



Planning, Design & Development Department

June 17, 2009

Dear TTMP Stakeholder

Re: Transportation & Transit Master Plan Sustainable Update

Thank you for your past participation and continued interest in the City of Brampton's *Transportation & Transit Master Plan (TTMP) Sustainable Update*.

The *TTMP Sustainable Update* is a strategic planning document to guide the implementation of transportation investments, policies and actions aimed at achieving a sustainable, balanced future transportation network that will meet the City's needs until 2031 and beyond.

The City continues to strongly support the vision for a balanced transportation system outlined in the 2004 TTMP. However, new planning initiatives at the provincial level and other jurisdictions, recent growth trends, and the need to update the City of Brampton Development Charge By-law required an update to the TTMP that builds on the 2004 vision and that reaffirms the City's commitment to sustainable development, protection of the natural environment, economic vitality, and healthy communities - and at the same time provide safe, affordable, and efficient transportation for people and goods.

The *TTMP Sustainable Update* has been prepared on behalf of the City by iTRANS Consulting Inc. as a Master Plan consistent with Phases 1 and 2 of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment, and the study is now nearing its conclusion. The draft recommendations are based on the study findings and incorporate comments from the public, stakeholders, agencies, and staff. The Draft Master Plan document is tentatively scheduled to be presented to Planning, Design & Development Committee at 7 pm on July 27, 2009, at which time staff will request approval to proceed with final public consultation. The *TTMP Sustainable Update* will then be reviewed and revised taking into consideration the comments which are received from the public and stakeholders and Notice of Study completion will be issued in accordance with the Municipal Class EA. The Final *Transportation & Transit Master Plan* will then be presented to Council for approval and formal adoption in Fall 2009.

Information to-date on the TTMP study, including public consultation materials, staff reports, and the TTMP Supplementary Analyses Report (which documents the TTMP Update technical analysis and serves as the support for the infrastructure and service level information included in the City's 2009 *Development Charge Background Study* for Roads and Transit Services) can be found on the City's web page, www.brampton.ca. The *Draft Transportation & Transit Master Plan* document and staff report are anticipated to be posted on the web site by July 24, 2009.

You are welcome to attend the **July 27, 2009** Planning, Design & Development Committee meeting. Please contact Henrik Zbogor, Manager Long Range Transportation Planning at (905) 874-3553 **no later than 4:30pm on the Wednesday of the week before the scheduled meeting** to confirm that the **TTMP Sustainable Update Draft Report** is indeed scheduled for the **July 27, 2009** meeting.

You are also asked to contact the Clerk's Office at (905) 874-2116, (905) 874-2119 (fax), or email chandra.urquhart@city.brampton.on.ca to arrange to be a delegation if you wish to speak at the meeting. **Please contact the Clerk's Office no later than 4:30 p.m. on the Wednesday of the week before the scheduled meeting to put in a request to be a delegation at the meeting.**

If the *TTMP Sustainable Update Draft Report* is not confirmed to be scheduled at the **July 27, 2009** Planning, Design & Development Committee meeting, the item may proceed to the next scheduled meeting on **September 2, 2009**. It is again your responsibility to contact the planner and the Clerk's Office by the Wednesday of the week before the scheduled meeting to confirm if the *TTMP Sustainable Update Draft Report* is scheduled for consideration, and if you wish to speak to the matter.

We look forward to your further input on this important City initiative.

Yours truly,

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