Special Council, August 7, 2024 PL-64-24 Staff presentation

# Statutory Public Meeting and Recommendation Report Applications to amend the Official Plan and Zoning By-law

- Applicant: MHBC Planning for 2621458 Ontario Inc. (North Stone Capital Partners)
- Address: 1393 Graham's Lane
- Ward: 2
- File: 505-01/24, 520-04/24
- Date: August 7, 2024
- Report: PL-64-24



## **Overview of Development Site**



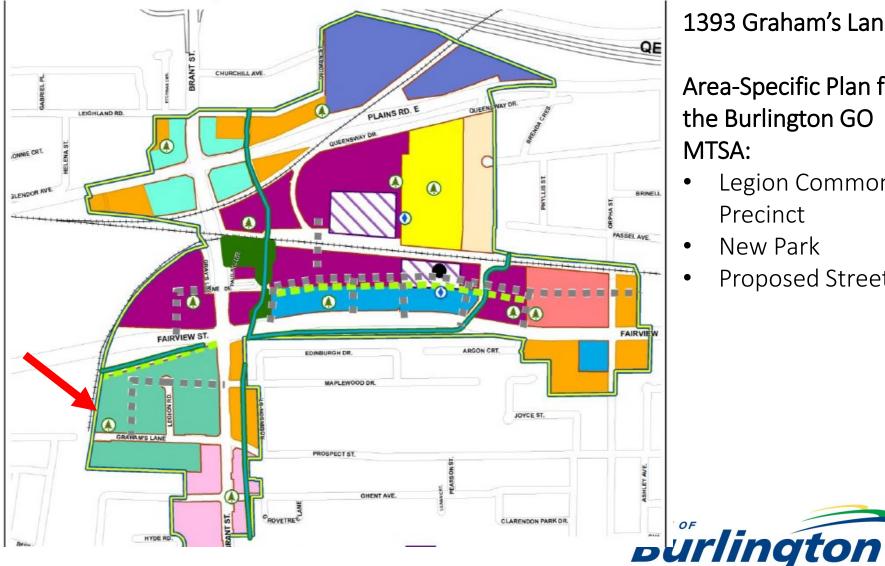
#### 1393 Graham's Lane

Site Area: 1.08 hectares Existing zoning: MXE

**Existing Official Plan designation:** Mixed-Use Corridor – Employment

New Official Plan: Urban Corridor -Employment

## **Major Transit Station Area**



1393 Graham's Lane

Area-Specific Plan for the Burlington GO MTSA:

- Legion Commons Precinct
- New Park
- **Proposed Street**

# **Application History**

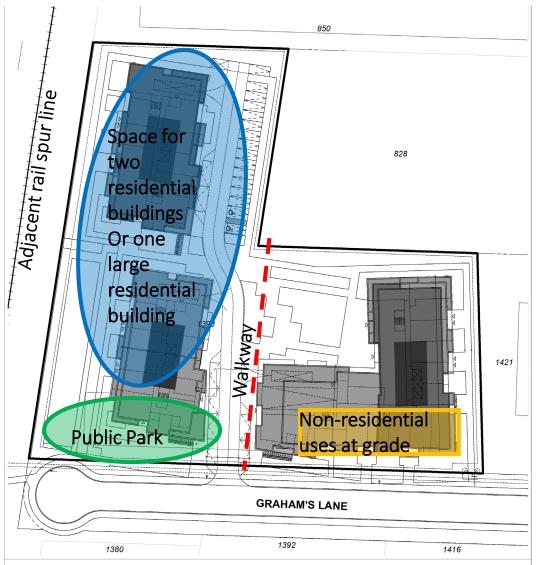
- Pre-Application Community Meeting: September 25, 2023
- Application Deemed Complete: April 25, 2024
- Preliminary Public Notice: May 2024
- Notice of Statutory Public Meeting and Recommendation Report: July 5, 2024
- Statutory Public Meeting: August 7, 2024

# **Applicant's Proposal**



- Redesignate and rezone to permit residential uses
- Three single-use residential buildings
- Building A: 16 storeys
- Building B: 9 storeys
- Building C: 20 storeys
- (Heights exclude mechanical penthouse)
- Bulky buildings (>950m<sup>2</sup> at upper levels)
- 722 dwelling units
- Privately Owned, Publiclyaccessible Space (POPS) of 984m<sup>2</sup> alongside railway

# **Staff's Recommended Modifications**



- Addition of non-residential uses along Graham's Lane
- Public park (1000m2) at front of property (zoned P)
- One or two residential buildings behind park
- Walkway across site
- Buildings less bulky at upper levels (max floorplate 800m2)
- Holding symbol to address outstanding technical matters
- No change to applicant's proposed maximum heights or dwelling unit count

### **Recommended Amendments**

	Applicant Request	Staff Recommendation (Modified)
Official Plan Amendment	<ul> <li>Redesignate from Mixed-Use Corridor         <ul> <li>Employment to Mixed-Use Corridor</li> <li>General</li> </ul> </li> <li>Site-specific policies:         <ul> <li>Allow single-use residential</li> <li>Max. FAR 4.25:1</li> <li>Max. height 20 storeys (excluding mechanical)</li> <li>Classify as Class 4 area for noise</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Redesignate from Mixed-Use Corridor – Employment to Mixed-Use Corridor – General</li> <li>Site-specific policies:         <ul> <li>Require mixed uses</li> <li>Max. FAR 5.4:1</li> <li>Max. height 21 storeys (including mechanical)</li> <li>City may take public-access easements</li> <li>Parkland dedication per City by-law</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Zoning By-law Amendment	<ul> <li>Rezone MXE to MXG-XXX</li> <li>Max. FAR 4.25:1</li> <li>Max. height 20 storeys (excluding mechanical)</li> <li>Reduced min. parking</li> <li>Site-specific built form regulations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Rezone MXE to H-P and H-MXG-545</li> <li>Max. FAR 5.4:1</li> <li>Max. height 21 storeys (including mechanical)</li> <li>No min. parking</li> <li>Site-specific built form regulations</li> <li>Require walkway across site</li> <li>Holding symbols to address outstanding technical matters</li> </ul>

## **Summary of Recommendation**

- Modified approval of applications
- Approve Official Plan Amendment 152;
- Approve Zoning By-law Amendment 2020.484;
- Delegate to staff the authority to deem the site a Class 4 area for noise

• Detailed recommendation in report PL-64-24