Planning Applications Approval Process



Rezoning and Development Agreement

- Complete application received
- Preliminary review of proposal
- Public information meeting
- Detailed review of proposal
- Staff report (includes recommendation on rezoning and development agreement)
- First reading at Community Council
- Public hearing at Community Council for both rezoning and development agreement
- Decision by Community Council on rezoning only
- 14 day appeal period for rezoning NS Utility and Review Board
- Supplementary staff report to Community Council
- Decision by Community Council on development agreement
- 14 day appeal period for development agreement NS Utility and Review Board
- Development agreement signed and registered
- Subdivision or building permit applications

Estimated time to final decision: 8 months

Estimated time is based on a typical case; however, delays may occur at any step.