

# SECOND UNITS ONE YEAR REVIEW

# STATUTORY PUBLIC MEETING PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

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- Registration for Second Units began on June 22, 2015.
- Second Units are permitted in detached, semidetached and townhouse dwellings, subject to zoning requirements and restrictions.
- Not every house in Brampton will be able to accommodate a Second Unit.
- Only registered units are considered legal.







#### **Current Zoning Requirements**

- Only one second unit is permitted per house.
- In a bungalow, the second unit can be up to 75% of the dwelling's GFA. For all other dwelling types, second unit can be up to 45% of the GFA.
- 3 parking spaces measuring 2.7m x 5.4m.
- Access to second unit may be on side or rear yard, if a 1.2m setback can be provided.







### **Proposed Changes**

#### **Zoning By-law**

- Parking Spaces: Reducing width to 2.6m. (only for dwellings with second units).
- Second unit size: Second unit to be smaller in size than the principal dwelling.
- Above-grade access: to permit a landing in side yard

#### **Registration Process**

- Waive \$200 initial fee for LNC units
- Registration process: Eliminate one step







As of February 6, 2017, the City has received 791 Registration Applications:

- Applications cleared for Zoning Compliance: 671
- Applications for Building Permit: 482
- Building Permits issued: 425
- Construction and Registration complete: 154







## **Next Steps**

- Circulation/Review of proposed zoning amendment
- Recommendation Report Q2 2017
- Council adoption of revised Zoning By-law Q2/Q3 2017



