### **APPLICATION TO AMEND THE ZONING BY-LAW**

TO FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF TWO TOWERS (55 & 58 STOREYS) ON A 13 STOREY PODIUM 16, 19, 23, 27, 31, 35 Railroad Street, 48, 50, 52 Mill Street North, and 55, 59 Elizabeth Street North

City of Brampton File: OZS-2024-0032

### **Application by:**

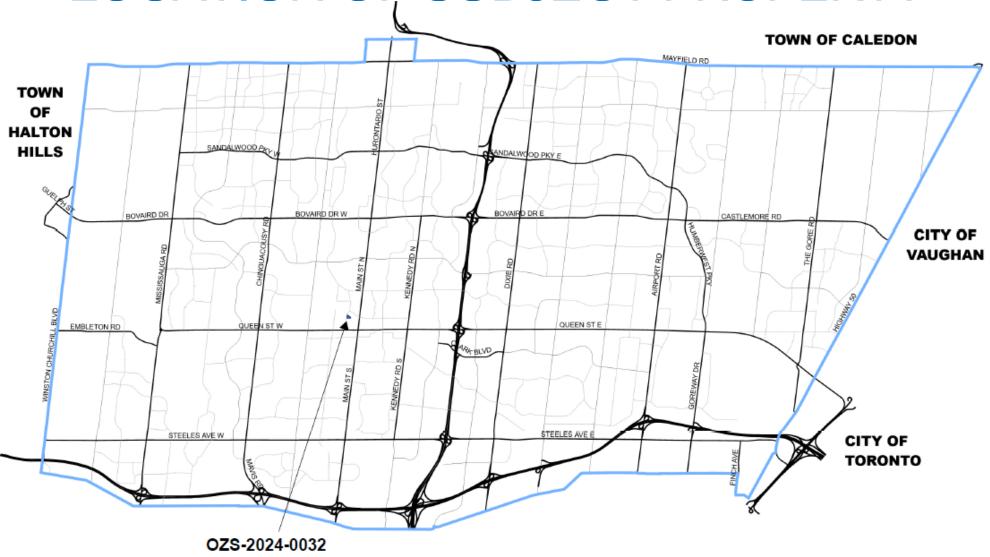
Gagnon Walker Domes - 23 Railroad Inc., 17595031 Railroad ME Inc., and 5519273548 Railroad ME Inc.

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REGIONAL COUNCILLOR: ROWENA SANTOS REGIONAL COUNCILLOR: PAUL VICENTE



# LOCATION OF SUBJECT PROPERTY



# AREA CONTEXT



#### **North: Residential, Transit Uses**

Railroad Street, beyond which is the rail corridor, the Brampton Innovation District GO station, Mid-Rise Residential, Office, and Commercial uses.

#### **South: Residential**

Low rise residential, beyond which is Nelson Street West, further beyond are land subject to a Development Application for a high-rise residential tower.

### **East: Residential, Transit Uses**

Elizabeth Street North, beyond which is the Brampton Innovation GO parking lot, further beyond is the Brampton Transit Terminal

#### **West: Residential**

Mill Street North, further beyond is a high rise residential development, beyond which are lands subject to an active Development Application for a high-rise residential tower





# **AREA CONTEXT**







# SITE VISIT



Street view looking directly to site from the intersection of Mill Street N and Railroad Street



Street view looking directly at site from the intersection of Elizabeth Street N and Railroad Street



Street view looking directly at site from the Brampton GO Station tracks

# DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

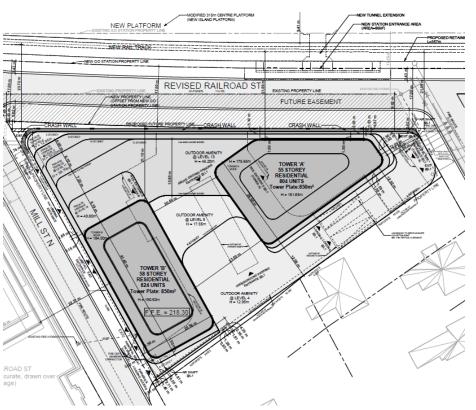
#### An application to amend the Zoning By-law

To permit the development of two towers (55 & 58 Storeys) on a 13-storey mixed-use podium.

#### Further details include:

- Residential Apartment Units 1,628 units
  - Studio 61 units (4%)
  - 1 Bedroom/1 Bedroom + Den 1,196 units (73%)
  - 2 Bedroom/2 Bedroom + Den 371 units (23%)
- Total Parking Provided 454 Parking Spaces
  - 352 Resident Parking Spaces
  - 102 Visitor/Retail Parking Spaces
- Total Bicycle Parking Spaces Provided 979 Bicycle Parking Spaces
- Total Proposed Indoor Amenity 3,302 square metres
- Total Proposed Outdoor Amenity 1,918 square metres
- Proposed Floor Space Index 15.44 (gross), 18.70 (net)
- Retail GFA 405 square metres







### TERTIARY PLAN

**Existing Dwelling** 



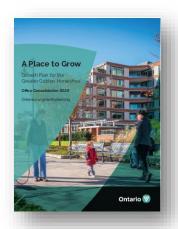
- A Tertiary Plan is a land use study to guide new or redevelopment proposals within a specified area.
- The City can require them from applicants to demonstrate how the development of their site can be coordinated with other properties.
- A Tertiary Plan was submitted with this application and, if approved, would be attached as an appendix to the Secondary Plan.





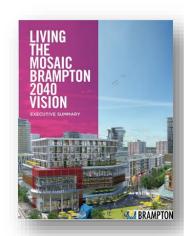
### PLANNING FRAMEWORK SUMMARY











### The application will be evaluated based on:

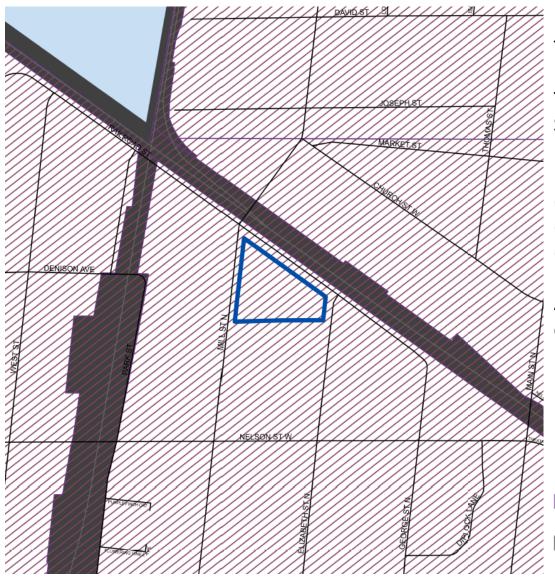
- The Planning Act
- Provincial Policy Statement (2020)
- Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2020)\*
- Region of Peel Official Plan
- City of Brampton Official Plan
- Downtown Brampton Secondary Plan

### Also following the principles of:

Brampton 2040 Vision



### CURRENT PLANNING CONTEXT: OFFICIAL PLAN DESIGNATION



The Current Official Plan Designation is Central Area

The Central Area, including the Urban Growth Centre, as designated on Schedules "1" and "A", serves as the major location for free-standing or mixed-use development including:

- (i) A full range of office, retail and service activities;
- (ii) A variety of residential uses;
- (iii) Major transit infrastructure.

An amendment to the Official Plan is <u>not</u> required to facilitate the development.

EXTRACT FROM SCHEDULE A (GENERAL LAND USE DESIGNATIONS) OF THE CITY OF BRAMPTON OFFICIAL PLAN

CENTRAL AREA
INDUSTRIAL

← RAILWAYS

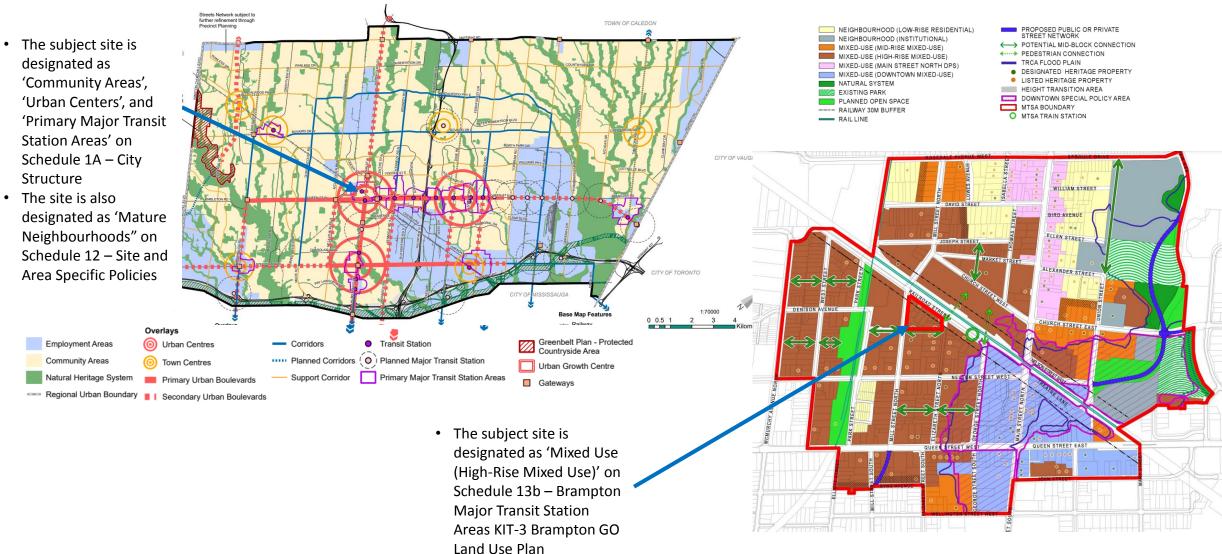
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# **CURRENT PLANNING CONTEXT: Brampton Plan**





### CURRENT PLANNING CONTEXT: SECONDARY PLAN DESIGNATION

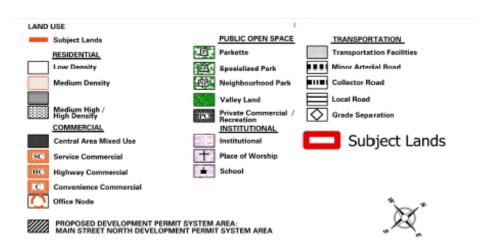
### **Downtown Brampton Secondary Plan (Area 7)**

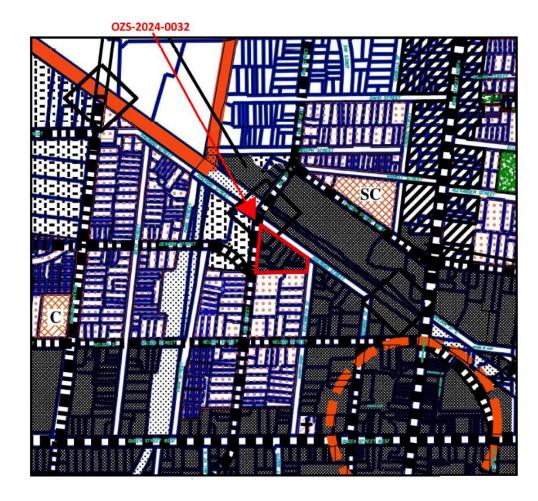
The current designation in the Secondary Plan is Central Area Mixed Use.

Under Section 5.1.2.1 lands designated Central Area Mixed-Use on Schedule SP36(A) are intended to accommodate mixed-use developments incorporating any combination of commercial, retail, office, residential, hotel, open space, recreational, institutional, a full range of entertainment and cultural uses which are managed as a unit.

Under Section 5.1.1.5 an increase beyond the maximum coverages specified by Policy 5.1.2.2 and Table 1 of this Plan, and/or increase the permitted percentage of residential shall require a site specific rezoning application containing supporting rationale and documentation.

An amendment to the Secondary Plan is <u>not</u> required to facilitate the development.







# **CURRENT PLANNING CONTEXT: ZONING BY-LAW**

### Zoning By-law 270-2004

The subject property is zoned Residential Extended One (R2B (1)) and Downtown Commercial – Special Section 3181 (DC – 3181)

Permitted Uses in the Residential Extended One (R2B (1)) Zone include:

- a) a single detached dwelling;
- b) a duplex dwelling;
- c) a double duplex building;
- d) a multiple residential dwelling containing no more than 4 dwelling units

Permitted uses in the Downtown Commercial – Special Section 3181 (DC – 3181) Zone include but are not limited to:

- a) a retail establishment having no outside storage;
- b) a grocery store;
- c) an office;

A Zoning By-Law Amendment will be required to facilitate the development.

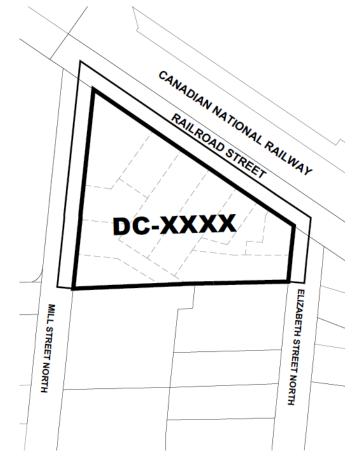




### PROPOSED PLANNING CONTEXT: ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT

The proposed Zoning By-law Amendment will permit the rezoning of the subject site from Residential Extended One (R2B (1)) and Downtown Commercial – Special Section (DC-XXXX).

| Proposed Zones                                       | Highlight of proposed Zone  |
|--|---|
| Downtown Commercial – Special Section XXXX (DC-XXXX) | Permitted Uses: a) An apartment dwelling b) Only in conjunction with an apartment dwelling building or mixed-use development, the uses permitted in the DC Zone  Maximum Floor Space Index (FSI) a) 20.0 (Exclusive of a below grade parking garage)  Maximum Tower Floor Plate: a) 850 sq.m  Minimum Gross Floor Area for all Commercial Uses: a) 420 sq.m  Minimum Tower Separation Distance: a) 20 metres  Resident parking spaces: a) shall be provided at a rate of 0.20 spaces per unit  Maximum Building Height: a) Maximum Height for a building located within 3.0 metres of Mill Street North shall be 58 storeys, and Maximum Height for a building located within 12.0 metres of Elizabeth Street North shall be 55 storeys |



(Proposed Zones: Downtown Commercial – Special Section XXXX (DC-XXXX))

# KEY ISSUES / CONSIDERATIONS

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- Coordination with Metrolinx for the Third Track Rail Expansion at Brampton Innovation District GO Station, and consideration for additional improvements planned through the Brampton Transit Hub Project.
- The future of Railroad Street and Mill Street, possible road re-alignments and the future of the at-grade crossing at Mill Street and the CN Rail Corridor.
- What are the considerations for the listed and designated heritage buildings on and adjacent to the site?
- The appropriateness of the proposed height and density, and the proposed building performance standards.

How will the adjacent sites develop through the tertiary planning process?







# **NEXT STEPS**

Notice of complete application – May 24, 2022

Circulation to departments and agencies

Notice of public meeting

**Public Meeting (We are here)** 

Collect & Review Public, Technical and Other Comments

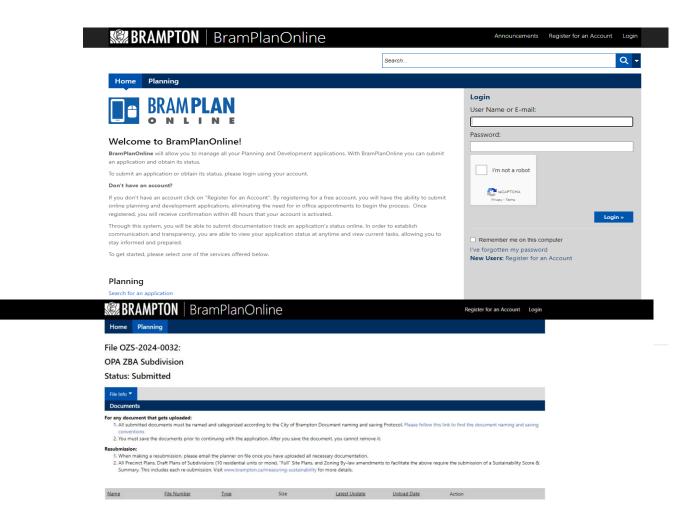
Recommendation/Final report

Appeal period



# ACCESS THE DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

- 1. Click the BramPlan Online link: <a href="https://planning.brampton.ca/CitizenAccess/D">https://planning.brampton.ca/CitizenAccess/D</a> efault.aspx
- 2. Click the Search for An Application link: <a href="https://planning.brampton.ca/CitizenAccess/Cap/CapHome.aspx?module=Planning&TabName=Planning">https://planning.brampton.ca/CitizenAccess/Cap/CapHome.aspx?module=Planning&TabName=Planning</a>
- 3. Type the file number in the required field: File Number: OZS-2024-0032
- 4. On the OZS-2024-0032 file page click: The File Info Tab, and click documents to review all application drawings and documents.





# **CONTACT INFORMATION**

The report and presentation associated with tonight's meeting can be found online at www.brampton.ca on the MEETINGS and AGENDAS page.

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