#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

#### BY-LAW 2009-116

#### A By-law to amend By-law 165-80, as amended

Woodbine International Centre Corporation 9390 Woodbine Avenue

#### LANDS AFFECTED

The By-law applies to lands located at the northwest corner of Woodbine Avenue and Markland Street, in the Woodbine North employment area, comprising Blocks 1 and 2 of Plan 65M-3925 and known municipally as 9390 Woodbine Avenue. The subject lands comprise 4.64 ha (11.5 acres).

#### **EXISTING ZONING**

The lands subject to this By-law are presently zoned Select Industrial with Limited Commercial [M.C. 107%] and [M.C. 60%] by By-law 165-80, as amended.

#### PURPOSE AND EFFECT

The purpose and effect of this by-law amendment is to rezone the subject lands to permit a mixed use hotel, retail, office and convention/trade centre on the subject lands, subject to holding (H) provisions. The zoning by-law amendment widens the range of permitted uses on the subject lands to include health centres, personal service shops, restaurants, retail stores and trade and convention centre; increases the maximum floor area ratio on the subject lands from 107% and 60% to 170%; establishes a maximum building height of 36 metres; provides that the gross floor area of retail stores, personal service shops and restaurants shall not exceed the gross floor area of offices, trade and convention centre, and hotel uses; provides that retail stores, personal service shops and restaurants can only be part of a mixed use development; limits individual retail stores to a maximum floor area of 1,000 m²; and provides for cooking facilities in hotel suites.

The following conditions apply to the removal of the (H) provision:

- i) Approval of municipal servicing and transportation impact studies, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering in consultation with York Region;
- ii) Execution of a site plan agreement between the Town and the owner;
- iii) Submission of either: a) a detailed phasing plan (including detailed transportation analysis and strategy for delivering the required transportation infrastructure); or b) a strategy for delivering required transportation infrastructure if the development is to be built in a single phase, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering in consultation with York Region;
- iv) Execution of one or more Development Agreement(s), between the Town and the Owner and, where required York Region, relating to the construction, financing and implementation of off-site servicing and transportation infrastructure improvements, and including financial securities to the satisfaction of the Town.



# **BY-LAW 2009-116**

A by-law to amend Zoning By-law 165-80, as amended, to permit a mixed-use hotel, convention centre, office and retail centre at 9390 Woodbine Avenue

# THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MARKHAM HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That By-law 165-80, as amended, be and the same is hereby further amended as follows:
  - 1.1 By zoning the lands identified on Schedule "A" attached hereto

from Select Industrial with Limited Commercial [M.C. 107%] and from Select Industrial with Limited commercial [M.C. 60%]

to Select Industrial with Limited Commercial [M.C. 170%].

- 1.2 By adding to Section 7 Exceptions the following new subsection:
- 7.111 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this By-law, the provisions in this Section shall apply to Blocks 1 and 2 Plan 65M-3925, municipally known as 9390 Woodbine Avenue, as shown on Schedule 'A' attached to By-law 2009-116. All other provisions of this by-law, unless specifically modified/amended by this section, continue to apply to the lands subject to this Section.

### 7.111.1 Permitted Uses

The following additional uses are permitted:

- a) Health Centres
- b) Personal Service Shops
- c) Business Offices
- d) Restaurants
- e) Restaurants, Take-out
- f) Retail Stores
- g) Trade and Convention Centres

#### 7.111.2 Zone Standards

a) For the purposes of this exception, the following definitions shall apply:

"Trade and Convention Centre" means a premises where facilities are provided for the displaying of goods and/or services for the general public, such as an auto show or a computer trade show or where groups of people meet for civic, educational, political, religious or social purposes.

#### b) Setbacks

Provisions relating to the setbacks of *buildings* from the centre line of any arterial road or Provincial Highway shall not apply

c) Yards

#### i) Minimum Front Yard – 9.3 m

#### d) Maximum Height

Maximum height shall be 36 metres.

# 7.111.3 Special Site Provisions

The following special site provisions shall apply:

- a) The combined gross floor area of Retail Stores, Personal Service Shops, Restaurants and Take-out Restaurants shall not exceed the combined gross floor area of Business Offices, Trade and Convention Centres and Hotels on the site.
- b) Retail Stores, Personal Service Shops, Restaurants and Take-out Restaurants are only permitted in a mixed-use development containing Business Offices, Trade and Convention Centres and Hotels.
- c) The maximum *net floor area* of a *Retail Store* premises shall be 1,000 m<sup>2</sup>.
- d) Individual private cooking facilities are permitted in *Hotels*.
- e) The general provisions that regulate *Restaurants*, *Retail Stores*, and *Personal Service Shops*, do not apply.
- f) For the purposes of applying the zone standards, Block 1 and Block 2, Plan 65M-3925 shall be considered as one *lot*.

#### 7.111.4 Holding Provisions

The Hold (H) zone is shown on Schedule 'A' attached to this By-law.

# a) Uses Permitted Prior to the Lifting of a Holding Provision

Only the uses and floor area that existed on the effective date of this Bylaw are permitted prior to the removal of the H provision.

#### b) Conditions for Removing the H Provision

The Hold (H) Provision shall not be lifted until the following conditions have been met to the satisfaction of the Town of Markham, in consultation with the Region of York:

- i) Submission of municipal servicing and transportation impact studies to the satisfaction of Director of Engineering in consultation with York Region;
- ii) Execution of a site plan agreement between the Town and the owner;
- iii) Submission, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering in consultation with York Region, of either:

- o a detailed phasing plan for the proposed development, supported by a transportation impact study, identifying the amount of development that can be supported by existing transportation infrastructure, plus a detailed strategy for delivering the additional transportation infrastructure required for full build-out of the development; or,
- o a detailed strategy for delivering the additional transportation infrastructure required to support full build-out of the development in a single phase;
- iv) Execution of one or more Development Agreement(s) between the Town, the Owner and, where applicable, York Region, relating to the construction, financing and implementation of required off-site servicing and transportation infrastructure improvements, and including financial securities to the satisfaction of the Town.
- 2. All other provisions of By-law 165-80, as amended, not inconsistent with the provisions of this by-law shall continue to apply.

READ A FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD TIME AND PASSED THIS  $23^{\rm RD}$  DAY OF JUNE, 2009.

KIMBERLEY KITTERINGHAM TOWN CLERK FRANK SCARPITTI MAYOR

