

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 26, 2017

Item 15, Report No. 31, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on September 26, 2017.

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ASSUMPTION – ARBAND PHASE 1 SUBDIVISION PLAN OF SUBDIVISION 65M-3941 (19T-00V19) WARD 4, VICINITY OF RUTHERFORD ROAD AND DUFFERIN STREET

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following report of the Deputy City Manager, Planning and Growth Management and the Director of Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning, dated September 19, 2017:

Recommendation

The Deputy City Manager, Planning and Growth Management and the Director of Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning, in consultation with the Director of Transportation Services, Parks and Forestry Operations, the Director of Environmental Services, the Director of Financial Planning and Development Finance and Deputy City Treasurer recommend:

1. That Council enact the necessary by-law assuming the municipal services that are set out in the Subdivision Agreement for Plan 65M-3941; and
2. That the Municipal Services Letter of Credit for Plan 65M-3941 be reduced to \$187,750 to guarantee the completion of minor roadworks, streetscaping and landscaping items to the satisfaction of the Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning Department, Development Planning and Transportation Services and Parks and Forestry Operations. Upon successful completion of the roadworks, streetscaping and landscaping items the Municipal Services Letter of Credit will be released.

Contribution to Sustainability

The municipal services recommended for assumption in this report have been designed and constructed in accordance with City standards which include consideration for sustainability.

Economic Impact

Upon assumption of this subdivision, approximately 0.4 lane kilometers of roadway and associated municipal services including sewers, watermain, street lighting, streetscaping, sidewalk, etc., will be added to the City's network of infrastructure. This additional infrastructure is valued at \$1,152,170 and will incur the normal expense associated with annual operation and maintenance activities of approximately \$23,100 shown on the following chart:

Item Description	As Constructed Costs	Approximate Annual Operating Costs (*)
Watermain	\$ 47,760	\$ 1,240
Sanitary sewers	\$ 40,710	\$ 810
Storm sewers	\$ 171,740	\$ 270
Road	\$ 97,060	\$ 2,740
Trees/Streetscaping/Landscaping	\$ 780,600	\$17,560
Streetlighting	\$ 14,300	\$ 480
Totals	\$1,152,170	\$23,100

() Estimated Annual Operating Costs based on information from Environmental Services and the Transportation Services and Parks & Forestry Operations Departments.*

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The life cycle costs associated with this additional infrastructure will be accounted for in the City's future multi-year budgets.

Communications Plan

The pertinent City departments will be notified of the assumption of this subdivision.

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to inform Council that the municipal services constructed pursuant to the Subdivision Agreement between Medallion Developments (South Maple) Limited and Dufferin Rutherford Holdings Limited and the City are complete and can be considered for assumption by the City.

Background - Analysis and Options

The Arband Phase 1 Subdivision, Plan of Subdivision 65M-3941 is a residential development comprised of 118 single lots, 24 partial lots, 18 townhouse blocks, 2 school blocks and 1 commercial block located south of Major Mackenzie Drive West and west of Dufferin Street in Ward 4 as shown on Attachment No.1.

The Subdivision Agreement with Medallion Developments (South Maple) Limited and Dufferin Rutherford Holdings Limited was executed on June 7, 2006 and the Plan of Subdivision was subsequently registered on November 28, 2006. The construction of the roads and municipal services in Plan 65M-3941 was considered substantially complete on April 30, 2012.

The Developer has maintained the municipal services in the subdivision during the required minimum thirteen month maintenance period and has rectified all deficiencies with the exception of minor roadwork, landscape and streetscaping deficiencies. All documents required for assumption have been received and the grading of all lots in the subdivision has been certified by the developer's engineering consultant.

Development inspection staff, in conjunction with the developer's consulting engineer, has conducted all necessary inspections of the municipal services and are now satisfied with the extent of the work to recommend assumption. The Development Planning and Transportation Services and Parks and Forestry Operations departments have advised that there are minor streetscape and landscape deficiencies and are requesting financial securities in the amount of \$162,750 be retained to ensure these works are satisfactorily completed. The Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning Department is requesting financial securities in the amount of \$25,000 be retained to ensure the minor roadwork deficiencies are completed.

Clearances have been received from all pertinent City Departments including Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning, Development Planning, Building Standards, Transportation Services, Parks and Forestry Operations, Parks Development, Environmental Services, and Office of the City Clerk. In addition, the Development Finance & Investments Department has confirmed that all of the City's financial requirements associated with this subdivision have been satisfied.

Accordingly, Medallion Developments (South Maple) Limited and Dufferin Rutherford Holdings Limited has requested the municipal services constructed in conjunction with Arband Phase 1 Subdivision Agreement be assumed by the City.

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Relationship To Term of Council Service Excellence Strategy Map (2014-2018)

The construction of the municipal services in Arband Phase 1 Subdivision and its assumption are consistent with the initiatives outlined in the Term of Council Service Excellence Strategy Map. The assumption of these municipal services will:

- Invest, renew and manage infrastructure and assets;
- Attract investment and create jobs;
- Continue to ensure the safety and well-being of citizens; and
- Continue to cultivate an environmentally sustainable city.

Regional Implications

There are no Regional implications with respect to the assumption of the municipal works within this subdivision development.

Conclusion

The construction of the roads and municipal services associated with the Arband Phase 1 Subdivision, Plan of Subdivision 65M-3941 has been completed in accordance with the subdivision agreement with the exception of minor roadworks, landscape and streetscaping deficiencies as noted above. Accordingly, it is recommended that the roads and municipal services in Plan 65M-3941 be assumed and the Municipal Services Letter of Credit be reduced to \$187,750 to guarantee the completion of minor deficiencies within the subdivision to the satisfaction of the Development Planning and Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning departments. Upon the completion of the deficiencies the Municipal Services Letter of Credit will be released.

Attachment

1. Location Map

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(A copy of the attachments referred to in the foregoing have been forwarded to each Member of Council and a copy thereof is also on file in the office of the City Clerk.)