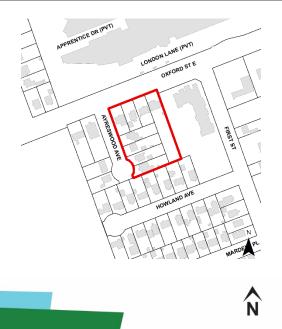


# **NOTICE OF** PLANNING APPLICATION

### Official Plan and Zoning By-law **Amendments**

# 1453-1459 Oxford Street East & 648-656 **Ayreswood Avenue**



File: OZ-9269

**Applicant: Red Maple Properties** 

What is Proposed?

Official Plan and Zoning amendments to allow:

- An 18-storey, mixed-use building containing 259 residential units and 491 sq.m of commercial gross floor area;
- A reduced front yard depth of 0 m;
- A reduced exterior side yard depth of 8.2 m;
- A reduced side yard depth of 0.5 m;
- A reduced rear yard depth of 25.3 m;
- An increased lot coverage of 31.7%;
- A reduced parking supply of 283 spaces;
- An increased maximum building height of 60 m;
- An increased maximum density of 390 units per hectare.

# LEARN MORE & PROVIDE INPUT

Please provide any comments by November 12, 2020 Catherine Maton

cmaton@london.ca

519-661-CITY (2489) ext. 5074

Development Services, City of London, 300 Dufferin Avenue, 6th Floor,

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You may also discuss any concerns you have with your Ward Councillor: Councillor Mohamed Salih msalih@london.ca 519-661-CITY (2489) ext. 4003

If you are a landlord, please post a copy of this notice where your tenants can see it. We want to make sure they have a chance to take part.

Date of Notice: October 21, 2020

# **Application Details**

#### Requested Amendment to the 1989 Official Plan

To change the designation of the property from Low Density Residential to Multi-Family, Medium Density Residential to permit high density apartment buildings.

#### Requested Amendment to The London Plan (New Official Plan)

Council may also consider an amendment to The London Plan to add a specific policy in the Rapid Transit Corridor Place Type to permit a maximum intensity of 18-storeys with Type 2 Bonus Zoning, whereas 16-storeys with Type 2 Bonus Zoning is the maximum.

#### **Requested Zoning By-law Amendment**

To change the zoning from a Residential R1 (R1-6) Zone and Residential R1/Office Conversion (R1-6/OC4) Zone to a Residential R9 Bonus/Neighbourhood Shopping Area (R9-7\*B-\_/NSA3) Zone. Changes to the currently permitted land uses and development regulations are summarized below.

The complete Zoning By-law is available at london.ca/planapps.

#### **Current Zoning**

**Zone:** Residential R1 (R1-6) Zone and Residential R1/Office Conversion (R1-6/OC4) Zone **Permitted Uses:** Single detached dwelling; dwelling units; offices in existing buildings. **Special Provisions:** None.

#### **Requested Zoning**

**Zone:** Residential R9 Bonus/Neighbourhood Shopping Area (R9-7\*B-\_/NSA3) Zone **Permitted Uses:** Apartment buildings; lodging house class 2; senior citizens apartment buildings; handicapped persons apartment buildings; continuum-of-care facilities; bake shops; catalogue stores; clinics; convenience service establishments; day care centres; duplicating shops; financial institutions; food stores; libraries; medical/dental offices; offices; personal service establishments; restaurants; retail stores; service and repair establishments; studios; video rental establishments; brewing on premise establishment; and an apartment with any or all of the other permitted uses on the first and/or second floor.

**Bonus Zone:** A reduced minimum front yard depth of 0 metres, whereas 14 metres is required; a reduced minimum exterior side yard depth of 8.2 metres, whereas 12 metres is required; a reduced minimum side yard depth of 0.5 metres, whereas 24 metres is required; a reduced minimum rear yard depth of 25.3 metres, whereas 60 metres is required; an increased maximum lot coverage of 31.7%, whereas a maximum of 30% is permitted; a reduced minimum parking supply of 283 spaces, whereas 365 spaces are required; a maximum building height of 60 metres; and an increased maximum density of 390 units per hectare, whereas 150 units per hectare is the maximum.

#### **Planning Policies**

Any change to the Zoning By-law must conform to the policies of the Official Plan, London's long-range planning document. These lands are currently designated as Low Density Residential in the Official Plan, which permits low density residential uses as the main uses.

The subject lands are in the Rapid Transit Corridor Place Type in *The London Plan*, permitting a range of residential, retail, service, office, cultural, recreational, and institutional uses.

# How Can You Participate in the Planning Process?

You have received this Notice because someone has applied to change the Official Plan designation and the zoning of land located within 120 metres of a property you own, or your landlord has posted the notice of application in your building. The City reviews and makes decisions on such planning applications in accordance with the requirements of the Planning Act. The ways you can participate in the City's planning review and decision making process are summarized below.

#### **See More Information**

You can review additional information and material about this application by:

- · Contacting the City's Planner listed on the first page of this Notice; or
- Viewing the application-specific page at london.ca/planapps.
- Please note that this application is being circulated during the State of Emergency issued by the Province of Ontario. Opportunities to view any file materials in-person by appointment can be arranged through the file Planner

#### Future opportunity to view the application:

When the City of London returns to operations that support in-person viewing, please contact the City's Planner listed on the first page of this Notice to confirm the office location of the Planner and the times that the office is open.

#### **Reply to this Notice of Application**

We are inviting your comments on the requested changes at this time so that we can consider them as we review the application and prepare a report that will include Development Services staff's recommendation to the City's Planning and Environment Committee. Planning considerations usually include such matters as land use, development intensity, and form of development.

#### Attend a Future Public Participation Meeting

The Planning and Environment Committee will consider the requested Official Plan and zoning changes on a date that has not yet been scheduled. The City will send you another notice inviting you to attend this meeting, which is required by the Planning Act. You will also be invited to provide your comments at this public participation meeting. A neighbourhood or community association may exist in your area. If it reflects your views on this application, you may wish to select a representative of the association to speak on your behalf at the public participation meeting. Neighbourhood Associations are listed on the <a href="Neighbourgood">Neighbourgood</a> website. The Planning and Environment Committee will make a recommendation to Council, which will make its decision at a future Council meeting.

## What Are Your Legal Rights?

#### **Notification of Council Decision**

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the City of London on the proposed official plan amendment and zoning by-law amendment, you must make a written request to the City Clerk, 300 Dufferin Ave., P.O. Box 5035, London, ON, N6A 4L9, or at <a href="docservices@london.ca">docservices@london.ca</a>. You will also be notified if you speak to the Planning and Environment Committee at the public meeting about this application and leave your name and address with the Secretary of the Committee.

#### Right to Appeal to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal

If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Corporation of the City of London to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the City of London before the proposed official plan amendment is adopted, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the City of London before the proposed official plan amendment is adopted, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

For more information go to https://olt.gov.on.ca/contact/local-planning-appeal-tribunal/.

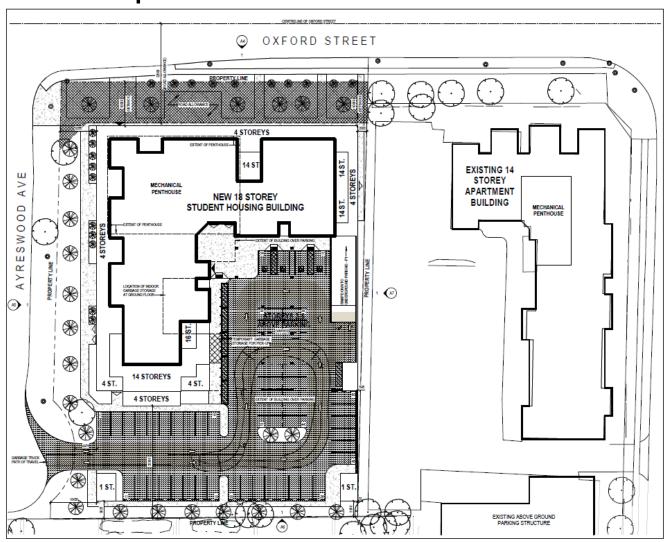
#### **Notice of Collection of Personal Information**

Personal information collected and recorded at the Public Participation Meeting, or through written submissions on this subject, is collected under the authority of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended, and the *Planning Act*, 1990 R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13 and will be used by Members of Council and City of London staff in their consideration of this matter. The written submissions, including names and contact information and the associated reports arising from the public participation process, will be made available to the public, including publishing on the City's website. Video recordings of the Public Participation Meeting may also be posted to the City of London's website. Questions about this collection should be referred to Cathy Saunders, City Clerk, 519-661-CITY(2489) ext. 4937.

#### **Accessibility**

Alternative accessible formats or communication supports are available upon request. Please contact developmentservices@london.ca for more information.

# **Site Concept**



Site Concept Plan

# **Building Rendering**



Conceptual Rendering - View from Oxford Street East

The above images represent the applicant's proposal as submitted and may change.