

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BRAMPTON



Number \_\_\_\_\_\_ 111-89

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- 2. The Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to make application to the Minister of Municipal Affairs for approval of Amendment Number <u>162</u> to the Official Plan of the City of Brampton Planning Area.

READ a FIRST, SECOND and THIRD TIME and PASSED, in OPEN COUNCIL,

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Amendment No. 162 to the Official Plan for the City of Brampton

This amendment to the Official Plan for the City of Brampton, which has been adopted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Brampton is hereby approved in accordance with Section(s) 17 and 21 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1983, as Amendment No. 162 to the Official Plan for the City of Brampton Planning Area.

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Diana Jardine Director (Acting) Plans Administration Branch Central and Southwest





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AMENDMENT NUMBER 162 TO THE OFFICIAL PLAN FOR THE CITY OF BRAMPTON PLANNING AREA

#### 1.0 PURPOSE

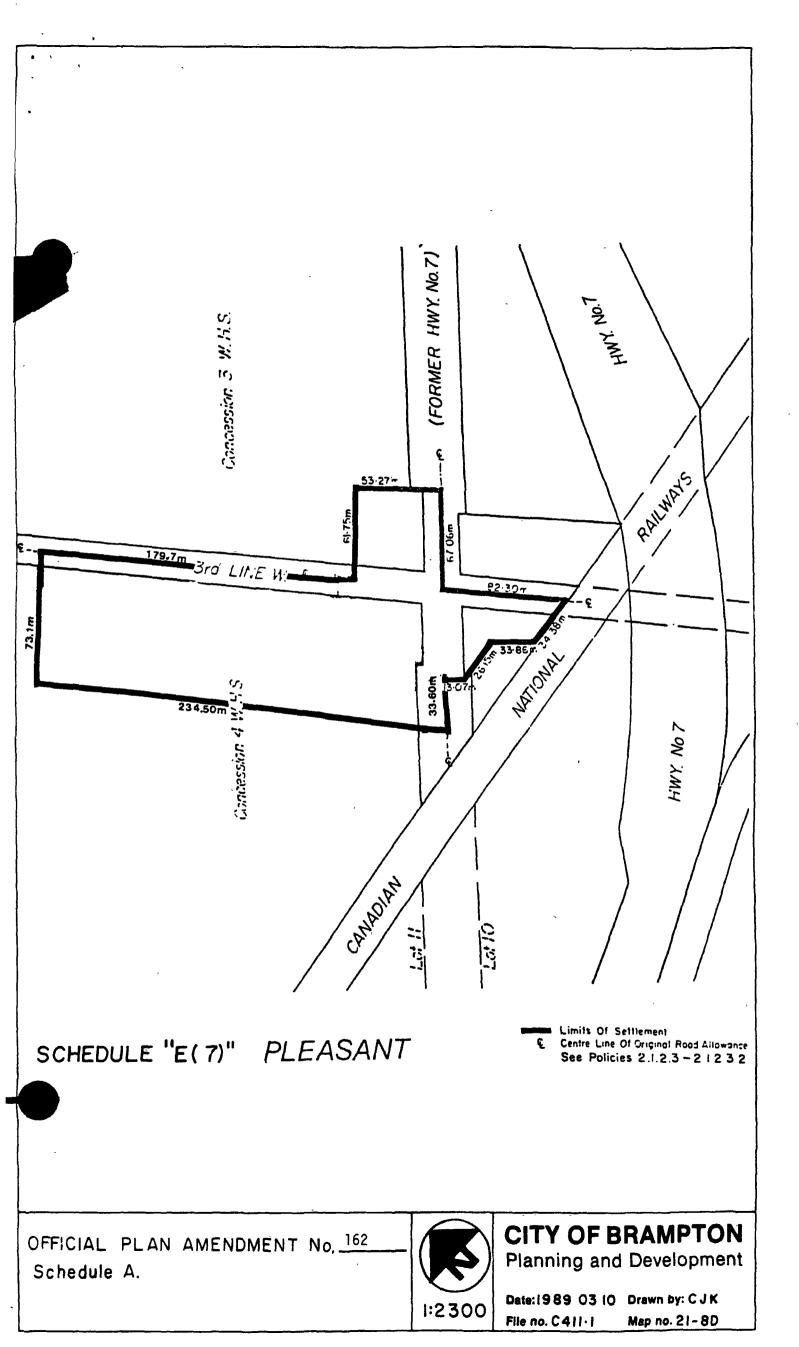
The purpose of this amendment is to recognize the development of a property in accordance with City Council's approval of an application to amend the Official Plan and Zoning By-law. The subject property will be developed by means of an expansion to an existing church building.

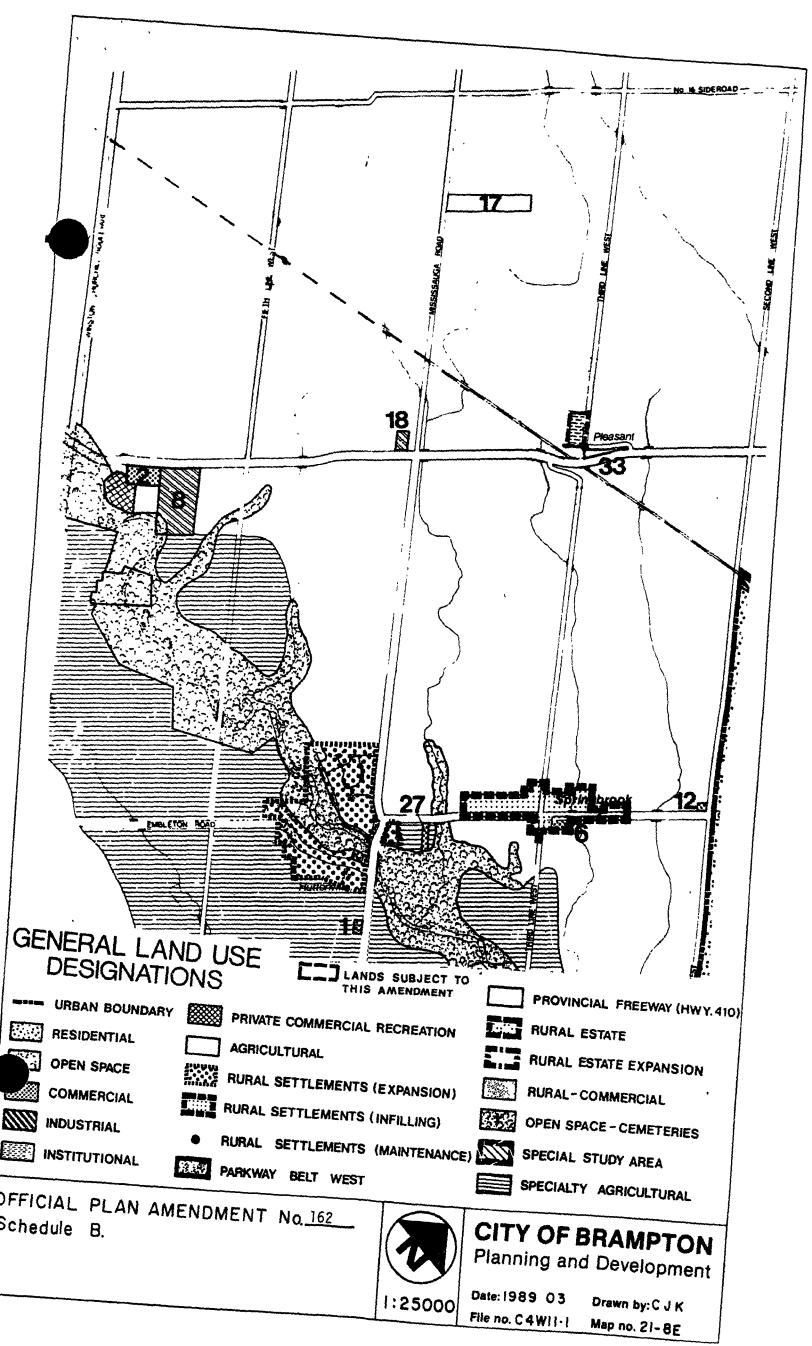
#### 2.0 LOCATION

The lands subject to this amendment are described as Part of Lot 11, Concession 4, W.H.S., in the former geographic Township of Chinguacousy, now in the City of Brampton. The lands are situated near the north-westerly corner of the intersection of the former Highway Number 7 right-of-way and Creditview Road.

#### 3.0 AMENDMENT AND POLICIES RELATIVE THERETO:

- 3.1 Amendment Number 162 :
  - 1. The Official Plan of the City of Brampton Planning Area is hereby amended:
    - (a) by changing, on Schedule "E"(7) PLEASANT thereto, the Limits of Settlement to those as shown illustrated on Schedule A to this amendment, and
    - (b) by changing, on Schedule 'A' thereto, the land use designation of the lands shown outlined on Schedule B to this amendment, from AGRICULTURAL to INSTITUTIONAL.





BACKGROUND MATERIAL TO AMENDMENT NUMBER 162

Attached is a copy of a report from the Director, Planning and Development Services Division, dated February 14, 1989, and a copy of a report from the Director, Planning and Development Services Division dated March 9, 1989, forwarding the notes of a Public Meeting held on March 8, 1989 after notification in the local newspapers and the mailing of notices to assessed owners of properties within 120 metres of the subject lands.

The following submissions also relate to the formulation of this amendment, copies of which are attached:

Ministry of Agriculture and Food

Regional Municipality of Peel

December 20, 1988

November 21, 1988 and December 1, 1988

8/9/89

# **INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Office of the Commissioner of Planning & Development

February 14, 1989
TO: Chairman of the Development Team
FROM: Planning and Development Department
RE: Application to Amend the Official Plan
and Zoning By-law
Part of Lot 11, Concession 4, W.H.S.
Creditview Road
Ward Number 6
CANADIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF BRAMPTON
Our File Number: C4W11.1

## 1.0 <u>Introduction</u>

The above referenced application has been filed for an amendment to the Official Plan and zoning by-law to permit the use of the subject property for Institutional (church) purposes, and it was referred to staff for a report and recommendation on December 19, 1988.

#### 2.0 <u>Property Description</u>

The property subject to this application is irregular in shape and consists of an area of 1.5 hectares (3.6 acres). It has frontage on the former Highway Number 7 right-of-way of 33.0 metres (108.0 feet) and flankage on Creditview Road of about 180.0 metres (590.0 feet). This property abuts the north and west limits of the Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton property which is located at the north-westerly corner of the former Highway Number 7 and Creditview Road.



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The property is presently vacant and contains no significant vegetation. The surrounding land uses are as follows:

- lands to the <u>west</u> and <u>north</u> of the subject property are currently utilized for agricultural purposes;
- the <u>north-easterly</u> corner of the former Highway Number
   7 and Creditview Road is utilized for residential
   purposes whilst lands further <u>east</u> are utilized for
   agricultural purposes, and
- <u>south</u> of the subject property, on the opposite side of the former Highway Number 7, lands are occupied by a multiple unit residential building, a motel and a church (Faith Gospel Tabernacle).

#### 3.0 Official Plan and Zoning By-law Status

The subject property is designated "Agricultural" according to Schedule 'A' to the Official Plan and By-law 151-88, as amended, zones the property "Agricultural (A)". In addition, a portion of the property is located within the boundaries of the Pleasant Settlement Area, and subject to Official Plan Policies 2.1.2.3.1 and 2.1.2.3.2.

#### 4.0 Proposal

The applicant has advised that the subject property is to be severed from a farm which abuts the current limits of the Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton property. This severed parcel is proposed to be merged with the church property and is proposed to be utilized for future expansion of the church. In this regard, the applicant's immediate plans for the parcel are expanded parking facilities, however, an expansion to the church building may take place at some time in the future.

### 5.0 <u>Comments from Departments and Agencies</u>

The <u>Development and Engineering Services Division</u> has advised that a 3.0 metre road widening shall be required along the entire Creditview Road flankage.

The <u>Regional Public Works Department</u> advises that sanitary sewer and water facilities are not available and Regional roads are not directly affected.

The <u>Regional Health Department</u> has reviewed this application and note no objections in principle. In this regard, the Department notes that the lot is 3.6 acres in area, relatively flat and generally suitable for private sewage disposal, although the soil conditions will necessitate the use of a large or raised leaching bed.

#### Community Services Department

#### Parks and Recreation

- Boulevard trees on the former Highway Number 7 and Creditview Road are required, and
- 2. A tree survey should be conducted.

The following departments and agencies have advised that they have no comments:

Law Department, Planning Community Design Section, Zoning and By-law Enforcement Division, Traffic Engineering Services Division, Community Services Department: Transit and <u>Fire</u>, and <u>Chief Building Official</u>.

# 6.0 <u>Discussion</u>

As noted earlier, the subject lands are designated "Agricultural" according to Schedule 'A' to the Official Plan and are partially located within the boundaries of the Pleasant Settlement Area. In view of this, the following matters should be evaluated when considering the acceptability of permitting an expansion to the existing "Institutional" (church) property which abuts the subject lands:

- the relationship and effect of an enlarged church property on the availability of land for long term agricultural use, and
- 2. the relationship and effect of an enlarged church property on the rural settlement of Pleasant.

With respect to the proposal's relationship and effect on the availability of land for long term agricultural use, the Official Plan provides the following "Specific Objectives" to assist in the evaluation of development proposals in the City's agricultural areas:

 Preservation of good agricultural land, particularly agricultural lands identified by the Canada Land Inventory as having a Class 1 to Class 4 soil capability for agricultural purposes; (2) Prevention of conflicts between agricultural activities and non-agricultural activities;

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- (3) Preservation of the agricultural landscape, and
- (4) Prevention of the pollution of ground and surface water.

Since this application proposes to enlarge an existing church property rather than create a new church property, the creation of additional conflicts between the agricultural use of the abutting properties and the nonagricultural use of the subject property will be minimal. Staff also note the comments of the Regional Health Department in which they report that the site is suitable for private sewage disposal, and therefore will not contribute to the pollution of ground and surface water, and further, it is noted that the low intensity nature of the proposal will preserve the agricultural landscape.

With respect to the size of the subject parcel, the applicant has advised that it was initially planned that a smaller lot would be severed from the abutting farm and be merged with the church property. However, at the request of the owner of the farm property, the subject parcel was extended to an existing hedgerow in order to ensure that a portion of land, upon which farming activities would have been made more difficult, did not remain.

Considering the proposal in relation to the rural settlement of Pleasant, it is noted that rural settlements form an integral part of the agricultural component of the City, and they historically evolved in response to a demand for specific services and institutional uses in proximity to the agricultural community. The subject proposal to enlarge one of the existing church sites currently located within Pleasant, in the opinion of staff, will not have a detrimental affect on the character of the settlement either functionally or visually.

It is also noted that the applicant has no immediate plans to increase the size of the church building on the property, and as a result, approval of this proposal will not detrimentally affect the scale of the settlement of Pleasant. Should the applicant wish to enlarge the church building at some time in the future, however, the applicant will be required to obtain site plan approval which will ensure that the building will continue to be in keeping with the surroundings.

Considering the foregoing, the subject proposal can be supported from a planning perspective. Furthermore, it is noted that, since the applicant proposes only to designate and zone an enlarged parcel of land for institutional purposes and does not intend to build on the parcel at this time, certain detailed aspects of the proposal such as grading and drainage and landscape plan approval can be dealt through the site plan approval process. In this regard, a development agreement between the City and the applicant is not required at this time.

#### 7.0 <u>Recommendation</u>

It is recommended that Planning Committee recommend to City Council that:

A. A Public Meeting be held in accordance with City Council procedures, and

- B. Subject to the results of the Public Meeting, the application to amend the Official Plan and the zoning by-law be approved, subject to the following:
  - The site specific Official Plan Amendment and zoning by-law shall apply to both the current church property and the parcel of land which is proposed to be severed from the abutting farm and adjoined to the church property, and
  - 2. The applicant shall agree by agreement to deed gratuitously to the City a 3.0 metre road widening along the entire Creditview Road flankage.

Respectfully submitted,

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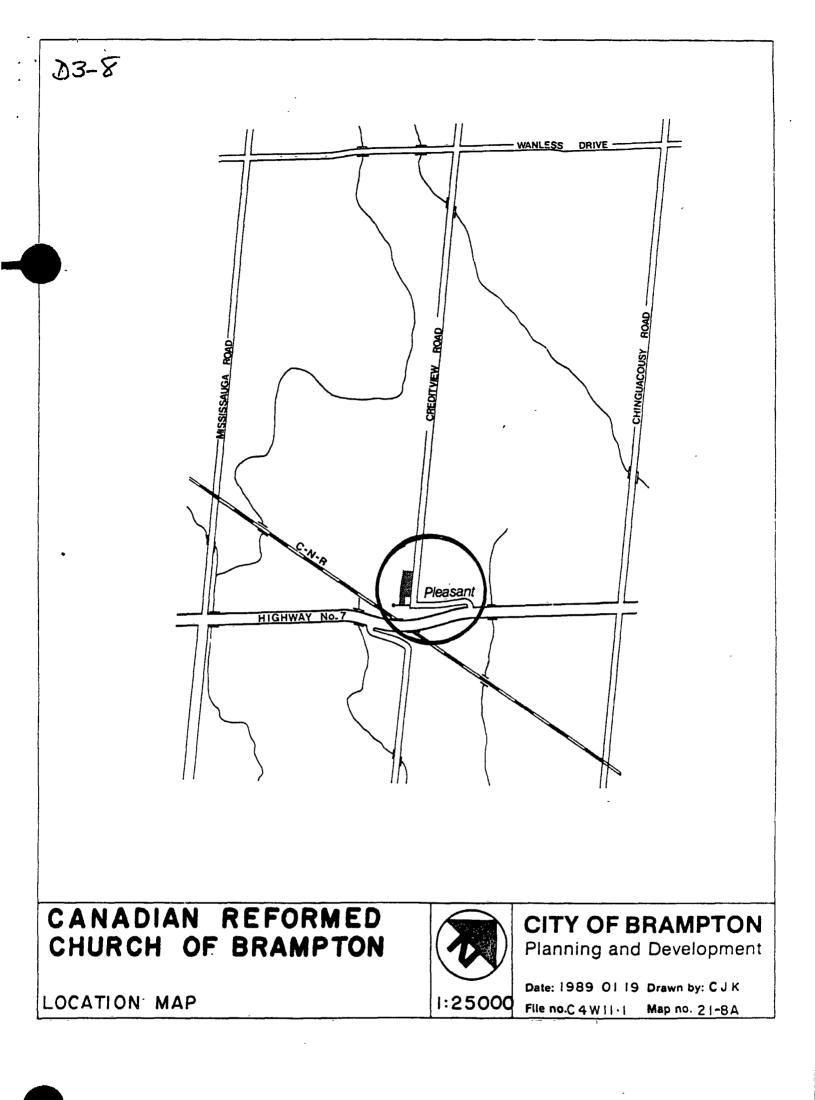
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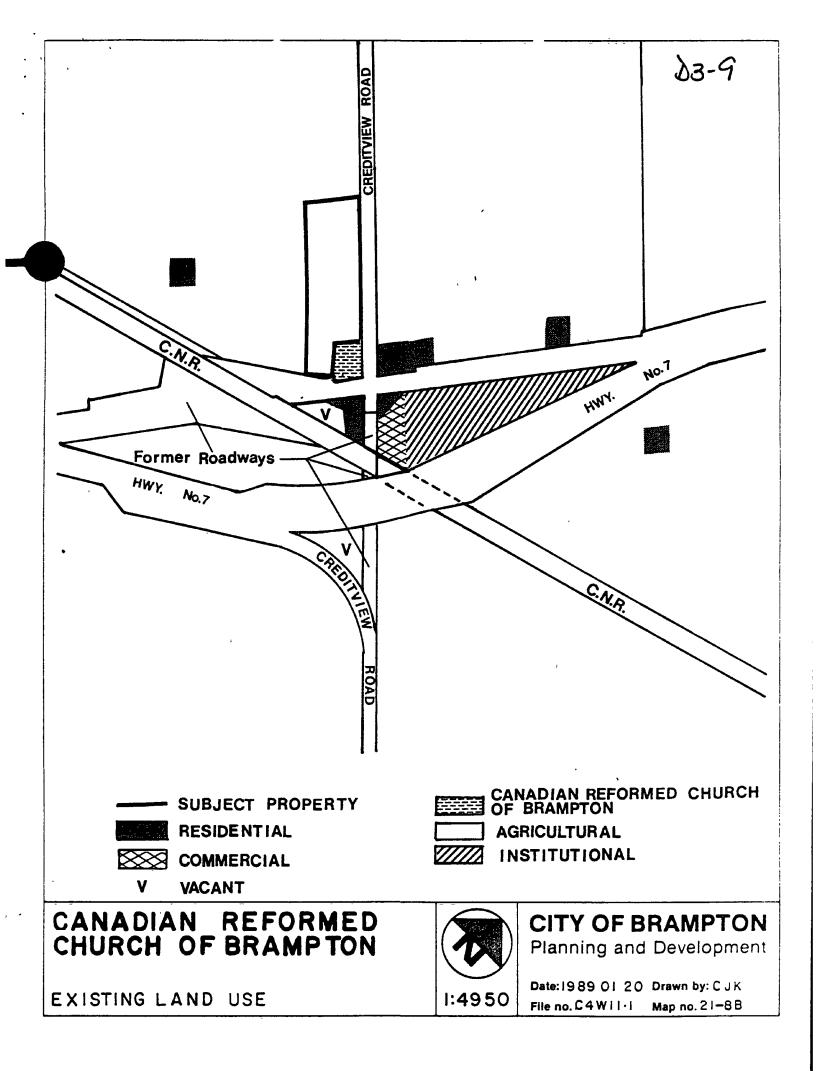
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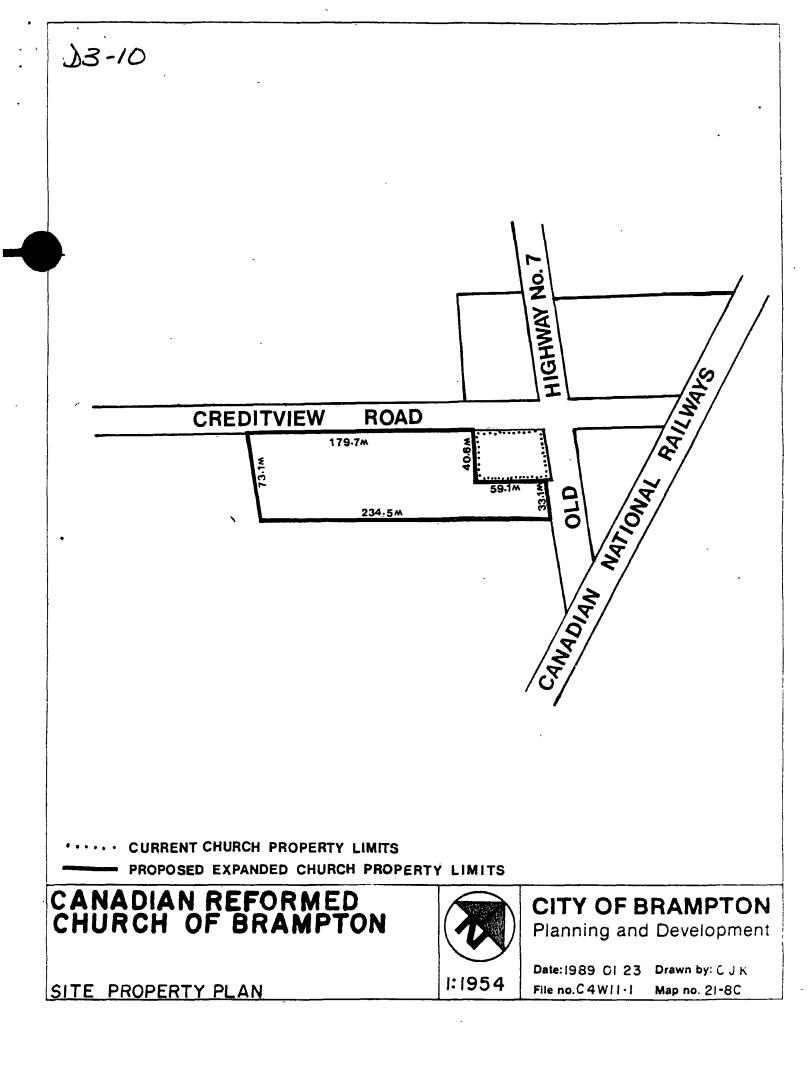
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# INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Office of the Commissioner of Planning & Development

March 9, 1989

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TO: The Chairman and Members of Planning Committee

FROM: Planning and Development Department

RE: Application to Amend the Official Plan and Zoning By-law Part of Lot 11, Concession 4, W.H.S. Creditview Road Ward Number 6 CANADIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF BRAMPTON Our File Number: C4W11.1

The notes of the Public Meeting held on Wednesday, March 8, 1989 with respect to the above noted application are attached for the information of Planning Committee.

It is noted that 7 members of the Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton congregation were in attendance. No other members of the public appeared at the Public Meeting and no letters or objections have been received.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT Planning Committee recommend to City Council that:

- A) the notes of the Public Meeting be received, and
- B) staff be directed to present the appropriate documents for the consideration of City Council.

AGREED:

F.R. Dalzell, Commissioner, Planning and Development

L.W.H. Laine, Director, Planning and Development Services

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A Special Meeting of Planning Committee was held on Wednesday, March 8, 1989, in the Municipal Council Chambers, 3rd Floor, 150 Central Park Drive, Brampton, Ontario, commencing at 7:31 p.m., with respect to an application by the CANADIAN REFORM CHURCH OF BRAMPTON (File: C4W11.1 - Ward 6) to amend the Official Plan and zoning by-law to permit enlargement of the church property and to permit for future expansion of the existing church building.

Members Present: Councillor P. Robertson - Chairman Alderman J. Hutton

Staff Present: F. R. Dalzell, Commissioner of Planning and Development L.W.H. Laine, Director, Planning and Development Services

The Chairman inquired if notices to the property owners within 120 metres of the subject site were sent and whether notification of the public meeting was placed in the local newspapers.

Mr. Dalzell replied in the affirmative.

Approximately 7 members of the church were present in support of the application.

There were no questions or comments and the meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m.



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20 December 1988

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Mr. John Armstrong Planning Intern The City of Brampton Planning & Development Dept. 150 Central Park Drive Brampton, Ontario L6T 2T9

Foodland Preservation Branch

Dear Mr. Armstrong,

RE Official Plan & Zoning By-Law Amendment Brampton - Peel Lot 11, Conc. 4 W.H.S. Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton Your File No.: C4W11.1

Staff have considered the Official Plan Amendment in view of the Foodland Guidelines, which is the Provincial Policy on agricultural land use planning, and based on present knowledge provide the following comments.

The purpose of this application is to sever a 3.64 acre parcel from an abutting farm to add to the existing property of the Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton. The lot addition is to expand parking facilities in the immediate future and possibly the expansion of the church at some time in the future. A part of the subject site is presently designated and zoned "Agricultural" and the remaining portion is located within the boundaries of the Pleasant Settlement Area.

The subject site is presently part of an 83 acre agricultural operation and has a Class 1 soil capability rating for agriculture according to the Canada Land Inventory at a scale of 1:50,000. The area north of the subject site is also used for agriculture. The settlement of Pleasant is located to the east of the subject site. The CN railway tracks and Highway 7 are located to the south of the subject property.

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Section 4A.25 of the Food Land Guidelines states that severances for institutional uses must not be allowed within a high priority agricultural area. However, given the small size of the proposed expansion and the fact that part of the expansion is within the settlement of Pleasant, we have no objection to the proposal. This is provided that the future uses for the expansion area are restricted to an expansion of the existing church and an expansion of the parking area only.

If you have any questions please contact Suzanne McInnes, Acting Land Use Specialist at (416) 326-3123 or myself at (416) 326-3118.

Sincerely,

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HEATHER GARIEPY Acting District Manager (Central Ontario)

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December 1, 1988

The Regional Municipality of Peel

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City of Brampton Planning Department 150 Central Park Drive Brampton, Ontario L6T 2T9

Attention: Mr. John Armstrong Planning Intern

> Re: Official Plan Amendment & Rezoning Application Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton Pt. Lot 11, Concession 4, W.H.S. City of Brampton Your File: C4W11.1 Our File: R42 4W14B

Dear Sir:

Further to our letter dated November 21, 1988, please find attached a copy of comments recently received from the Regional Health Department concerning the above noted application.

Yours truly,

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D. R. Billett Director of Development Control

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The Regional Municipality of Peel

Planning Department

November 21, 1988

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City of Brampton Planning and Development Department 150 Central Park Drive Brampton, Ontario L6T 2T9

Attention: Mr. John Armstrong Planning Intern

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Re: Official Plan Amendment & Rezoning Application Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton Pt. Lot 11, Con. 4, W.H.S. City of Brampton Your File: C4W11.1 Our File: R42 4W14B

Dear Sir:

Further to your letter of November 14, 1988 on the above subject please be advised that the Regional Public Works Department has the following comments to make:

> Sanitary & Water: Facilities are not available Regional

Roads: No objections

Our Transportation Policy Division has also reviewed the proposed Official Plan Amendment and rezoning application, and has no objection.

We will provide you with the Regional Health Department's comments as soon as they are available.

I trust that this information is of assistance.

Yours truly,

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D. R. Billett Director of Development Control

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10 Peel Centre Drive, Brampton, Ontario L6T 4B9 - (416) 791-9400



To

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From

D.R. Billett Director, Development Control Date

November 24 1988

Subject

Paul R. Callanan Supervisor, Environmental Health O.P.A. and Rezoning Application Canadian Reformed Church of Brampton Pt. Lot 11, Concession 4, W.H.S. City of Brampton Your File: R42 4W14B

We have reviewed this application and have no objection in principle to the proposed O.P.A. and rezoning to permit a church at this location.

The lot is 3.6 acres in area, relatively flat and generally suitable for private sewage disposal although the soil conditions will necessitate use of a large or raised leaching bed.

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