

HERITAGE NEWMARKET ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, January 5, 2016 at 7:00 PM Mulock Room

Agenda compiled on 04/01/2016 at 10:50

Additions & Corrections to Agenda

Declarations of Interest

Approval of Minutes

Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee Minutes of December 1, 2015.

Presentations/Deputations

Correspondence

- Correspondence from the Town of Newmarket Planning and Building Services p. 7
 Department dated December 14, 2015 regarding an Application for Official Plan
 and Zoning By-law Amendments, 16333 Leslie Street Northeast corner of
 Leslie Street and Veterans Way, Block 102, Plan 65M-3963, 724 Ontario Inc.,
 Files: D14-NP1523 (ZBA) and D9-NP1523 (OPA).
- 3. Correspondence from the Town of Newmarket Planning and Building Services p. 25 Department dated December 18, 2015 regarding Notice of the Adoption by the Town of Newmarket of Official Plan Amendment Number 12.
- Correspondence from Ms. Barbara Horvath, Clerk, Yonge Street Quaker Meeting p. 29 and Ms. Evelyn Schmitz-Hertzberg, Clerk, Accessibility Project dated December 21, 2015 regarding a request for financial contribution for the Quaker Meeting House Accessibility Project.

Items

- 5. Designated Property Maintenance and Concerns:
 - a) Fernbank House
 - b) Designation Requests
 - c) Inventory

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- 6. Plaques:
 - a) Site plaques
 - b) Residence plaques
 - c) Heritage location plaques
- 7. Discussion regarding Heritage Conservation District Signage Guidelines.
- 8. Discussion regarding a Vacant Heritage Property By-law.
- 9. Heritage Newmarket Budget.
- 10. Reports of Committee Members:
 - a) Architecture, Recreation, Culture, Heritage (ARCH) Committee
 - b) Elman W. Campbell Museum Board
 - c) Lower Main Street South Heritage Conservation District Advisory Group
 - d) Newmarket Historical Society Board of Directors

New Business

Adjournment



HERITAGE NEWMARKET ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, December 1, 2015 at 7:00 PM Mulock Room

The meeting of the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee was held on Tuesday, December 1, 2015 in Mulock Room, 395 Mulock Drive, Newmarket.

Members Present: Councillor Hempen

Soni Felix Raj (7:09 to 9:22 p.m.)

Athol Hart, Chair Billie Locke Joan Seddon Malcolm Watts

Absent: Rohit Singh

Guests: Sherita Clark, Quaker Meeting House

Richard Kamus, Quaker Meeting House

Staff Present: C. Finnerty, Council/Committee Coordinator

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

A. Hart in the Chair.

Presentations/Deputations

1. Ms. Sherita Clark and Mr. Richard Kamus addressed the Committee regarding the Quaker Meeting House Accessibility Project and summarized their proposal for an addition to the existing west entrance to house a vestibule and accessible elevator alongside the existing staircase. In addition, there are plans to renovate the basement to accommodate an accessible washroom. The designated part of the building will be left untouched, with the exception of any improvements that may be required by the Ontario Building Code. Discussion ensued regarding funding for the project and requirements under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act.

Moved by: Councillor Hempen

Seconded by: Joan Seddon

THAT the presentation by Ms. Sherita Clark and Mr. Richard Kamus regarding Quaker Meeting House be received

Carried

Declarations of Interest

None.

Approval of Minutes

2. Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee Minutes of November 3, 2015.

Moved by: Billie Locke Seconded by: Joan Seddon

THAT the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee Minutes of November 3, 2015 be approved.

Carried

Correspondence

None.

Items

3. Designated Property Maintenance and Concerns

The Chair advised that the Senior Planner – Community Planning attended the Clock Tower site and the three buildings to the south of the property with the Supervisor of By-law Enforcement to ensure that each property is in compliance with the Property Standards By-law. Each property appeared to be in compliance, with no evidence of interior water damage, though deterioration around the base of the Clock Tower appeared to be significant. The Senior Planner – Community Planning prepared a letter for the owner requesting that the deterioration be attended to.

Moved by: Malcolm Watts Seconded by: Billie Locke

THAT the letter to Mr. Chris Bobyk, The Forrest Group regarding degradation of 180 Main Street be endorsed by the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee.

Carried

The Chair provided a verbal update on the Fernbank House and advised that the Recreation and Culture and Public Works Departments will be having a condition assessment completed to determine what works can be completed on the home. The Chair recommended that Fernbank House be listed on each agenda.

Moved by: Councillor Hempen Seconded by: Soni Felix Raj

THAT the verbal update from the Chair regarding the Fernbank House be received.

Carried

4. Plaques

- J. Seddon advised that the Plaque Subcommittee is working to prepare a checklist for each plaque project. Discussion ensued regarding checklists for each heritage file, preparation of a workplan for the subcommittee and associated resource needs.
- 5. Heritage Newmarket Budget

The Council/Committee Coordinator provided a verbal update with respect to the Heritage Newmarket Budget.

6. Update from the Senior Planner regarding Heritage Consultant Services.

The Chair provided a verbal update with respect to consultant services for property research and report preparation for heritage designation. The Request for Proposal has closed and several submissions have been received. Each proposal will be reviewed by the Review Panel, being the Senior Planner – Community Planning, Chair and Vice-Chair of the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee.

7. Discussion regarding recommendations for a Cultural Strategy for Ontario.

Discussion ensued regarding the timeframes associated with the Cultural Strategy for Ontario. The Chair advised that the Ontario Historical Society, Architectural Conservancy of Ontario and Community Heritage Ontario have provided recommendations on the matter to the province.

Moved by: Joan Seddon Seconded by: Billie Locke

THAT the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee support the efforts of the Ontario Historical Society, Architectural Conservancy of Ontario and Community Heritage Ontario with respect to the Cultural Strategy for Ontario.

Carried

- 8. Reports of Committee Members
 - Architecture, Recreation, Culture, Heritage (ARCH) Committee
 No update to provide.
 - b) Elman W. Campbell Museum Board
 - B. Locke advised that the proposed storage system installation has been delayed. She further advised that the gift shop sale, held in conjunction with the Santa Claus Parade, was a success.
 - c) Lower Main Street South Heritage Conservation District Advisory Group

The Chair provided a verbal update advising that the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee is being requested to review regulations for outdoor patios. Councillor Hempen provided a verbal update regarding the Outdoor Patio Pilot Project report that was before Committee of the Whole on November 30, 2015. The Chair further advised that the Committee has been requested to prepare draft signage guidelines for the Heritage Conservation District. The guidelines are expected to identify signage that would be typical in the district, including barber pole signs and awnings.

Moved by: Councillor Hempen

Seconded by: Billie Locke

THAT the matter related to drafting signage regulations in the Heritage Conservation District be deferred to the January meeting;

AND THAT further information related to signage in the Heritage Conservation District be provided to the Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee.

Carried

d) Newmarket Historical Society Board of Directors

No update to provide.

New Business

- a) The Chair provided an update on the Town's Heritage fund and suggested that the Committee begin to review means of obtaining revenue in order to provide financial assistance to property owners for heritage upgrades.
- b) The Chair requested that staff provide a status update regarding Heritage Newmarket Advisory Committee's recommendations related to a Heritage bylaw.
- c) M. Watts recommended an arrangement with the Newmarket Historical Society in order to enable access to the archives.
- d) Councillor Hempen advised that he received an e-mail from a resident expressing concern over photographs being taken of his house and requested information on any protocols associated with taking photos of homes and consultation with residents. Discussion ensued regarding the Committee's position on photographing heritage homes.

Adjournment			
Moved by: Malcolm Watts Seconded by: Soni Felix Raj			
THAT the meeting adjourn.			
Carried			
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:22 p.m.			
Date	Athol Hart, Chair		



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TO:

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Bell Canada

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Newmarket Hydro

Enbridge Consumers Gas Hydro One Networks Inc. Health and Social Services

Conseil scolaire de district catholique Centre-Sud

Canada Post

York Regional Police

DATE:

December 14, 2015

SUBJECT:

Application for Official Plan & Zoning By-Law Amendments

16333 Leslie Street - Northeast corner of Leslie Street and Veterans Way

Block 102, Plan 65M-3963

724903 Ontario Inc.

Files: D14-NP1523 (ZBA) and D9-NP1523(OPA)

Please find attached a copy of the above captioned Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendment application, proposed site plan, perspective/elevations landscape plans, floor plans and shadow study. The applicant is proposing to re-designate the subject lands from the Commercial designation to the Emerging Residential designation and to rezone the subject lands from the Convenience Commercial (CC) zone to the Residential Townhouse Condominium Plan Dwelling (R4-CP) to permit a site plan containing 10 residential townhouse units on a private road on the subject lands.

Please direct any comments you may have on this proposal to the Planning Department by January 22, 2015.

Dave Ruggle, BAA, MCIP, RPP

Senior Planner - Community Planning

Copy:

Mayor Tony Van Bynen

R.N. Shelton, Chief Administrative Officer

Tom Vegh, Councillor Ward 1
Janice Robinson, Goldberg Group

Attachments: Application, Perspective/Elevations, Site Plan, Landscape Plan, Floor Plans, Shadow Study



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FOR OFFICE USE

PLANNING APPLICATION FORM	RECEIVED BY:			
USE FOR ALL APPLICATIONS	DATE RECEIVED:			
USE FOR ALL APPLICATIONS	APPLICATION FEE:			
	FILE NUMBER: DQNIP1523			
APPLICATION IS SUBMITTED FOR: (Mark all appropriate be	oxes) DANP1525			
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SITE PLAN APPROVAL PART LOT CONTROL				
AMENDMENT TO SITE PLAN APPROVAL OTHER:				
REGISTERED OWNER: 724903 Ontario Inc. ADDRESS: 330 New Huntington Rd city: Vaughan				
POSTAL CODE: L4H 4C9 PHONE: 905-85	6-775/FAX: 905-856-7764			
E-MAIL ADDRESS: TOU hry @ redupodni	roperties ca			
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LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY				
MUNICIPAL ADDRESS: 16333 Les lie Street				
LOT: 28 CONCESSION: CON. 3				
LOT: Block 102 REGISTERED PLAN: 65M-3963				
PART: REFERENCE PLAN (If relevant):				
LOT AREA (ha): 28,36,9 m LOT FRONTAGE (m): 39,77 LOT DEPTH (m): 53 m				
EXISTING STRUCTURES: (Give height & floor area)				
Vacant				
PROPOSED STRUCTURES: (Give height & floor area)				
GFA: 3052 sq. M				
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DOES THE APPLICANT HAVE AN INTEREST IN ANY ADJACENT LANDS? IF YES, PLEASE DESCRIBE:				
Yes remaining unbuilt lots in Copper Hills subdivision				
PRESENT USE: Vacant				
PROPOSED USE: TOWNHOUSES				
PRESENT OFFICIAL PLAN DESIGNATION: COMMErcial				
PROPOSED OFFICIAL PLAN DESIGNATION: (If applicable) Emerging Residentia				
PRESENT ZONING BYLAW CLASSIFICATION: CC - 78				
PROPOSED ZONING BYLAW CLASSIFICATION: (If applicable) R4				
Pre-consultation with municipal staff on application - Date: Sept. 29, 2015 Indicate whether this application conforms to the Provincial Policy Statements (2005)				

Indicate whether this application conforms (or does not conflict) with all other Provincial Plans

(Further details may be required in a Planning Justification Report) $\sqrt{}$

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	SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT:					
	ALL THE WITHIN STATEMENTS AND THE STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN ALL OF THE EXHIBITS TRANSMITTED HEREWITH, ARE TRUE AND I MAKE THIS SOLEMN DECLARATION CONSCIENTIOUSLY BELIEVING IT TO BE TRUE AND KNOWING THAT IT IS OF THE SAME FORCE AND EFFECT AS IF MADE UNDER OATH AND BY VIRTUE OF THE CANADA EVIDENCE ACT.					
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CERTIFICATE

(TO BE SIGNED BY OWNER, EVEN IF AGENT HAS BEEN APPOINTED)

As of the date of this application, I am the registered owner of the lands described in the application, and I have examined the contents of this application and hereby certify that the information submitted with the application is correct insofar as I have knowledge of these facts, and I authorize the submission of this application on my behalf by:

(Please Print)
BENEFICIAL OWNER (If applicable)

AND/OR JONICE ROBINSON
(Please Print)
WHOM I HAVE APPOINTED AS MY AGENT

With the submission of my application, I hereby undertake to not permit the cutting down of any trees or the disturbance of any vegetative cover in any way as it exists on the land which is the subject of this application without the prior written approval of the Town.

I hereby also undertake to not permit the demolition and/or destruction of any building and/or structure in any way as it exists on the land which is the subject of this application without the prior written approval of the Town.

I hereby also undertake to have any sign, which is required to be erected to provide notification of a public meeting, removed within seven days after the public meeting is held.

I hereby acknowledge that the Town or its representatives, and applicable public agencies have permission to access the property for the purposes of reviewing this application.

I hereby agree and acknowledge that the information contained in this application and any supporting information, including reports, studies, and drawings, provided with this application by me, my agents, consultants and solicitors, constitutes public information and will become part of the public record. As such, and in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.M.56, I hereby consent to the Town of Newmarket making this application and its supporting information available to the general public, including copying, posting on the Town's website and/or releasing a copy of the application and any of its supporting information to any third party upon their request, and as part of a standard distribution of copies of such documentation, I consent to the Town releasing copies of any of the documentation to additional person, including but not limited to members of Council and ratepayers' associations.

DATE: Nov 10, 2015 SIGNED:

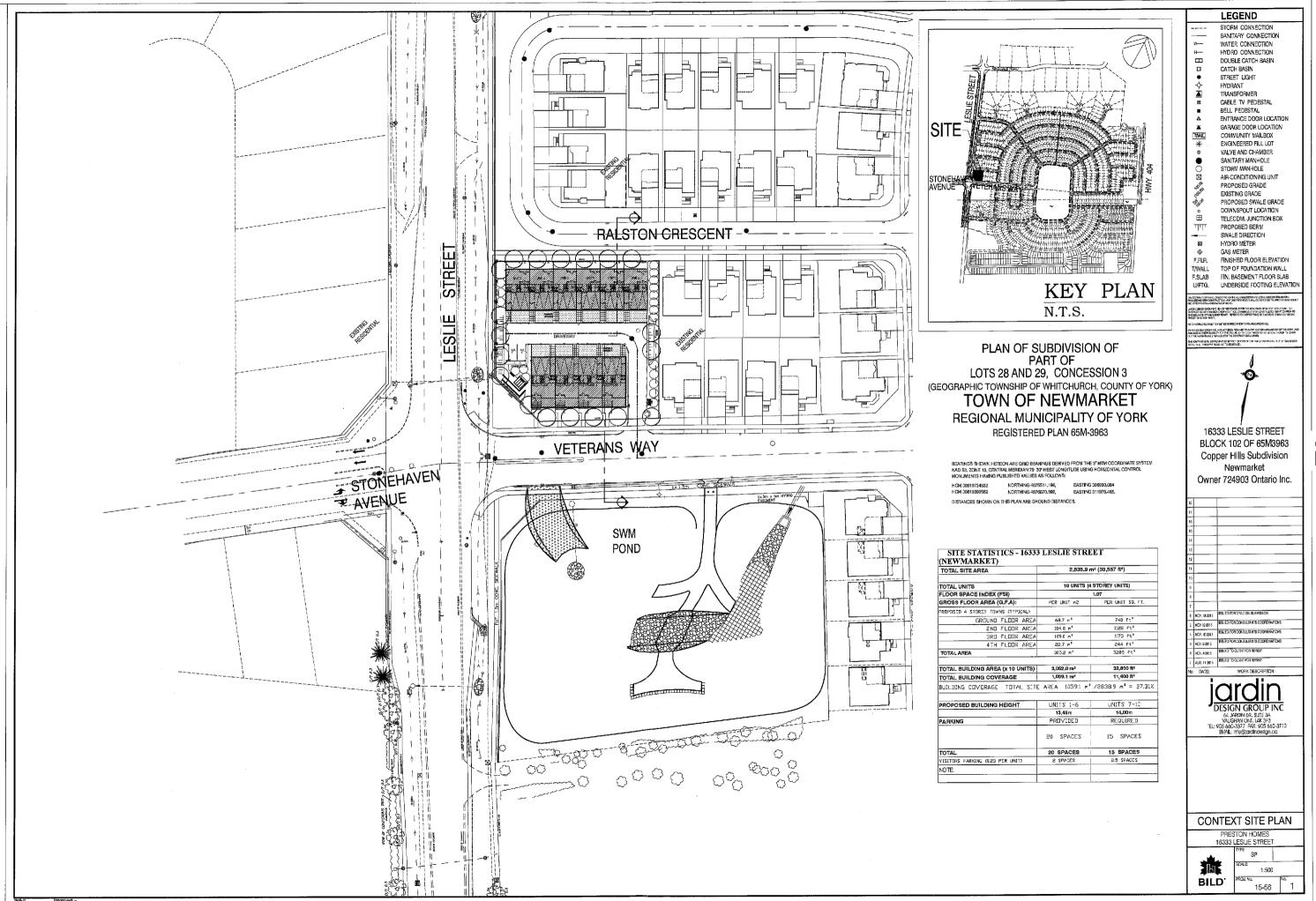
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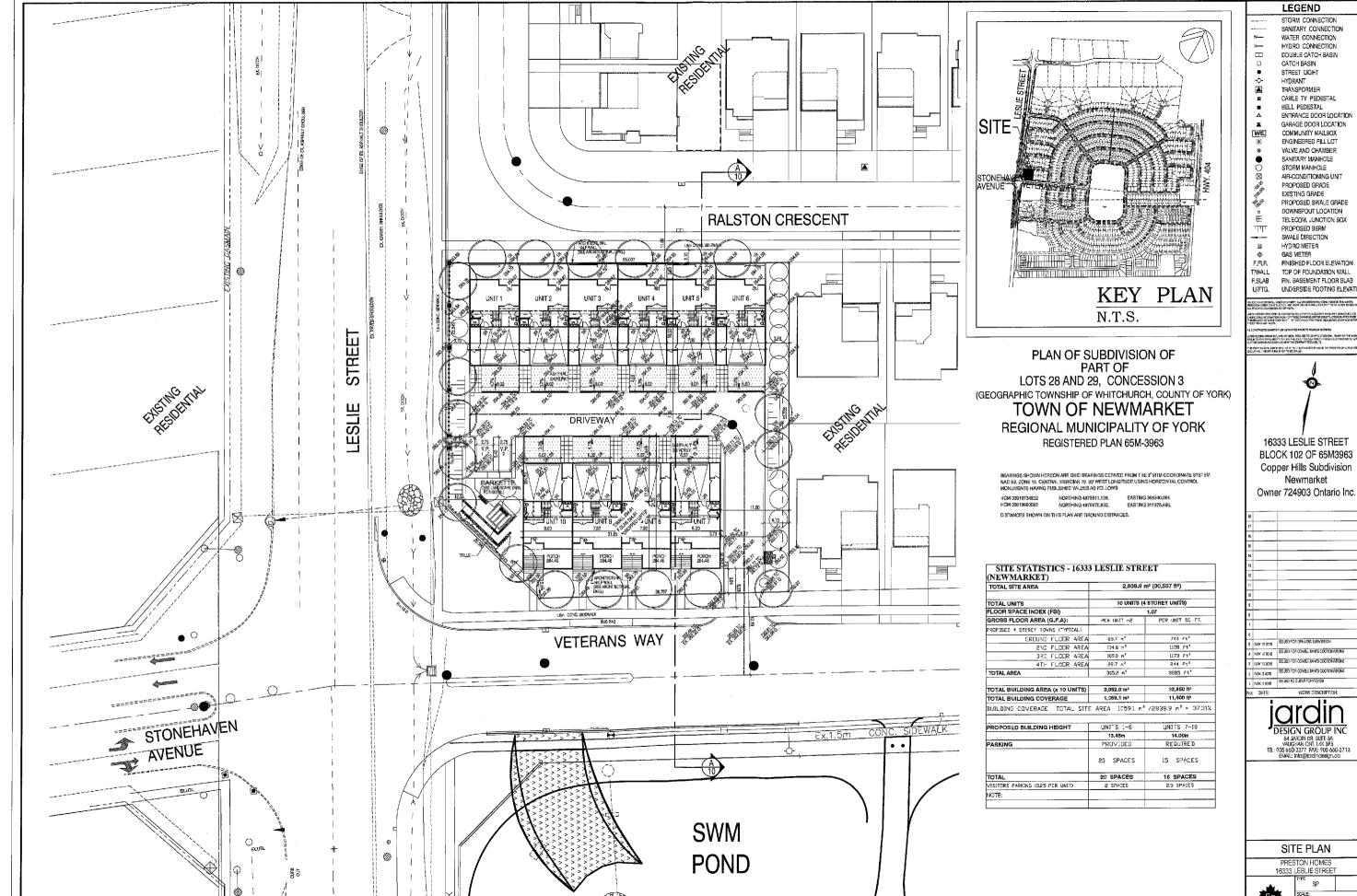


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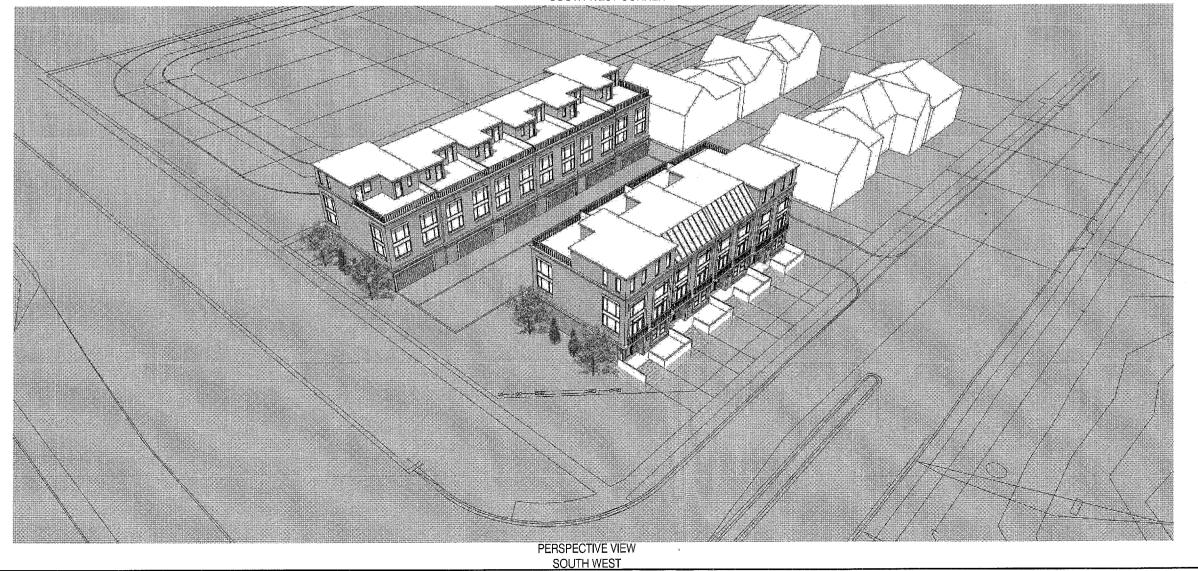
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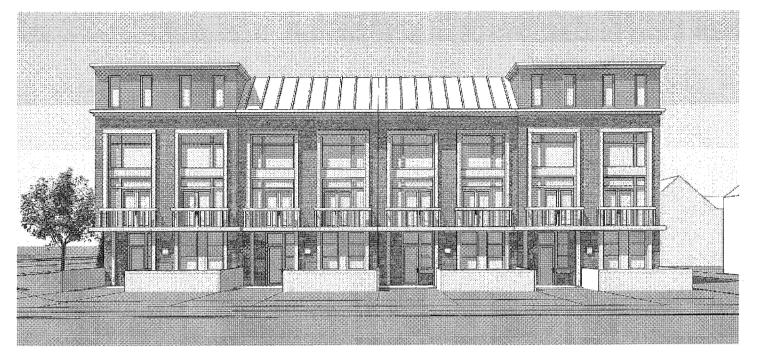
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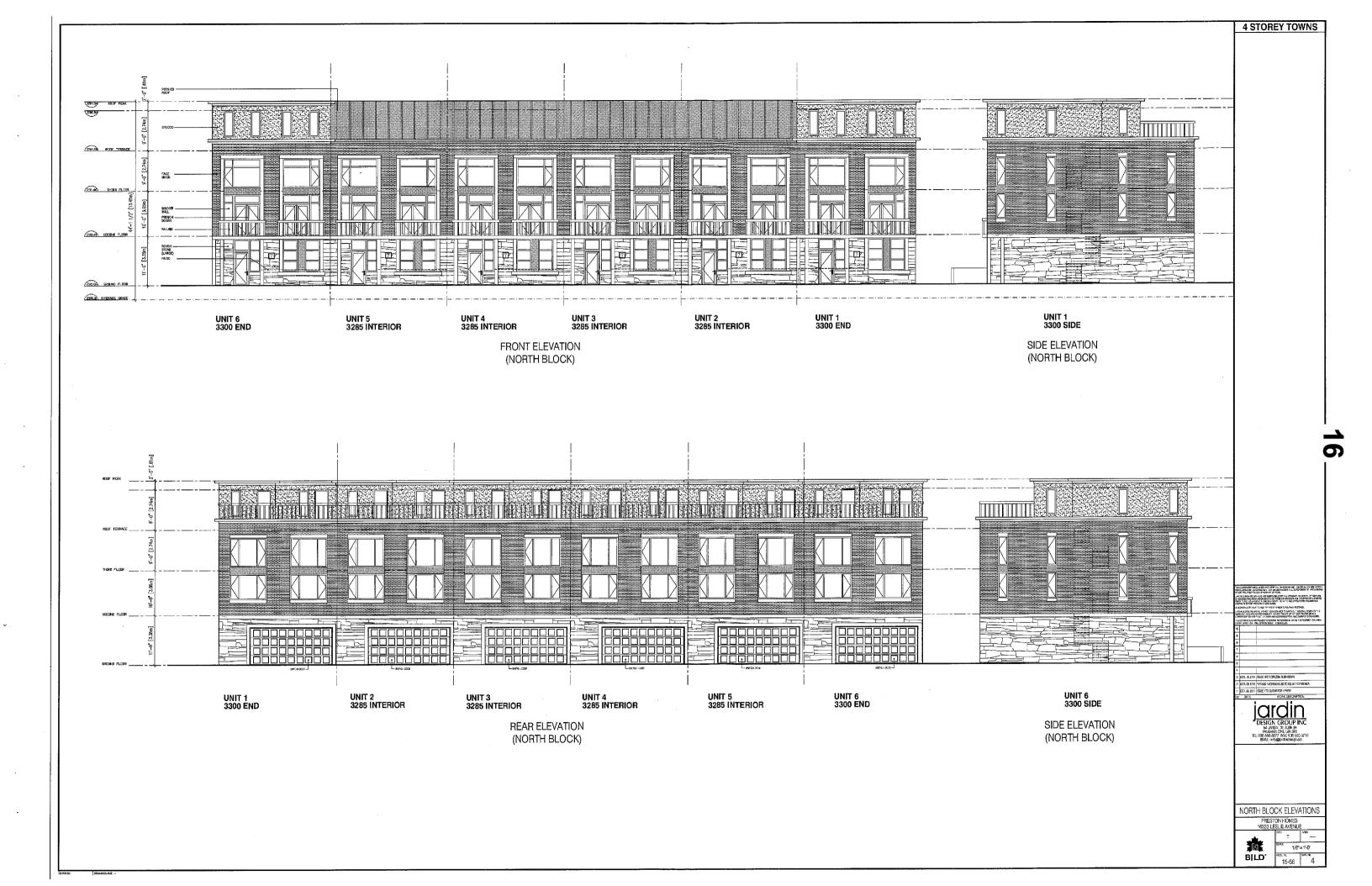
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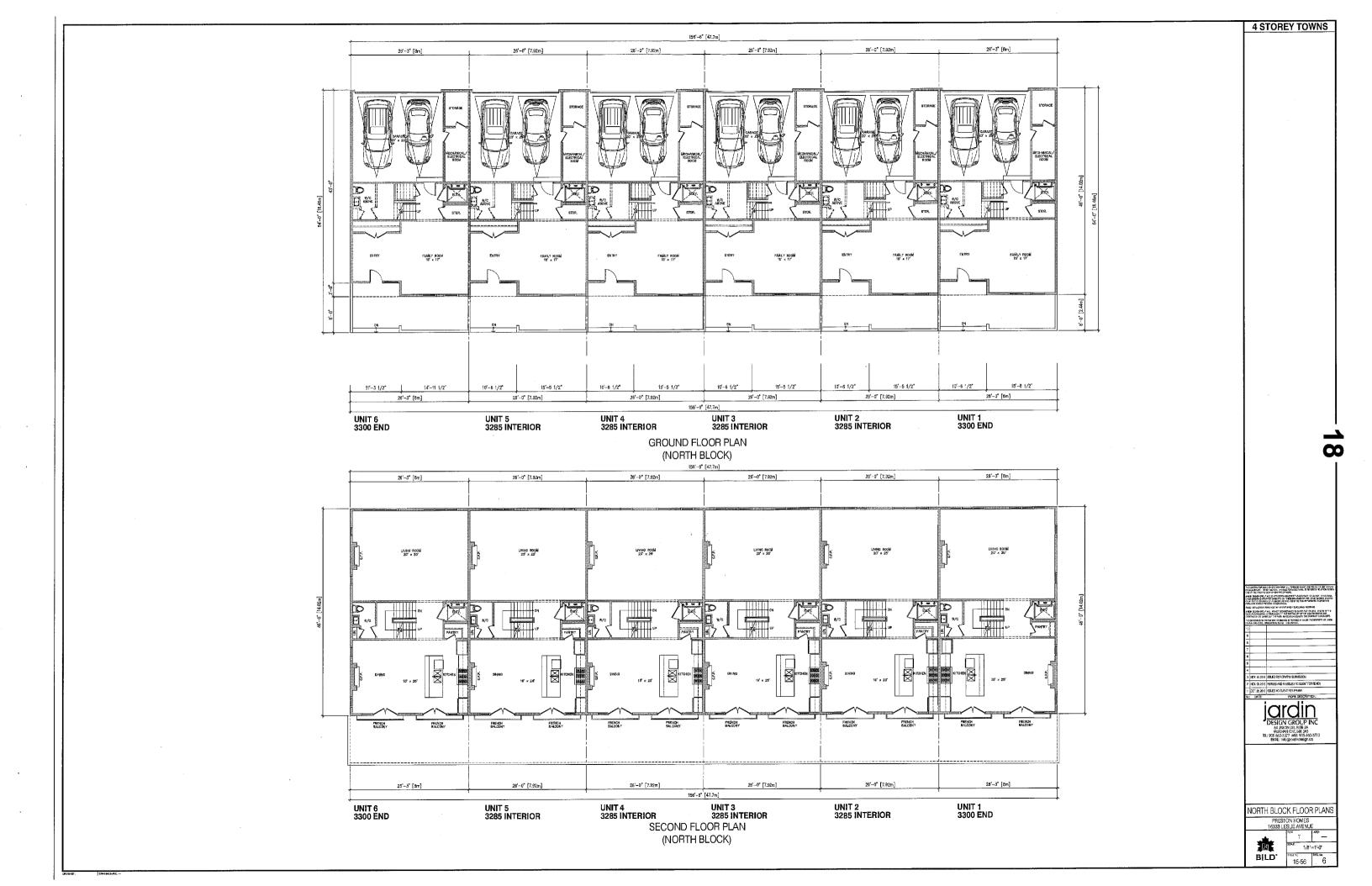
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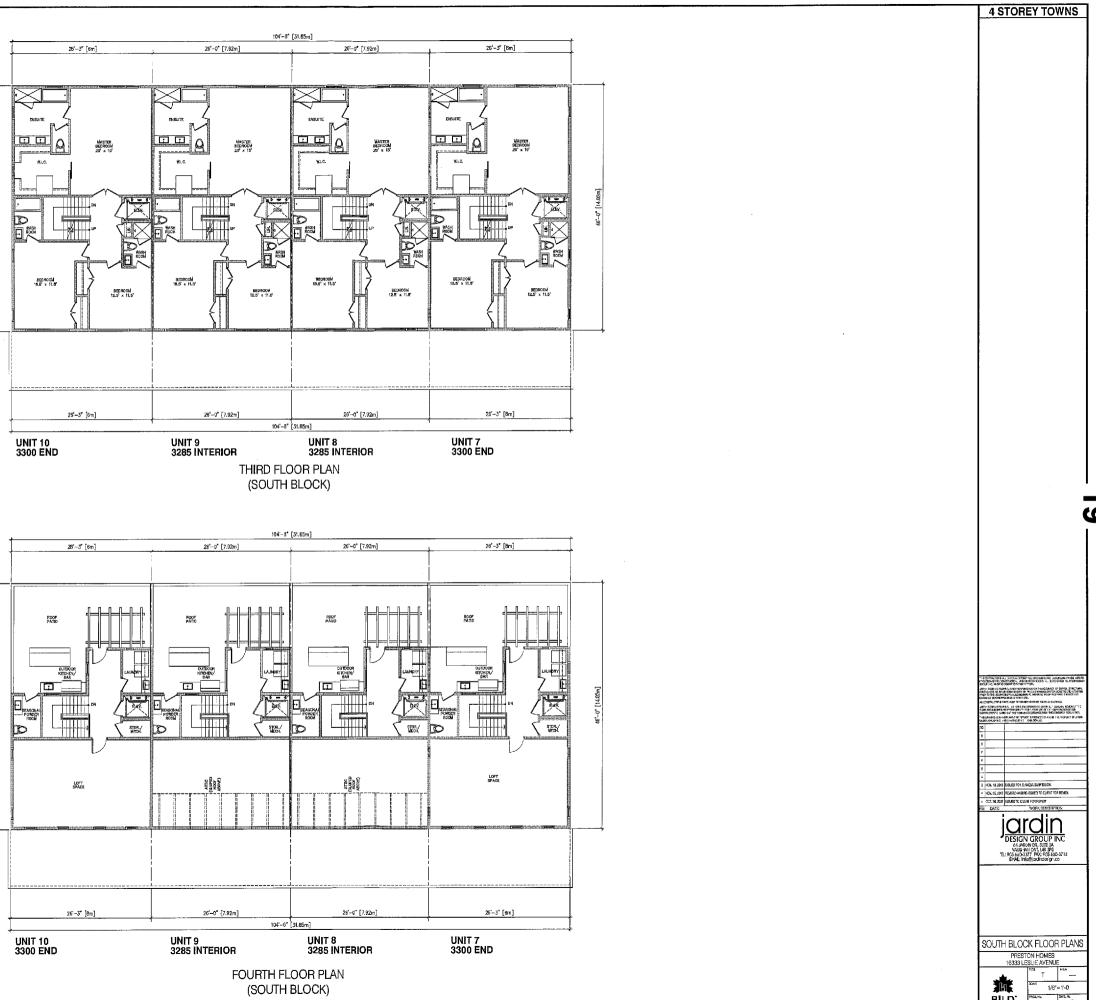
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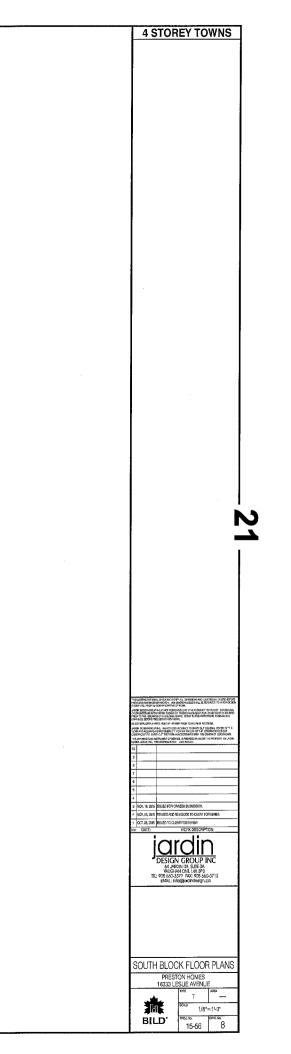


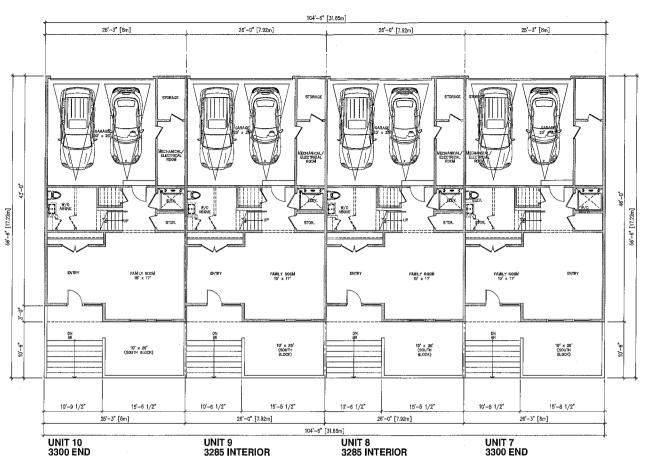
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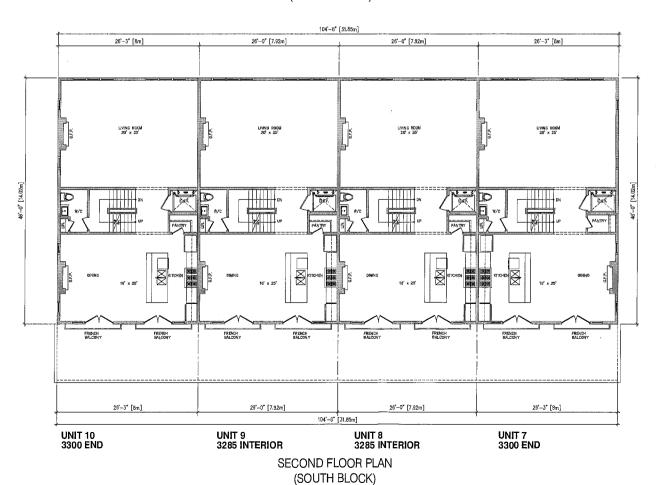
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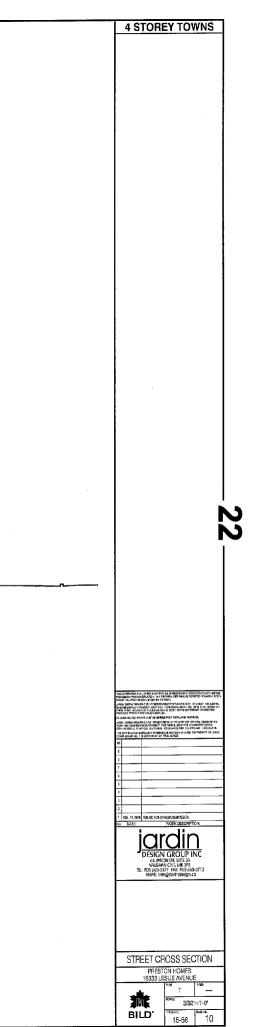


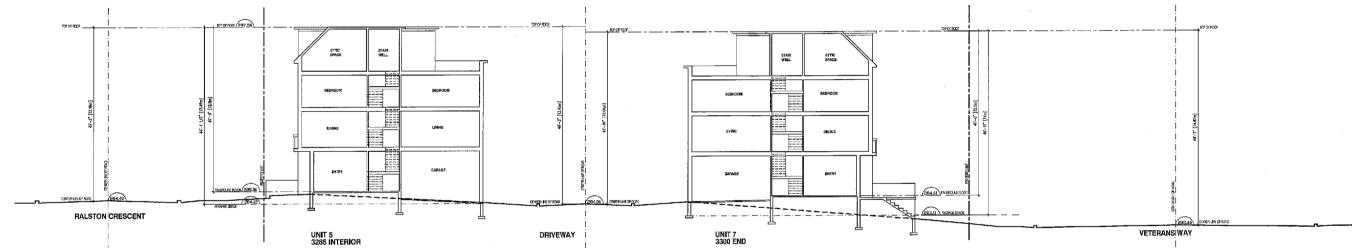




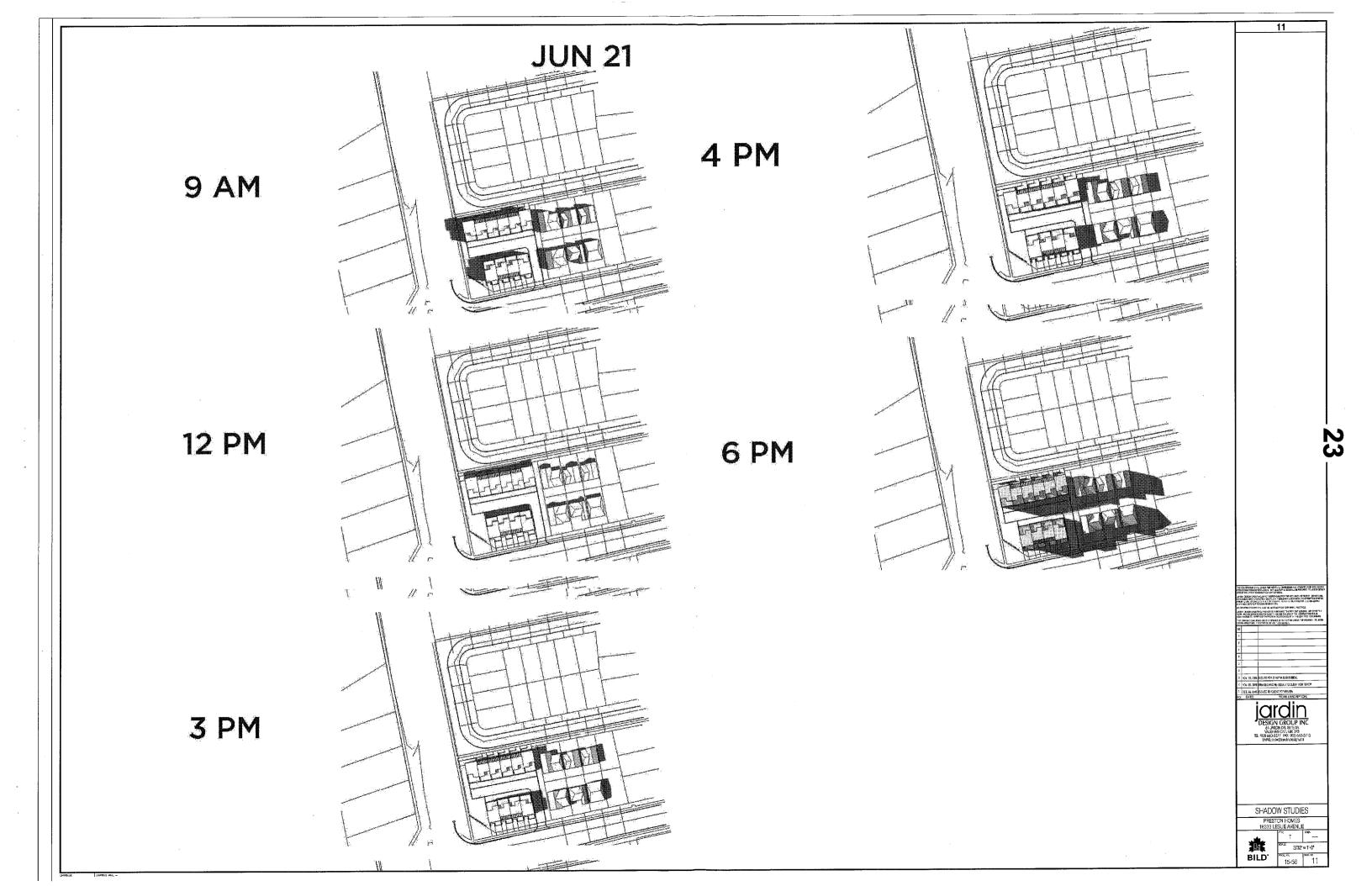
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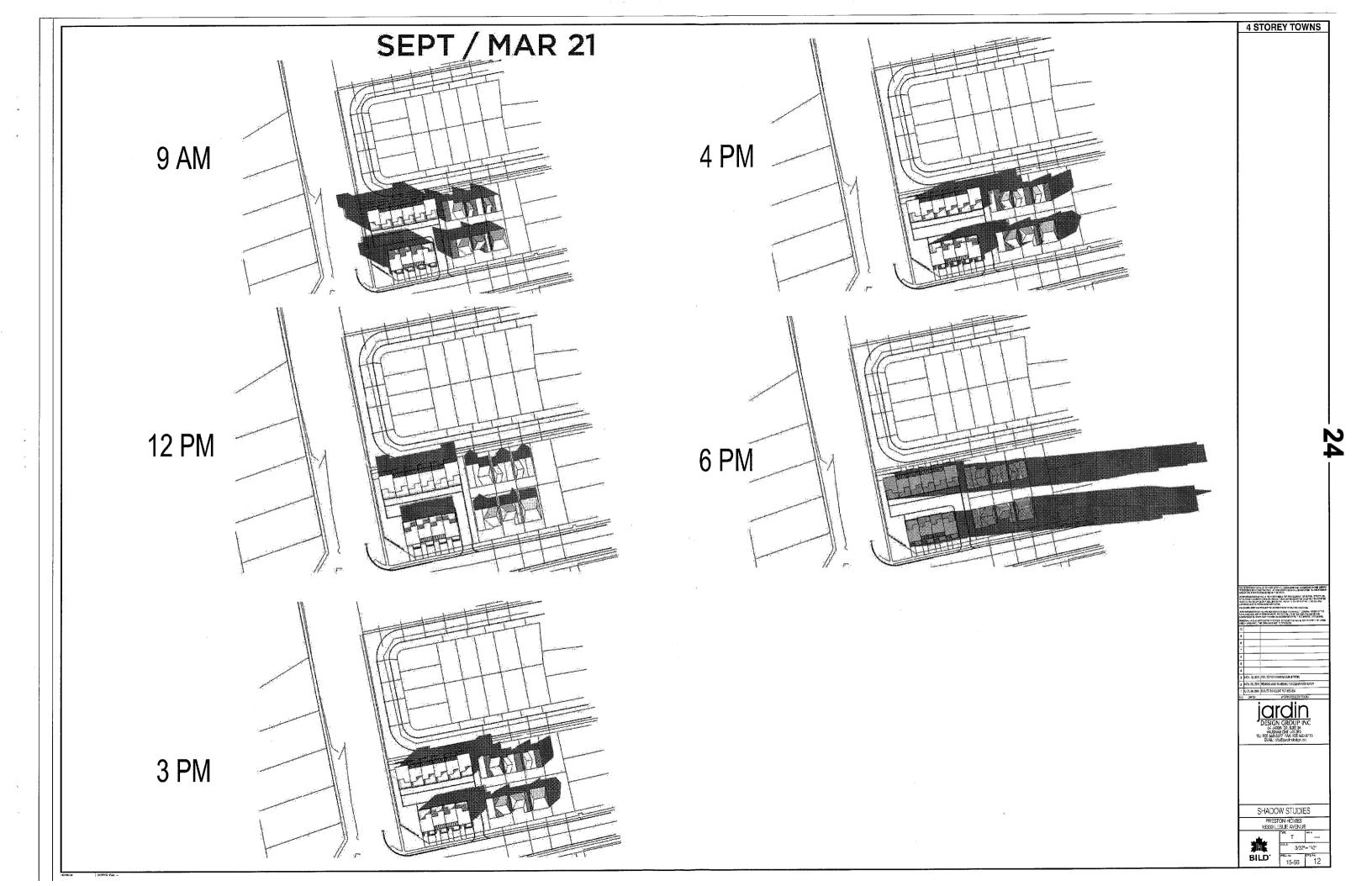






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NOTICE OF THE ADOPTION BY THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET OF OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT NUMBER 12

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Town of Newmarket passed **By-law Number 2015-60** being a By-law to adopt Official Plan Amendment Number 12 on the **14**th **day of December, 2015**, under Section 17 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended.

AND TAKE NOTICE that the Official Plan Amendment **requires approval** by the Regional Municipality of York, under subsections 21(1) and 17(22) of the *Planning Act*.

ANY PERSON OR PUBLIC BODY will be entitled to receive notice of the decision of the Regional Municipality of York if a written request to be notified of the decision, including the person's or public body's name and address is made to:

Director, Community Planning and Development Services York Region Administrative Centre 17250 Yonge Street Newmarket, ON L3Y 6Z1

Only individuals, corporations, or public bodies may appeal a decision of the municipality to the Ontario Municipal Board. A notice of appeal may not be made by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be made in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf.

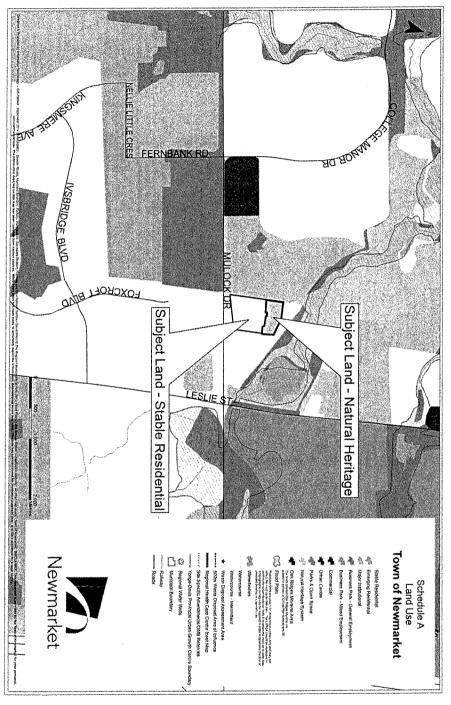
No person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the plan was adopted, the person or public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the Council or, in the opinion of the Ontario Municipal Board, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

The purpose of Amendment Number 12 is twofold. Firstly, is to amend the policies applying to the subject lands, currently being within the *Stable Residential* designation by adding Townhouse Units on a Private Road as a Permitted Use and secondly to re-designate the retained existing woodlot on the subject lands from the *Stable Residential* to the *Natural Heritage* designation.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION relating to Official Plan Amendment Number 12 is available for inspection between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on weekdays at the Municipal Offices, 395 Mulock Drive, Newmarket. Direct any inquiries to the Planning Department 905-953-5300 Extension 2454. Please refer to File No. D9 NP 13-28 - Official Plan Amendment Number 12. The subject lands are also the subject of a Zoning By-law Amendment (D14 NP13 28) and Draft Plan of Subdivision (D12 NP 13 28)

Dated: December 18, 2015

Official Plan Amendment Number 12 955 and 995 Mulock Drive





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NOTICE OF THE PASSING OF A ZONING BYLAW BY TOWN OF NEWMARKET

Zoning By-Law Amendment:

2015-61

Applicant:

Lorne Park Gardens Inc.

Location:

955 and 995 Mulock Drive

File Number:

D14-NP13-28

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Town of Newmarket passed By-Law Number 2015-61 on the 14th day of December, 2015, under Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P. 13, as amended.

AND TAKE NOTICE THAT any person or public body may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect to the By-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket no later than 4:30 p.m. on the 7th day of January, 2016 a notice of appeal setting out the objection to the By-Law and the reasons for the appeal, accompanied by the prescribed appeal fee(s), made payable to the Minister of Finance in the amount of \$125.00. If you wish to appeal to the OMB, a copy of an appeal form is available from the OMB website at www.omb.gov.on.ca. In addition, to the fees listed above, pursuant to By-law No. 2012-81, a processing fee of \$150.00 per Ontario Municipal Board appeal, payable to the Town of Newmarket is required to be paid at the time of filing a Notice of Appeal

An explanation of the purpose and effect of the bylaw, describing the lands to which the bylaw applies, and a location map showing the location of the lands to which the bylaw applies (or alternatively, an explanation as to why a location map is not provided) are attached. The complete bylaw is available for inspection in the Town Clerk's office during regular office hours.

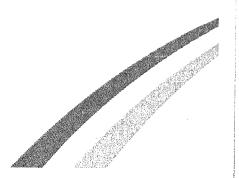
Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a zoning bylaw to the Ontario Municipal Board. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf.

No person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the by-law was passed, the person or public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the council or, in the option of the Ontario Municipal Board, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

The subject lands are also the subject of an Official Plan Amendment (D9-NP13-28) and Draft Plan of Subdivision (D12 13 28)

DATED at the Town of Newmarket this 18th day of December, 2015.

Andrew Brouwer, Clerk
Town of Newmarket
P.O. Box 328, 395 Mulock Drive
NEWMARKET, ON L3Y 4X7



EXPLANATORY NOTE:

By-Law Number 2015-61 applies to the lands located at 955 and 995 Mulock Drive

By-Law 2015-61 has the purpose and effect of rezoning the subject land from Residential Detached Dwelling 60m (R1-A) Zone to Residential Townhouse Dwelling 3 (H(R4-R-129) Holding Zone and Environmental Protection Open Space (OS-EP) zone to permit a residential townhouse development and the preservation of a woodlot on the subject lands

By-Law 2015-61 permits a maximum of 73 Townhomes of the subject lands

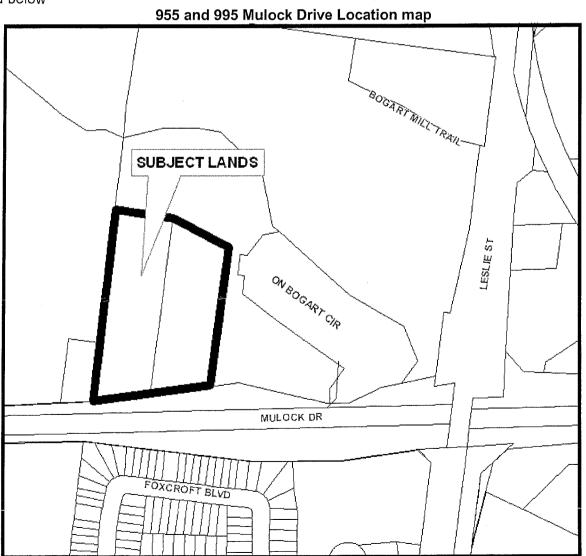
By-Law 2015-61 provides for specific lot, siting and building specifications

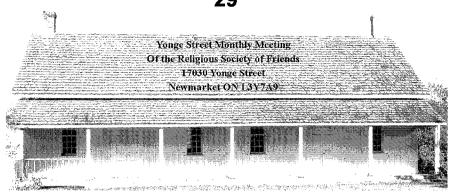
By-Law 2015-61 provides for site specific parking and buffering requirements

By-law 2015-61 protects 0.46 hectares of woodlot on the subject lands

By-Law 2015-61 provides for the Holding provision on the subject land to be removed once required conditions are satisfied.

A Location Map showing the location of the subject land to which By-Law Number 2010-71 applies is provided below





Athol Hart, Chairperson, Heritage Newmarket, Town of Newmarket P.O. Box 328 Station Main, Newmarket, Ontario L3Y 4X7 December 21, 2015

Dear Athol Hart,

Thank you for receiving Sherita Clark and Richard Kamus at your recent meeting, where they were able to introduce your members to our efforts to make our historic meeting house accessible.

We are strongly committed to making the meeting house barrier-free, both for our members and for the broader community. We know you recognize the significance of the meeting house and the public interest in preserving and using the building. We very much appreciated your assistance with replacing our cedar shake roof a couple of years ago.

We've been researching possible adaptations for several years but really got started earlier this year. We will add a lift, an accessible washroom, and an expanded entrance, all on the west side in the 1975 addition, where the existing stairs will become the core of the changes.

The initial cost projections for the project were \$215,000. We set our fundraising goal at \$225,000. As we receive bids from contractors we are learning that our desired changes are likely to be somewhat higher than the original estimates. Construction will begin in the spring of 2016.

To date, we have raised \$172,000. This includes \$50,000 from a Quaker Trust, and \$50,000 from the federal grant, "Accessibility for Communities." The remainder has come from members of the Newmarket meeting and other Quakers.

<u>Our shortfall in reaching our original goal is currently \$53,000</u>. We continue to broaden our outreach to community groups and foundations.

We are asking Heritage Newmarket to make a financial contribution, to support this project, which will benefit the Newmarket community. We would be happy to meet with you to provide more details.

Thank you for your consideration,

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