# 5219 Upper Middle Road, Burlington



### **Statutory Public Meeting**

October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 6:30pm

**Burlington City Hall Council Chambers** 

City File No. 520-05/17



## **Team Members**

















# **Subject Lands**





Context Map

Aerial Photograph of Subject Lands



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# **Revised Development Proposal**

- · A reduction in the total number of units.
- Incorporation of single-detached dwellings to transition to the existing adjacent single detached dwellings.
- Improvements to the proposed landscaping with a focus on screening and buffering to the existing adjacent single-detached dwellings.
- · Increase in driveway lengths to accommodate larger vehicles.
- · Combining the south townhouse buildings to create one block.
- Increased side-yards to allow for easy homeowner and public utilities access; and
- Addition of a walkway to Upper Middle Road to improve pedestrian connections and circulation.



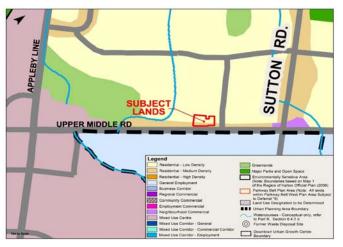


# City of Burlington Official Plan (2015)

### Official Plan Land Use Designation

### **Residential Areas:**

- The Official Plan designates the lands as Low and Medium Density Residential.
- Residential-Medium Density areas include ground or non-ground oriented housing units with a density ranging between 26 and 50 units per net hectare.
- Permitted uses include detached and semidetached homes, townhouses, street townhouses and stacked townhouses, back to back townhouses, attached housing and walk-up apartments.



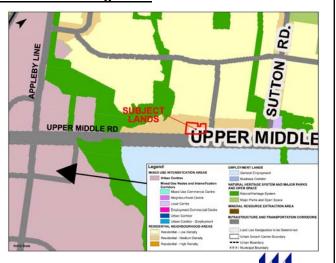


# Draft City of Burlington Official Plan (2017)

### **Draft Official Plan Land Use Designation**

### **Medium Low Density:**

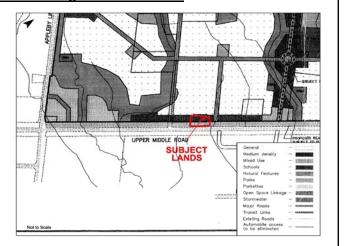
- Single-detached, semi-detached, townhouses, street townhouses, stacked townhouses, back-to-back townhouses and low rise buildings.
- 26 to 75 units per hectare.
- Maximum height 3 storeys for ground-orientated dwellings.



# Orchard Community Secondary Plan

### **Secondary Plan Land Use Designation & Policies**

- The Orchard Community Secondary Plan designates the subject lands as 'Medium Density Residential'
- The Medium Density designation permits primarily ground-orientated attached housing to be developed along the transit corridors as per Section 7.1
- Urban Design Principles:
  - Encourage the use of the front of houses to spur social interaction on the street and safety and security of neighbourhood (e.g. porches, front yard terraces, etc.);
  - Consider reduced front yard setbacks;
  - Provide a mix of residential densities, ownership, price and building types throughout the community to ensure affordability and social mix;
  - Provide affordable housing in accordance with City of Burlington policy





# City of Burlington Zoning By-law 2020

# Zoned 'D – Development Zone' and 'RM3-138 – Residential Medium Density 3 Zone'

### **Zoning Regulations for RM3 Zone**

**Existing Zoning Permissions** 

Regulation	Stacked Townhouse Apartment Building	Back to Back Townhouse	Community Institution Lodge, Fraternity, Private Club	
Lot Width	30 m	45 m	18 m	
Lot Area	.4 ha	0.4 ha	.1 ha	
Front Yard	7.5 m (n)	75 m (a)	7.5 m (a)	
Rear Yard	9 m	9 m	9 m	
Side Yard	45 m	4.5 m	4.5 m	
Street Side Yard	6 m	6 m	6 m	
Yard abutting R1, R2, R3 zone	12 m	12 m	12 m	
Density	25 units/ha minimum 50 units/ha maximum	50 units per hectare maximum		
Floor Area Ratio	***	***	1.25.1 maximum	
Amenity Area	25 m <sup>2</sup> for each bedroom in a unit 15 m <sup>2</sup> for each efficiency unit	25 m² / unit (b)		
Privacy Area	10 m² per unit	(c)		



# Proposed Zoning By-law Amendment

The proposed zoning amendment application seeks to rezone the existing 'D' Development and RM3-138 zones to Orchard Residential 2 with site specific exceptions (RO2-XXX).

Minimum	RO2 Townhouse	RO2-XXX Townhouse Original Submission	RO2-XXX Townhouse Revised Plan	Compliance
Lot Area	145 m²	125.63 m <sup>2</sup>	-	no
Lot Width	4.8 m	4.76 m	5.50 m	yes
Front Yard	6 m	3 m	4.6 m	no
Side Yard	3 m; 1.2 m	0.6 m; 1.2 m	1.2 m; 1.2 m	no
Rear yard	6 m	4.6 m	3 m	yes
Height	2 storey maximum	3 storey	3 storey/ 11.5 m	no*
Parking	2 spaces per unit	2 spaces per unit	-	yes
Visitors Parking	0.50 spaces per unit	0.35 spaces per unit	-	no



# Proposed Zoning By-law Amendment cont'd

Minimum	RO2 Semi- Detached	RO2-XXX Semi- Detached Original Submission	RO2-XXX Semi- Detached Revised Plan	Compliance
Lot Area	200 m <sup>2</sup>	119 m²/unit	138. m²	no
Lot Width	6.5 m/unit	5.5 m	6.7 m	yes
Front Yard	3 m	3 m	5.94 m	yes
Side Yard	3 m; 1.2 m	0.6 m; 1.2 m	1.2 m; 1.2 m	yes
Rear yard	6 m	3 m	-	yes
Parking	2 spaces per unit	2 spaces per unit	-	yes

Minimum	RO2 Single Detached	RO2-XXX Single Detached Original Submission	RO2-XXX Single Detached Revised Plan	Compliance
Lot Area	250 m <sup>2</sup>	-	286 m <sup>2</sup>	yes
Lot Width	7.5 m/unit	-	15 m	yes
Front Yard	3 m	-	3.0 m	yes
Side Yard	1.2 m	-	1.2 m; 1.2 m	yes
Rear yard	6 m	-	6.0 m	yes
Parking	2 spaces per unit	-	2 spaces per unit	yes



# Revisions to the Original Submission

- 20 total residential dwelling units:
  - 2 single-detached units located on a proposed public cul-de-sac.
  - 4 semi-detached units located on a proposed public cul-de-sac.
  - 14 condominium townhomes located on a 6m private condo laneway.
- The condominium townhouse block includes two buildings ranging from six to eight units.
- The hammerhead provides safe vehicular movement and appropriate turning radius for municipal service and maintenance vehicles.
- Two parking spaces (required) will be provided per unit.
   0.35 vs 0.5 visitor spaces will be provided for condo townhouses.
- Net density of 45 UPH after road widening.
- Upper Middle units are considered dual frontage, similar to townhouse units south on Appleby Ln.



# Units and Building Type

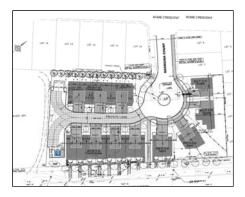
### **Original Submission**

- 22 Total Units
- 8 semi-detached dwellings
- 14 townhouse units
- 3 townhouse blocks
- 50.3 UPH (net)



### **Revised Plan**

- 20 Total Units
- 2 single-detached dwellings
- 4 semi-detached dwellings
- 14 townhouse units 2 townhouse blocks
- 45 UPH (net)

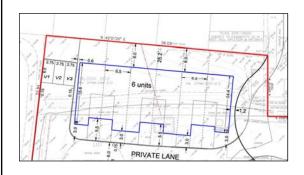




# Landscaping & Buffering

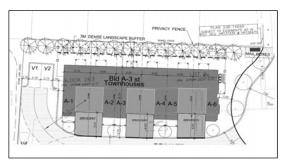
### **Original Submission**

• 6 metre setback to existing adjacent residential dwellings to the north.



### **Revised Plan**

• 6 metre building setback with 3 metre dense landscape buffer.

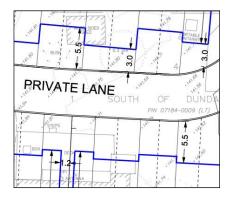




# **Driveway Lengths**

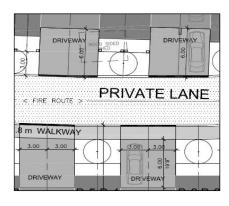
### **Original Submission**

• 5.5 metre proposed driveway lengths



### **Revised Plan**

• 6.0 metre proposed driveway lengths to accommodate larger vehicles





# **Condominium Blocks**

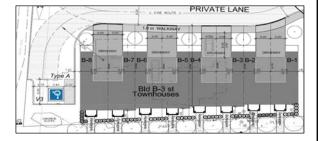
### **Original Submission**

 2 condominium blocks of 4 units (south side of the private laneway)



### **Revised Plan**

- 1 condominium block of 8 units
- Improved side yard conditions to the proposed visitor parking to the west





# Pedestrian Walkway

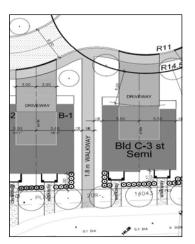
### **Original Submission**

 No pedestrian connection from Georgina Court to Upper Middle Road.



### **Revised Plan**

- 1.8 metre laneway extending from Georgina Court to Upper Middle Road
- Improves pedestrian connectivity and circulation





## **Supporting Studies:**

The following studies and reports were submitted in support of the application:

- Planning Justification Report;
- · Tree Inventory and Preservation Plan;
- · Arborist Report;
- Functional Servicing Report;
- Environmental Noise Assessment;
- Traffic Impact Assessment;
- Land Use Compatibility (Air, Noise, Odour Dust) Assessment
- · Environmental Site Assessment; and
- · Urban Design Brief.















