Report to Planning & Environment Committee

To: Chair and Members

Planning & Environment Committee

From: Peter Kokkoros, P.Eng., B.A. (Econ)

Director Building & Chief Building Official

Subject: Building Division Monthly Report

September 2023

Date: December 4, 2023

Recommendation

That the report dated September 2023 entitled "Building Division Monthly Report September 2023", **BE RECEIVED** for information.

Executive Summary

The Building Division is responsible for the administration and enforcement of the *Ontario Building Code Act* and the *Ontario Building Code*. Related activities undertaken by the Building Division include the processing of building permit applications and inspections of associated construction work. The Building Division also issues sign and pool fence permits. The purpose of this report is to provide Municipal Council with information related to permit issuance and inspection activities for the month of September 2023.

Linkage to the Corporate Strategic Plan

Growing our Economy

- London is a leader in Ontario for attracting new jobs and investments. Leading in Public Service
 - The City of London is trusted, open, and accountable in service of our community.
 - Improve public accountability and transparency in decision making.

Analysis

1.0 Background Information

This report provides information on permit and associated inspection activities for the month of September 2023. <u>Attached</u> as Appendix "A" to this report is a "Summary Listing of Building Construction Activity for the Month of September 2023", as well as respective "Principle Permits Reports".

2.0 Discussion and Considerations

2.1 Building permit data and associated inspection activities – **September** 2023

Permits Issued to the end of the month

As of September 2023, a total of 2,811 permits were issued, with a construction value of \$899.8 million, representing 1,131 new dwelling units. Compared to the same period in 2022, this represents a 17.1% decrease in the number of building permits, with a 22% decrease in construction value and an 39.9% decrease in the number of dwelling units constructed.

Total permits to construct New Single and Semi-Dwelling Units

As of the end of September 2023, the number of building permits issued for the construction of single and semi-detached dwellings was 185, representing a 64.4% decrease over the same period in 2022.

Number of Applications in Process

As of the end of September 2023, 891 applications are in process, representing approximately \$891.1 million in construction value and an additional 1,132 dwelling units compared with 970 applications, with a construction value of \$855.8 million and an additional 1,175 dwelling units in the same period in 2022.

Rate of Application Submission

Applications received in September 2023 averaged to 15.1 applications per business day, for a total of 302 applications. Of the applications submitted 16 were for the construction of single detached dwellings and 6 townhouse units.

Permits issued for the month

In September 2023, 302 permits were issued for 176 new dwelling units, totaling a construction value of \$122.1 million.

Inspections - Building

A total of 1,783 inspection requests were received with 2,001 inspections being conducted.

In addition, 24 inspections were completed related to complaints, business licenses, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 1,783 inspections requested, 100% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

Inspections - Code Compliance

A total of 858 inspection requests were received, with 998 inspections being conducted.

An additional 131 inspections were completed relating to complaints, business licences, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 858 inspections requested,100% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

Inspections - Plumbing

A total of 881 inspection requests were received with 1,162 inspections being conducted related to building permit activity.

An additional 6 inspections were completed related to complaints, business licenses, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 881 inspections requested, 100% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

2018 - 2020 Permit Data

Additional permit data has been provided in Appendix "A" to reflect 2018 – 2020 permit data.

Conclusion

The purpose of this report is to provide Municipal Council with information regarding the building permit issuance and building & plumbing inspection activities for the month of September 2023. <u>Attached</u> as Appendix "A" to this report is a "Summary Listing of Building Construction Activity" for the month of September 2023 as well as "Principle Permits Reports".

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Planning and Economic Development

Submitted by: Scott Mathers, MPA, P.Eng.

Deputy City Manager

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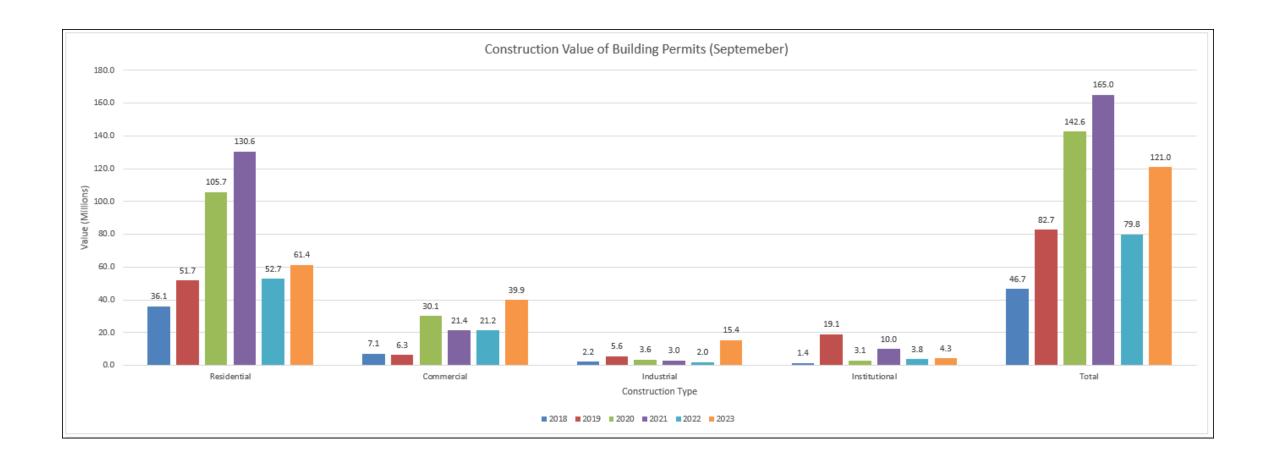
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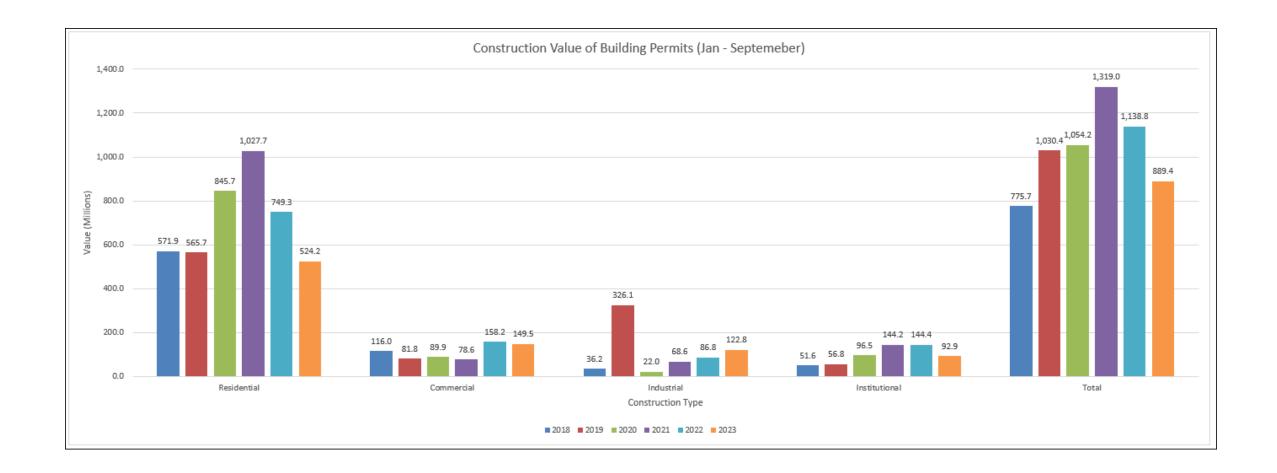
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APPENDIX "A"

CITY OF LONDON SUMMARY LISTING OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY FOR THE MONTH OF September 2023 to the end of September 2022 September 2023 to the end of September 2023 September 2022 September 2021 to the end of September 2021 NO. OF CONSTRUCTION NO. OF NO OF CONSTRUCTION NO. OF PERMITS CLASSIFICATION PERMITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS NGLE DETACHED DWELLINGS 7,960,751 16 98,216,806 180 19,655,657 39 63 382,987,550 SEMI DETACHED DWELLINGS 2,326,269 6 5 4,181,026 9 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 223,500 OWNHOUSES 2,078,814 52 92,458,911 278 2,634,380 7 102 143,040,004 464 20,110,900 69 179 169,649,900 37,637,493 745 266 411,371,500 DUPLEX, TRIPLEX, QUAD, APT BLDG 119 17 166,249,445 480 1 16,317,000 70 13 260,759,763 3 77,775,500 14 1,75 RES-ALTER & ADDITIONS 20 154 13 11 430 297 28 1.445 163,057,011 183 14,113,495 1.534 82,405,002 174 6,437,830 1,423 63,455,427 0 COMMERCIAL -ERECT 0 0 0 6 38,580,370 2 15,601,140 1 13 55,109,419 1 95,000 0 22 11,519,400 COMMERCIAL - ADDITION 50,000 8,561,730 850,000 10 27,001,900 3,171,500 3,626,500 COMMERCIAL - OTHER 30 39,879,710 0 240 102,369,760 27 4,788,370 0 219 76,100,194 0 33 18,158,011 0 267 63,419,315 0 NDUSTRIAL - ERECT 5,070,400 0 51,391,868 0 29,580,184 12 45,227,409 INDUSTRIAL - ADDITION 9,000,000 0 8 54,228,428 0 0 0 0 7 52,657,871 0 3,000,000 0 6 6,386,560 17.202.051 16.961.980 1,314,000 0 1 959 000 0 26 4,578,160 24 NDUSTRIAL - OTHER 39 0 INSTITUTIONAL - ERECT 0 0 34,699,252 0 0 0 3 99,646,231 0 0 12,000,000 NSTITUTIONAL - ADDITION 14 12,209,743 2,397,000 47,273,386 INSTITUTIONAL - OTHER 4,295,000 0 154 46,039,016 0 29 3,841,300 0 137 42,388,836 0 10,042,500 0 108 84,897,450 9 72,600 0 4,152,600 0 350,000 0 SWIMMING POOL FENCES 17 957,000 0 153 5,689,368 1,022,500 0 297 11,906,909 1,037,018 9,716,158 0 25 0 30 0 337 DMINISTRATIVE 12 49,000 0 121 481,000 23,000 0 121 875,000 34,000 0 82 290,000 DEMOLITION 6 0 3 77 46 11 0 10 82 0 55 0 60 0 0 3 0 0 10 15 0 SIGNS/CANOPY - CITY PROPERTY 0 SIGNS/CANOPY - PRIVATE PROPERT 36 266 27 0 0 286 44 267 TOTALS 302 122,121,334 175 2 811 899,768,384 1,131 365 80,805,842 137 3,391 1,153,173,319 1.883 397 166,113,259 411 3 668 1,329,356,034 September 2020 to the end of September 2020 September 2019 to the end of September 2019 September 2018 to the end of September 2018 NO. OF CONSTRUCTION NO. OF CLASSIFICATION PERMITS PERMITS PERMITS PERMITS PERMITS PERMITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS VALUE UNITS 278.888.354 24.838.835 215.644.431 44 19.413.669 44 224.219.845 SINGLE DETACHED DWELLINGS 112 46.697.350 112 658 658 62 62 508 508 533 SEMI DETACHED DWELLINGS 669,000 2 2 1,023,000 4 3 884,400 6 3 884,400 0 0 0 0 0 112,411,610 97 93,520,185 20 20,297,380 98 125 516 58 DUPLEX, TRIPLEX, QUAD, APT BLDG 2 30,000,000 104 12 430,878,800 1,414 639,000 4 18 192,486,852 875 164,602,920 713 7.118.000 1,087 41,414,009 40 146 5,036,160 3 1,425 44,287,817 56 4.786.404 48.768.937 COMMERCIAL -ERECT 0 0 0 9 7,160,300 0 3 2,264,330 0 14 20,662,080 0 3 2,231,200 0 27 55,447,103 927.000 0 9.554.000 0 12 9.650.718 44 30,126,500 279 81.939.327 33 3,111,000 397 51.560.410 49 4.837.650 357 COMMERCIAL - OTHER 0 0 0 2 0 50.920.639 8,286,700 3.986.000 312,766,000 9,450,000 0 11 0 4 7,918,800 1,064,100 8 6,313,100 32,000 7,310,000 INDUSTRIAL - ADDITION 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 6 NDUSTRIAL - OTHER 5.814.407 578,800 7.047.320 2.173,000 19 415 804 17,640,000 27,456,800 INSTITUTIONAL - ERECT 0 0 3 32,825,000 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 15,178,000 180,000 0 5.333.800 14.049.600 INSTITUTIONAL - ADDITION 3,083,000 1,382,282 INSTITUTIONAL - OTHER 14 0 132 48,539,001 0 1,245,000 0 151 23,988,960 0 12 0 201 37,526,692 AGRICULTURE 100.000 60.000 0 15,700,000 0 0 0 210,000 39 1,042,321 317 7,766,891 0 22 454,600 0 193 4,139,267 0 21 400,452 0 196 4,157,972 SWIMMING POOL FENCES 0 41 12 0 124 320,000 0 30,250 155 434 350 DMINISTRATIVE 6.000 13 000 57 43 10 4 71 39 71 -5 0 0 8 DEMOLITION 4 0 0 0 0 GNS/CANOPY - CITY PROPERTY 0 27 0 11 SIGNS/CANOPY - PRIVATE PROPERTY 37 397 271 TOTALS 478 143,610,171 2,977 1,062,155,574 83,219,605 3,563 1,050,556,847 1,963 364 47,151,907 111 3,515 780,509,449







City of London - Building Division

Principal Permits Issued from September 1, 2023 to September 30, 2023

Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Units	Construction Value
FANSHAWE COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY FANSHAWE COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY	1001 Fanshawe College Blvd	(statcan) Alter - Community College Removal and replacement of existing heat pumps and light fixtures on Level 1 of Building "E" including emergency lighting. Minor electrical and mechanical upgrades to suit new heat pumps and light fixtures.	C	1,600,000
BORIS REZVAN 1972242 ONTARIO LIMITED	1100 Commissioners Rd E	(statcan) Alter - Retail Store UNIT 7 - INTERIOR ALTERATION FOR GROCERY STORE	(148,000
REMBRANDT MEADOWLILLY INC REMBRANDT MEADOWLILLY INC	1224 Blackwell Blvd I	(statcan) Erect - Townhouse - Condo ERECT NEW CONDO STREET TOWNHOUSE BLOCK I, 2 STOREY 1 CAR, 3 BED, FINISHED BASEMENT, W/ DECK, W/ A/C, ENERGY STAR, HRV AND DWHR REQUIRED - DPN 21, 23, 25, 27, 29	5	5 1,435,915
Peoplecare Inc	1242 Oakcrossing Rd	(statcan) Alter - Nursing Homes Add heating/cooling hydronic fan coils to long term care resident rooms. Primary source of heating/cooling is from rooftop air to glycol heat pumps pumped into existing hydronic heating system. Backup heating is provided by existing natural gas heating boiler system which will remain.	C	2,500,000
Calloway Reit (London N) Inc Canadian Property Holdings	1280 Fanshawe Park Rd W	(statcan) Alter - Retail Store Remove existing roof mounted refrigeration equipment and replace with new, Replace RTU's as needed to suit renovation, Replace exterior vestibule sliding doors with new, New exterior entrance for Medical Clinic & Fitness Centre, Replace lighting as needed, Replace exit and emergency lighting throughout, Raise overhead doors from 8' to 9' at receiving area, Raise all crash doors from 7' to 9', Full renovation to existing washrooms, Demise current space to add 2 separate suites, 1 for medical clinic and 1 for fitness centre	(8,100,000
		Shell permit only		
		To go to full permit: 1. Submit guardrail shop drawings at top of retaining wall. 2. Submit Pre-fabricated canopy shop drawings. (See section 4 on S2.3) 3. Provide steel studs shop drawings including connection at the following location: 3.1. Parapets 3.2. Exterior walls 3.3. Exterior cornice 3.4. Vestibule walls		



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Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Units	Construction Value
	1280 King St	(statcan) Alter - Four-Plex ALTER TO REPAIR TO EXISTING 4PLEX DUE TO FIRE DAMAGE, REPLACINF PLUMBING, FIRE SEPARATIONS AND (2) FLOOR JOISTS ******TO BE REBUILT AS PER EXISTING*****	0	120,000
OXBURY CENTRE (C/O WESTDELL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION)	1299 Oxford St E	(statcan) Alter - Retail Store Interior alteration -Tenant Fit-Up	0	232,410
PERPETUALLY INNOVATIVE DEVELOPMENTS INC	1328 Bush Hill Link	(statcan) Erect - Duplex ERECT NEW SFD WITH ADDITIONAL DWELLING UNIT IN BASEMENT, 2 STOREY, 2 CAR GARAGE, FINISHED BASEMENT, 5 BEDROOMS, NO DECK, NO A/C, SB12 A1,LOT16 33M-819, HRV AND DWHR REQUIRED	2	439,037
2560334 ONTARIO INC 2560334 ONTARIO INC	135 Villagewalk Blvd	Install - Sanitary or Storm sewer - Site Services Install services only for commercial plaza		281,000
1803494 ONTARIO INC	142 Wharncliffe Rd N	(statcan) Alter - Triplex	C	300,000
London City	1484 Wilton Grove Rd	(statcan) Alter - Municipal Buildings REPAIR EXISTING SALT DOME	C	130,000
1600 Hp Inc	1600 Hyde Park Rd	(statcan) Alter - Dental Offices CHANGE OF USE FROM GROUPS C AND E TO D FOR A TENANT FIT UP OF DENTAL OFFICES Shell Permit Only - Provide the Building Division with sealed stair and stair guard shop drawings, including design loads and connection between structural members, for review before starting work in these areas.	0	151,000
		NO OCCUPANCY PERMIT ISSUED FOR BASE BUILDING 20- 023709		
5005515 ONTARIO LIMITED 5005515 ONTARIO LIMITED	1619 Haig St	(statcan) Erect - Duplex ERECT NEW SFD W/ BASEMENT ADDITIONAL DWELLING UNIT, 1 STOREY, 1 CAR, 4 BED, FINISHED BASEMENT, NO DECK, W/ A/C, SB12 A5, INFILL LOT, HRV AND DWHR REQUIRED, SOILS REQUIRED	2	452,628
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HEARTLAND ONTARIO HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HEARTLAND ONTARIO	1697 Highbury Ave N A	Install - Sanitary or Storm sewer - Townhouse - Condo Install standalone site servicing		550,000
RICHMOND HYLAND CENTRE INC RICHMOND HYLAND CENTRE INC	1701 Richmond St	(statcan) Alter - Offices ALTER INTERIOR FOR GROUP D TENANT FIT-UP, 2ND FLOOR SUITE 2B (UNIT 3)	O	128,500
		*** DEMISING WALL ON SEPARATE PERMIT - 23-011616 UNDER REVIEW ***		



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THE RIDGE AT BYRON INC. THE RIDGE AT BYRON INC.	1710 Ironwood Rd 9	(statcan) Erect - Townhouse - Cluster SDD ERECT CLUSTER SDD, 1 STOREY, 2 CAR GARAGE, 3 BEDROOM, FINISHED BASEMENT, REAR DECK, A/C, SB-12 A5, MVLCP 903 Level 1 Unit 5, HRV & DWHR REQUIRED, SOILS REPORT REQUIRED MODEL: THE BIRMINGHAM	1	L 642,899
Takawy Properties Ltd	1828 Blue Heron Dr	(statcan) Alter - Recreation Centre Tenant fit-up interior alteration of indoor golf	(192,500
DANCOR OXFORD INC DANCOR PHASE II OXFORD INC	2146 Oxford St E	(statcan) Alter - Plant for Manufacturing The interior fit-up for the existing shell building for the main office in the North-East corner and a warehouse/shipping office. SHELL - No occupancy until the main building completed.	(1,000,000
Bruder Realty Ltd	2323 Scanlan St	(statcan) Erect - Plant for Manufacturing ERECY 1 STOREY MANUFACTURING FACILITY (PHASE 1)	(5,070,400
LONDON & MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY HOUSING LONDON & MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY HOUSING INC	241 Simcoe St	(statcan) Alter - Apartment Building Unit 211,311,411 and 511 limited tearout and repairs for smoke and water damages due to fire, interior finishes, fire separation on party walls, exterior walls and ceilings. Unit 611,711,811,911,1011 full gut and repairs for smoke and water damages due to fire, interior finishes, fire separation on party walls, exterior walls and ceilings. *****TO BE REBUILT AS PER EXISTING*****	(500,000
MOHAMED ABDULREHMAN CARDINAL HOMES INC.	2500 Main St	Install - Townhouse - Condo INSTALL SITE SERVICES		3,700,000
THE CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY	255 Dufferin Ave	(statcan) Alter - Retail Store Interior alteration to exist. Group E Retail outlet within a Group D Office Building. No change in Use, no structural work req'd. New equip., finishes and millwork.	(170,000
WONDERLAND POWER CENTRE INC. WONDERLAND POWER CENTRE INC.	3120 Wonderland Rd S Maxwell, Chantal (cmaxwell@	(statcan) Alter - Retail Store Interior Alteration for IKEA design	(375,000
FIRST LONDON EAST DEVELOPMENTS INC	320 Clarke Rd	(statcan) Alter - Restaurant INTERIOR ALTERATIONS TO STACKED PANCAKE & BREAKFAST HOUSE	(297,800
G Belisle Holdings (London) Limited	4231 Blakie Rd	Install - Water service/main - Contractors office and warehouse Connect new water main to City of London's take off. The current building is fed from a well. Now that the City of London has extended the watermain in the street, Tornado Insulation would like to use this water instead of the well .		225,000



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Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Units	Construction Value
Dr. Michael J Dasilva Dentistry Professional Corp	4342 Colonel Talbot Rd	(statcan) Alter - Dental Offices RENOVATION TO DENTAL OFFICE BUILDING	0	400,000
Wcpt London Inc	649 Consortium Crt	(statcan) Alter - Industrial Laboratory Interior alteration inside an existing unit, creating a waste room, food lab and a corridor.	0	150,000
GERALD SLEMKO BARVEST REALTY INC	758 Baransway Dr	(statcan) Add (Non-Residential) - Plant for Manufacturing Addition 2,883 sq.m. to the existing Trudell Healthcare facility. SHELL PERMIT - Provide Integrated Testing Plan and Coordinator. Provide sealed shop drawings final version for retaining walls guardrails (at gridlines 2 and 7) and access ladder to the Building Division for review prior to work in these areas.	0	9,000,000
780 WONDERLAND HOLDINGS LIMITED	780 Wonderland Rd S	(statcan) Alter - Apartment Building This is a high rise multi unit building - Stainwell exterior walls are to be replaced due to structural deficiencies noted by engineer. new walls will be built and new steel cladding installed	0	200,000
TALU PROPERTIES INC. TALU PROPERTIES INC.	820 Chelton Rd	(statcan) Erect - Apartment Building Erect 6 storey apartment building	62	17,567,658
CHRIS LEIGH 89 RIDOUT SOUTH LTD.	89 Ridout St S	(statcan) Alter - Apartment Building Balcony Repair.	0	250,000
CITY LONDON WESTERN FAIR ASSOCIATION	900 King St	(statcan) Alter - Amusement Games Establishment Major Renovation to the building interior London Gateway Casino. Shell permit only. No site services. Provide sprinkler shop drawing and GRCC, fire alarm shop drawing, integrated testing plan and Coordinator, commercial cooking hood suppression shop drawing. Provide interior/exterior stair and guards/handrails shop drawings.	0	28,000,000
CITY LONDON WESTERN FAIR ASSOCIATION	900 King St	(statcan) Alter - Food Processing Plant Construction of Greenhouse within existing Grove space at Western Fair. Structure is meant to be used as a demonstration piece for marketing of future similar products. SHELL permit. Provide sprinkler shop drawing and GRCC.	0	150,000
ROSS OF LONDON HOLDINGS INC	91 Enterprise Dr	(statcan) Alter - Automobile Repair Garage ALTERATIONS FOR FOUNTAIN TIRE Shell permit only - Provide sealed stair guards/handrails, access ladder and stairs shop drawings to the Building Division for review prior to work in these areas.	0	578,000
LONDON & MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY HOUSING LONDON & MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY HOUSING INC	931 Southdale Rd E	(statcan) Erect - Apartment Building ERECT 6 STOREY APARTMENT BUILDING ***FOUNDATION PERMIT***	53	19,178,171



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Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Units	Construction Value	
	9345 Elviage Dr	Install Inground Pool Fence - Pool Fence Permit - Inground			140,000
96-98 BESSEMER HOLDINGS LIMITED	96 Bessemer Crt	(statcan) Alter - Office Complex (Retail/Office) Structural Repair to exterior masonry wall (+ asphalt work which does not require permit)	0		200,000

Total Permits 37 Units 125 Value 104,555,918

^{*} Includes all permits over \$100,000, except for single and semi-detached dwellings.