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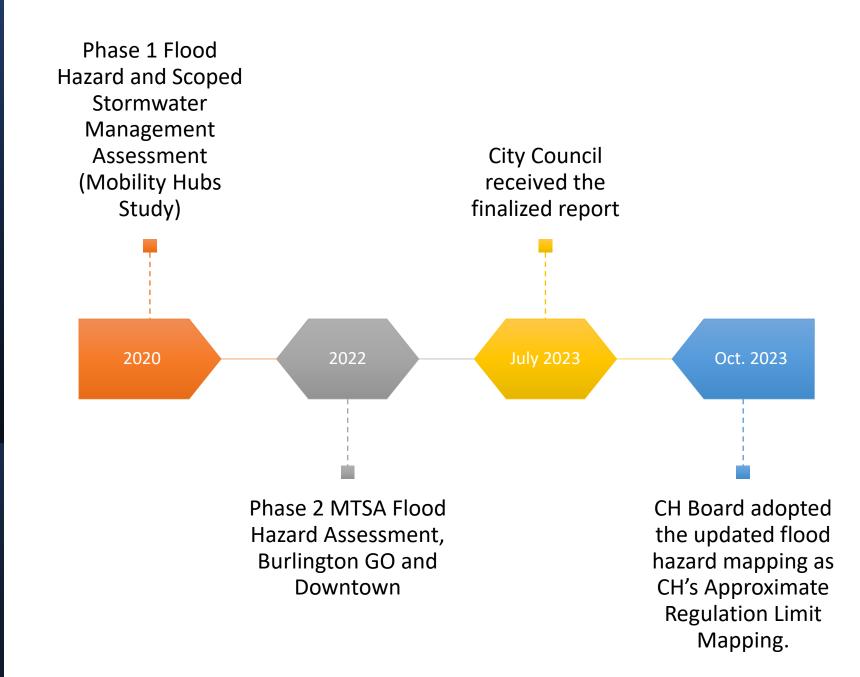
# Flood Hazard Impacts and Mitigation Assessment

# Committee of the Whole Dec 2, 2024

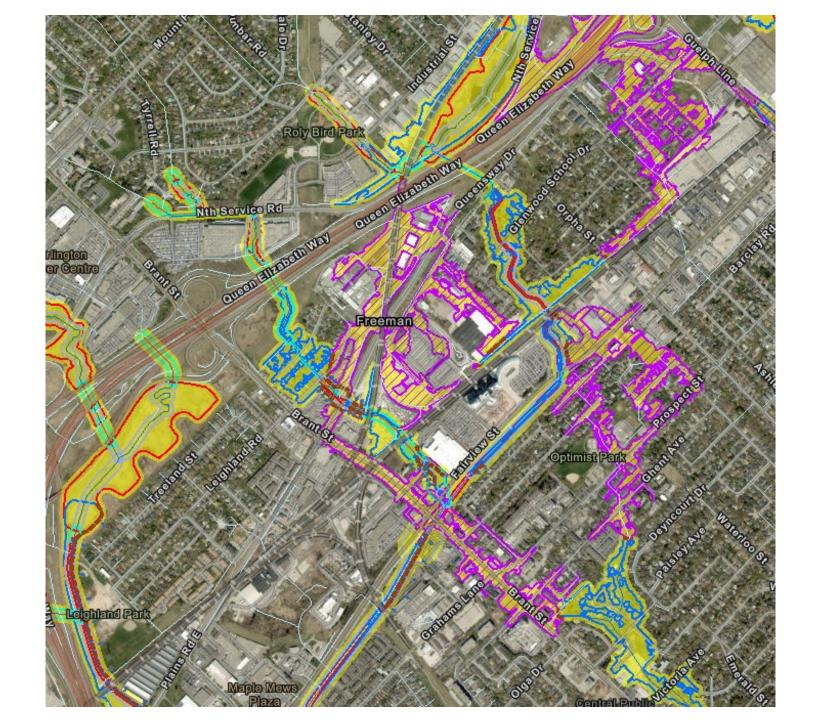
City of Burlington & Conservation Halton "A Combined Effort"

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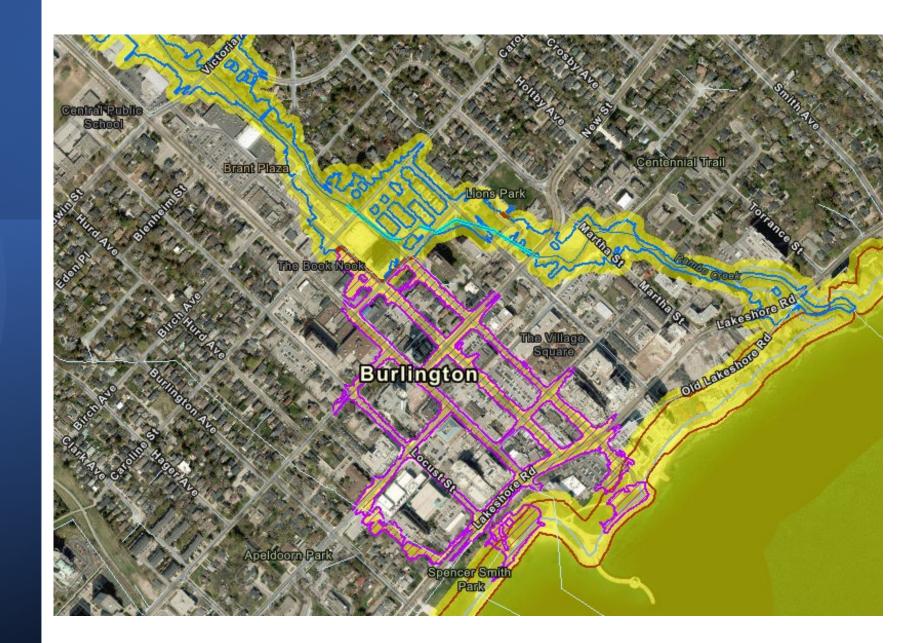
### Background & Phase 2 Flood Study



Flood Hazards in the Burlington GO MTSA



Flood Hazards in the Burlington Downtown



Flood Hazard Impacts and Mitigation Assessment

Part 1

#### 2023 - Initiated impact analysis

Purpose of the analysis was to identify potential infrastructure upgrades that could minimize flood hazards.

Divided into 4 areas for study.

## Study Area

- City of Burlington:
  - Phase 1a
  - Phase 2

- Conservation Halton:
- Phase 1b
- Phase 3



#### Impact Assessment Approach

Various iterations were examined to identify infrastructure upgrade alternatives in all 4 phases.

The following potential upgrades were suggested for more detailed engineering assessment.

Rambo Creek: culvert upgrades identified north of Fairview St

East Rambo Creek: channel upgrade north of Fairview St.

- Hager-Rambo Diversion Channel: further assessment necessary for channel capacity, culverts and bridges.
- Downtown: Rambo Creek channel and/or creek enclosure upgrades.

#### Sequencing of upgrades very important.

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Part 2

2023 - Initiated focused impact analysis, specifically for Rambo Creek in the Downtown.

Purpose of the analysis was to identify potential alternatives for infrastructure upgrades that could minimize flood hazards and possibly proceed in the near future.

#### Next Steps

Continue updating Flood Hazards mapping

Continue to engage with the Development Community

Rambo Creek – Downtown Flood Mitigation Environmental Assessment

Stormwater Master Plan

Hydrologic & Hydraulic watershed modelling updates
Further assessment of stormwater infrastructure

City and CH staff are committed to working together on the next steps and any further initiatives that are identified through this continued work.