

CITY OF MISSISSAUGA
CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY AND PRELIMINARY DESIGN OF
Downtown Mississauga Road Improvements
NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE # 2

THE STUDY:

City of Mississauga is undertaking a Class Environmental Assessment, including preliminary design, for downtown Mississauga road improvements. The overall study area is bounded by Rathburn Road West to the north, Burnhamthorpe Road to the south, City Centre Drive/Kariya Gate to the east and Duke of York Boulevard to the west. Within the study area, there are four potential road improvement projects:

Project 1 - Square One Drive from Duke of York Boulevard to Hammerson Drive

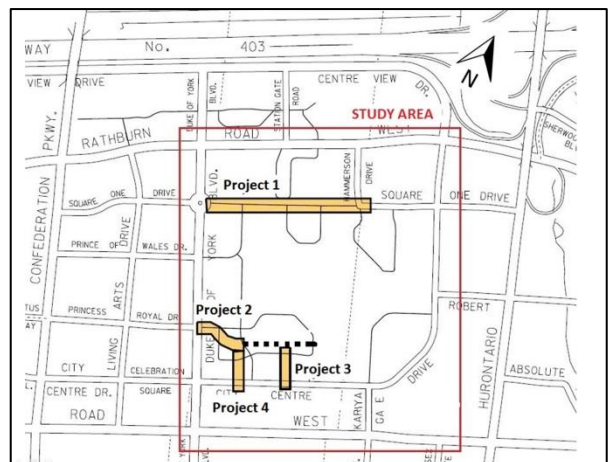
Project 2 - Extension of Princess Royal Drive from Duke of York Boulevard to the proposed "Mercer Street"

Project 3 - Proposed "The Exchange" from City Centre Drive to the proposed private extension of Princess Royal Drive

Project 4 – Proposed "Mercer Street" from City Centre Drive to the proposed extension of Princess Royal Drive

Project 1 is a section of Square One Drive which currently serves as a private road access to the Square One Shopping Centre. The City's Official Plan and moreover, *the Downtown21 Master Plan* proposes that Square One Drive ultimately be a two-way minor collector street, continuous from Hurontario Street to Rathburn Road West. The proposed road improvements will focus on creating a more multi-modal street that will suit all users, including pedestrians, cyclists, transit riders and drivers.

Project 2, Project 3 and Project 4 are newly planned city roads that will facilitate a much improved pedestrian, cyclist and traffic environment in the southwest corner of the Square One Shopping Centre as shown in the study area.



PROCESS:

The study is following a comprehensive planning and design process in order to recognize and accommodate the multi-modal transportation needs of Mississauga's Downtown and its relationship to future land use to support the Downtown21 Master Plan, the City's Official Plan and the new Downtown Core Local Area Plan/MOPA8 (under appeal).

The study is being undertaken in accordance with the Master Plan process outlined in the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment* (October 2000, as amended in 2007 and 2011), which is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

PUBLIC CONSULTATION:

A key component is stakeholder consultation (public, landowners and regulatory agencies). The first Public Information Centre (PIC) was held for this project on June 25, 2014 to provide an opportunity to review the study scope, and discuss issues related to the project including alternative solutions, evaluation criteria, and environmental impacts and mitigation measures. This second PIC will be held to present the results of environmental studies completed to date, alternative design concepts evaluated and the preliminary preferred design concepts for all four projects. You are invited to this second PIC scheduled for the time and date below:

Date: Thursday, September 25, 2014
Time: 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Venue: Mississauga Civic Centre, Great Hall
300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, ON

The PIC will be a drop-in format with displays illustrating the various design concepts considered and the preliminary identification of a preferred design concept to address the preferred master plan solution. There will be an opportunity to meet with the Project Team, review material and discuss the project. City staff and the project consultant will be on hand to answer questions.

COMMENTS INVITED:

If you would like to provide us with your comments, require additional information, or would like to be placed on the project mailing list to be notified about upcoming public meetings, please contact:

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Comments and information are being collected to assist in meeting the requirements of the Environmental Assessment Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments shall become part of the public record.

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