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

February 2022

Date: May 9, 2022

Recommendation

That the report dated February 2022 entitled "Building Division Monthly Report February 2022", **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 February 2022.

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 February 2022. <u>Attached</u> as Appendix "A" to this report is a "Summary Listing of Building Construction Activity for the Month of February 2022", as well as respective "Principle Permits Reports".

2.0 Discussion and Considerations

2.1 Building permit data and associated inspection activities – February 2022

Permits Issued to the end of the month

As of February 2022, a total of 556 permits were issued, with a construction value of \$204.7 million, representing 374 new dwelling units. Compared to the same period in 2021, this represents a 7.64% decrease in the number of building permits, with a 27.4% increase in construction value and an 49.6% increase in the number of dwelling units constructed.

Total permits to construct New Single and Semi-Dwelling Units

As of the end of February 2022, the number of building permits issued for the construction of single and semi-detached dwellings was126, representing a 31.5% increase over the same period in 2021.

Number of Applications in Process

As of the end of February 2022, 1,089 applications are in process, representing approximately \$2.7 billion in construction value and an additional 5,989 dwelling units compared with 1,019 applications, with a construction value of \$809 million and an additional 1,985 dwelling units in the same period in 2021.

Rate of Application Submission

Applications received in February 2022 averaged to 16 applications per business day, for a total of 303 applications. Of the applications submitted 31 were for the construction of 23 single detached dwellings and 45 townhouse units.

Permits issued for the month

In February 2022, 245 permits were issued for 230 new dwelling units, totaling a construction value of \$146.4 million.

Inspections - Building

A total of 2,312 inspection requests were received with 2,192 inspections being conducted.

In addition, 5 inspections were completed related to complaints, business licenses, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 2,312 inspections requested, 99% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

Inspections - Code Compliance

A total of 551 inspection requests were received, with 467 inspections being conducted.

An additional 157 inspections were completed relating to complaints, business licences, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 551 inspections requested, 99% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

Inspections - Plumbing

A total of 912 inspection requests were received with 1,188 inspections being conducted related to building permit activity.

An additional 11 inspections were completed related to complaints, business licenses, orders and miscellaneous inspections.

Of the 912 inspections requested, 100% were conducted within the provincially mandated 48 hour period.

2020 Permit Data

To the end of February, a total of 533 permits were issued, with a construction value of \$100.5 Million, representing 141 new dwelling units. The number of single/semi detached dwelling units was 111.

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 February 2022. <u>Attached</u> as Appendix "A" to this report is a "Summary Listing of Building Construction Activity" for the month of February 2022 as well as "Principle Permits Reports".

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Director, Building and Chief Building Official

Planning and Economic Development

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

Deputy City Manager

Planning and Economic Development

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

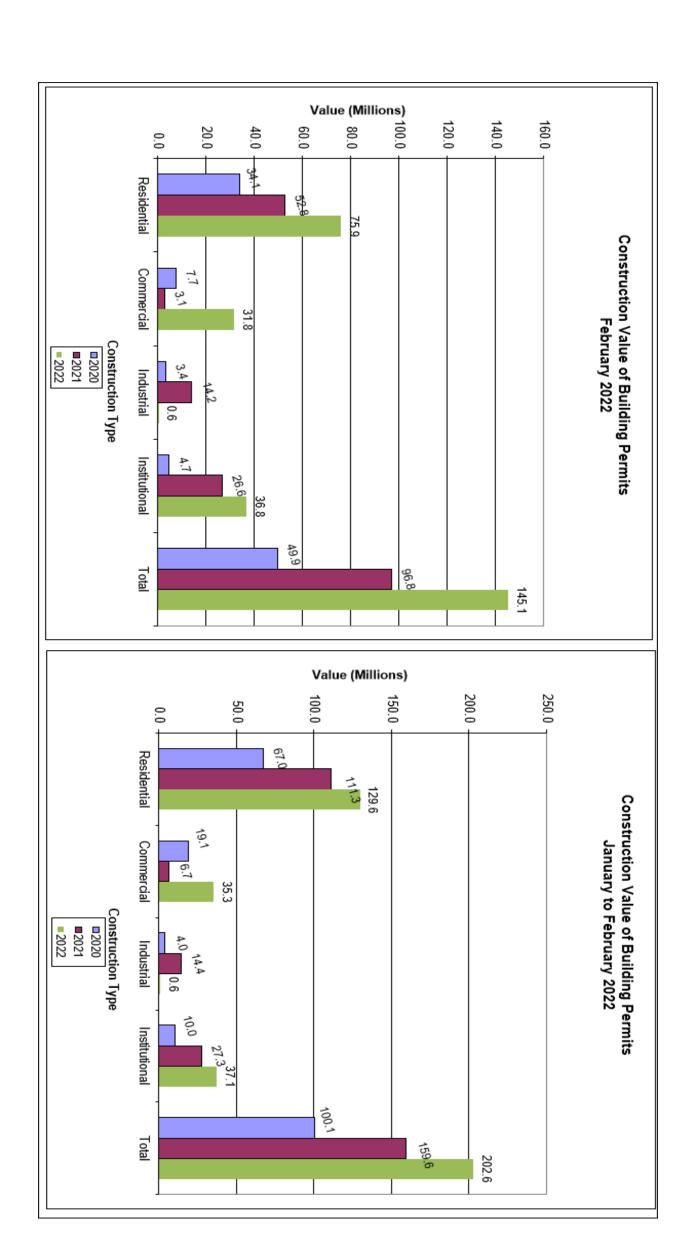
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APPENDIX "A"

Note: 1) Administrative permits include Tents, Change of Use and Transfer of Ownership, Partial Occupancy.
2) Mobile Signs are no longer reported.
3) Construction Values have been rounded up.

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500,000	0	Alter Warehousing ALTERATION- INSTALL RACKING SYSTEM FOR STORAGE	2290 Scanlan St	1803299 ONTARIO INC 1803299 ONTARIO INC
250,000		Erect-Farm Workshop ERECT NEW POLE BARN	2106 Glanworth Dr	Fletcher Andrew Ray, Fletchdale Jersey Farm Ltd
110,000			2067 Callingham Dr	
340,000	1	Erect-Townhouse - Cluster SDD ERECT Cluster SDD, 1 Storey ,2 Car Garage + Golf Cart Park, Unfinished Basement, 2 Bedrooms, Rear Covered Porch, NO A/C, HOT2000, PART 21 PART OF BLOCK 1, 33M-721(33R-20077), HRV & DWHR REQUIRED, SOILS REPORT REQUIRED	1626 Ed Ervasti Lane	SIFTON LIMITED SIFTON PROPERTIES LIMITED
166,380	0	Alter Apartment Building REMOVE AND REPLACEMENT OF BALCONY GUARDS	160 Emery St W	2606445 Ontario Inc
550,000	0	Alter Townhouse - Condo Replace and repair existing water service, sanitary and storm sewers.	1247 Huron St	Middlesex Condominium Corporation No. 301
200,000	0	Alter Retail Store INTERIOR ALTER FOR NEW RETAIL STORE	1230 Wellington Rd	6763332 CANADA INC. REALTY ADVISORS INC. 6763332 CANADA INC., C/O TRIOVEST REALTY ADVISORS INC.
274,180	0	Alter Apartment Building ALTER FOR BALCONY REPAIR AND GUARD REPLACEMENTS.	112 Base Line Rd W	BOARDWALK REIT PROPERTIES BOARDWALK REIT PROPERTIES
920,000	ω	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK E , 2 STOREY, 2 CAR GARAGE, 3 BEDROOM-2UNIT, 2BEDROOM-1UNIT UNFINISHED BASEMENT, DECK INCLUDED, A/C INCLUDED, SB-12 A4, HRV & DWHR REQUIRED, DPN 31, 33, 35	1080 Upperpoint Ave E	SIFTON LIMITED SIFTON PROPERTIES LIMITED
3,842,750		Add Garage for Apartment Building ERECT PARKING GARAGE - Shell Permit Only. Includes underground plumbing, Separate Site Servicing Permit. Prior to Full Permit: Provide sealed stair guards shop drawings to the Building Division for review prior to work in these areas. Provide Fire Shutter design and Installation Details for review prior to installation.	107 Base Line Rd W	BLUESTONE PROPERTIES INC.
150,000	1	Alter Duplex ALTER SECOND FLOOR TO CREATE SECOND DWELLING UNIT, RENOVATE MAIN FLOOR	103 Elmwood Ave E	Custom Service Corp
300,000	0	Alter University Partial demolition of an existing lounge area and also a second floor washroom, new construction to both areas, including new air handler and rooftop condenser.	100 Philip Aziz Ave	UWO BOARD OF GOVERNORS UWO, BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Construction Value	No. of Units	Proposed Work	Project Location	Owner



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Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Units	Construction Value	ion
DREWLO HOLDINGS INC DREWLO HOLDINGS INC	234 Edgevalley Rd B	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY STACKED TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK B - 10 UNITS DPN 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79- A/C INCLUDED	10	1,88	1,886,400
DREWLO HOLDINGS INC DREWLO HOLDINGS INC	234 Edgevalley Rd C	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY STACKED TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK C - 8 UNITS DPN 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59- A/C INCLUDED	8	1,51	1,514,400
DREWLO HOLDINGS INC DREWLO HOLDINGS INC	234 Edgevalley Rd D	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY STACKED TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK D - 12 UNITS DPN 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23 - A/C INCLUDED	12	2,26	2,262,000
DREWLO HOLDINGS INC DREWLO HOLDINGS INC	234 Edgevalley Rd E	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY STACKED TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK E - 10 UNITS DPN 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43 - A/C INCLUDED	10	1,88	1,887,600
DREWLO HOLDINGS INC DREWLO HOLDINGS INC	234 Edgevalley Rd F	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY STACKED TOWNHOUSE CONDO BLOCK F - 8 UNITS DPN 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72 - A/C INCLUDED	8	2,73	2,734,000
SIFTON LIMITED SIFTON PROPERTIES LIMITED	235 Kennington Way	Install-Townhouse - Condo Install site services.		90	900,000
Middlesex Condominium Corporation No. 251	250 Sydenham St	Alter Apartment Building REPLACE CHILLER AND MAKE UP AIR ROOF TOP UNITS	0	36	365,000
HOME DEPOT C/O PROP TAX DEPT HOME DEPOT HOLDINGS INC. 7033, C/O PROP TAX DEPT	3035 Wonderland Rd S	Install-Tent Install garden center from April 15 to August 1, 2022		48	485,000
COSTCO WHOLESALE COSTCO WHOLESALE	3140 Dingman Dr	Erect-Service Stations ERECT COSTCO GAS BAR CANOPY AND KIOSK FRR	0	1,70	1,700,000
		Plan scanned into City Hub - Feb 2, 2022- BLD-283			
COSTCO WHOLESALE COSTCO WHOLESALE	3140 Dingman Dr	Erect-Retail store and warehouse ERECT COSTCO WAREHOUSE FRR/FPO	0	14,70	14,700,000
		Plans scanned into City Hub - Feb 2, 2022 - BLD-283			
PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC. PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC.	3575 Southbridge Ave D	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 6 UNIT TOWNHOUSE BLOCK D, 2 STOREYS, DPNs 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19 SOILS REPORT REQUIRED.	6	1,40	1,400,000
PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC. PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC.	3575 Southbridge Ave G	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT 6 UNIT TOWNHOUSE BLOCK G, 2 STOREYS, DPNs 21,23,25,27,29,31 SOILS REPORT REQUIRED.	6	1,20	1,203,600



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Owner	Project Location	Proposed Work	No. of Const Units Value	No. of Construction Units Value
PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC. PULSE COMMUNITIES (RHYTHM I) INC.	3575 Southbridge Ave J	Erect-Townhouse - Condo ERECT NEW 6 UNIT TOWNHOUSE BLOCK J - 2 STOREY, 1 CAR, 3 BED, UNFINISHED BASEMENT, W/ DECK, SB12 PERFORMANCE HOT2000 DPNS 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66	6	1,990,000
MOHAMED ABUHAJAR Goldfield Ltd.	4252 Lismer Lane A	Erect-Street Townhouse - Condo ERECT 3 STOREY Townhouse Building Bldg A - 5 units DPNS 4234, 4238, 4242, 4246, 4250 - deck & AC INCLUDED	5	920,409
JACQUELINE LOPEZ GROSS Urlo 212 Inc	562 Waterloo St	Alter Dental Offices CM - INTERIOR FIT-UP FOR NEW DENTAIL OFFICE *****A RESIDENTIAL RENTAL UNIT LICENSE IS REQUIRED FOR THE DWELLING UNIT*****	0	200,000
IVY HOMES LTD IVY HOMES LTD	85 Oxford St W	Erect-Duplex Erect Duplex, 2 Storeys, No Garage, Unfinished Basement, 6 Bedrooms, No A/C, Rear Deck, SB-12 A1, HRV & DWHR REQUIRED, SOILS REPORT REQUIRED	2	1,029,150

Total Permits 28 Units 78 Value 42,780,869

Commercial building permits issued - subject to Development Charges under By-law C.P. -1551-227

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COMMERCIAL INC. 2560533
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CREEK COMMERCIAL INC.

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Commercial Permits regardless of construction value

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