HERITAGE VAUGHAN COMMITTEE APRIL 26, 2017

ALTERATION
10473 ISLINGTON AVENUE - KLEINBURG-NASHVILLE
HERITAGE CONSERVATION DISTRICT,
DESIGNATED UNDER PART V, ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT
WARD 1 - VICINITY OF ISLINGTON AVENUE AND NASHVILLE ROAD

Recommendation

The Director of Development Planning and the Manager of Urban Design and Cultural Heritage recommend:

- 1. THAT the proposed alteration to the existing building located at 10473 Islington Avenue, BE APPROVED, subject to the following conditions:
 - a) That an Arborist Report be submitted to the satisfaction of the Vaughan Development Planning Department, Urban Design and Cultural Heritage Division prior to the approval of a Heritage Permit.
 - Any significant changes to the proposal may require reconsideration by the Heritage Vaughan Committee, which shall be determined at the discretion of the Director of Development Planning and Manager of Urban Design and Cultural Heritage;
 - c) That Heritage Vaughan Committee approval does not constitute specific support for any Development Application under the *Ontario Planning Act* or permits or requirements currently under review or to be submitted in the future by the Owner as it relates to the subject application.

Contribution to Sustainability

This report is consistent with the goals and objectives within *Green Directions Vaughan*, the City's Community Sustainability and Environmental Master Plan, specifically:

Goal 4: To create a vibrant community where citizens, business and visitors thrive

Objective 4.1: "To foster a city with strong social cohesion, an engaging arts scene, and a clear sense of its culture and heritage"

Economic Impact

There are no requirements for new funding associated with this report.

Communications Plan

All materials related to the Heritage Vaughan Committee are posted on the City's website.

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to seek Heritage Vaughan approval for the proposed addition to the existing one-storey commercial building, located at 10473 Islington Avenue. In accordance with the *Ontario Heritage Act*, alteration of heritage resources located on Registered and Designated properties require Heritage Vaughan approval.

Associated Site Development File DA.16.093 has been submitted for the subject property and is currently under review by the Development Planning Department.

Timeline

This application is subject to the 90 day review under the *Ontario Heritage Act*. This application was declared complete on March 24, 2017, and must be deliberated upon by June 22, 2017, to meet the 90 day timeline.

Background - Analysis

The subject property is known municipally as 10473 Islington Avenue. It is located on the east side of Islington Avenue, between Kellam Street to the north and Stegman's Mill Road to the south. The subject property is identified as a contributing heritage property in the Kleinburg-Nashville Heritage Conservation District Plan (Section 2.6.2).

The original heritage building is identified as a $1^{\frac{1}{2}}$ storey wood frame, aluminum-clad building dating back to circa 1890. The architectural style of the building is identified as a Vernacular "Loyalist Cottage" style. The one-storey addition at the rear of the existing building is likely a later addition, with a further extension added between 2002 and 2005.

Proposed Alterations

The Owner has submitted a Site Development Application for the alteration to the existing building for a proposed addition. The proposed addition will be located at the rear of the building and placed on the existing one-storey rear-addition, making the total height of the rear portion of the building two-storeys in height, as shown in Attachments #3 to #7.

The windows and doors of the existing heritage building and one-storey rear addition will remain, with the exception of one window located at the rear of the building (east elevation). This window will be removed to allow for the interior staircase to access the proposed second-storey.

The following are relevant Goals, Policies, and Guidelines from the Kleinburg-Nashville Heritage Conservation District Plan with which this proposal is considered to be consistent:

Section 5.2.2 District Goals and Objectives, Heritage Buildings:

• "To conserve distinguishing original features, qualities, and character of heritage buildings and to avoid the removal or alteration of any such features."

Section 6.2 Policies for Heritage Buildings:

- "Alterations to heritage buildings should include removal of later unsympathetic work and restoration of original features and detail."
- "Work on heritage buildings should be consistent with the Guidelines in Section 9.3."

Section 9.3.7 New Additions to Heritage Buildings, speaks to new additions being designed to:

• "...complement the design of the original building" and to "not overwhelm the heritage character of the original building".

Section 9.3.7 New Additions to Heritage Buildings:

"Don't design additions to a greater height or scale than the original building."

- "Don't design additions to predominate over the original building. Usually, additions should be located to the side, be set back from the street frontage of the original building."
- "Use appropriate materials. See Section 9.10."

Analysis - Materials

The proposed addition would be constructed with building materials consistent with the existing building, including asphalt shingles and aluminum-siding. The proposed windows to be located on the second-storey addition will be a 6 over 6 configuration, in keeping with the majority of the existing windows on the original heritage building.

Analysis - Height and Massing

The proposed addition will result in a building height of two-storeys at the rear of the building. This increase in height will not obstruct or overshadow the existing heritage building, as this addition will be located at the rear of the building, on top of the existing one-storey rear addition. As per the Coloured Context Images provided by the applicant (Attachment #7), the second-storey portion will not be within the line of sight from the street-level on Islington Avenue. The proposed addition will have a hipped-roof, which mirrors the existing roofline of the current one-storey rear addition.

The massing of the addition is set back from the original building and does not increase the footprint of the existing one-storey rear addition.

Analysis – Architectural Style

The proposed rear-addition will be built on top of the existing one-storey addition. The existing one-storey addition is not being proposed for removal as it is sympathetic to the original building. The proposed rear-addition will have a hipped roof, with peaked-gables cut into the roof line along the north, south and east elevations to complement the gable dormers located on the original front façade of the building. The centrally placed windows along the upper floor creates a symmetrical façade that is consistent with the original building's Vernacular "Loyalist" Cottage style. The second-storey addition improves on and harmonizes the existing one-storey addition by providing balance in the facades.

For the above noted reasons, the proposed alteration complements the design of the original building and does not overwhelm the heritage character of the original building

Cultural Landscape

An Arborist Report must be submitted to the satisfaction of Cultural Heritage staff to ensure the tree canopy is not being affected by the second storey addition. The report shall inventory, assess and provide tree protection measures to protect existing trees. An additional landscape strip is proposed at the rear of the property. Urban Design has requested improvements to the streetscape interface along Islington Avenue. These plans must be submitted to Cultural Heritage Staff for review and approval.

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

This report relates to the Term of Council Service Excellence Strategy Map (2014-2018) by supporting the following initiative:

Support and promote arts, culture, heritage and sports in the community

Regional Implications

N/A

Conclusion

The Urban Design and Cultural Heritage Division of the Development Planning Department is satisfied that the proposed alteration of the building at 10473 Islington Avenue conforms to the policies and guidelines noted above. Accordingly, staff can support the approval of the proposed alteration under the Ontario Heritage Act.

Attachments

- 1. Location Map
- 2. Site Map
- 3. Site Plan
- 4. Floor Plans
- 5. Elevations
- 6. Cross Section
- 7. Coloured Context Images
- 8. Photos of Subject Property April 11, 2017

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Location Map

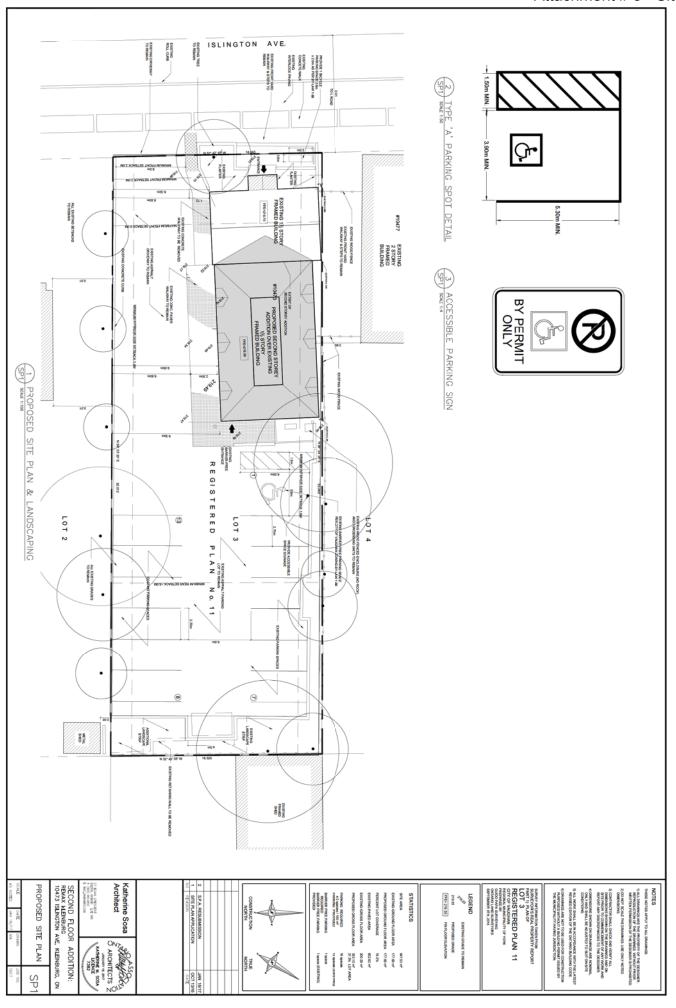


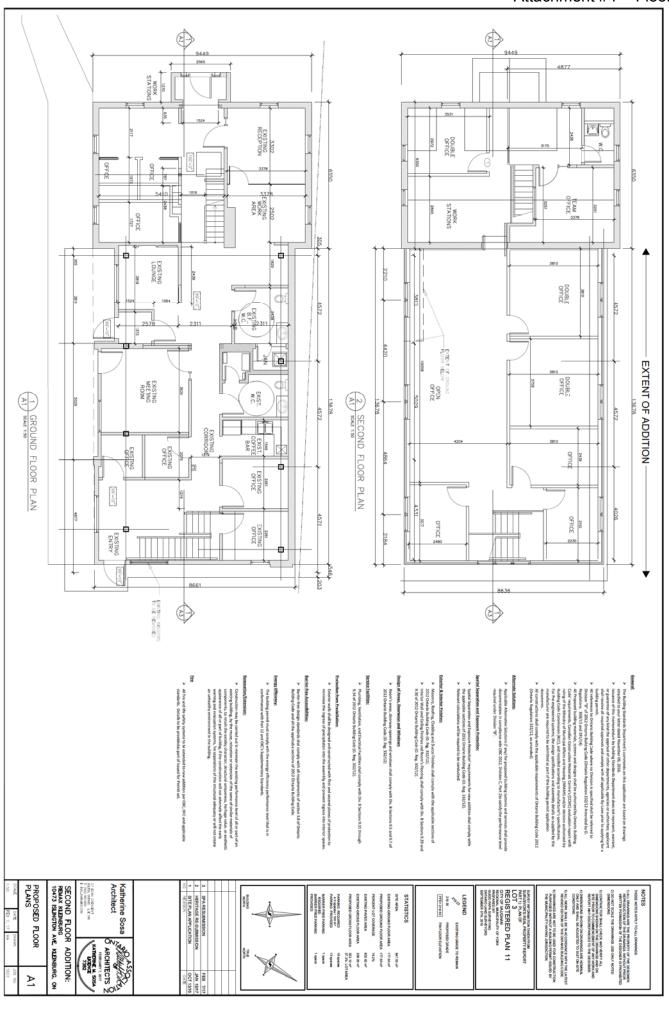
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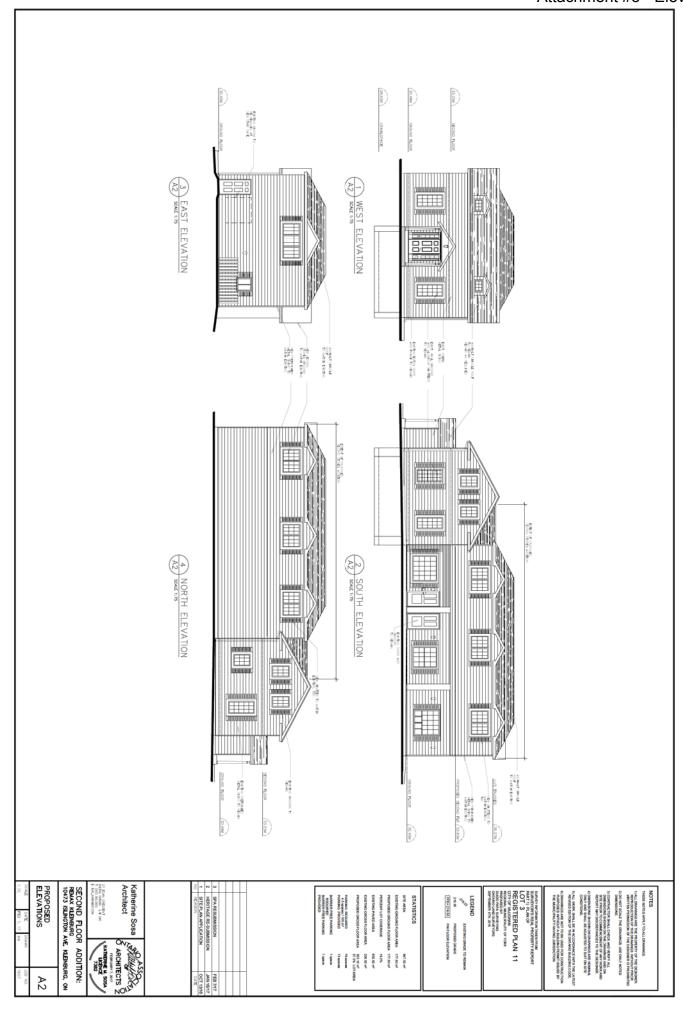
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Site Map

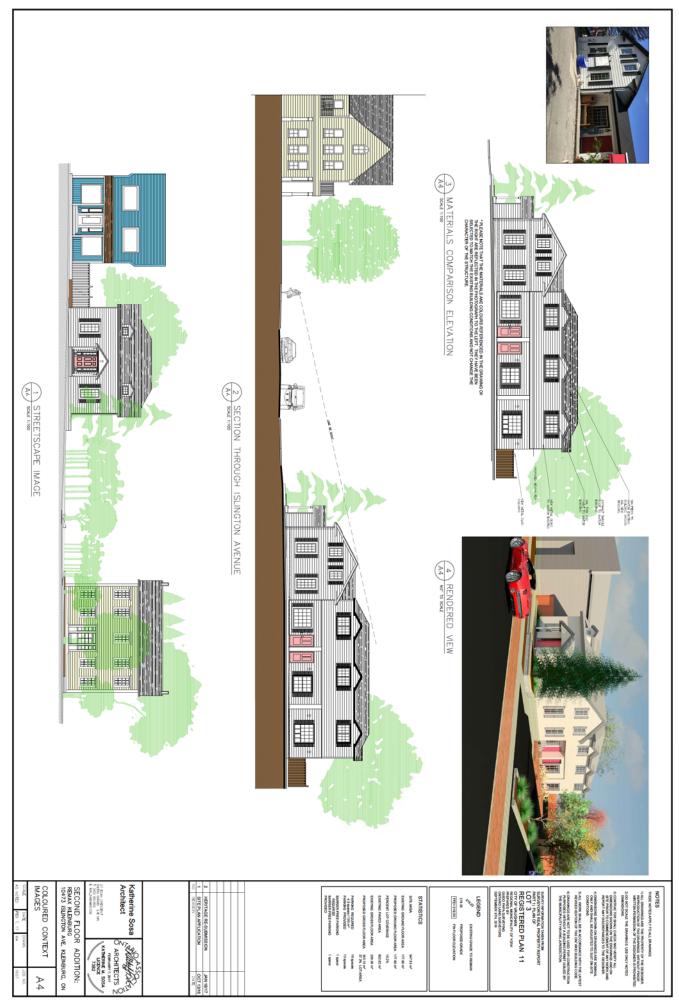








Attachment # 6 Cross Section 33.25M CROSS SECTION AA 1 STRUCTURE 3 PROPOSED NEW 2ND STOREY ADDITION TO (2) PROPOSED SECOND FLR (33.83M) Katherine Sosa Architect SUPPLY AND COMMON TO MARTH MEDICAL PARTY PLAN CALL PROPERTY REPORT ALL PROPERTY REPORT ALL PARTY PLAN CALL PAR SECOND FLOOR ADDITION:
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Front Façade of 10473 Islington Avenue





South Façade - Location of Proposed Addition









East Façade - Location of Proposed Addition

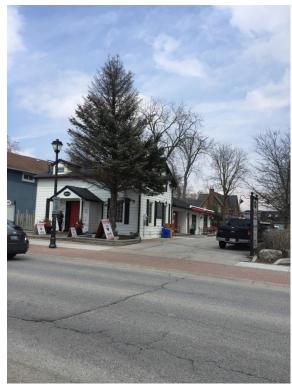




Views of 10473 Islington Avenue from west side of Islington Avenue







Existing Landscape Strip



Proposed Landscape Strip Location

