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## Public Information Meeting for Case 20110

Development Agreement Open Space Subdivision Design Windgate Drive, Beaver Bank

August 28, 2017

## **Agenda for Tonight's Meeting**

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. HRM Staff Presentation
- 3. Applicant Presentation
- 4. Public Feedback
- 5. Wrap-Up, Next Steps, Feedback Form



## Introductions

- Tyson Simms Planner
- Lisa Blackburn Councillor (District 14)
- **Genevieve Hachey** Planning Controller
- Alden Thurston Planning Technician
- Connor Wallace, WSP Applicant



## **Role of HRM Staff**

- $\circ~$  Manage the process of the planning application
- Main contact for the applicant and general public regarding questions, comments or concerns
- Draft reports, negotiate with the applicant and make recommendations to Council



## **Purpose of this Meeting**

- Provide information to the public on the proposed development
- Explain the process involved for an application of this type
- Receive feedback, hear concerns, and answer questions regarding the proposed development

Feedback provided tonight will inform the process

No decisions will be made tonight

## **Applicant Proposal**

Applicant: WSP Canada, Connor Wallace

Location: PID No. 41043597, 40010514, 41398694 and 41401159, Windgate Drive (between Rivendale Drive and Terry Road), Beaver Bank

<u>Proposal</u>: Development of a classic open space subdivision design. As proposed the development will consist various forms of residential development, including: single unit, two unit and multiple unit dwellings. A total of 345 units are proposed as part of this development.



## **Site Context**







Revised Concept Plan A





#### **Revised Concept Plan B**



## **Policy & By-law Overview**

#### • Plan Area:

Planning Districts 15, 18 & 19 (Beaver Bank, Hammonds Plains and Upper Sackville)

#### • Regional Designation

Rural Commuter

#### **o** Community Plan Designation

- Mixed Use A
- Rural Resource

#### o Zone

- I-1 (Mixed Industrial) Zone
- ➢ MR-1 (Mixed Resource) Zone
- Enabling Plan Policy
  - S-16 of Regional Municipal Planning Strategy (2006)

## **Planning Policy**

#### Regional Plan (2006)

- Policy S-16
- Classic Style Open Space Subdivision Design
- 1 unit per 4000 square metres
- Approximately 60% or more of the site is retained in single ownership as common open space
- Development Agreement





# What Is a Development Agreement?

- A development agreement enables construction of a project under local planning policy
- A binding legal contract that clearly establishes standards on matters such as site plan, architecture, landscaping, and infrastructure
- Can be approved by Community Council provided that any development complies with applicable planning policy

## Planning Application Process

#### We Are Here

**Application Submitted** 

**Public Information Meeting** 

Planning Advisory Committee Meeting

HRM Internal Circulation & Review

Plan Revisions & Refinement

Staff Report with Draft Policy & Recommendation

> Community Council Meeting

Community Council Public Hearing & Decision

Appeal Period - NSUARB

### **Applicant Presentation**



## **Public Input Session**

- One speaker at a time
- $\circ~$  Speakers are asked to please use the microphone
- $\circ~$  No applauding or booing please
- Speaker to provide name and community name for the record
- Please respect all points of view and opinions
- Comments are recorded and provided in a summary format



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## Thank You For Your Participation

We are Looking to Improve the way we Communicate with Community Members

Please Complete a Survey Before You Go

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