Premier Gateway Phase 1B Employment Area



Integrated Planning Project

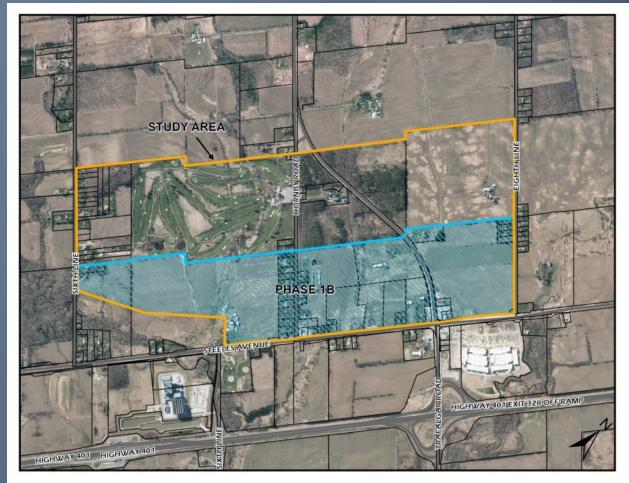


Study Background

- Secondary Planning Study to develop land use policies, designations, and zoning for Phase 1B lands.
 - Intend to also identify and include <u>up to 75</u> ha (180 acres) of additional employment land to replace total land lost to corridor protection.
 - Development of lands has been re-phased for 2021 time horizon.
- Consultant Team led by Macaulay Shiomi Howson Ltd. with Amec Foster Wheeler, Brook McIlroy and other sub consultants.
- Timeframe: 24-36 months to complete (December 2017).



Study Area





Study Phases

Phase 1 -Completed **Project Project Charter** Work Program **Project Initiation** Initiation **Identify Location** Initiation of Phase 2A of up 75 ha of ROPA/OPA to Underway Background Conditions Existing Additional add Additional **Employment** Land to Urban Conditions Land Area Phase 2B -Scoped Scoped **Underway** Subwatershed Subwatershed Study Study Phase 3 -Supporting **Planning** Studies Study Phase 4 -4A -4B - Preferred Land Use Recommended Land Use Plan Land Use Option **Planning** 5A - Draft OPA, 5B - Final Phase 5 – ZBA, Urban Approval of Plan Secondary Design & Amendments Plan Guidelines



Deliverables

- Deliverables Include:
 - Regional & local Official Plan Amendments to add additional 75 ha or portion thereof to Urban Area
 - A Secondary Plan for area (which includes the additional 75 ha of land or portion thereof)
 - Zoning By-law amendment to zone the lands in accordance with Secondary Plan
 - Scoped Subwatershed Study for the Study Area
 - Urban Design Guidelines for the Secondary Plan Area



Committees

- Technical Advisory Committee
 - Town, Region, Conservation Halton, MTO, Halton Hills Hydro, MNR
- Steering Committee
 - Mayor Bonnette, Councillors Lewis (Chair) & Brown
 - Councillor Somerville as alternate
 - Citizen Reps: Erik Kowal, Ken Lawday, John Roskam
 - Land Owner Reps: David Vrhovnik, Bert Arnold
 - HHH: Amy Douglas
 - Sustainability: Linda Bischoff

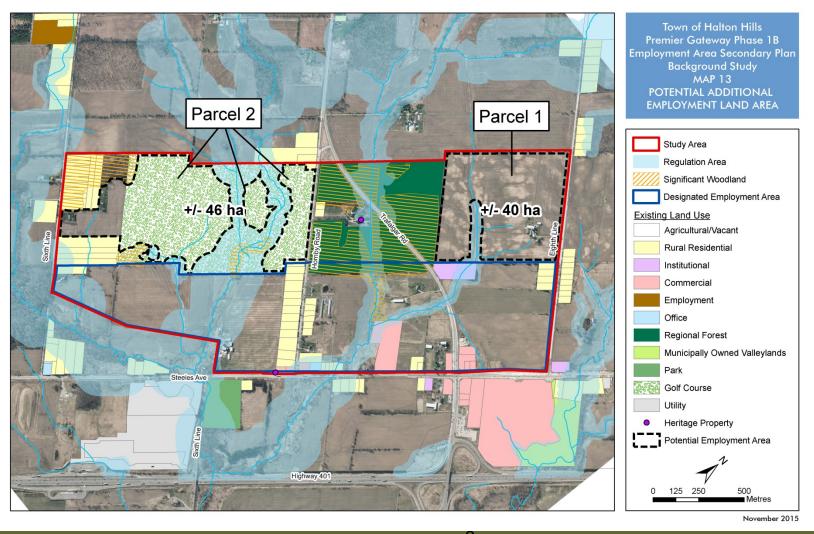


Community Engagement

- 1st Public Open House was held on November 26th at Hornby Glen
 - Presented Background Report
 - 75-80 people in attendance
 - Boards, Priorities Exercise & Presentation
 - Identified options for location of additional 75 ha.
- Public Comments/Concerns:
 - Environmental Feature Mapping
 - More vs. Less
 - Ongoing Concerns with Region of Halton
 - Wells, servicing, traffic, construction
 - Support for Study
 - Land owners with development interests
 - Residential Property Owner Concerns
 - Loss of rural/hamlet lifestyle and living adjacent to Employment Uses
 - "Expropriation" and being forced to move
 - Explained that this is not the case.
 - 4 written comments received following meeting



Background Report





Planning Considerations

- GTA West Delay
 - Suspension of process until Spring 2016
- 75 ha of Additional Employment Lands
 - Where and how much?
 - Preliminary environmental review to be completed in January 2016
 - Information needed to propose location of up to 75 ha
- Scoped Subwatershed Study
 - Working with Conservation Halton and the Region of Halton to refine the Regional Natural Heritage System



Planning Considerations

- Land Use Compatibility Analysis
 - OPA 10 policies recognize existing residential uses/concentrations
 - Minimize and mitigate conflict through: setbacks, landscaping, berming, permitted uses, road configuration etc.
- Vision for Phase 1B Area
 - Prestige Industrial/Office Park vs. Logistics/Warehousing
 - Urban Design Guidelines to consider and develop vision.
- Transportation & Servicing
 - Future road configuration, access points and entrances
 - Region of Halton to focus on this area for water and sewer Area Servicing Plan



Next Steps

- Council Workshop February 1, 2016
 - Presentation of Background Report
- Scoped Subwatershed Study
 - Characterization Report (Draft) February 2016
- Report To Council- March 2016
 - Background Report and recommended location of additional 75 ha
- Phase 3 Detailed Planning Studies
 - Now underway: Agricultural Impact Study, Transportation Study, etc.
- Next Open House June 2016
 - Draft Land Use Option
 - Workshop format



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