

Bill No. 248  
2018

By-law No. C.P.-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

A by-law to amend The London Plan for the City of London, 2016 relating to Supervised Consumption Facilities and Temporary Overdose Prevention Sites.

The Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London enacts as follows:

1. Amendment No. (to be inserted by Clerk's Office) to The London Plan for the City of London Planning Area – 2016, as contained in the text attached hereto and forming part of this by-law, is adopted.
2. This by-law shall come into effect in accordance with subsection 17(38) of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13*.

PASSED in Open Council on May 22, 2018.

Matt Brown  
Mayor

Catharine Saunders  
City Clerk

First Reading – May 22, 2018  
Second Reading – May 22, 2018  
Third Reading – May 22, 2018

**AMENDMENT NO.  
to the  
THE LONDON PLAN FOR THE CITY OF LONDON**

A. PURPOSE OF THIS AMENDMENT

The purpose of this Amendment is:

1. Add definitions to Policy 1795 – Glossary of Terms within Our Tools of *The London Plan* for the City of London for Supervised Consumption Facilities and Temporary Overdose Prevention Sites

B. LOCATION OF THIS AMENDMENT

1. This Amendment applies to all lands located within the City of London.

C. BASIS OF THE AMENDMENT

1. The recommended approach provides for Supervised Consumption Facilities and Temporary Overdose Prevention Sites in a manner that ensures the facilities are located to serve the populations that require the services of the facilities and avoids land use conflicts.
2. The recommended approach addresses both neighbourhood and site-specific issues related to the establishment of Supervised Consumption Facilities and Temporary Overdose Prevention Sites.
3. The recommended approach recognizes the flexibility required for TOPS given their unique and temporary nature as a response to a public health emergency.
4. The recommended approach allows for community engagement both through the Zoning By-law Amendment process and the creation of on-going community-facility lines of communication.

D. THE AMENDMENT

The Official Plan for the City of London is hereby amended as follows:

*The London Plan* is hereby amended as follows:

1. Policy 1795 of The London Plan for the City of London is amended by adding the following definitions for 'Supervised Consumption Facility' and 'Temporary Overdose Prevention Site' in the appropriate alphabetical location:

**Supervised Consumption Facility** means a facility that has received an exemption from the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act*, where people can bring their illicit drugs to consume in a sterile and safe environment. These facilities shall offer additional health and drug-related support services. These facilities are intended to provide such services on an ongoing, rather than temporary, basis.

**Temporary Overdose Prevention Site** means a temporary facility that has received an exemption from the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act* in the case of a Provincially declared public health emergency, where people can bring their illicit drugs to consume in a sterile and safe environment. Unlike supervised consumption facilities, these are to be temporary in nature.