

Township of Frontenac Islands

Notice of a Public Meeting Official Plan



Take Notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Frontenac Islands will hold two special meetings of Council, open to the public, to consider revisions to the Official Plan pursuant to the requirements of Section 26 (4) of the Planning Act, RSO 1990, as amended.

The first meeting will be held on the 16th day of April, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Philomena's Parish Hall at 1739 Howe Island Drive, Howe Island.

The second meeting will be held on the 23rd day of April, 2008 at 7:00 pm at Sacred Heart School, 57 Road 95, Wolfe Island.

Beginning in March of 2008, the Township of Frontenac Islands will initiate the process of review and update of the Township's Official Plan. The current Official Plan dates to 2003 and a number of issues have risen to the forefront since that time. As of January 1st, 2007 the Planning Act requires municipality's to review and update their Official Plans every five years.

The Official Plan sets out a vision for future growth and development and the policies to implement that vision. This is achieved in part by shaping such policies on issues that are essential to maintaining and improving the quality in life of the community. This important land use planning tool cannot be made possible without the input of the people of Frontenac Islands. Your concerns and ideas will make this Plan a document that reflects the values of the Islands and will help the Township grow in a fashion that maintains the character of the community. The Township encourages you to attend at least one of these meetings to provide your input. However, if you cannot attend please use the Township's website to submit your ideas, comments and concerns. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this important meeting.



There are topics a number of which will help to focus the discussion on this review, including:

Growth management

Areas to be designated for agriculture

Waterfront development

Mineral aggregate resources

Natural heritage protection

Criteria for consents

Green energy



Land use compatibility

Lot sizes and frontages

Conservation of water resources

Sewage disposal services

Economic development

Transportation issues (water, road, ferry)

Water and sewer services in Marysville

Additional Information related to the five-year review of the Official Plan is available during regular office hours at the municipal offices.

If you wish to be notified by mail of other meetings proposed as part of the review, please make a written request to the Clerk of the Municipality at the address given below.

Dated at the Township of Frontenac Islands this 4th day of March, 2008.

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