# **HERITAGE IMPACT STATEMENT (addendum)**

.... on behalf of ..... Invest Group Ltd.

.... in support a Rezoning to permit 18 townhouses and 1or 2 dwelling units in the existing heritage residence – standard condominium.

.... at 2096 Wonderland Road North in the City of London.

# December 2018







# **Heritage Impact Statement (HIS -addendum)**

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### 1.0 Introduction

The Heritage Impact Statement is prepared as part of the COMPLETE application requirements of the Invest Group proposal for a rezoning application to permit 18 townhouses and 1 or 2 dwelling units in the existing heritage residence, located at 2096 Wonderland Road North, east side, south of Sunningdale Road, City of London. This was set out in the City's RECORD OF PRE-APPLICATION dated July17, 2018. It should be read in conjunction with the Planning Justification Report and the Urban Design Brief, also being requirements of a COMPLETE application. Architectural design drawings and plans are Appended to this Report. This Report also responds to the urban Design Panel comments of Nov 2018 that are relevant to cultural heritage.

## 2.0 Background

A Heritage Impact Statement (HIS) was prepared by Stantec. dated April 10, 2018. This report is an ADDENDUM to the HIS that is required by the City as part of the COMPLETE APPLICATION. The EXECUTIVE SUMMARY of the original HIS reads as follows:

Invest Group Ltd. retained Stantec Consulting Ltd (Stantec) to conduct a Heritage Impact Statement (HIS) for the property at 2096 Wonderland Road North, in the City of London, Ontario. The property is included on the City of London's list of heritage properties as a Priority 2 building, though it is not designated under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act.

Invest Group Ltd. is considering a draft plan to rezone the property for townhouses. The study area at 2096 Wonderland Road North contains a two storey Georgian residence that dates to approximately 1850, with a later addition. Landscape features including plantings and mature trees. The property is historically associated with the Warner family, who owned the property from 1819 to about 1891.

Determination of cultural heritage value or interest (CHVI) was undertaken according to criteria outlined in Ontario Regulation 9/06 made under the Ontario Heritage Act. The property at 2096 Wonderland Road North was determined to have CHVI based on the design of the residence, its association with the Warner family, and for its connection to the early settlement and development of the former London Township.

The two storey residence is an example of the Georgian style. The residence is a symmetrical structure, with a low pitched hip roof, bookend chimneys, buff brick exterior, brick voussoirs, and stone foundation. The proposed changes in land-use to townhouse development in the study area will have an effect on the heritage value of this property since the house will be directly impacted and the historical connection to the land will be permanently altered.

Based on the impacts identified to this cultural heritage resource, two mitigation options have been identified. These options are ranked in order of preference. The recommended mitigation options include:

- 1) Relocation of the house is the preferred mitigation option for this property. Relocation within the property is preferred in order to maintain the contextual and historical associations the house has with the landscape. Relocation to an adjacent site is also a valid mitigation option, if no alternatives for relocation within the property exist. Advertising the house for sale at a discounted price with the condition that the buyer relocate the house is also a valid relocation strategy. A structural engineering report should be prepared by a qualified engineer to confirm if the house can withstand relocation.
- 2) If relocation of the house is not feasible, then documentation and salvage (as applicable) of the property is the next preferred mitigation option. Documentation and salvage should be carried out prior to relocation or demolition. Documentation activities should consist of the full heritage recording of the house and landscape through photography, photogrammetry, or LiDAR scan. Salvage activities should consist of the identification and recovery re-useable materials by a reputable salvage company or charity. The documentation and salvage work should be carried out under the direction of a Cultural Heritage Specialist in good professional standing with the Canadian Association of Heritage Professionals (CAHP).

Section 4.0 of the HIS evaluates the heritage using Ontario Regulation 9/06 of the Ontario Heritage Act, Part IV. The following Table 1 is provided below to show what criteria is met.

Table 1: Evaluation According to Ontario Regulation 9/06

Criteria of O. Reg 9.06	Y/N
Is a rare, unique, representative or early example of a style, type, expression, material or	Y
construction method	
Displays a high degree of craftsmanship or artistic merit	N
Demonstrates a high degree of technical or scientific achievement	N
Has direct associations with a theme, event, belief, person, activity, organization or institution	Y
that is significant to a community	
Yields, or has the potential to yield, information that contributes to an understanding of a	N
community or culture	
Demonstrates or reflects the work or ideas of an architect, artist, builder, designer or theorist	N
who is significant to a community	
Is important in defining, maintaining or supporting the character of an area	N
Is physically, functionally, visually or historically linked to its surroundings	Y
Is a landmark	N

If a property meets one or more of the above criteria than it merits designation under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act. It is noted that the three of nine criteria are met. The first criteria is about the rare, unique and early example of style and method of material of construction. The latter two about historical attributes.

The Heritage Impact Statement was submitted with a rezoning application for 18 townhouses with garages and surface parking, in May 2017. From this, City Staff and the London Advisory

Committee on Heritage (LACH) recommended to Council that the original residential structure be designated under Part IV of the Ontario \heritage Act. Council adopted the bylaw on September 18, 2018. The resolution is contained in the Appendix.

Invest Group therefore has abandoned its original rezoning application, pre-consulted with the City staff in July 2018, and is now bringing forth a second rezoning application which includes the preservation of the residence for 1 dwelling unit and 8 additional new townhouse units with underground parking.

### 3.0 The Statement of Cultural Value or Interest

The following is the excerpt from the City staff report and recommendation to Planning and Environment Committee on September 10, 2018, and is significant as it focuses in on the important heritage attributes and components that would be at the core of the discussion of how the new proposed housing development might impact on them. It is noted that the heritage significance is built on mostly "history" and not so much "architecture".

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# Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest reads ......

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has local significance for design/physical value, historical/associative value, and contextual value.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has physical or design value as a rare and representative example of a mid-19th century Georgian farmhouse. The residence is a two storey structure with a low-pitched hip roof and bookend chimneys. It has a buff brick exterior with a common bond, brick voussoirs, and a stone foundation. The Georgian style of architecture is reflected in the symmetrical façade and minimal use of ornamenting and detail.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has historical and associative value because of its link with the Warner family. William Warner was the original patent holder on the property, receiving it in 1819. His son, Wesley Warner, inherited the farmstead and was a noted member of London Township for his involvement in the temperance society.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has contextual value because it is physically and historically linked to its surroundings. It remains located in its original spot on the property and historically reflects the prominent role agriculture played in London Township.

### Heritage Attributes

The heritage attributes which support or contribute to the cultural heritage value or interest of the property at 2096 Wonderland Road North include:

- Georgian two storey farmhouse
- Square shaped plan
- Low pitched hip roof with bookend chimneys
- Buff brick construction
- Field stone foundation
- Brick voussoirs above windows

The addition at the rear of the brick building is not considered to be a heritage attribute.

# 4.0 Heritage Impact Evaluation

The impact evaluation is based on two parts, namely:

- the impact on the heritage features of the heritage residence in and of itself, and :
- the impact of the new part of the development, specifically the 18 new townhouses and the underground parking, together with surface parking.

### 4.1 Impact of heritage Residence by itself

The new proposal proposed to keep the existing residence in its current location and the new rear addition of the garage and bedrooms above is propose to be demolished. The rear addition is not part of the heritage designation.

The HERITAGE ATTRIBUTES that are part of the Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest would be enhanced through preservation, cleaning and repointing the brick as necessary. These would be the Georgian two storey farmhouse, Square shaped plan, Low pitched hip roof with bookend chimneys, Buff brick construction, Field stone foundation, and the Brick voussoirs above windows.

The City's RECORD OF PRE- APPLICATION sets out some specific comments on heritage impact and these are addressed below.

 At the site plan stage, and for the Heritage Alteration Permit, further information will be required to show how the existing rear addition will be removed without compromising the heritage attributes of the property.

<u>RESPONSE:</u> Pre-consultation for site plan approval has been carried out as part of the Complete Application and the above comment is duly noted. The intention it to appear before the LACH asap after the application is submitted as part of the Heritage Alteration permit process, and additional information will be provided at that time.

• At the site plan stage, heritage commemoration is encouraged, particularly in the amenity area for the proposed development.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: The historical significance is proposed to be described on a plaque mounted on the front face of the heritage building and the visitor parking area landscaped forecourt is to be called "WARNER SQUARE", after William Warner the original crown grantee of the 100 acres.

## 4.2 Impact of Heritage Residence by the New Townhouse Development

The City's RECORD OF PRE- APPLICATION sets out some specific comments on heritage impact and these are used as a basis to analyze the impact as set out below.

a) The massing around the heritage building is of concern - particularly in the transition from the two storey heritage building with a very shallow hipped roof to the three-storey massing of the proposed townhouses (with an unknown roof style). The massing as proposed could overwhelm the heritage building, and two storey massing is encouraged (particularly for the building row to the south of the heritage building) with a transition to a greater height further away. More detailed site concept (including dimensions and scale) would be helpful to understand these relationships.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: The separation space of the higher storey of the adjacent new townhouse has been further studies and comments are as follows:

Connecting existing building with two storey townhouse;

Utilize glass connection between existing building and new townhouse;

- On other townhouse units, removed third storey roof terraces and stairway enclosure structures;
- o Introduced third storey terraces in lieu of roof terraces, reducing the mass of the third storey;
- Setback the third storey from interior to permit, ore light into central courtyard;
- Use brick on first two storeys of townhouses to match existing heritage building and lighter coloured panels above;
- b) Related to the form, more opening of the sightlines to the heritage building from the street is desirable. The proposal is to convert the existing single unit heritage building into two units. This conversion will occur only on the interior, and maintain the single exterior front doorway. The landscaping appears to show two entries, but should only show one.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: About 40% of the frontage (25 m of the 64 m) of the subject site along Wonderland Road has been left open in front of the existing heritage residence to enable viewing from the public realm of Wonderland Road North. The buildings of the vacant land condo on the north adjacent property are built very close to the its southerly lot line affording minimal sightline from the north. The single exterior front door will be maintained as one door entrance, although designed to be consistent with the design approach of the new townhouse buildings. The option of utilizing the existing heritage residence as one dwelling unit or converting it to two dwelling units is built into the rezoning.

c) Information should be provided in the Urban Design Brief regarding the use of materials that are compatible with and complement the heritage building (e.g. brick)

<u>RESPONSE</u>: The buff brick of the existing heritage residence will be complimented with the building materials colour, texture and composition in order to match with the new townhouse buildings. Also includes would be the upgrading of all windows in existing building to match the new townhouse units;

d) The construction of the underground parking will be very close to the rubble foundation of the heritage building. At the site plan approval stage, further details will be required to demonstrate the constructability of the underground parking without compromising the structure of the heritage building

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Shoring and underground pinning by appropriate engineers will be studied and designed at the SPA and building permit stages.

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Addition comments from the Urban Design Panel that are relevant to "heritage: area as follows with the response below each. Comments are contained in the Appendix.

e) The Panel recommends that the heritage building remain separate from the new development, or a design solution that gives it more space/separation such as an internal courtyard or glass connection.

<u>RESPONSE:</u> The proposal maintains a connection of the heritage residence with the new townhouse in order to enable a functional living space for the new unit, and the separation structure will recognize the connection and with colour and materials protect and maintain the individuality of the heritage structure. See 3.2 a) above.

f) The Panel has concerns with the parking area in front of the heritage building. The Panel notes that it is difficult to provide design comment relative to the heritage building without having the benefit of reviewing the heritage impact assessment.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: The parking area in front of the heritage residence has been reduce from 10 to 7 spaces. Parking is required for visitor parking convenient on the surface as opposed to underground. The parking is to be landscaped and surfaced with materials in a design such that it will present itself as a hard landscaped surface area or "forecourt" and a functional space for common resident activities such as barbecues, garage sales, and other social gatherings. It is also to celebrate the pioneer Warner family residence as part of the commemorative wall plaque.

### 5.0 Conclusions

The Invest Group team has brought forth to the subject site an 18-unit, mostly 3 storey townhouse development with underground parking. It recognizes and respects the preservation of the existing heritage designated residence and proposes to covert into 1 or dwelling units through:

- a) Updating and refurbishing the heritage building with brick repair, window replacement, singular front door replacement to match the design treatment of the new townhouses;
- b) Built form with two storey townhouse adjacent to and connecting to the heritage building;
- c) Subduing the connection with glass panels and possibly other panel combinations;
- d) Utilizing complimentary colours, textures and compositions of building materials.

As part of the rezoning application submission it is the proponent's intention to appear as a delegation before the London Advisory Committee on Heritage (LACH) to gather their comments. More details would be explained at this meeting.

In conclusion, the Invest team believes that it has respected and fulfilled the Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest a unique and desi. The team believes it is proposing a unique small scale housing development that would compliment the heritage features of the site, would be compatible with surrounding land uses and offer a different form of housing than what exists in the Sunning dale Community.

### **APPENDIX**

- 5. Record of Pre-application by the City of London July 17, 2018
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# RECORD OF PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION

The following form is to be completed and signed off at/following the Pre-application Consultation Meeting (PACM)

Date: July 17, 2018

TO: Laverne Kirkness, Kirkness Consulting Inc.

FROM: Barb Debbert

RE: 2096 Wonderland Road North

ATTENDEES: Laverne Kirkness, Mario Majzoub, Barb Debbert, Kyle Gonyou, Jerzy Smolarek, Robert Patterson

PLANNING APPLICATION TEAM: Barb Debbert, Kyle Gonyou, Jerzy Smolarek, Robert Patterson, Rich Roobroeck City staff reviewed your Proposal Summary dated June 21, 2018 at an Internal Review Meeting submissions (Studies, Reports, Background or Information) that must be submitted along with the completed application form, required fees and this Record of Pre-Application Consultation on July 5, 2018. The following form summarizes a preliminary list of issues to be considered Form before your application will be accepted as complete for opening and processing. during the processing of your application. We have also identified the initial material

# Proposal:

- Rezone existing property to permit 22 townhouses and 2 converted dwelling units in the existing heritage structure
- Access to the development is proposed from Wonderland Road North
  - Primarily underground parking

# Major issues identified

# Urban Design, Heritage and Site Plan Considerations

- The applicant is commended for including the following principles into the design of the proposal
- The retention, in situ, of the heritage building.
- Locating the vast majority of parking underground, which increases the amount of landscaped open space and provides for a better pedestrian experience through the site.
- Providing for built form along the Wonderland Road N frontage that is oriented to
  the street with individual unit access to the City sidewalk.
   The massing and form of new buildings proposed for the site must provide an
- be considered in evaluating the appropriateness of the proposed development to provide alternative built form may be able to achieve the same number of units while providing a appropriate context for the existing heritage structure. Elements such as the distance of new buildings from the heritage structure, building height, built form and roof design will meeting prior to submitting the Zoning By-law amendment application. The use of an approaches/alternatives to meet this goal, followed by a Site Plan Preconsultation that context. You are strongly encouraged to attend a meeting with Urban Design, Heritage, Site Plan, and Current Planning staff to discuss detailed design more suitable heritage and neighbourhood context.

- be required to attend the Urban Design Peer Review Panel. Information to be submitted After a complete Zoning By-law amendment application is submitted, the applicant will to the Panel includes the Urban Design Brief and the Heritage Impact Assessment.
  - High level site design matters that should be considered leading up to Site Plan
- massing, grading, and drive areas on adjacent lands. The design should provide Through the rezoning appropriate buffers should be provided between adjacent appropriate transitions between new structures and abutting uses on adjacent uses, and buffers should take into account but not be limited to: proposed
- New buildings adjacent to Wonderland Road North should be oriented to the street with primary entrances facing Wonderland Road North and including individual walkways from each entrance to the City sidewalk; 0
- Locate private amenity areas internal to the site to remove the need for noise walls on the Wonderland Road North frontage. O
- walls, railings, fencing, etc.), to ensure they do not obscure the heritage structure in walls above grade. The appropriateness of the Site Grading solution will be an and reflect/enhance the heritage characteristics of the property. An underground structure such as the proposed parking structure on a site that slopes can result encouraged to consider opportunities to work with existing grades and how the Care should be taken in the design of any vertical structures such as retaining proposed grading solution works with adjacent lands and urban design and important consideration in the success of this project: the applicant is heritage considerations. 0
- The materials used for the new buildings should be compatible with and complement the heritage structure. 0
- Site design must take into consideration sufficient soil cover for trees (1.5 m depth) over the underground parking. O
- Detailed landscaping plans for the areas in between the townhouses and along the street frontage, that include upgraded plantings with an appropriate mix of full-size deciduous and coniferous trees, shrubs and perennials that are compatible with any underground structures.
- The common amenity area should be more centrally located on the site. 0 0
- Public areas of the site should be designed in accordance with CPTED best

# Zoning

- heritage structure and surrounding single detached dwellings, any recommended zoning by-law amendment should clearly address the "as-of-right" bonus provision in Section 4.3 of the Zoning By-law to ensure the site is not overdeveloped. For the same reasons, staff may consider the use of a "bonus" provision to provide certainty to the City and the As this is a smaller site with potential significant massing impacts on the existing public about the final design.
- The requested zoning should include a converted dwelling as a permitted use in addition

# Vehicular and Pedestrian Access

Description for Condominium Corporation 775 (2105 Wallingford Avenue), access for the proposed development will be permitted from Wonderland Road North. Left and right turn lanes on Wonderland Road North and a road widening to 18.0 metres from Based on the limitations of Schedule "A" of the Condominium Declaration and centerline are required.

# Forestry

A Tree Assessment and Protection Report will be required. If candidate trees are removed, cash-in-lieu or replanting compensation may apply.

# Other Issues

# Full Heritage Comments:

- A revised/new Heritage Impact Assessment is required to reflect the revised proposal to retain the heritage structure.
- Archaeological Assessment report is required to be submitted. Depending on the Archaeological potential is identified for this property; the completed Stage 1 outcome of the Stage 1-2 archaeological assessment, additional stages of archaeological assessments may be required.
- proposed could overwhelm the heritage building, and two storey massing is encouraged from the two storey heritage building with a very shallow hipped roof to the three-storey (particularly for the building row to the south of the heritage building) with a transition to The massing around the heritage building is of concern – particularly in the transition massing of the proposed townhouses (with an unknown roof style). The massing as a greater height further away. More detailed site concept (including dimensions and scale) would be helpful to understand these relationships.
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- of the heritage building. At the site plan approval stage, further details will be required to The construction of the underground parking will be very close to the rubble foundation demonstrate the constructability of the underground parking without compromising the structure of the heritage building
- At the site plan stage, and for the Heritage Alteration Permit, further information will be required to show how the existing rear addition will be removed without compromising the heritage attributes of the property.
  - At the site plan stage, heritage commemoration is encouraged, particularly in the amenity area for the proposed development.
- Heritage properties are eligible for up to a 25% density bonus, per Section 4.3 of the Zoning By-law as follows:
  - HERITAGE BUILDING DESIGNATION BONUS FLOOR AREA AND **DWELLING UNIT DENSITY BONUS:**

For buildings and/or structures designated as historically significant by the City of London, under the Ontario Heritage Act, in consideration for their designation, the following regulations shall apply for:

# Non Residential Uses:

a 25 percent (25%) increase in the gross floor area of the existing building and/or a 25 percent (25%) decrease in the required minimum parking for a permitted use on the lot or;

# Residential Uses:

- dwelling units shall be permitted in accordance with the regulations of the applicable zone. Where the proposed building is a mixture of residential permitted use on the lot to a maximum increase of 25% of the dwelling designated building, 1 additional dwelling unit shall be permitted for a combined total percentage of 25 percent (25%) increase in maximum for every 15 square metres of existing gross building floor area of a units permitted in the zone. The increase in gross floor area and/or and non-residential permitted uses, the bonus shall not exceed a number of dwelling units and nonresidential floor area for the lot. Q
- Heritage CIP: this property may be eligible to access the incentives available through the Heritage Community Improvement Plan – tax increment grant and development charges rebate. Please contact Graham Bailey, Planner II, for more information: •

gbailey@london.ca. The maximum for these programs is capped by the amount spend on the restoration of the heritage building.

# Full Site Plan Comments

- and buffers should take into account but not be limited to: proposed massing, grading, Through the rezoning appropriate buffers should be provided between adjacent uses, and drive areas on adjacent lands. The applicant should ensure that their design provides appropriate transition between abutting uses of adjacent parcels.
- the success of this project: the applicant is encouraged to consider opportunities to work with existing grades & how the proposed grading solution works with adjacent lands and The appropriateness of the Site Grading solution will be an important consideration in urban design and heritage considerations.
- Please provide additional details of the proposed landscape plan for the areas in between Ensure that these areas have upgraded plantings, including an appropriate mix of full-size deciduous and coniferous trees, shrubs, and perennials & that these plantings are compatible with any underground structures proposed; design the public areas of the site in accordance with CPTED best practices. the townhouses and along the street frontage.

# Engineering

# Transportation:

- Road widening dedication of 18.0m from centre line is required on Wonderland Road
- Left and right turn lanes will be required to City standards
- Detailed comments regarding access design will be made through the site plan process

# Vastewater

buildings with a density of 59 units per hectare on the 2086 Wonderland Road North lands. The construction of 24 dwelling units comprised of three 3-storey townhomes and a cluster of 4 existing building is listed in the City's Inventory of Heritage Resources as Priority 2 and is The pre-consultation zoning amendment proposes that the Developer rezone to permit proposed to be preserved.

Wallingford Avenue. The subject lands Mun. No. 2096 Wonderland Road N. is a single family lot that has been provided with a 150mm san. p.d.c. within an easement through the adjacent Condo Corporation 775 which is serviced by a 200mm diameter sanitary sewer which is The municipal sewer for the subject lands is the 450mm municipal sanitary sewer on tributary to the Wallingford sanitary sewer.

land with a design population of 36 people. This Pre-Application Consultation as proposed is higher density than what the lands were allocated. If the higher density is supported the Applicant's Engineer is to update the sanitary area plan and design sheets to the satisfaction Engineering Inc.'s overall sanitary design of the adjacent condominium identified as external The proposed development of 2096 Wonderland Road North was accounted for in Whitney WADE and the City Engineer.

# Stormwater:

ensure the applicant is informed about the need to address/consider the following general SWM The Stormwater Engineering staff have no objection to the above-noted pre-application. Please requirements/concerns during the site plan application stage:

Changes in the "C" from the designed C=0.50 to the value required to accommodate the capacity analysis) to demonstrate adequacy of the existing downstream system and that hole 9s34 (identified as MHR5 in the attached as-constructed sheets 20489 and 20495. The site is tributary to the existing Sunningdale SWM facility 6B via storm maintenance proposed development will trigger the need for hydraulic calculations (storm sewer

20489) account for the required storm sewer stub and associated easement to service this site. Please feel free to discuss further with Development Services Site Plan team. on-site SWM controls will be designed to the satisfaction of the City Engineer. It is our expectation that the design of the condominium east of the site (Block 101 in as-con

- The design and construction of SWM servicing works for the subject land shall be in accordance with:
- The SWM criteria and targets for the Medway Creek Subwatershed, A
- The City Design Requirements for on-site SWM controls which may include but not be limited to quantity/quality and erosion controls, and
- Environment Planning & Design Manual; as well as all applicable Acts, Policies, The City's Waste Discharge and Drainage By-Laws; the Ministry of the Guidelines, Standards and Requirements of all approval agencies. A
- as requirements for on-site SWM controls design, possible implementation of SWM Best The design of the SWM servicing work shall include but not be limited to such aspects drainage design (minor, and major flows), storm drainage conveyance from external Management Practices (e.g. Low impact Development "LID" features), grading and areas (including any associated easements), hydrological conditions, etc.
- existing external drainage through the subject lands are preserved, all to the satisfaction The applicant and his consultant shall ensure the storm/drainage conveyance from the of the City Engineer.
- Additional SWM related comments may be required and provided upon future review of this site.

# Please note that as-constructed drawings 20489 and 20495 have not been attached

Please note that this response has been made without input from the Water Engineering Division. However, significant water servicing issues are not anticipated.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Richard Roobroeck at (519) 661-2500 ext.

# Studies, Reports, Background or Information to be completed and submitted with the application form

- Site Plan preconsultation completed prior to Zoning By-law application submission
  - Zoning By-law amendment application and fee
- Planning Justification Report
- Urban Design Brief in accordance with the City's Urban Design Brief Terms of Reference (or combined in a Planning & Design Report) and including the following elements:
  - A spatial analysis of the surrounding area
- Building massing including roof pitches showing surrounding context both off the property and in relation to the existing heritage structure 0
  - (retaining walls, railings, fencing, etc.) required for the provision of underground Conceptual site plan and landscape plan including any vertical structures parking or other purposes 0
- etc.) required for the provision of underground parking or other purposes Building elevations including any vertical structures (retaining walls, railings, fencing, 0
  - Cross sections (2 north-south and 2 east-west) demonstrating the relationship elevations (including the underground parking structure), existing grading and between the heritage structure, on-site grade changes, the proposed building structures on adjacent properties and the public road allowance. 0
    - Shadow study
- Zoning Data Sheet
- Revised Heritage Impact Assessment
- Archaeological Assessment Stage 1 2 Reports
  - Tree Assessment and Protection Report
- Renderings for on-site signs as required by the Zoning By-law amendment application
- Electronic copies of all supporting background information (USB)

# Recommended order of events:

- Zoning By-law amendment preconsultation (today)
- Design meeting with City staff to discuss/address high level design concerns
  - With refined plans request Site Plan Preconsultation
    - Site Plan Preconsultation 4. 73. 6
- Apply for Zoning By-law Amendment
- Attend Urban Design Peer Review Panel
- Attend London Advisory Committee on Heritage
  - Public Meeting for Zoning By-law amendment
    - Site Plan Application
- Heritage Alteration Permit
- **Building Permit**

# PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION HAS OCCURRED

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PLANNER:

PROPONENT:

DATE:

Disclaimer

The pre-application consultation process is intended to identify issues early in the process and reasonable period of time and ensures that the public and other stakeholders have access to to identify the reports, studies and information required to be submitted as part of a complete information needs at this stage, additional issues and/or information needs may be identified through the application review process and may be requested at that time. Should a formal submission of an application not materialize within 9 months, a subsequent Pre-Application the relevant information early in the process. While every effort has been made to identify application. A complete application enables Council to make informed decisions within a Consultation Meeting (PACM) will be required.

= complete application, City staff may identify additional complete application requirements at the Council adopted The London Plan, the City's new Official Plan for the City, on June 23, 2016. is not yet in force and effect, but should it come into force and effect before you submit your time of application submission in order to comply with The London Plan policies.



# Memo

### **To:** Proponents

- David Yuhasz, Architect, Zedd Architecture
- Mario Majzoub, Architect, Zedd Architecture
- Laverne Kirkness, Principal/Planner, Kirkness Consulting Inc.

### City of London Personnel

- Barb Debbert, Senior Planner
- Jerzy Smolarek, Urban Designer

From: Urban Design Peer Review Panel (UDPRP)

- Steven Cooper, Architect
- Jordan Kemp, Urban Designer
- John Nicholson, Architect
- Janine Oosterveld, Urban Designer
- Heather Price, Urban Designer
- McMichael Ruth, Architect

RE: Zoning Bylaw Amendment Preconsultation: 2096 Wonderland Road North Presentation & Review, November 21, 2018

The Panel provides the following feedback on the submission to be addressed through zoning bylaw amendment application.

- The Panel appreciates the applicant for involving us at such an early stage in the development approvals process. The Panel is supportive of the contemporary design direction, maintaining the heritage building and underground parking components of the project.
- The Panel has some concerns that the overall building height and massing on site may be too
  dense: creating a street wall that is too tall for the neighbouring buildings to the east; forcing at
  grade parking in front of the heritage building; and resulting in an awkward connection between
  the new buildings and heritage building.
- The Panel recommends that the heritage building remain separate from the new development, or a design solution that gives it more space/separation such as an internal courtyard or glass connection.
- The Panel has some concerns with the rear and east side setback. The setback should provide adequate space for tree planting and limit balconies in proximity to the property line.

- The Panel has concerns with the parking area in front of the heritage building. The Panel notes that it is difficult to provide design comment relative to the heritage building without having the benefit of reviewing the heritage impact assessment.
- The material selection of the proposed buildings should be in alignment with the HIA.
- The Panel is supportive of a wall along Wonderland Road but the height should be lowered such that it continues to allow views of the property.
- The common amenity area(s) on site should include space for communal gathering / active use.
   In the current concept, they appear to be simply walkways within the courtyard space between the buildings.

### **Concluding comments:**

The Panel is supportive of additional density on the site through a zoning bylaw amendment subject to the comments above. The Panel has provided some detailed design comments for consideration in working through the site design and requests that the project returns for additional comment at the site plan consultation stage.

Sincerely on behalf of the UDPRP,

Janine Oosterveld, MCIP RPP (UDPRP Chair)

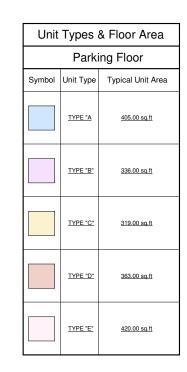


# **LOCATION MAP**

Site Statistics				
Address: 2096 Wonderland Road North Zoning: <b>R5-6</b>				
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	DESCRIPTION: LOT 17, REGISTRAR'S COMPILED PLAN NO. 1028			
ZONING	REQUIRED/ALLOWED	PROPOSED		
SITE (LOT) AREA:(min.)	850m²	4046m²- GROSS 3,541m²- NET		
LOT FRONTAGE (min.)	10 m	63.614 m		
FRONT YARD (min.)	6 m	1.85 m		
INTERIOR YARD (min.)	3m	3m & 6m		
REAR YARD (min.)	6m	3.86 m		
LOT COVERAGE (max.)	45%	33.8%		
LANDSCAPE, OPEN SPACE (min.)	35%	49.11%		
BUILDING HEIGHT (max.)	12m	12m		
UNITS		18 + Existing House		
DENSITY (max.)	50 UNIT/ Ha	47.5 UNIT/ Ha 18 + Existing House		
PARKING:	1.5 SPACE/ UNIT 41 + 2 Tandem (min. 29)			







Total Parking Floor Area: 20,640.00 Sq.Ft.



Parking Level





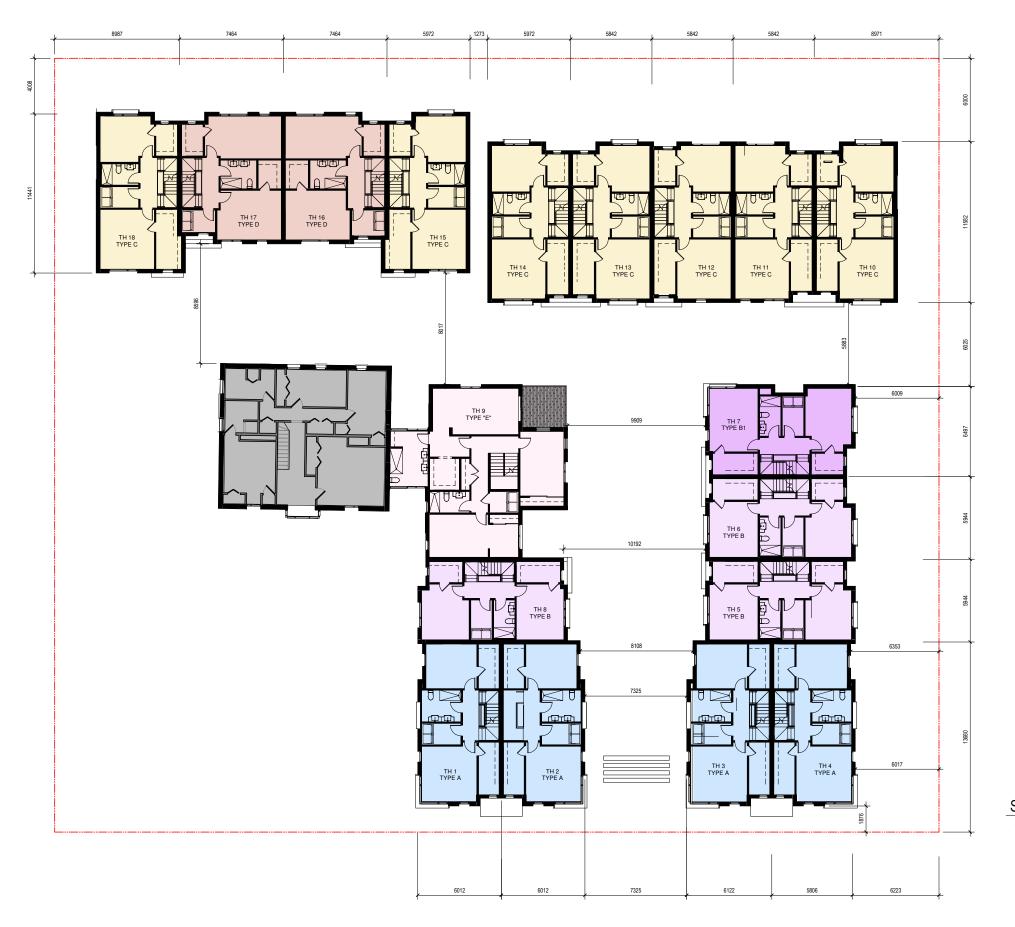


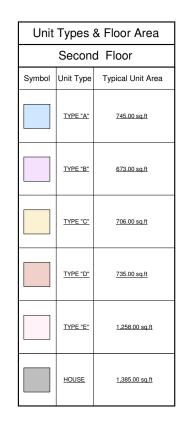
Total First Floor Area Including Existing House: 14,655.00 Sq.Ft.



First Floor Plan







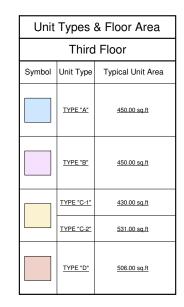
Total Second Floor Area Including Existing House: 14,925.00 Sq.Ft.



Second Floor Plan







Total Third Floor Area: 7,824.00 Sq.Ft.



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Wonderland Town Houses

E	Exterior Finish Legend				
Symbol	Panel Type				
1	BRICK MANUFACTURER : TBD COLOUR : GRAY				
2	PANEL #1 MANUFACTURER: TBD COLOUR: LIGHT TAN				
3	PANEL#2 MANUFACTURER: TBD COLOUR: IRON GRAY				
4	PREFINISHED GLASS RAILING SYSTEMMANUFACTURER : TBD COLOUR: GRAY				
(5)	PREFINISHED WINDOW/ DOOR MANUFACTURER : TBD COLOUR: BLACK				



West Elevation



South Elevation

1/8"=1'-0"









East Elevation



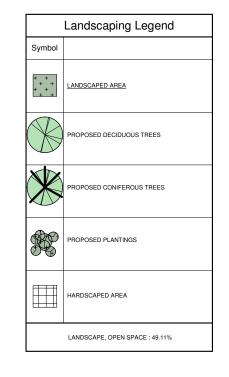




North Elevation



East-West Section Through Court







WONDERLAND ROAD NORTH



Wonderland Town Houses

# **Report to Planning and Environment Committee**

To: Chair and Members

**Planning & Environment Committee** 

From: John M. Fleming

**Managing Director, Planning and City Planner** 

Subject: Passage of Heritage Designating By-law for 2096 Wonderland

**Road North** 

Meeting on: September 10, 2018

# Recommendation

That, on the recommendation of the Managing Director, Planning and City Planner, with the advice of the Heritage Planner, the attached by-law to designate 2096 Wonderland Road North to be of cultural heritage value or interest **BE INTRODUCED** at the Municipal Council meeting to be held on September 18, 2018; it being noted that this matter has been considered by the London Advisory Committee on Heritage and public notice has been completed with respect to the designation in compliance with the requirements of the *Ontario Heritage Act*.

# **Executive Summary**

A demolition request for the heritage listed property located at 2096 Wonderland Road North was submitted. Municipal Council issued its Notice of Intent to Designate with the effect of preventing the demolition of the cultural heritage resource. No appeals were received regarding Municipal Council's Notice of Intent to Designate. Passage of the heritage designating by-law is the last step in the designation of the property at 2096 Wonderland Road North under the *Ontario Heritage Act*.

# **Analysis**

# 1.0 Background

### 1.1 Property Location

The property at 2096 Wonderland Road North is located on the east side of Wonderland Road North between Fanshawe Park Road West and Sunningdale Road West.

# 1.2 Previous Reports

May 9, 2018. Report to the LACH: Demolition Request for Heritage Listed Property at 2096 Wonderland Road North by Invest Group Ltd.

May 28, 2018. Report to the PEC: Demolition Request for Heritage Listed Property at 2096 Wonderland Road North by Invest Group Ltd.

# 1.3 Cultural Heritage Resource

The cultural heritage resource located at 2096 Wonderland Road North is a two storey brick building which was determined to meet the criteria of O. Reg. 9/06, meriting designation under the *Ontario Heritage Act*. The property has cultural heritage value or interest because of its physical/design values as a rare and representative example of a mid-19<sup>th</sup> century Georgian farmhouse. It was found to have historical/associative values because of its direct historical links to the Warner family, a pioneer family in the former London Township. The property was found to have contextual value because it is physically and historically linked to the surroundings.

# 1.4 Demolition Request and Notice of Intent to Designate

A demolition request and Heritage Impact Statement was submitted on April 18, 2018. The London Advisory Committee on Heritage (LACH) was consulted at its meeting on May 9, 2018, and a public participation meeting was held at the Planning & Environment Committee (PEC) meeting on May 28, 2018. At its meeting on June 12, 2018, Municipal

Council resolved to issue its Notice of Intent to Designate the property at 2096 Wonderland Road North to be of cultural heritage value or interest. Notice of Intent to Designate was served on the property owner and the Ontario Heritage Trust, and published in *The Londoner* on July 5, 2018. Supplementary notice was served on July 17, 2018. No appeal was received within the statutory 30 day appeal period ending on August 5, 2018.

# 1.5 Heritage Community Improvement Plan

The Heritage Community Improvement Plan (Heritage CIP) offers two grant programs to address some of the financial impacts of heritage conservation by offering incentives that promote building rehabilitation in conjunction with new development. The Tax Increment Grant provides the registered owner a refund on the increase in the municipal portion of the property tax ensuing from a reassessment as a result of a development or rehabilitation project related to an intensification or change of use which incorporates a heritage designated property. The second initiative is a Development Charges Equivalent Grant which is issued when a heritage designated property is conserved and rehabilitated in conjunction with a development project relating to an intensification or change of use.

A property must be designated under the *Ontario Heritage Act* to be able to access the grant programs of the Heritage CIP. Both the Development Charges Equivalent Grant and the Tax Increment Grant could be leveraged to assist with heritage conservation work for two storey brick house at 2096 Wonderland Road North.

# 2.0 Conclusion

The property at 2096 Wonderland Road North is a significant cultural heritage resource in the City of London and should be protected under the *Ontario Heritage Act*.

Staff are confident that a compatible infill development can be accommodated on the subject property while ensuring the conservation of this significant cultural heritage resource and its heritage attributes.

Prepared by:			
	Kyle Gonyou, CAHP Heritage Planner		
Submitted by:			
	Gregg Barrett, AICP Manager, Long Range Planning and Research		
Recommended by:	Manager, Long Kange Flamming and Research		
	John M. Flowing, MCID, DDD		
	John M. Fleming, MCIP, RPP Managing Director, Planning and City Planner		
Note: The opinions contained herein are offered by a person or persons qualified to provide expert opinion. Further detail with respect to qualifications			

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can be obtained from Planning Services

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Appendix .	A			
		Bill No. 2018		
		By-law No. L.S.P		
		A by-law to designate 2096 Wonderland Road North to be of cultural heritage value or interest.		
•		Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. 0.18, the Council a property including buildings and structures thereon		
		tention to so designate the property known as 2096 dished and served and no notice of objection to such		
enacts as follo		icipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London		
		Wonderland Road North is designated as being of reasons set out and more particularly described in		
2. the title to the		to cause a copy of this by-law to be registered upon le "A" hereto in the proper Land Registry Office.		
3. The City Clerk is authorized to cause a copy of this by-law to be served upon the owner of the aforesaid property and upon the Ontario Heritage Trust and to cause notice of this by-law to be published once in a newspaper of general circulation in The City of London, to the satisfaction of the City Clerk, and to enter the description of the aforesaid property, the name and address of its registered owner, and designation statement explaining the cultural heritage value or interest of the property and a description of the heritage attributes of the property in the Register of all properties designated under the <i>Ontario Heritage Act</i> .				
4.	This by-law comes into force	and effect on the day it is passed.		
	PASSED in Open Council on	September 18, 2018.		
		Matt Brown Mayor		
		Catharine Saunders City Clerk		

# SCHEDULE "A" To By-law No. L.S.P.-\_\_\_\_

# **Legal Description**

Lot 17, RCP 1028, London

# **Description of Property**

The property at 2096 Wonderland Road North is located on the east side of Wonderland Road North between Fanshawe Park Road East and Sunningdale Road East. A two-storey brick building is located near the northeast corner of the property.

# **Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest**

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has local significance for design/physical value, historical/associative value, and contextual value.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has physical or design value as a rare and representative example of a mid-19<sup>th</sup> century Georgian farmhouse. The residence is a two storey structure with a low-pitched hip roof and bookend chimneys. It has a buff brick exterior with a common bond, brick voussoirs, and a stone foundation. The Georgian style of architecture is reflected in the symmetrical façade and minimal use of ornamenting and detail.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has historical and associative value because of its link with the Warner family. William Warner was the original patent holder on the property, receiving it in 1819. His son, Wesley Warner, inherited the farmstead and was a noted member of London Township for his involvement in the temperance society.

The residence at 2096 Wonderland Road North has contextual value because it is physically and historically linked to its surroundings. It remains located in its original spot on the property and historically reflects the prominent role agriculture played in London Township.

# **Heritage Attributes**

The heritage attributes which support or contribute to the cultural heritage value or interest of the property at 2096 Wonderland Road North include:

- Georgian two storey farmhouse
- Square shaped plan
- · Low pitched hip roof with bookend chimneys
- Buff brick construction
- Field stone foundation
- Brick voussoirs above windows

The addition at the rear of the brick building is not considered to be a heritage attribute.