

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

pursuant to Sections 22, 34 and 51 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, as amended

## APPLICATIONS FOR PROPOSED PLAN OF SUBDIVISION (39T-TC2501), OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT (O3-25) & ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT (Z20-25)

APPLICANT: Doug. Tarry Limited c/o Tracy Tucker

LOCATION: 83 Christie Drive and 2648 Harris Road, Dorchester

ROLL NO.: 3926-000-050-31000 & 3926-000-050-24300

#### Purpose and Effect – Draft Plan of Subdivision

The purpose of the proposed (attached) plan of subdivision is to facilitate the development of the subject lands for the following purposes:

- 170 single-detached and semi-detached freehold lots (Lots 1-144, 149-174)
- Four (4) townhouse blocks containing a total of 21 units (Blocks 145-148)
- One (1) high density residential block (Block 175)
- Four (4) blocks for parkland (Blocks 184, 185, 188, 194)
- Four (4) blocks for open space purposes (Blocks 186, 187, 190, 191)
- One (1) block for stormwater management (Block 189)
- Two (2) blocks for Future Development (Blocks 192, 193)
- Four (4) new streets
- Extension of Christie Drive to Harris Road

The effect of the proposed plan would generally facilitate residential development and related amenity areas, all serviced by municipal water and sanitary sewers.

#### **Purpose and Effect of the Official Plan Amendment**

The purpose and effect of this Application is to redesignate a portion of the subject lands **from** the 'Residential' designation of the Official Plan **to** a site-specific 'Residential – Special Policy Area #' to permit high-density residential uses, including apartment dwellings, up to a maximum height of 6-storeys on Block 175 of the Draft Plan. The remainder of the subject lands will remain within the 'Residential' designation with no change proposed.

A location map has been attached for reference.

#### Purpose and Effect of the Zoning By-law Amendment

The purpose and effect of this Application is to rezone the subject property **from** the Future Development (FD) Zone **to** the following categories:

**Site-specific Residential Second Density (R2-#) Zone** for the proposed single-detached, semi-detached and townhouse lots (shown as Blocks 1-44, 149-174) subject to the following special provisions in conjunction with the parent R2 Zone:

Provision	•	Proposed	Proposed
	(Single-Detached)	(Semi-Detached)	(Street Townhouse)
Lot Area (min.)	350m <sup>2</sup>	250m²	185m²
Lot Frontage	10.5m	8.5m	5.5m (interior lot)
(min.)			7.5m (end lot)
Front/Exterior	4.5m to a dwelling	4.5m to a dwelling	4.5m to a dwelling
Side Yard Depth	6.0m to a garage	6.0m to a garage	6.0m to a garage
(min.)			
Interior Side	1.2m	1.2m, provided no side yard shall	2.0m, provided no side yard shall
Yard Depth		be required between the	be required between the
(min.)		common wall dividing individual	common wall dividing individual
		dwelling units	dwelling units
Rear Yard Depth	8.0m	8.0m	8.0m
(min.)			
Lot Coverage	50%	50%	65% (interior lot)
(max.)			50% (end lot)

Building Height	11.0m	11.0m	15.0m
(max.)			
Landscaped	30%	30%	15% (interior lot)
Open Space			30% (end lot)
(min.)			, ,
Maximum	Lesser of 7.0m or	Lesser of 6.0m or 50% of the	Lesser of 5.0m or 75% of the
Driveway Width	60% of the street	street line along the street used	street line along the street used
	line along the	to gain access to the driveway;	to gain access to the driveway;
	street used to gain	but not greater than 6.0m	but not greater than 5.0m
	access to the		-
	driveway; but not		
	greater than 7.0m		
Sight Visibility	6.0m	6.0m	6.0m
Triangles –			
Corner Lots			
Yard	1.5m	1.5m (Encroachment), but not	1.5m (Encroachment), but not
Encroachments	(Encroachment),	closer than 0.4m to the lot line	closer than 0.4m to the lot line
and Obstructions	but not closer than	Encroachment of 2.5m (Front /	Encroachment of 2.5m (Front /
	0.4m to the lot line	Exterior Side Yard), 4.0m (Rear	Exterior Side Yard),
	Encroachment of	Yard)	,
	2.5m (Front /	,	
	Exterior Side		
	Yard), 4.0m (Rear		
	Yard) `		

<sup>\*</sup>All standards are minimum unless noted otherwise

Provision	Proposed (Apartment)
Lot Area (min.)	3.5ha
Lot Frontage (min.)	30.0m
Front Yard Depth (min.)	7.5m
Exterior Side Yard Depth (min.)	6.0m
Interior Side Yard Depth (min.)	4.5m
Rear Yard Depth (min.)	9.0m
Lot Coverage (max.)	50%
Building Height (max.)	6-storeys
Landscaped Open Space (min.)	30%
General Provisions	
Dwelling Unit Area (min.)	40m2 for a bachelor unit

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**Open Space (OS) Zone** limited to Blocks 186, 187, 190 and 191 to accommodate parkland, open space areas and the stormwater management facility.

Blocks 192 and 193 are reserved for future development and will not be subject to the Zoning By-law Amendment application. A future Zoning By-law Amendment application will be required to facilitate development of the lands.

Areas zoned **Environmental Protection (EP)** are limited to Blocks 186 and 187 and are proposed to include a holding provision to ensure an archaeological investigation is completed should development be contemplated in the future.

The location of the proposed zones can be found on the attached zoning plan.

#### **Description and Location of Subject Land**

The subject property is legally described as Part Lots 19 and 20, North Dorchester Concession B S.R.T.; and Part 1 of RP 33R19961, Municipality of Thames Centre. The lands are located at the end of Christie Drive, just east of Harris Road in southwest Dorchester.

#### **Public Meeting**

The Municipality's Council will hold a public meeting to consider the subject applications. Thames Centre Council meetings are held in a hybrid format, being conducted electronically and in-person.

Date: Monday, October 20, 2025

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Place: This will be a hybrid meeting.

Thames Centre Municipal Office Council Chambers- 4305 Hamilton Rd., Dorchester and

broadcasted live on the Municipality's YouTube Channel, namely:

www.youtube.com/municipalityofthamescentre

The public is advised that the Council meeting will begin at 5:00 p.m., although the exact time of item is unknown. To participate electronically via phone or by video using Zoom, registration is required. Please visit the website <a href="www.thamescentre.on.ca/registration">www.thamescentre.on.ca/registration</a> and complete the registration process before <a href="mailto:12 Noon on Monday">12 Noon on Monday</a>, October <a href="October 20">October 20</a>, <a href="2025">2025</a>. Notwithstanding the deadline above, members of the public are asked to register as soon as possible to provide an orderly registration process and meeting. Send any written comments or concerns for Council's consideration via email to <a href="mailto:comments@thamescentre.on.ca">comments@thamescentre.on.ca</a> or by mail to the municipal office before <a href="mailto:12 Noon on Wednesday">12 Noon on Wednesday</a>, October <a href="mailto:15">October 15</a>, <a href="mailto:2025</a>. The public is advised that comments expressed, and written material presented are a matter of public record for full disclosure.

#### Other Planning Act Applications None.

#### Other Information

If a person or public body would otherwise have the ability to appeal the decision of the County of Middlesex but does not make oral submissions at a public meeting, if one is held, or make written submissions to the County of Middlesex in respect of the proposed plan of subdivision before the approval authority gives or refuses to give approval to the draft plan of subdivision, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting, if one is held, or make written submissions to the County of Middlesex in respect of the proposed plan of subdivision before the approval authority 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, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

Notwithstanding the above, subsection 51(39) of the *Planning Act* defines the parties that are eligible to appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the County of Middlesex in respect of the proposed plan of subdivision, you MUST make a written request to the County of Middlesex, Planning Department, 399 Ridout Street North, London, Ontario N6A, 2P1.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the County of Middlesex on the proposed official plan amendment, you must make a written request to the County of Middlesex, Planning Department, 399 Ridout Street North, London, Ontario, N6A 2P1. If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the County of Middlesex 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 Municipality of Thames Centre before the proposed official plan amendment is adopted, 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 Municipality of Thames Centre before the proposed official plan amendment is adopted, 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 add the person or public body as a party.

Notwithstanding the above, subsection 17(36) of the Planning Act defines the parties that are eligible to

appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Municipality of Thames Centre on the proposed zoning bylaw amendment, you must make a written request to the Municipality of Thames Centre, Clerk, 4305

Hamilton Road, Dorchester, Ontario, N0L 1G3. If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Municipality of Thames Centre 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 Municipality of Thames Centre before the by-law is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

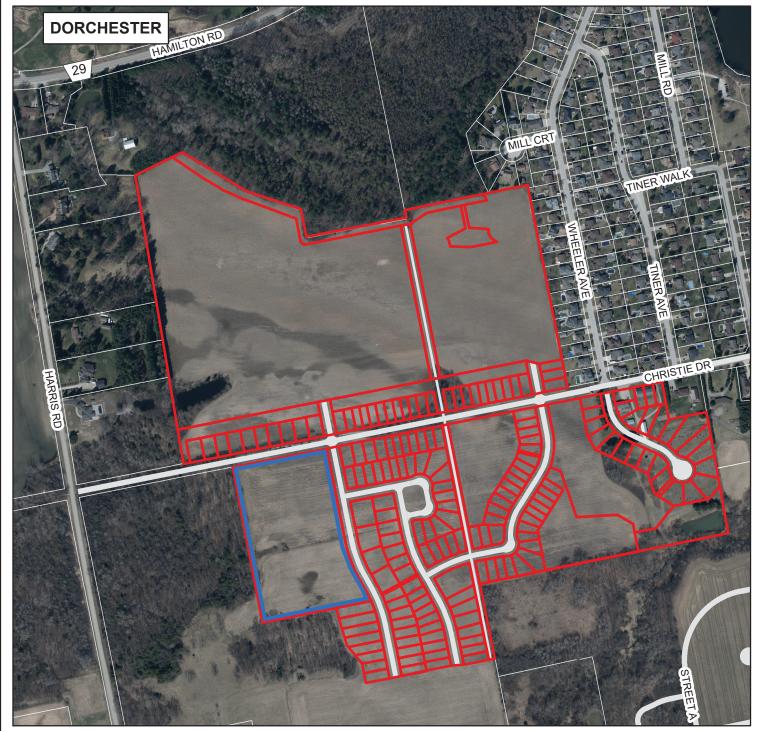
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Notwithstanding the above, subsection 34(19) of the *Planning Act* defines the parties that are eligible to appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

For more information about this matter, including information about appeal rights, contact Amanda Storrey, Director of Planning and Development Services at 519.268.7334 x 249 or at <a href="mailto:astorrey@thamescentre.on.ca">astorrey@thamescentre.on.ca</a>

**DATED** at the Municipality of Thames Centre, this 30th day of September 2025.

Municipality of Thames Centre 4305 Hamilton Rd. Dorchester, ON N0L 1G3



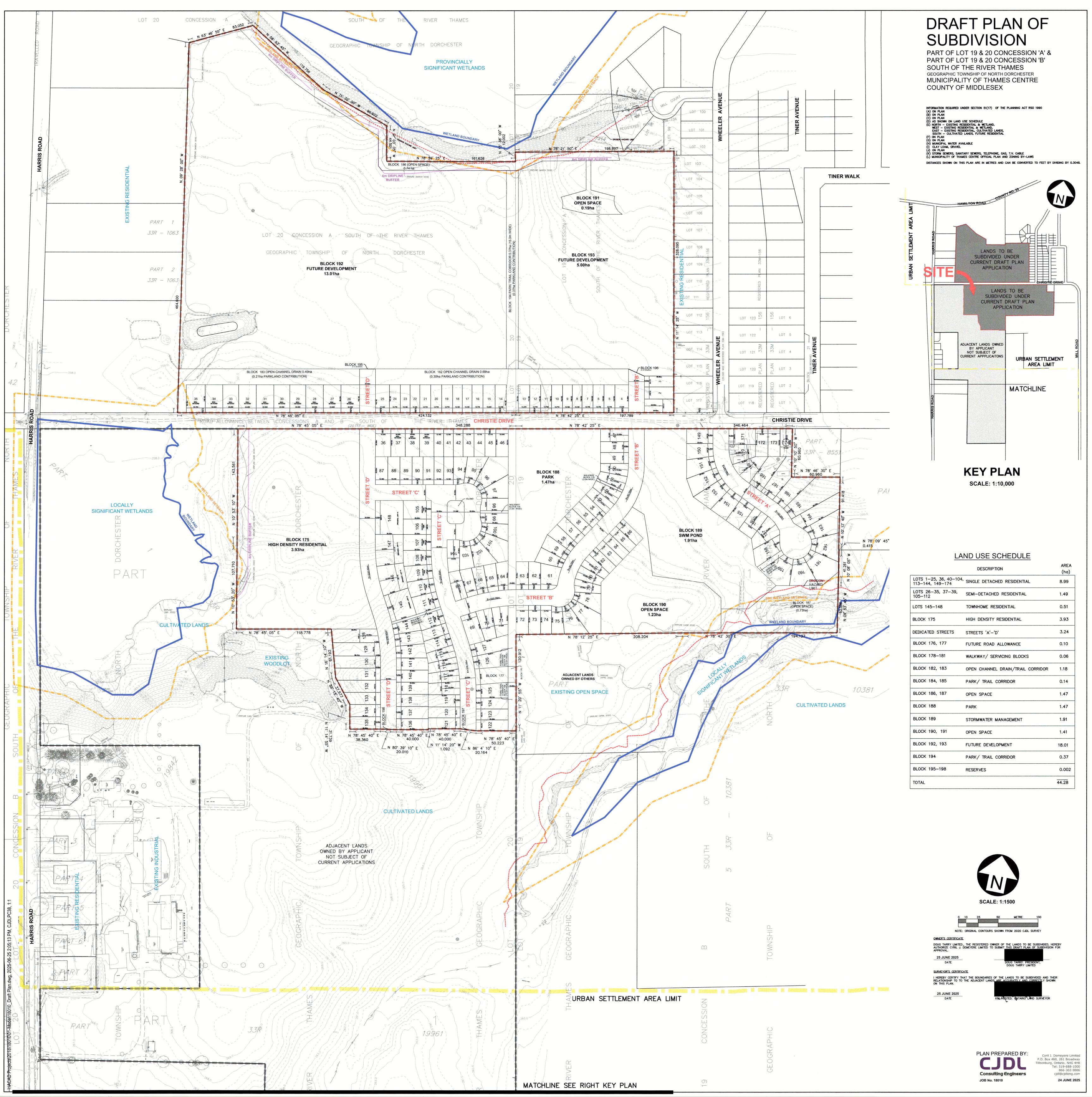
#### **LOCATION MAP**

Description:

Proposed Draft Plan of Subdivision 39T-TC2501 Official Plan Amendment O3-25 Zoning By-law Amendment Z20-25



# Subject Lands Lands to be redesignated from 'Residential' to 'Residential - Special Policy Area X' 1:6,000 Meters



### **Proposed Zoning**

