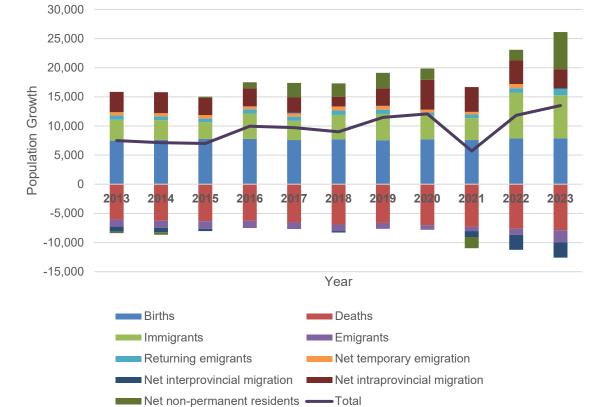
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#### **2023 Population**



Population Growth in 2023





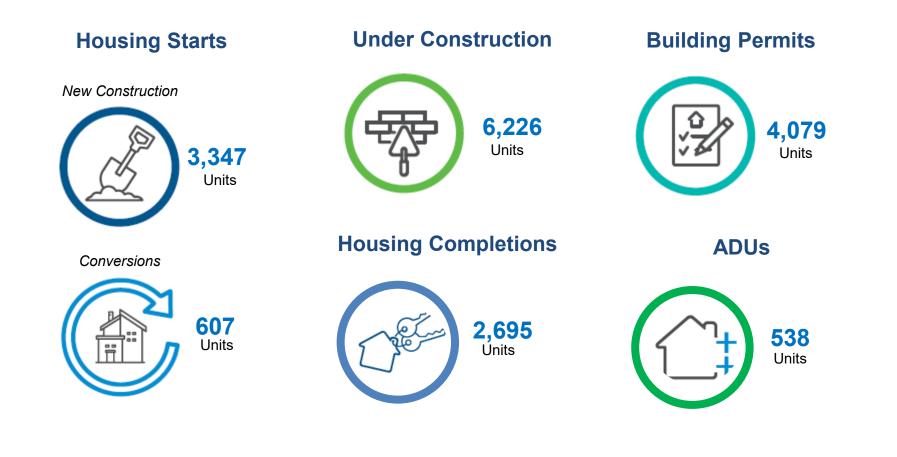
#### **Components of Population Growth (Hamilton CMA)**

Data Source: Statistics Canada



## **2023 Construction Activity**

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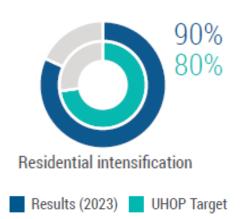


Data Source: CMHC and City Building Permits



## **Residential Intensification**

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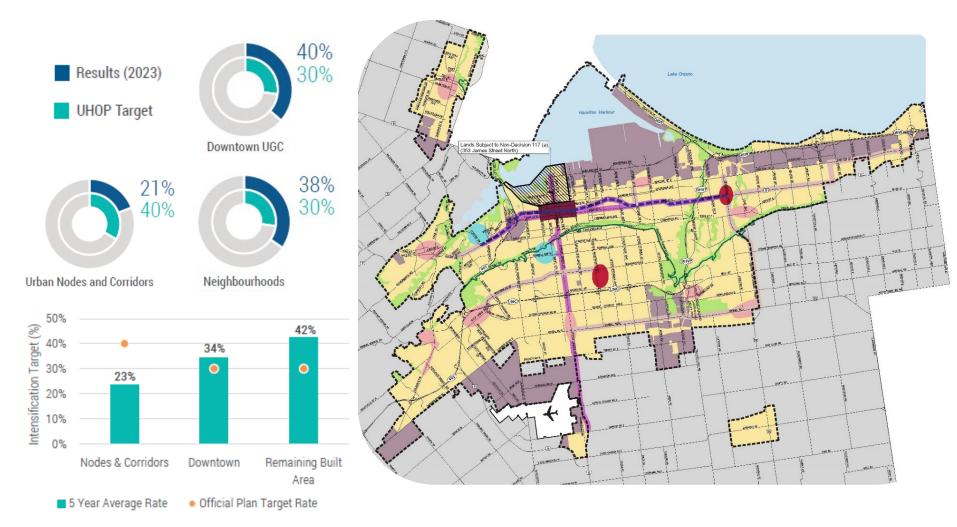


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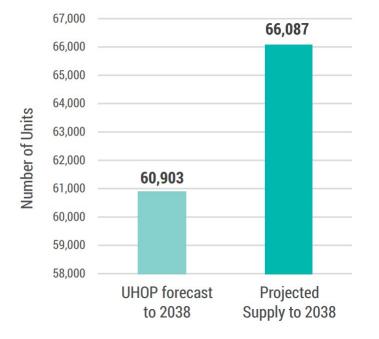
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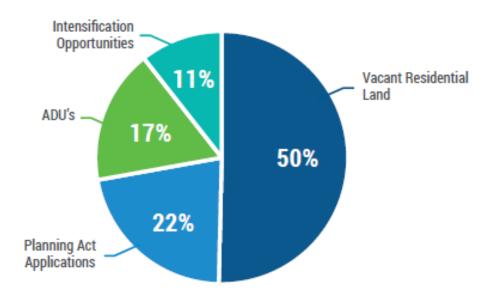
## **Residential Land Supply**

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#### **15 Year Supply**



#### **Components of Land Supply**



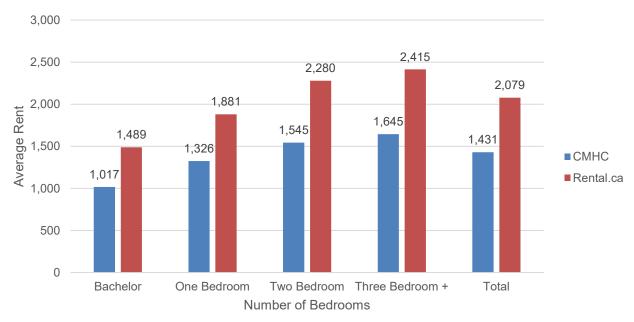
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## **Cost of Housing**

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#### **Average Rent:**



#### Average Rent by Apartment Type: CMHC vs. Rental.ca

#### Growth Rate by Apartment Type 2021 – 2023 (CMHC)

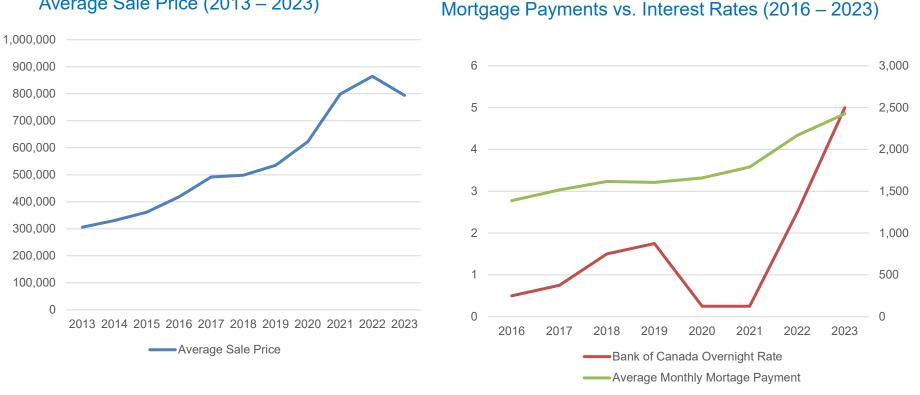
	2020-2021	2021 - 2022	2022 -2023
All Apartments	6.1%	4.2%	13.2%
Bachelor	5.2%	0.5%	9.5%
One Bedroom	5.7%	4.1%	13.9%
Two Bedroom	6.8%	4.8%	13.6%
Three Bedroom	8.7%	-2.0%	11.9%

Data Sources: CMHC and Rental.ca



## **Cost of Housing**

#### **Average Purchase Price:**



Average Sale Price (2013 – 2023)

\$797,524

Data Sources: CMHC and Realtors Association of Hamilton and Burlington



2023:

# 2023 and 2024 Comparison (January to end of June)

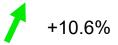
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#### **Residential Intensification Rate**



#### **Housing Types and Tenures**

• **183** new purpose-built rental starts



#### **Housing Construction Activity**

- 654 starts 👌 -81.2%
- **1,491** building permits +2.3%
- 2,065 completions +43.0%
- **150 -** ADUs -95.0%



## **Next Steps**

- An addendum to the first Monitoring Report will be released in Q1 2025 to include the employment data which was not available at the time of completing this report.
- A monitoring report will be prepared annually and presented to Planning Committee and Council every year in Q2.
- Future versions of the monitoring report will include development activity that is underway based on data from active and approved development applications such as the total number of proposed projects, the number of proposed residential units (by size and tenure) and the number of approved development applications.





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