# A.1 STUDY NOTIFICATIONS



# CITY OF MISSISSAUGA - NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT

# Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study for the Extension of Living Arts Drive

#### WHAT?

 The City of Mississauga is studying the need to extend Living Arts Drive, from Rathburn Road West to Centre View Drive, as part of a study called a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA).

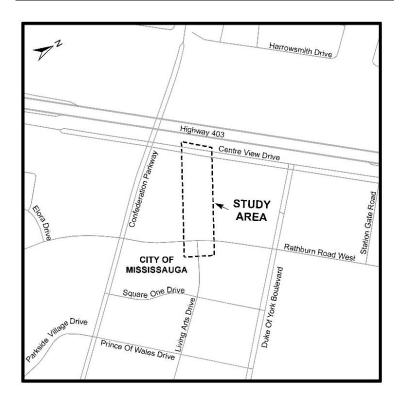
#### WHY?

- To provide alternative routes to, from, and within downtown Mississauga.
- To support the creation of smaller, urban-scale blocks and a fine-grained street grid in downtown Mississauga.
- To support "multi-modal" transportation by providing additional pedestrian connections, as well as access to existing and planned transit.
- To provide a new north-south multi-modal connection between Rathburn Road West and Centre View Drive, as proposed by the City's Downtown21 Master Plan.

#### HOW?

- The study will examine how traffic operates on nearby roadways both now, and in the future. Opportunities to improve the capacity of roadways and intersections within the study area, as well as accommodate future land uses, will also be explored as part of this study.
- Alternative Solutions will be developed and evaluated against a broad range of criteria, related to topics such as transportation, transit, accessibility, land use, the natural and cultural environments, and various others.
- The entire study process will be documented within a Project File, which will be available for public review at the end of the study.

### WHERE?



### **GET INVOLVED!**

- Consultation is an important part of the Class EA process. Throughout the study, the City will engage various agencies and members of the community, and consider their opinions as part of any decisions that are made.
- One Public Information Centre (PIC) is being planned as part of this study to present the: problems and opportunities; Alternative Solutions considered and associated recommendations; and, potential impacts to the environment, with proposed mitigation measures. Details regarding the PIC will be advertised publicly and communicated to you directly as the study progresses.
- To find out more about study announcements and other information please visit the study website:

## www.mississauga.ca/livingartsea

If you have any questions or comments regarding the study (or wish to be removed from the study mailing list), please contact one of the following team members:

Dana Glofcheskie, P.Eng.

Project Manager
City of Mississauga
201 City Centre Dr, Suite 800
Mississauga, ON L5B 2T4
(905) 615-3200, ext. 8243

# Travis Brown, PMP Consultant Project Manager

Stantec Consulting Ltd. 300W – 675 Cochrane Dr Markham, ON L3R 0B8 (905) 944-6866

This notice signals the commencement of the Class EA, a study which will define the problem and/or opportunity, identify and evaluate alternative solutions, and determine a preferred solution in consultation with regulatory agencies and the public. The study is being undertaken in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule 'B' projects, as outlined in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment" document (October 2000, amended in 2015), which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

#### Notice of Collection of Personal Information:

Personal information is collected under the authority of the Environmental Assessment Act and will be used in the assessment process. With exception of personal information, all comments shall become part of the public records. Questions about this collection should be directed to the Project Manager listed above



# NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

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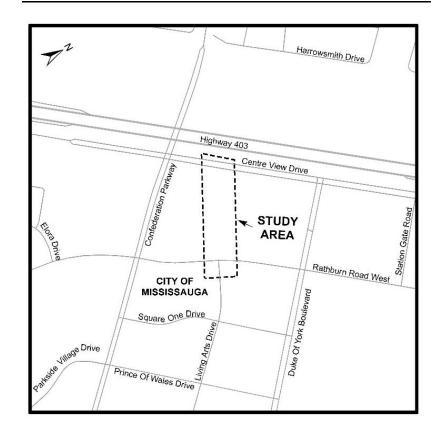
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### HOW?

- The study is examining how traffic operates on nearby roadways both now, and in the future. Opportunities to improve the capacity of roadways and intersections within the study area, as well as accommodate future land uses, were explored as part of this study.
- Alternative Solutions have been developed and evaluated against a broad range of criteria, related to topics such as transportation, land use, and the natural and cultural environments.
- The entire study process will be documented within a Project File, which will be available for public review at the end of the study.

### WHERE?



### **GET INVOLVED!**

### YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND A PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

Date: Thursday October 5, 2017

Time: 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Location: The Great Hall, Mississauga City Hall

300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga

- Consultation is an important part of the Municipal Class EA process. The City is engaging various agencies and members of the community, and considers their opinions as part of any decisions that are made.
- The Public Information Centre (PIC) is being held so that attendees can review study progress, and discuss any questions or comments with the study team directly.
- The PIC will present information on the study area, the evaluation of alternatives, the preliminary preferred solution, and upcoming study activities.

To find out more about study announcements and other information, please visit the study website:

### www.mississauga.ca/livingartsea

If you have any questions or comments regarding the study, or wish to be removed from the study mailing list, please contact the study email address (<u>LivingArtsEA@stantec.com</u>) or one of the following study team members:

Dana Glofcheskie, P.Eng.

Project Manager City of Mississauga 201 City Centre Dr, Suite 800 Mississauga, ON L5B 2T4 (905) 615-3200, ext. 8243 Travis Brown, PMP

Consultant Project Manager Stantec Consulting Ltd. 300W – 675 Cochrane Dr Markham, ON L3R 0B8 (905) 944-6866

Please provide any comments by October 26, 2017.

The study is being undertaken in accordance with the planning and design process for Schedule 'B' projects, as outlined in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment" document (October 2000, amended in 2015), which is approved under the Ontario *Environmental Assessment Act*.

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Harrowsmith Drive

# NOTICE OF STUDY COMPLETION

### Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study for the Extension of Living Arts Drive

The City of Mississauga has completed a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study for the extension of Living Arts Drive, from Rathburn Road West to Centre View Drive (the "Study"). This Study was conducted in accordance with the planning process for 'Schedule B' projects as outlined in the Municipal Engineers Association Municipal Class Environmental Assessment document, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015, which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

The Study was undertaken to investigate the need to:

- provide alternative routes to, from, and within downtown Mississauga;
- support the creation of smaller, urban-scale blocks and a fine-grained street grid in downtown Mississauga;
- support "multi-modal" transportation by providing additional pedestrian and bicycle connections, as well as access to existing and planned transit: and
- provide a new north-south multi-modal connection between Rathburn Road West and Centre View Drive.

Based on the findings of the Study, the extension of Living Arts Drive, from Rathburn Road West to Centre View Drive, was selected as the Preferred Solution, and generally includes the following key elements:

- 26 m right-of-way with new sidewalks and on-street bike lanes;
- new signalized intersection at Living Arts Drive and Centre View Drive: and
- new mid-block intersection.

The configuration of the new mid-block intersection will be established during detailed design.

A Project File has been prepared to document the planning and decision-making process for this Study. By this Notice, the Project File is being placed on the public record for a thirty (30) day review period from and including March 26, 2018 to April 25, 2018 at the following locations:

> The City of Mississauga Office of the City Clerk 300 City Centre Drive, 2nd Floor Mississauga, ON L5B 3C1 Telephone: (905) 615-4311 Monday-Friday: 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Weekends: Closed

City of Mississauga, Central Library 301 Burnhamthorpe Road West Mississauga, ON L5B 3Y3 Telephone: (905) 615-4745 Monday-Friday: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Sunday: 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

A copy of the Project File is also available on the City of Mississauga website: www.mississauga.ca/livingartsea

Interested persons may provide written comments to the City of Mississauga's Project Manager, Dana Glofcheskie, P.Eng. (see contact information below). If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved in discussions with the City of Mississauga, a person or party may request the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change to make an order (referred to as a Part II Order) for the project to comply with Part II of the Environmental Assessment Act which addresses Individual Environmental Assessments. The written request must be received by the Minister within the thirty (30) calendar day review period, with a copy to the Director, Environmental Approvals Branch and the City of Mississauga Project Manager.

Honorable Chris Ballard Minister of Environment and Climate Change 77 Wellesley Street West, 11th Floor Toronto, ON M7A 2T5 minister.moecc@ontario.ca

Director, Environmental Approvals Branch Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change 135 St. Clair Avenue West, 1st Floor Toronto, ON M4V 1P5

City of Mississauga Project Manager Dana Glofcheskie, P. Eng. 201 City Centre Drive, Suite 800 Mississauga, ON L5B 2T4 Tel: (905) 615-3200, ext. 8243 dana.glofcheskie@mississauga.ca

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Highway 403 Centre View Drive STUDY AREA Rathburn Road West CITY OF MISSISSAUGA Square One Drive Duke Of York E Village Drive Prince Of Wales Drive