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File No: 13074

February 8, 2024

By Courier & Email

Office of the City Clerk Attention: Janet Pilon Hamilton City Hall 71 Main St W, Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5 OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
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REF'D TO:

Email: janet.pilon@hamilton.ca

Dear Ms. Pilon,

Re:

Appeals pursuant to sections 22(7) and 34(11) of the <u>Planning Act</u>
Appeal filed on behalf of 17 Ewen (Hamilton) Corp (The "Company")
Proposed Official Plan Amendment Urban Hamilton Official Plan.
Proposed Zoning By-law Amendment to City of Hamilton Zoning By-law
Respecting 17 Ewen Road in Hamilton (the "Subject Lands")

Municipal File No ZAC-23-020 & UHOPA-23-008

We are the solicitors for the Company, the owner of the Subject Lands. By way of this letter and on behalf of our client we hereby appeal the Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment applications to the Ontario Land Tribunal ("OLT" or "Tribunal") pursuant to sections 22(7) and 34(11) of the Planning Act. The Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment applications were deemed complete effective Wednesday, January 18, 2023. Since then, more than 120 days have elapsed, and the City of Hamilton has failed to make a decision on the applications.

The Subject Lands are approximately 0.43 hectares in size, roughly rectangular and front both Ewen Road to the west and Rifle Range Road to the east. Currently the Subject Lands are relatively flat and contain no buildings or meaningful vegetation. The Subject Lands are former warehouse facilities demolished in or around 2016.

The redevelopment proposes a 10-storey 359 unit, 545 bedroom, purpose-built student rental residence. The proposed redevelopment will allow for the construction of 359 desperately needed residential housing units with a density of 835 units per hectare. The proposed redevelopment will buffer the southern property line to complement the bicycle and pedestrian trail over the former railway line.

Yorkville Office: 188 Avenue Road, Toronto, ON., M5R 2J1 P. 416.368.2100 | F. 416.368.8206 | ksllp.ca Downtown Office: 250 Yonge Street, Ste 2302 P.O. Box 65, Toronto, ON., M5B 2L7 P. 416.368.2100 | F. 416.368.8206 | ksllp.ca The Subject Lands were previously approved by the Ontario Municipal Board. The OMB permitted the development of a 10-storey purpose-built student housing development comprised of one-hundred and sixty five-bedroom student residential units. Since the time of the OMB hearing, market conditions have changed respecting student preferences. Due primarily to Covid-19, five-bedroom units are less desirable and students prefer their own units or fewer roommates.

The proposed redevelopment will enhance the public realm by facilitating a pedestrian-friendly environment thus implementing the goals of the City's Urban Official Plan. The proposed development is transit-supportive and will optimize existing and planned infrastructure in the area. The Subject Lands are located within walking distance of a world-class university and provide desperately needed housing units to its faculty, staff and students.

#### Consistency with the Provincial Policy Statement 2020 ("PPS")

The proposed redevelopment is consistent with the PPS. The Subject Lands are within a settlement area, which is the focus of growth and intensification under the PPS. More specifically, the proposed development is consistent with the following policies in the PPS:

- Policy 1.1.1 which provides that healthy, livable and safe communities are sustained by
  efficient development and land use patterns that financially bear the Province and
  municipalities over the long term and accommodates an affordable and market based
  range and mix of residential housing types.
- Policy 1.1.3.1 which provides that settlement areas shall be the focus of growth and development.
- Policy 1.1.3.2 which provides that land use patterns within settlement areas shall be
  based on densities and a mix of land uses which 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 uneconomical
  expansion, and are transit-supportive, where transit is planned, exists or may be
  developed.
- Policy 1.1.3.2 which provides for appropriate and efficient use of infrastructure, public service facilities and support active and transit supportive transportation.
- Policy 1.1.3.3 which provides that planning authorities shall identify appropriate locations to promote opportunities for transit supportive development. These developments should accommodate a significant supply and range of housing options.
- Policy 1.1.3.4 which provides that appropriate development standards should be promoted which facilitate intensification, redevelopment and compact form while avoiding or mitigating risks to public health and safety.
- Policy 1.4.1 which provides that in order to provide for an appropriate range and mix of housing options and densities planning authorities shall accommodate residential growth for a minimum of 15 years through intensification and redevelopment.
- Policy 1.4.3 which provides that planning authorities should provide for an appropriate range and mix of housing options and densities to meet projected market based and affordable housing needs of current and future residents.
- Policy 1.6.3(a) which provides that before consideration is given to developing new infrastructure and public service facilities the use of existing infrastructure and public service facilities should be optimized.

- Policy 1.6.6.1 which provides that planning for sewage and water services shall accommodate forecasted growth in a manner that promotes the efficient use and optimization of existing municipal sewage and water services.
- Policy 1.6.6.2 which provides that municipal sewage services and municipal water services are the preferred form of servicing for settlement areas to support protection of the environment and minimize potential risks to human health and safety. Within settlement areas with existing municipal sewage services and municipal water services, intensification and redevelopment shall be promoted wherever feasible to optimize the use of the services.
- Policy 1.6.7.2 which provides that efficient use should be made of existing and planned infrastructure.
- Policy 1.6.7.4 which provides that land use patterns density and a mix of uses should be promoted to minimize the length and number of vehicle trips.
- Policy 1.7.1which provides that the City should optimize its long-term economic prosperity.
- Policy 1.8. which requires the City to encourage improved air quality, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and prepare for the impacts of a changing climate through land use and development patterns.

#### Conformity with A Place to Grow: The Growth Plan, 2021 ("Growth Plan")

The proposed development conforms with the following policies in the Growth Plan:

- Policy 1.2.1 which provides that development should achieve complete communities that are designed to support healthy active living and meet people's needs for daily living throughout an entire lifetime.
- Policy 1.2.3 which provides that the policies of the Growth Plan represent minimum standards.
- Policy 2.1 which provides that, to support the achievement of complete communities, this Growth Plan establishes minimum intensification and density targets.
- Policy 2.1 which provides that it is important to optimize the use of the existing urban
  land supply as well as the existing building and housing stock to avoid over-designating
  land for future urban development while also providing flexibility for local decisionmakers to respond to housing needs and market demand. The Growth Plan's emphasis
  on optimizing the use of the existing urban land supply represents an intensification
  first approach to development and city-building, one which focuses on making better
  use of our existing infrastructure and public service facilities, and less on continuously
  expanding the urban area.
- Policy 2.2.1.2(a) which provides that 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".
- Policy 2.2.1(3)(c) which provides direction for an urban form that will optimize
  infrastructure, particularly along transit and transportation corridors, to support the
  achievement of complete communities through a more compact built form.
- Policy 2.2.2(3)(d) which ensures that lands are zoned and development is designed in a manner that supports the achievement of complete communities.

- Policy 2.2.1.4 which provides that the policies of the Growth Plan will support the achievement of complete communities.
- Policy 2.2.2.1 which provides that a minimum of 50% of all residential development within the City of Hamilton will be within the delineated built-up area.
- Policy 2.2.2.3 which requires all municipalities to develop a strategy that will achieve the minimum intensification targets.
- Policy 2.2.1.3 (c) which provides that the city should manage forecasted growth in a way
  that provides direction for an urban form that will optimize infrastructure, particularly
  along transit and transportation corridors.
- Policy 5.2.5(1) which provides that the minimum intensification and density targets in
  this Plan, including any alternative targets that have been permitted by the Minister, are
  minimum standards and municipalities are encouraged to go beyond these minimum
  targets, where appropriate, except where doing so would conflict with any policy of the
  Growth Plan, the PPS or any other provincial plan.

#### Conformity with the Urban Hamilton OP ("UHOP")

Bearing in mind that the development proposes an amendment to the UHOP and thus strict adherence to the UHOP is not required, the proposed development nevertheless conforms with certain aspects of the UHOP. The Subject Lands are designated Mixed Use – Medium Density in the UHOP and are located steps away from McMaster University which is identified as a *Major Activity Centre*. The proposed development conforms with the following policies in the UHOP:

- Section E.4.6 which provides that it is the intent of the Mixed Use Medium Density
  designation to permit a full range of service commercial entertainment and residential
  accommodation at a moderate scale.
- Section E 4.6.2 which provides that Mixed Use Medium Density designations shall be
  applied to traditional main street commercial areas outside the designated Downtown
  Mixed Use to promote the continuation of these places as pedestrian-oriented areas.
- Section E.4.6.4 which provides that Mixed Use- Medium Density areas shall serve as vibrant people places with increased day and night activity through the introduction of residential development.
- Section E 4.6.10 which provides that permitted uses shall be located in single or mixeduse buildings.
- Section E 4.6.16 which provides that new development shall be designed and oriented to create comfortable and vibrant areas that are stimulating pedestrian oriented streets.
- Section 4.6.17 which provides that Mixed Use-Medium Density areas are intended to develop in a compact urban form with a streetscape design and building arrangement that supports pedestrian use and circulation.
- Section E 4.6.24 which provides that development shall respect existing built form of
  adjacent neighbourhoods by providing gradation in building height and densities and
  by locating and designing new development to minimize the effects of shadowing and
  overview on adjacent properties.
- Section 4.6.27 which provides that reduced parking requirements shall be considered to encourage a broader range of uses and take advantage of a higher level of transit service.

The proposed development also complies with the following Ainslie Wood Neighbourhood Plan policies and guidelines:

 Policy 6.2.17.4 c) ii) which provides that any multiple dwelling shall be designated as student accommodation.

#### Meets General Principles of Good Planning

The Subject Lands have been identified at the provincial, regional, and local level as an area where growth should be directed. The proposed development meets the general principles of good planning by contributing significantly to long-term, orderly growth and efficient use of services in a transit-oriented area.

#### Conclusion

For the foregoing reasons, and others to be provided at the hearing of the appeals, our client appeals its Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment Applications to the OLT. In support of the appeals please find enclosed the following documents:

- The OLT Appeal Form A1 (completed);
- 2. A draft Official Plan Amendment;
- 3. A draft Zoning By-law Amendment; and
- Our firm's cheque in the amount of \$2,200 payable to the Minister of Finance, Ontario, representing the OLT's appeal fees.

Our client requests that both appeals be heard together. By separate appeal letter our client is also appealing its Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment applications for its development at 1629, 1635, 1637 and 1655 Main Street West, Hamilton. That property is adjacent to the Subject Lands. It would be efficient if the appeals of both properties were scheduled for the same first CMC as we suspect that many parties of one appeal will seek status in the other appeal. We are not asking that the appeals of the two properties be consolidated at this time; only that they be administratively joined for the purpose of the first CMC. Thank you.

[Signature page follows]

Ira Kagan

KAGAN SHASTRI DeMELO WINER PARK LLP

Ira T. Kagan

Enclos: Appeal Form (A1), Appeal Fee, Draft OPA, Draft ZBLA

Cc: Client

GSP Group Inc.

Please Reply to the:

Yorkville Office



### Ontario Land Tribunal

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# Appeal Form (A1)

# Municipal/Approval Authority Date Stamp

Receipt Number (OLT Office Use Only)

OLT Case Number (OLT Office Use Only)

Date	Stamp	– Ap	Rece	ived

Please complete this Appeal Form by following the instructions in the companion document titled "Appeal Form Instructions". Please read **both** documents carefully to ensure you submit the correct information and complete this form correctly.

There are guides available for review on the Tribunal's <u>website</u> for different appeal types to assist you in filing an appeal.

Please review the notice of the decision you are appealing to determine the appeal deadline and the specific official with whom the appeal should be filed (e.g. Secretary-Treasurer, Clerk, Minister, Ontario Land Tribunal) prior to completing this Appeal Form. Relevant portions of the applicable legislation should also be reviewed before submitting this form. Your appeal must be filed with the appropriate authority within the appeal period as set out in the notice of the decision and applicable legislation.

### Section 1 – Contact Information (Mandatory)

Applicant/Appellant/Objector/Claimant I	nform	ation		
Last Name:		First Name:		
Hendrie		Michael		
Company Name or Association Name (incorporation):	Assoc	ciation must	be incorporated – include copy of letter of	
17 Ewen (Hamilton) Corp				
Email Address:				
mhendrie@aventusdevelopments.com				
Daytime Telephone Number:			Alternative Telephone Number:	
905-464-5209	ext.			

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Mailing Address						-
Unit Number:	Street N	umber:	Street Nar	ne:		P.O. Box:
	1418		Ontario St	reet		
City/Town:		Province:		Country:	Postal	Code:
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Last Name:	Last Name:			First Name:			
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Company Name or Association Name (Association must be incorporated – include copy of letter of incorporation):					of letter of		
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Email Address:							
ikagan@ksllp.ca							
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416-368-2100			ext.	x226	(437) 781-9549		
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<b>Note:</b> If your representative is not licensed under the <i>Law Society Act</i> , please confirm that they have your written authorization, as required by the OLT <i>Rules of Practice and Procedure</i> , to act on your behalf and that they are also exempt under the Law Society's by-laws to provide legal services. Please confirm this by checking the box below.				ct on your			
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Address and/or Legal Description of property subject to the appeal:							
17 Ewen Road							
Municipality:							

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Hamilton			
Upper Tier (Example: county, district, region):			
N/A			
Language Requirements			
Do you require services in French?	□ Yes	Χ	No

Subject of Appeal		bject of Appeal	Type of Appeal (Act/Legislation Name)	Reference (Section Number)	
	ampl e	Minor Variance	Planning Act	45(12)	
1	Offici	al Plan Amendment	Planning act	22(7)	
2	2 Zoning By-law Amendment		Planning Act	34(11)	
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# Section 2 – Appeal Type (Mandatory)

Please	select the applicable type of matter	
Select	Legislation associated with your matter	Complete Only the Section(s) Below
х	Appeal of <i>Planning Act</i> matters for Official Plans and amendments, Zoning By-Laws and amendments and Plans of Subdivision, Interim Control By-laws, Site Plans, Minor Variances, Consents and Severances	ЗА
	Appeal of Development Charges, Education Act, Aggregate Resources Act, Municipal Act matters	3A
	Appeal of or objection to <i>Ontario Heritage Act</i> matters under subsections 29, 30.1, 31, 32, 33, 40.1 and 41	3A

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Appeal of <i>Planning Act</i> (subsections 33(4), 33(10), 33(15), 36(3)), <i>Municipal Act</i> (subsection 223(4)), <i>City of Toronto Act</i> (subsection 129(4)) and <i>Ontario Heritage Act</i> (subsections 34.1(1), 42(6)) matters	3A & 3B
Appeal of Clean Water Act, Environmental Protection Act, Nutrient Management Act, Ontario Water Resources Act, Pesticides Act, Resource Recovery and Circular Economy Act, Safe Drinking Water Act, Toxics Reduction Act, and Waste Diversion Transition Act matters	<b>4</b> A
Application for Leave to Appeal under the Environmental Bill of Rights, 1993	4B
Appeal under the Niagara Escarpment Planning and Development Act (NEPDA)	5
Appeal of Conservation Authorities Act, Mining Act, Lakes and Rivers Improvement Act, Assessment Act, and Oil, Gas and Salt Resources Act matters	6
Legislation not listed above	Contact OLT before filing your appeal

# Section 3A – Planning Matters

Appeal Reasons and Specific Information	
Number of new residential units proposed:	
359	
Municipal Reference Number(s):	
ZAC-23-020 & UHOPA-23-008	
List the reasons for your appeal:	_
See attached Letter	

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Has a public meeting been held by the municipality? □ Yes X No
For appeals of Official Plans, Official Plan Amendments, Zoning By-laws and Zoning By-law Amendments, please indicate if you will rely on one or more of the following grounds:
A: A decision of a Council or Approval Authority is:
☐ Inconsistent with the Provincial Policy Statement issued under subsection 3(1) of the <i>Planning Act</i>
□ Fails to conform with or conflicts with a provincial plan
□ Fails to conform with an applicable Official Plan
And
B: For a non-decision or decision to refuse by council:
X Consistency with the provincial policy statement, issued under subsection 3(1) of the Planning Act
X Conformity with a provincial plan
X Conformity with the upper-tier municipality's Official Plan or an applicable Official Plan
If it is your intention to argue one or more of the above grounds, please explain your reasons:
See attached letter
Oral/Written submissions to council
Did you make your opinions regarding this matter known to council?
□ Oral submissions at a public meeting of council
□ Written submissions to council
X Not applicable
Related Matters
Are there other appeals not yet filed with the Municipality?
□ Yes X No
Are there other matters related to this appeal? (For example: A consent application connected to a variance application).
□ Yes X No
If yes, please provide the Ontario Land Tribunal Case Number(s) and/or Municipal File Number(s) for the related matters:

Section 3B - Other Planning Matters
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Appeal Specific Information (Continued)
Date application submitted to municipality if known (yyyy/mm/dd):
Date municipality deemed the application complete if known (yyyy/mm/dd):
Please briefly explain the proposal and describe the lands under appeal:
There are required documents and materials to be submitted to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT)
based on the type of legislation and section you are filing under. Please see the <u>Section 3B</u> <u>Checklist(s)</u> located <u>here</u> and submit all documents listed.
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Section 4A – Appeals under Environmental Legislation
Appeal Specific Information
Outline the grounds for the appeal and the relief requested:
Reference Number of the decision under appeal:

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Date of receipt of Decision or Director's Order (yyyy/mm/dd):
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Stay?
If Yes, outline the reasons for requesting a stay: (Tribunal's Guide to Stays can be viewed here)
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Checklist(s) located here and submit all documents listed on the checklist.
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Section 4B – Environmental Application for Leave to Appeal
Are you filing an Application for Leave to Appeal under the Environmental Bill of
Rights, 1993?
Identify the portions of the instrument you are seeking to appeal:
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Identify the grounds you are relying on for leave to appeal. Your grounds should include reasons why
there is good reason to believe that no reasonable person, having regard to the relevant law and to
any government policies developed to guide decisions of that kind could have made the decision; and
why the decision could result in significant harm to the environment:
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Outline the relief requested:

There are required documents and materials to be submitted to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT)
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List the Parcel and the Property Identifier Numbers (PIN), if rents or taxes apply to mining lands, if appropriate (mining claims only):						
Provide the date of the Decision of the Conservation Authority or the Provincial Mining Recorder, as appropriate:						
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City/Town:	City/Town: Province:			Country:	Postal	Code:
There are required documents and materials to be submitted to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT)						
based on the type of le Checklist(s) located he		-		under. Please see the	Section	<u>6</u>

### Section 7 - Filing Fee

Required Fee						
Please see the attached link to view the OLT Fee Chart.						
Total Fee Submit	ted:	\$2,200				
Payment Method		Certified Cheque		Money Order	X	Lawyer's general or trust account cheque
		Credit Card				
If you wish to pay	the	appeal fee(s) by	crec	dit card, please	che	ck the box above and OLT staff will
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INCLUDE YOUR	CR	EDIT CARD INFO	RM	IATION ON TH	IS F	ORM. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED TO
COMPLETE YOUR PAYMENT OVER THE PHONE.						
If a request for a fee reduction is being requested, please pay the minimum filing fee for each appeal						
and complete/submit the Fee Reduction request form.						
☐ Request for Fee Reduction form is attached (if applicable – see Appeal Form Guide for more information)						
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### Section 8 - Declaration (Mandatory)

#### Declaration

I solemnly declare that all the statements and the information provided, as well as any supporting documents, are true, correct and complete.

By signing this appeal form below, I consent to the collection of my personal information.

Name of Appellant/Representative	Signature of Appellant/Representative	Date (yyyy/mm/dd)
Ira Kagan	Iva Kagaa	2024/02/08

Personal information or documentation requested on this form is collected under the authority of the *Ontario Land Tribunal Act* and the legislation under which the proceeding is commenced. All information collected is included in the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) case file and the public record in this proceeding. In accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* and section 9 of the *Statutory Powers Procedure Act*, all information collected is available to the public subject to limited exceptions.

We are committed to providing services as set out in the *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005*. If you have any accessibility needs, please contact our Accessibility Coordinator at <a href="mailto:OLT.Coordinator@ontario.ca">OLT.Coordinator@ontario.ca</a> or toll free at 1-866-448-2248 as soon as possible.

### Section 9 – Filing Checklists (Mandatory)

### Filing/Submitting your form and documentation

You must file your Appeal Form with the appropriate authority(s) by the filing deadline.

If the completed Section is:	Refer to the relevant checklist and submit all documents listed on the checklist when filing your Appeal Form.
Section 3B	Review the Section 3B Checklist(s) and attach all listed documents.
Section 4A	Review the Section 4A Checklist(s) and attach all listed documents.
Section 4B	Review the Section 4B Checklist(s) and attach all listed documents.

If the completed Section is:	You must file with the following:				
Section 3A	*If you are filing under the Ontario Heritage Act, including under s. 34.1(1), please carefully review the specific section of that legislation to determine if your appeal needs to be filed with the Tribunal in addition to the Municipality or Approval Authority.				
Section 3A & 3B or Section 4A or Section 4B or Section 6	Ontario Land Tribunal 655 Bay Street, Suite 1500 Toronto, ON M5G 1E5	Phone: 416-212-6349   1-866-448- 2248 Website: <u>www.olt.gov.on.ca</u>			
Section 5	For the Areas of:  Dufferin County (Mono)  Region of Halton  Region of Peel  Region of Niagara	For the Areas of:  Bruce County  Grey County  Simcoe County  Dufferin County (Mulmur, Melancthon)			

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**NOTE:** Please review the notice of the decision you are appealing to determine the appeal deadline and the specific official with whom the appeal should be filed (e.g. Secretary-Treasurer, Clerk, Minister, Ontario Land Tribunal).

**NOTE:** Relevant portions of the applicable legislation should be reviewed before submitting this form. Please ensure that a copy of this Appeal Form is served in accordance with the requirements of the applicable legislation.

APPENDIX C

#### DRAFT

### **Urban Hamilton Official Plan**

Amendment No.

The following text constitutes Official Plan Amendment No. \_\_\_\_\_ to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan.

#### 1.0 Purpose and Effect:

The purpose and effect of this Amendment is to modify Site-Specific Policy Area D for the lands located at 17 Ewen Road, to permit a 10-storey student residence with a maximum density of 359 units (545 bedrooms).

#### 2.0 Location:

The lands affected by this Amendment are known municipally as 17 Ewen Road, within the former City of Hamilton.

#### 3.0 <u>Basis:</u>

The basis for permitting this Amendment is:

- The requested density increase is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement 2020 and conforms to A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe, 2020;
- The proposed development conforms to the Urban Hamilton Official Plan with the exception of the maximum density; and
- The proposed development will serve the Ainslie Wood Westdale community
  by providing new purpose-built student housing that will add housing choice
  to students in proximity to McMaster University as well as active transportation
  infrastructure, public transit networks, and commercial amenities, health
  services, and public service infrastructure.

#### 4.0 Actual Changes:

#### 4.1 <u>Text Changes</u>

Urban Hamilton Official Plan Volume 2, Chapter B, Specific Policy – Area D, Policy B.6.2.17.4 b) is deleted and replaced with the following:

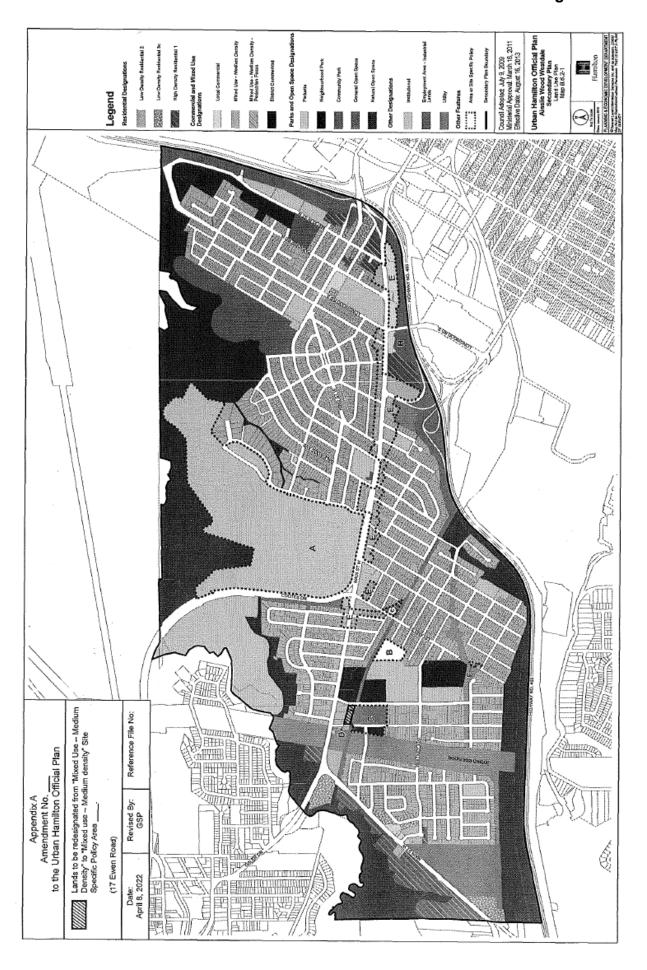
b) a student residence with a maximum of 359 units (545 bedrooms) shall be permitted;

### 5.0 Implementation:

An implementing Zoning By-law Amendment and Site Plan will give effect to the intended use on the subject lands.

This Official Plan Amendment is day of, 2023.	Schedule "1" to By-law No passed on th
	The
	City of Hamilton
MAYOR	CITY CLERK

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#### APPENDIX D

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

# To Amend Zoning By-law No. 6593 (Hamilton), respecting lands located at 17 Ewen Road

WHEREAS the <u>City of Hamilton Act, 1999</u>, Statutes of Ontario, 1999 Chap. 14, Sch. C. did incorporate, as of January 1, 2001, the municipality "City of Hamilton";

AND WHEREAS the City of Hamilton is the successor to certain area municipalities, including the former municipality known as the "The Corporation of the City of Hamilton and is the successor to the former Regional Municipality, namely, "The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth":

**AND WHEREAS** the City of Hamilton Act, 1999, provides that the Zoning By-laws and Official Plans of the former area municipalities and the Official Plan of the former regional municipality continue in force in the City of Hamilton until subsequently amended or repealed by the Council of the City of Hamilton:

AND WHEREAS the Council of the City of Hamilton passed Zoning By-law No. 6593 (Hamilton) on the 25th day of July 1950, which by-law was approved by the Ontario Municipal Board by Order dated the 7th day of December 1951, (File No. P.F.C. 3821);

**AND WHEREAS** this By-law will be in conformity with the Urban Hamilton Official Plan under the <u>Planning Act</u>, upon approval by the Ontario Municipal Board of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan, as modified;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Hamilton enacts as follows:

- That Sheet No. W-46 of the District Maps, appended to and forming part of By-law No. 6593 (Hamilton), is amended by changing the zoning from the "J/S-1552" (Light and Limited Heavy Industry, Etc.) District, Modified, to the "E-3" High Density Multiple Residential) District, Modified, on the lands the extent and boundaries of which are shown on the plans hereto annexed as Schedule "A".
- That the "E-3" (High Density Multiple Residential) District regulations, as contained in Section 11C of Zoning By-law No. 6593, be modified to include the following special requirements:
  - (a) That notwithstanding Section 11C.(1) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, the following use shall be the only permitted:
    - (i) A "Student Residence"
  - (b) For the purposes of this By-law, a "Student Residence" shall be defined as:
    - "Student Residence" means the whole of any multiple dwelling designed for accommodating students and consisting of **Dwelling Units**, each providing up to 5 bedrooms for hire or gain directly or indirectly that does not have the exclusive use of both a kitchen and a bathroom with the exception of bachelor and one-bedroom

- units for which exclusive use of both a kitchen and bathroom shall be permitted. The building may also include common areas."
- (c) That notwithstanding Section 11C (1a) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, the height of a building or structure shall not exceed 10-storeys and 35 metres.
- (d) That notwithstanding Section 11C(2) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, the following yards shall be required:
  - A westerly yard (Ewen Road) having a depth of not less than 2.1 metres adjacent to a building height of 22.3 metres (7 storeys); 5.9 metres adjacent to a building height of 24 metres (8 storeys); and 11.39 metres adjacent to a building height of 35 metres (10 storeys), shall be provided and maintained for all buildings and structures.
  - A northerly yard having a depth of not less than 12 metres shall be provided and maintained for all buildings and structures.
  - 3) A southerly yard having a depth of not less than 3.0 metres shall be provided and maintained for all buildings and structures.
  - 4) An easterly yard (Rifle Range Road) having a depth of not less than 2.1 metres adjacent to a building height of 22.3 metres (7 storeys); and 13.7 metres adjacent to a building height of 35 metres (10 storeys), shall be provided and maintained for all buildings and structures.
- (e) That notwithstanding Section 11C(4) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, no buildings or structures shall have a total Gross Floor Area of more than 19,000m² plus 4,234m² below grade parking structure totaling 23,234m².
- (f) That notwithstanding Section 11C(5) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, there shall be provided and maintained at least 15% of the area of the lot as landscaped area.
- (g) That notwithstanding Section 18A. (1) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, the minimum parking ratio shall be 0.25 parking spaces per bedroom inclusive of visitor parking;
- (h) That notwithstanding Section 18A. (1)(c) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, no loading spaces shall be required.
- (i) That notwithstanding Section 18A. (14g) of Zoning By-law No. 6593, required parking shall be permitted in a required front yard.
- That no vehicular access or egress shall be provided to Ewen Road.
- (k) That the maximum density shall be 359 units including a maximum of 545 bedrooms.
- That the principal pedestrian entrance shall be from/to Rifle Range Road.
- (m) That no communal outdoor amenity areas and no rooftop amenity area shall be permitted.
- 3. 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 "E-3" (High Density Multiple Residential) District provisions, subject to the special requirements referred to in Sections 2 and 3.
- That By-law No. 6593 (Hamilton) is amended by adding this by-law to Section 19B as Schedule S-169.

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5.	That Sheet No. W-46 of the District Maps is amended by marking the lands referred in
	Section 1 of this By-law as S-1609.

6.	That the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to proceed with the giving of notice of the
	passing of this By-law, in accordance with the Planning Act.

PASSED	and	<b>ENACTED</b>	this	day of	, 2023
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