

March 3, 2010

Dear Stakeholders,

Re: Stakeholder Update #1

The City is writing to advise you about the status of the Brampton Brick rezoning application, related to the development of shale quarry in North West Brampton (Brampton-Norval border). Natasha D'Souza has assumed carriage of this file, replacing Joanne Warner, who left the City last June. To assist in assessing the planning application and supporting materials, Mark Dorfman was retained as the City's Aggregate Advisor in December 2009.

Presently, the City is drafting terms of references for external consultants who will peer review a number of technical reports that were submitted to support the Brampton Brick rezoning application. Staff will be meeting with the JART (Joint Agency Review Team) in early March to discuss any comments they may have on the draft terms of reference documents. Following any Agency-specific technical revisions that may result from this process, we will circulate the final draft terms of reference documents to the applicant and stakeholders like the NW Brampton Land Owners and Pit-Stop. This circulation will likely occur this Spring.

Once the peer review consultants are selected, staff will prepare a report to the Planning Design & Development Committee with a status update of where we are in the planning process and forthcoming steps. Staff will appear at Planning Committee following completion of the peer review exercise to report on the findings and will seek direction to undertake public consultation with area residents.

For further information on the rezoning application, please contact Natasha D'Souza.

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