Public Meeting: Staff Presentation

Millwick Acquisitions Corp. c/o Humphries Planning Group Inc. 780 Broadway Town File No.: OPZ 2020-03 (related SPA-2020-10)

Monday March 1, 2021 7:00 pm



Summary of Applications

Applications:	Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendments and Site Plan Approval
Submitted by:	Millwick Acquisitions Corp (Owner) c/o Humphries Planning Group Inc. (Agent)
Location:	780 Broadway South side of Broadway (County Road 109), east of B Line (County Road 23), west of Riddell Road
File Numbers:	OPZ-2020-03 and SPA-2020-10
Received:	November 11, 2020
Deemed complete:	December 7, 2020

Proposal: Mixed-use development featuring:

- 54 three-storey back-to-back townhouse dwellings
- single-storey standalone commercial building (920 square-metres of total floor area)
- 154 parking spaces, including 108 residential (surface and underground) and 46 commercial (surface) spaces



Site Location



On-site and Surrounding Uses



Proposed Development



OFFICIAL PLAN:

Current Designation(s)



Service Commercial (Schedule 'A')

- Areas along major transportation routes
- permits a range of uses that provide specialized products or services relying on exposure to travelling public
- Residential uses not permitted





OFFICIAL PLAN:

Proposed Amendment



Re-designate to "Neighbourhood Commercial" (Schedule 'A')

- Applies to localized commercial areas responding to nearby residential neighbourhoods
- Permits a range of retail and personal service uses – also permits residential on upper-floors
- Site-specific policy proposed to permit maximum of 54 dwellings

	Residential
	Central Business District
	General Commercial
	Neighbourhood Commercial
	Service Commercial
	Restricted Commercial Residential
	Employment Area
-	Open Space Recreation
-	Open Space Conservation



ZONING BY-LAW

Current Zoning:

Service Commercial (C3) Zone

 Permits various retail and other service commercial uses that would cater to a broader market area

Site-specific special provision 24.126:

- Permits an upper-floor dwelling
- Added to the site in 1999 (Town-wide commercial zoning review) to legalize a pre-existing dwelling





ZONING BY-LAW

Proposed Rezoning:

Neighbourhood Commercial (C2) Zone

 Permits retail and personal service uses catering to local residential areas

Site-specific special provision 24.XXX:

- To address specific details of the development, i.e.:
 - Building Height (11.0m)
 - 54 dwelling units (max)





Agency and Public Comments

Public Comments:

• Inquiries seeking more info about the proposed development

Agency and Department Circulation:

NO concerns identified at this time:

- Bell Canada
- Conseil Scolaire Viamonde
- Canada Post

- Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board
- Township of Amaranth



Agency and Department Comments

- **Upper Grand District School Board** emphasizes the importance of pedestrian connectivity and requests future sidewalk on Broadway to be connected to B Line.
- Infrastructure Services, Environment Division technical review of submission studies to ensure Sourcewater Protection Plan policies are met (i.e. no impacts to drinking water resources and municipal wells):
 - Confirm water-taking requirements for any below-grade construction
 - Proposed infiltration methods to be confirmed to adhere to policy requirements
 - Additional snow storage areas needed
 - Site design measures requested to minimize need for winter salt application
 - Certain commercial uses (i.e. drycleaners, print shop, auto repair) should be restricted due to source protection policies.



Agency and Department Comments

- Infrastructure Services, Transportation and Development ongoing technical review and comment on the proposed site servicing and stormwater management:
 - Further info needed to understand how water servicing will be extended to this site
 - Stormwater and sanitary services were extended to serve this property as part of the adjacent Paula Court subdivision development:
 - The capacity of this infrastructure needs to be confirmed to accommodate the proposed mixed-use development
 - Cost recovery arrangements need to be determined between the landowner and subdivision developer
 - Input from Dufferin County is needed regarding the proposed site access and any servicing to be located in the County right-of-way(s)



Agency and Department Comments

- Infrastructure Services, Planning Division:
 - Seeking confirmation that pertinent agency and division comments are satisfactorily addressed.
 - Reviewing applications to ensure:
 - Compatibility is maintained with surrounding uses.
 - Changing the commercial function of this location (i.e. from service commercial to mixed-use neighbourhood commercial format) is appropriate
 - Proposed development would maintain compatibility with commercial intent for neighbouring property (810 Broadway)
 - Site development would not preclude future development access and service arrangements for 810 Broadway



Next Steps

- 1. Statutory public meeting & information report to Council (Today)
- Planning Division staff review of comments received through public consultation and circulation review - for applicant to address to satisfaction of Town and agency staff
- 3. Planning Division staff to prepare a recommendation report for a Council decision
- 4. Applicant to pursue further required planning approvals, pending a decision on the Official Plan and Zoning By-law Amendments

Thank You

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