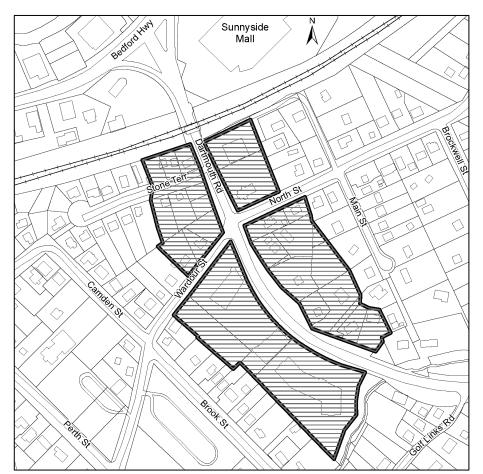
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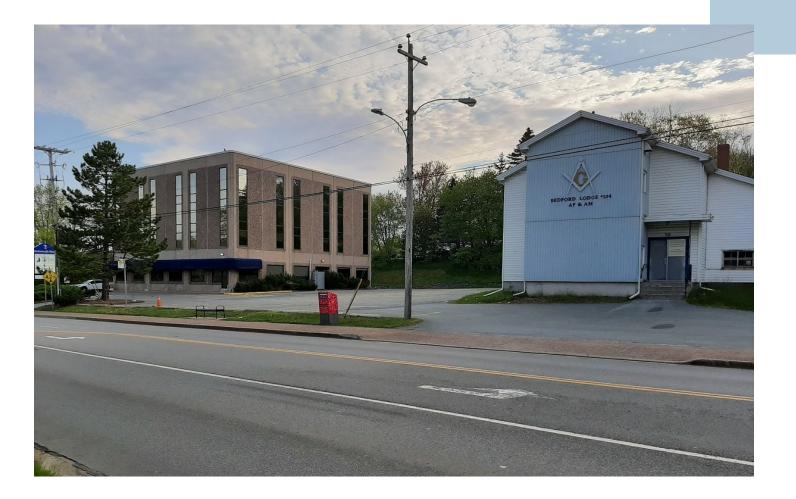
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Study Area

















The Planning Process: Roles

- Regional Council is the decision maker
- Developers propose buildings
- Residents are stakeholders who provide feedback
- HRM Planners review and make recommendations
- North West Planning Advisory Committee makes recommendations

Public Information Meetings (PIMs)

No decisions are made at any of these meetings.

The Planning Process (To Date)

- 1. Developers requested to change land use policy
- 2. Staff report and Regional Council initiation (November 2019)
- 3. Public Information Meeting Cancelled (March 2020)
- 4. Public survey (November 2020)
- 5. Council direction to host online meetings
- Scheduled and advertised meetings.

Planning Documents

(Guiding the Process)

Bedford Municipal Planning Strategy (the land use policy)

Bedford Land Use By-law (Zoning By-law)

HRM Regional Plan

Integrated Mobility Plan (IMP)

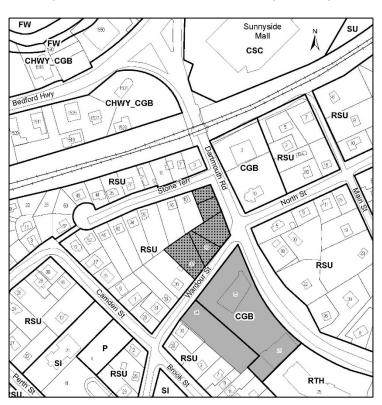
halifax.ca/planning has the application page

Study Area Land Use Policy

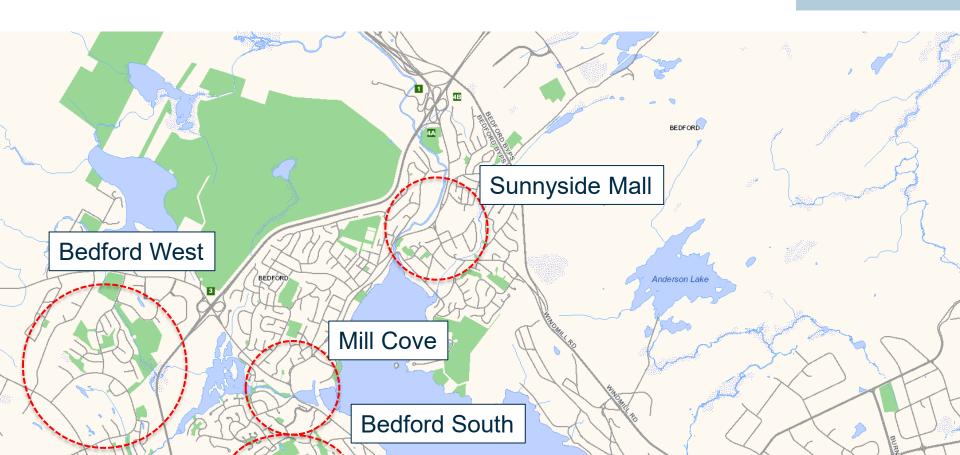
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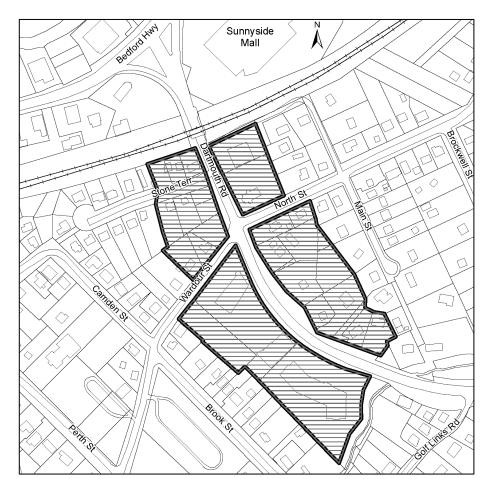
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Regional Plan - Growth Centres



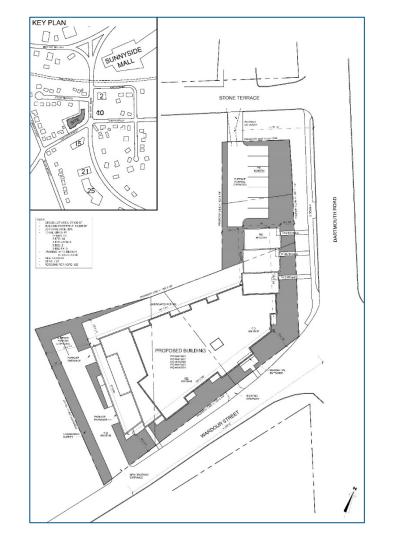
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The Proposal: Dartmouth Road



Dartmouth Road, between Wardour Street and Stone Terrace

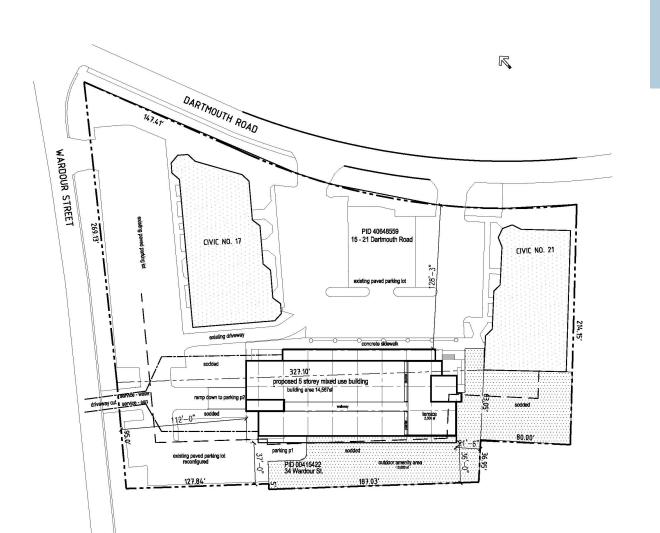


The Proposal: Wardour Street





Wardour Street, behind the Wardour Centre







Survey Responses

Surveys Mailed



267

Survey Responses



103 (39%)

Webpage Views (April 2021)



<u>254</u>

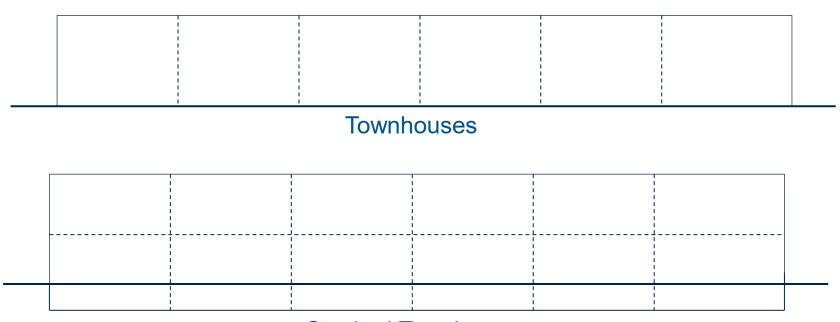
HRM: Our Planning Questions

- How does the existing mix of buildings impact the character of Dartmouth Road? How do the existing buildings impact the overall neighbourhood?
- How does Council best balance the needs and desires of this neighbourhood with the high demand for housing in HRM?

Potential Approaches

- 1. New policy to allow multi-unit buildings (in specific locations)
- 2. New policy to allow townhouses or stacked townhouses (in specific locations)
- 3. No changes to zoning or land use policy
- 4. Mix and match these options different zones on different lots

Townhouses/ Stacked Towns

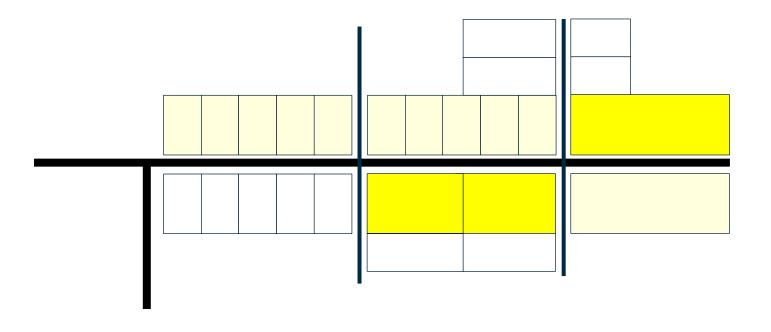


Stacked Townhouses

Stacked Towns



Mix and Match



Next Steps

- North West Planning Advisory Committee (Recommendation)
- Staff Review and Staff Report (Recommendation)
- North West Community Council (Recommendation)
- Regional Council (Public Hearing and Decision)

Next Steps

There are more opportunities to provide feedback:

- Written comments for North West Planning Advisory Committee
- Written comments for North West Community Council
- Written comments and speaking at the Public Hearing
- Email or phone planning staff

For meeting information or to send feedback, check with the Clerk's Office: clerks@halifax.ca

Next Steps

A decision can't be made until after a public hearing.

Thank You

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