

About the Strengths, Opportunities, Aspirations and Results (SOAR) Analysis:

- **Strengths** are internal attributes that set the City apart.
  - **Opportunities** are factors that the City can leverage to their advantage.
- **Aspirations** are visions and ambitions that can guide the City towards future success.
  - **Results** focus on the positives and measurable outcomes.

Current State	<div><b>Strengths</b></div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What is currently working with the City’s tree protection by-law (i.e. woodland by-laws and the private tree by-laws)?</li><li>• What does the City of Hamilton do well to protect to protect their trees and woodlands on private property?</li></ul></div>	<div><b>Opportunities</b></div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• How could the City’s current guidelines and tree protection by-laws be improved (i.e. woodland and private tree by-law)?</li><li>• What resources can be provided to you to help navigate the woodland and private tree protection by-laws?</li></ul></div>
Future State	<div><b>Aspirations</b></div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What is your vision for how the tree protection guidelines and City by-laws could influence Hamilton’s tree canopy coverage and tree preservation?</li><li>• From your experience and your knowledge, how can the City increase canopy coverage to achieve the City’s target?</li><li>• What does the future of tree protection need to include to promote the vision of your group?</li><li>• What are other municipalities doing well that Hamilton can aspire to?</li></ul></div>	<div><b>Results</b></div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• How can we measure and track our progress towards our goals and support the mandate/vision of your group?</li><li>• How can we adapt to changing industry trends?</li></ul></div>

How would you like to be notified and informed about the project moving forward?

