

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL Town of Prescott Official Plan Review

TAKE NOTICE that the Town of Prescott invites all interested persons to attend a Special Meeting of Council for the purpose of discussing the revisions that may be required as part of a proposed update to the Town's Official Plan, as documented in the Background Report and three (3) Discussion Papers, pursuant to the requirements of 26(3) of the Planning Act, RSO 1990, as amended.

Monday, April 19, 2021 – 6:00 pm

Town of Prescott, Town Hall

Electronic Attendance / Town Council Chambers

Public viewing will be available via livestream at: https://bit.ly/307LKe2

An Official Plan provides direction for the growth and development of the community and where land uses (e.g. residential, commercial, industrial, parks) should be located.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Town of Prescott is undertaking the legislated review of its Official Plan as required by the Planning Act. The Town's current Official Plan was approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing in 2006, and was last amended in May 2018. The Official Plan Review will update and refine the goals, objectives, policies, and schedules of the Official Plan to ensure that it is consistent with the 2020 Provincial Policy Statement, and reflects matters of local interest.

It is noted that the formal Official Plan Review process has been ongoing since 2019, and has included one community engagement event to date. An online Visioning Workshop and community survey were available on the Town's website from October 9, 2020 to October 30, 2020. Public feedback received has been, and continues to be considered in the advancement of updating policies in the Town's Official Plan. The Special Meeting of Council will enable further opportunity for the public to speak to revisions that may be required as part of the Town's Official Plan Review. The intent of this meeting is not to review a Draft Official Plan, which will be prepared and made available for review in the following months, but to consider what ought to be further reviewed moving forward.

THE SUBJECT LANDS include all lands located within the Town of Prescott municipal boundary. Accordingly, no key map is provided.

ANY PERSON may attend the Special Meeting of Council and/or make written or verbal representation regarding what revisions may be required as part of a proposed update to the Town's Official Plan. If you would like to attend the virtual meeting please register by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Friday, April 16, 2021 by contacting the Town at opreview@prescott.ca. If you are unable to attend the virtual meeting you may provide written comments by submitting them to the address below:

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A copy of the agenda for the Special Meeting of Council, including any attachments, will be available by April 16, 2021.

INFORMATION related to the Official Plan Review process, including the Background Report and three (3) Discussion Papers, can be viewed on the Town's website as of April 2, 2021 at http://www.prescott.ca/en/do-business/official-plan-review.asp or at the following location during regular hours:

Town Hall
360 Dibble Street West
Prescott, ON K0E 1T0
(Monday to Friday – 8:30 am to 4:30 pm)

Dated at the Town of Prescott this 5th day of March 2021.