

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Part 6357 Progress Street

Assessment Roll No.: 272511000118611

Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment & Draft Plan of Subdivision

Modification Applications - City Files: AM-2024-027 & 26T-11-2019-001

Owner: Centennial Homes (Niagara) Inc.

Agent: Upper Canada Consultants (William Heikoop)

COUNCIL MEETING

Public Meetings may be attended remotely and electronically or in person.

A Public Meeting of Council has been scheduled for:

Date: Tuesday, April 8th, 2025 Time: Public Meetings start at 5:00 PM

The Public Meeting will take place in accordance with Council's agenda.

Place: Council Chambers, City Hall, 4310 Queen Street

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Any public individual/group interested in making comments on the applications or viewing and/or participating in this meeting are encouraged to use the methods noted further below.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS & MODIFICATIONS

Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, and Draft Plan of Subdivision Modification applications have been submitted to facilitate the development of 626 dwelling units, consisting of 175 detached dwellings and 451 townhouse dwellings, along with parkland, open space, access/trail blocks, public roads, areas for environmental protection, and a stormwater management facility.



The subject lands are designated Residential,

Low/Medium Density, in part, Open Space, in part, and Environmental Protection Area, in part, in accordance with the City's Official Plan and the Riverfront Community Plan. The applicant is proposing to redesignate part of the lands that are designated Residential, Low/Medium Density to Open Space, and part of the lands designated Open Space to Residential, Low/Medium Density. No changes are proposed to the lands that are currently designated Environmental Protection Area.

The subject lands are zoned Residential Low Density, Group Multiple Dwelling (R4-1133) Zone, in part, Residential Low Density, Group Multiple Dwelling (R4-1134) Zone, in part, Environmental Protection Area (EPA-1136) Zone, in part, and Open Space (OS) Zone, in part, in accordance with Zoning By-law No. 79-200, as amended by By-law No. 2020-124. The applicant is proposing to rezone the lands to a site-specific Residential Mixed (R3) Zone, in part, a new site-specific

Residential Low Density, Group Multiple Dwelling (R4) Zone, in part, and a site-specific Open Space (OS) Zone, in part. No changes are proposed to the lands that are currently zoned Environmental Protection Area (EPA-1136) Zone.

The proposed modifications to the approved Draft Plan of Subdivision include reconfiguration and relocation of the roads and blocks for parkland, stormwater management, and residential purposes, the addition of a block for multiple residential development, and the removal of a block for mixed-use development.

Following the Public Information Open House on December 5th, 2024, the applicant made minor modifications to the proposed applications. The following additional modifications are proposed, which are reflected on Schedules 1, 2 and 3:

- Elimination of the multi-use trail block adjacent to the railway line. Instead, Street E has been widened to accommodate a multi-use trail on one side;
- Relocation of one of two multi-use trail blocks between Phase 1 and Phase 2. The block has been shifted northward to align with the north side of Street E;
- Establishment of a new multi-use trail block between Phase 2 and Phase 3. The block will also align with the north side of Street E;
- Elimination of Street F and the resulting reconfiguration of some surrounding blocks. This elimination reduced the total number of units by 6; and
- Elimination of the servicing/pedestrian accessway located on the north side of Street D. This has been replaced with servicing easements.

HAVE YOUR SAY

Public input on the applications is invited. Written comments are the preferred method of receiving public input. Written comments may be sent by mail or email. You can also provide oral input by joining the electronic meeting or by attending in person.

WRITTEN SUBMISSION

Please provide written input or request notice of Council's decision by mailing your comments to the Planning, Building & Development Department, City Hall, 4310 Queen Street, Niagara Falls, Ontario, L2E 6X5 or by sending an email to mceci@niagarafalls.ca. Comments are preferred to be provided before noon on **Friday, April 4th, 2025** to be included in Council's agenda package.

ORAL SUBMISSION

To participate remotely and electronically or in person at the Public Meeting, please pre-register with the City Clerk by sending an email to billmatson@niagarafalls.ca before 4:30 PM on **Monday**, **April 7th**, **2025**. All registrants who indicate they wish to attend remotely and electronically will be provided with instructions on how to participate in the Public Meeting using an electronic platform. Registrants will also be notified of Council's Decision.

VIEW THE MEETING

The Public Meeting can be live-streamed on the City's webpage of the Council Meeting Schedule at https://niagarafalls.ca/city-hall/council/schedule.aspx on the day of the event. The meeting will also be archived on the same webpage for viewing after the event.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information, please contact Mackenzie Ceci, Senior Planner (Current Development) at (905) 356-7521, extension 4364, between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM or by email anytime at mceci@niagarafalls.ca. A copy of the Planning, Building & Development Department's Recommendation Report on the applications will be available at https://niagarafalls.ca/city-hall/council/schedule.aspx after 4:00 PM the Thursday before the meeting.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sections 17 and 34 of the *Planning Act*

In accordance with Bill 185, which received Royal Assent on June 6th, 2024, the Minister, the applicant, or a specified person, public body, or registered owner of any land to which the Official Plan Amendment/By-law will apply, who made oral submissions at a Public Meeting or written submissions to the Council of the City of Niagara Falls prior to the adoption of the Official Plan Amendment and/or passage of the By-law, may appeal the Official Plan Amendment and/or the By-law to the Ontario Land Tribunal. **Third-party appeals are no longer permitted.**

If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the City of Niagara Falls to the Ontario Land Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at a Public Meeting or make written submissions to the City of Niagara Falls before the Official Plan Amendment is adopted or the By-law is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a Public Meeting or make written submissions to the City of Niagara Falls before the Official Plan Amendment is adopted or the Bylaw is passed, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Land Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

Section 51 of the Planning Act

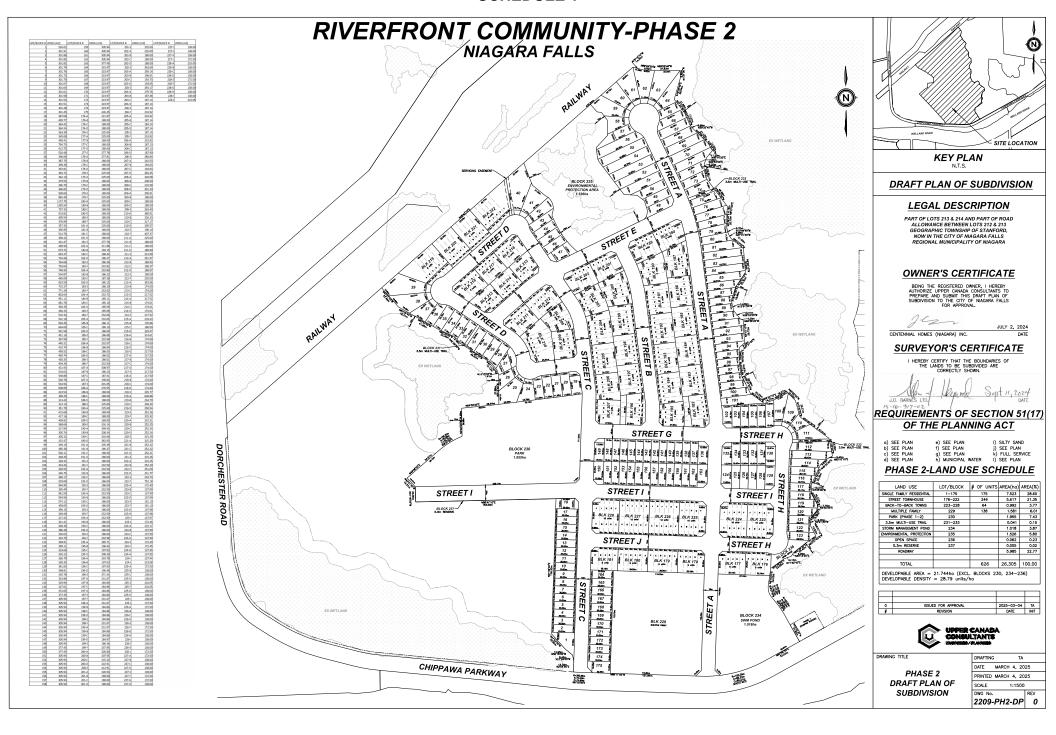
The applicant, Minister of Municipal Affairs, a public body or specified person as defined by the *Planning Act* can appeal a decision of Council to the Ontario Land Tribunal for the Draft Plan of Subdivision. However, if such specified person or public body does not make written submissions to the City of Niagara Falls before the City of Niagara Falls gives or refuses to give approval to the Draft Plan of Subdivision, the specified person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of the Niagara Falls City Council to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

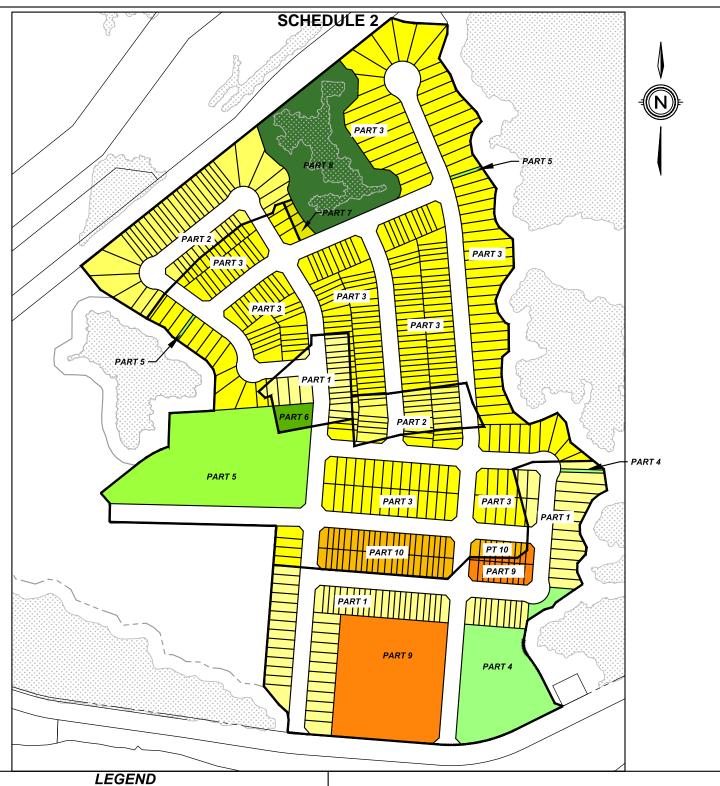
If a specified person or public body does not make written submissions to the City of Niagara Falls in respect to the Draft Plan of Subdivision before the City of Niagara Falls gives or refuses to give approval to the Draft Plan of Subdivision, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Land Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

If you rent your property to seven (7) or more tenants, please post a copy of this notice in a location on your property which is visible to all of the residents.

Dated at the City of Niagara Falls this 18th day of March, 2025.

SCHEDULE 1





ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-1134) TO RESIDENTIAL MIXED ZONE SITE SPECIFIC (R3-XXXX)

PART 2 - ZONING: OPEN SPACE (OS) TO RESIDENTIAL MIXED ZONE SITE SPECIFIC (R3-XXXX)

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PART 3 - ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-1133) TO RESIDENTIAL MIXED ZONE SITE SPECIFIC (R3-XXXX)

ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE

PART 4 - ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (PA-1134) TO OPEN SPACE SITE SPECIFIC (OS-XXXX)

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PART 6 - ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-1134) TO OPEN SPACE SITE SPECIFIC (OS-XXXX)

ZONING: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AREA SITE SPECIFIC (EPA-1136) TO

PART 7 - ZONING: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AREA SITE SPECIFIC (EPA-1136) TO RESIDENTIAL MIXED ZONE SITE SPECIFIC (R3-XXXX)

PART 8 - ZONING: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AREA SITE SPECIFIC (EPA-1136) TO REMAIN

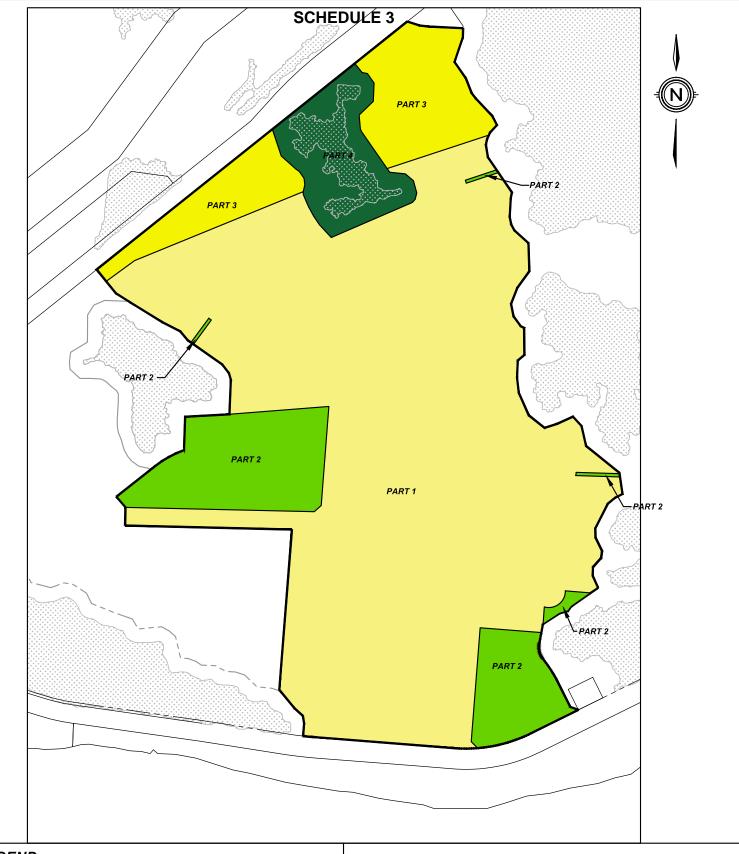
ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-1134) TO RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-XXXX)

ZONING: RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-1133) TO RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY GROUPED MULTIPLE DWELLING SITE SPECIFIC (R4-XXXX)

RIVERFRONT COMMUNITY - PHASE 2 SCHEDULE '1' TO ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT No._

MAYOR: _____





LEGEND

PART 1 - OPA: REMAINS RESIDENTIAL LOW/MEDIUM DENSITY

PART 2 - OPA: RESIDENTIAL USE TO OPEN SPACE

PART 3 - OPA: OPEN SPACE TO RESIDENTIAL LOW/MEDIUM DENSITY

PART 4 - OPA: REMAINS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AREA

RIVERFRONT COMMUNITY - PHASE 2 SCHEDULE 'A' TO OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT No._

MAYOR: _____

CLERK:

