



## **PUBLIC NOTICE OF OPEN HOUSE OFFICIAL PLAN UPDATE**

### **THE PURPOSE OF THE OPEN HOUSE**

The Council of the City of Brockville will hold an Open House, pursuant to Section 17(16) of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, as amended, for the purposes of discussing the revisions that have been made as part of the update to the City's Official Plan. The Open House will be held as follows:

**MONDAY MAY 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
6:00 P.M.  
VIRTUAL MEETING (ZOOM)**

**THE OPEN HOUSE** is intended to discuss the revisions that have been made to the Official Plan. It is intended to provide an opportunity for the public to offer comments and ask questions regarding any issue or matter that were included in the draft Official Plan Amendment.

### **BACKGROUND ON THE OFFICIAL PLAN REVIEW**

The City of Brockville Official Plan outlines the City's goals, objectives, and policies primarily used to support growth, economic development, and building Brockville's future. The plan also establishes a framework for managing the effects of growth on the social, economic and natural environment of the City. The existing Official Plan was approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing in 2012.

The *Planning Act* requires that an Official Plan be updated to ensure that it: conforms with provincial plans, or does not conflict with them; has regard to matters of provincial interest; is consistent with provincial policy statements; and addresses recent legislative changes. Taking into account the timing of the approval of the Official Plan in 2012, the introduction of a 2020 Provincial Policy Statement and amendments to the *Planning Act*, R.S.O., 1990, the City has initiated a comprehensive update to its Official Plan.

### **SUBJECT LANDS**

The update to the Official Plan will affect all lands within the municipal boundary of the City of Brockville. Accordingly, no key map is provided.

### **DRAFT OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 20**

The City of Brockville and NPG Planning Solutions Inc. have completed a 10-year review of the Official Plan for the City. The draft Official Plan Amendment (OPA) No. 20 is intended to shape policy and land-use across Brockville for the next 25 years, with public input gathered throughout the process critical in identifying priorities such as waterfront access, downtown revitalization, heritage, housing, and more.

The City's draft Official Plan Amendment and the associated mapping and supporting documents may be viewed on the City Website at <https://brockville.com/OP-update>

## **YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT**

Any person may attend the Open House and/or provide written or a verbal representation. If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may provide written comments by submitting them on/or before May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022, to the address below.

**Mail:** Official Plan Review, c/o Director of Economic and Development Service, City of Brockville, 1 King Street West, PO Box 5000, Brockville, ON. K6V 7A5

A copy of the agenda for the Open House, including the presentation and any attachments, will be available at 4:00 p.m. on **Friday, 27 May 2022**.

## **NOTICE OF COLLECTION**

Personal information collected as a result of this public meeting is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (MFIPPA), the Planning Act, and all other relevant legislation, and will be used to assist in making a decision on this matter. All personal information (as defined by MFIPPA), including (but not limited to) names, addresses, opinions and comments collected will be made available for public disclosure to members of the public, at the meeting, through requests, and through the website of The Corporation of the City of Brockville. Questions regarding the collection, use, and disclosure of this personal information may be directed to the Clerk, City of Brockville; 1 King Street West, PO Box 5000, Brockville, ON. K6V 7A5

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## **COVID-19 Information:**

The health and safety of residents, Council, and staff is the most important part of this meeting. This meeting will be held virtually. The meeting link will be available and published one (1) week prior to the meeting on the City of Brockville website ([www.brockville.com](http://www.brockville.com)) as well as through social media.

Residents who do not wish to attend the meeting virtually have the option of submitting their comments in writing. Both in person and written comments are equally valued.

Lynn Murray, Deputy Clerk  
City of Brockville