

Alternative formats and communication supports available upon request. Please contact accessibility@brantford.ca or 519-759-4150 for assistance.

Date November 14, 2019 **Report No.** 2019-706

To Chair and Members

City of Brantford Committee of Adjustment

From Sean House

Development Planner

1.0 Type of Report

Committee of Adjustment Decision Regarding Application for Consent

2.0 Topic

APPLICATION NO. B32/2019

APPLICANT/OWNER Kevin & Michelle Ras

LOCATION 5 Lloyd Street

3.0 Recommendation

- A. THAT Application B32/2019 to sever a parcel of land from the western portion of the lands municipally addressed as 5 Lloyd Street, having a lot area of 816 m² and to retain a parcel of land having a lot area of 790 m² BE APPROVED, subject to the conditions attached as **Appendix A** in Report No. 2019-706;
- B. THAT the reason(s) for approval are as follows:
 - Having regard for the matters under Section 51 (24) of the Planning
 Act, Staff is satisfied that the proposed development is desirable and
 compatible with the surrounding area and will not result in adverse
 impacts on surrounding properties. The application is in conformity
 with the general intent of the policies of the Official Plan and Zoning
 By-law, specifically Section 18.9 (Official Plan) respecting the

creation of lots within the City of Brantford, conforms with the policies of the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe and is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement; and,

C. THAT pursuant to Section 53(17)-(18.2) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, the following statement SHALL BE INCLUDED in the Notice of Decision:

"Regard has been had for all written and oral submissions received from the public before the decision was made in relation to this planning matter, as discussed in Section 6.2 of Report No. 2019-706."

4.0 Purpose and Description of Application

A consent application has been received for the lands municipally addressed as 5 Lloyd Street. A location map and draft reference plan is attached as **Appendices B** and **C.** There is an existing semi-detached dwelling on the property and the applicant is proposing a severance to separate ownership of each unit and all associated yards. No external changes to the property are proposed. The proposed lot dimensions are detailed below:

	Severed Lands	Retained Lands
Width (m):	9.95	10.75
Depth (m):	80.59	78.83
Area (m²)	816	790

5.0 Site Features

The site is situated on the south side of Lloyd Street. A semi-detached dwelling currently exists on the subject lands, and is neighboured by semi-detached dwellings directly to the east and west. Single detached dwellings are located to the north and south. The Grand River and a multi-use trail are located further south of the subject lands. The subject lands have a total area of 1606 m², a depth of approximately 80 m and a width of 20 m. The rear yard is heavily treed and slopes towards the south. An aerial and site photo is attached as **Appendices D** and **E**.

6.0 Input from Other Sources

6.1 Technical Comments

This application was circulated to all applicable departments and agencies and no objections were received. The Building Department requires that the party wall along the proposed property line meets Ontario Building Code requirements regarding fire resistance, and this has been made a condition of approval.

Environmental Services noted that City records indicate the proposed retained parcel is currently not serviced. In order to proceed with this severance, the unit on the proposed retained parcel must be serviced independently from the unit on the proposed severed parcel. Similarly, Development Engineering notes that lands to be severed and retained will need to be independently serviced for sanitary. The Owner will be required to provide a detailed servicing plan for review, comment and approval prior to commencing installations. Modifications to the internal plumbing required to separate the two units may require a Plumbing Permit from the Building Department.

These comments have been included as conditions of approval, and will need to be completed before final approval is granted. Detailed comments from the Building and Engineering Departments are attached as **Appendices F and G**.

6.2 Public Response

Notice of public hearing was issued by personal mail (28 notices) and by posting a sign on-site. A plan illustrating the notification is attached as **Appendix H.** No objections were received at the time of writing this Report.

6.3 Grand River Notification

Notice of the public meeting for the consent application was issued to representatives of the Six Nations of the Grand River and the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation, with no response received to date.

7.0 Planning Staff Comments and Conclusion

7.1 Provincial Policy Context

Application B32/2019 was reviewed in the context of Provincial Policy, including the Provincial Policy Statement (PPS) and A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (Growth Plan). These policies set the standard to which provincial and local interests, policies and goals are implemented. The PPS outlines that Ontario's long term prosperity, environmental health, and social well-being depend on wisely managing change and promoting efficient land use and development patterns. The Growth Plan outlines the principals that provide the basis for guiding decisions in the Greater Golden Horseshoe on how land is developed, resources are managed and protected, and public dollars are invested. Planning Staff is of the opinion that the proposed consent application is consistent with the direction set out in the PPS and conforms to the Growth Plan.

7.2 City of Brantford Official Plan

The subject lands are designated "Residential Area - Low Density" in the City's Official Plan (**Appendix H**). The "Residential Area - Low Density" designation permits a variety of low density dwelling types including single detached, semi-detached, duplex and triplex dwellings at a density range generally not exceeding 30 units per hectare.

7.3 City of Brantford Zoning By-law 160-90

The subject lands are zoned "Residential Type 2 Zone (R2)" in Zoning By-law 160-90 as seen in **Appendix I**. Single detached, semi-detached, duplex and converted dwellings are permitted in the R2 Zone. Lots containing a semi-detached dwelling within this Zone are required to have a minimum lot area of 275 m² per unit, and a minimum lot width of 9 m per unit. The proposed severed and retained lots meet these requirements and all other regulations of the R2 Zone.

7.4 Planning Analysis

The *Planning Act* sets the standard to which provincial and local interests, policies and goals are implemented. Part VI of the *Planning Act* (Sections 50-57) regulates the subdivision of land, and Section 53 addresses consents specifically. Subsection 53 (12) refers back to Subsection 51

(24) which lists the criteria that the Committee of Adjustment must have regard for when considering a consent application for approval. These criteria include if the plan conforms to the Official Plan, the dimensions and shapes of the proposed lots and the adequacy of utilities and municipal services. Section 18.9.2 of the Official Plan also lists criteria for consent applications, including if the severance is for the purpose of infilling, if no extension of improvement of municipal services are required and if the lot will have frontage on a public road.

The consent application is for the purpose of creating a new residential lot and recognizing each dwelling unit of the existing semi-detached dwelling as having single ownership. The proposed lot areas and widths are consistent and compatible with existing lot areas and widths within the neighbourhood, and are almost identical to the westerly lots abutting the subject lands. Both the severed and retained lots will have frontage on a municipal roadway with available servicing and utilities. Each semi-detached dwelling unit will be situated on a lot that conforms to the minimum lot area and lot width requirements of the City's Zoning Bylaw. As previously mentioned in Section 6.1 of this Report, each lot is required to be separately serviced as a condition of final approval.

Planning Staff have given regard for Section 51 (24) of the *Planning Act* and are satisfied that the application is desirable and compatible with the surrounding area and will not result in adverse impacts on surrounding properties. Planning Staff are of the opinion that the subject consent application is consistent with Section 51 (24) of the *Planning Act* and conforms to the Official Plan.

7.5 Conclusion

A site inspection was completed on September 24, 2019. Upon completion of this visit and review of all relevant policies, Planning Staff are supportive of the application. The proposal will contribute to a broad range of housing options in Brantford in accordance with the applicable planning policy framework in the PPS, Growth Plan, and Official Plan. Planning Staff recommend that application B32/2019 be approved, subject to the attached conditions in **Appendix A** of this Report.

Prepared By: Sean House, Development Planner

Sean House

Prepared On: November 6, 2019

Reviewed By: Joe Muto, MCIP, RPP Manager of Development Planning

APPENDIX A

Conditions of Consent – B32/2019

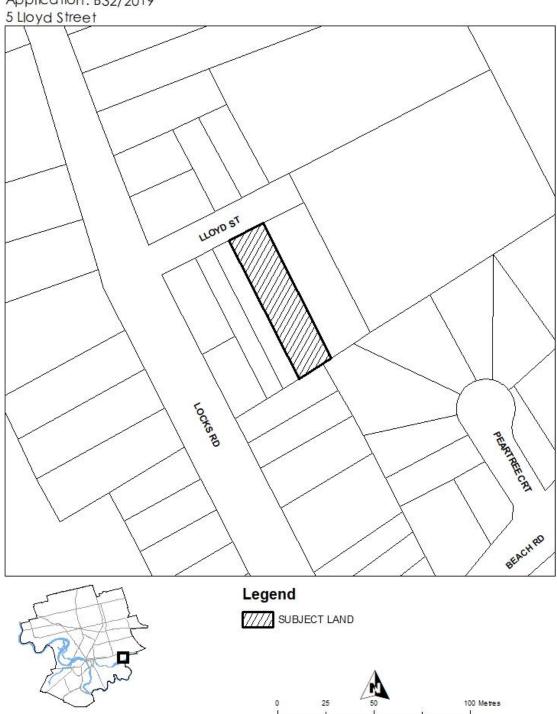
Subject to the following conditions:

- 1.

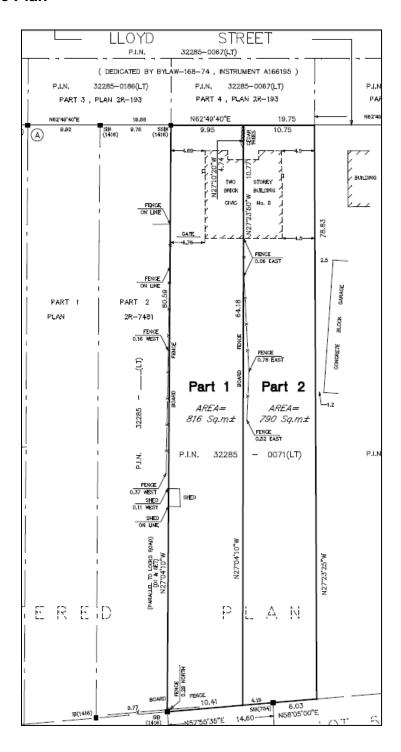
 Receipt of a registered reference plan showing the severed and retained lands.
- 2. Receipt of confirmation that all taxes are paid up to date.
- 3. Receipt of confirmation that the Applicant shall submit to the Secretary-Treasurer a draft of the Transfer deed for review (Upon registration a final copy of the Transfer deed shall be provided to the City).
- 4. Receipt of verification that the party wall along the proposed property line is constructed as a fire separation having a 1 hour fire resistance rating and that it provides continuous protection from the top of the footings to the underside of the roof deck. This verification must be provided by a qualified designer and to the satisfaction of the Building Department. Any proposed construction required to upgrade the party wall so it is in compliance with OBC 9.10.11 will require that a building permit be applied for and issues through the Building Department. A completion certificate must be obtained prior to severance getting final approval.
- 5. Receipt of confirmation from the Engineering Department indicating that civic addresses have been assigned to the severed and retained parcels.
- 6. Receipt of confirmation that the lands to be severed and retained lots have been, independently serviced with water and sanitary sewer service by the owner, to the satisfaction of the General Manager of Engineering and Operational Services. The Owner, at their expense, will be required to provide a detailed servicing plan of the retained lot for review, comment and approval prior to commencing servicing installations. The Owner will be required to indicate the size, material and location of the proposed water and sanitary service on the servicing plan;
- 7.
 That the above conditions be fulfilled and the Certificate of Consent be issued on or before November 14, 2020, after which time the consent will lapse.

APPENDIX B Location Map

LOCATION MAP Application: B32/2019



APPENDIX C
Draft Reference Plan

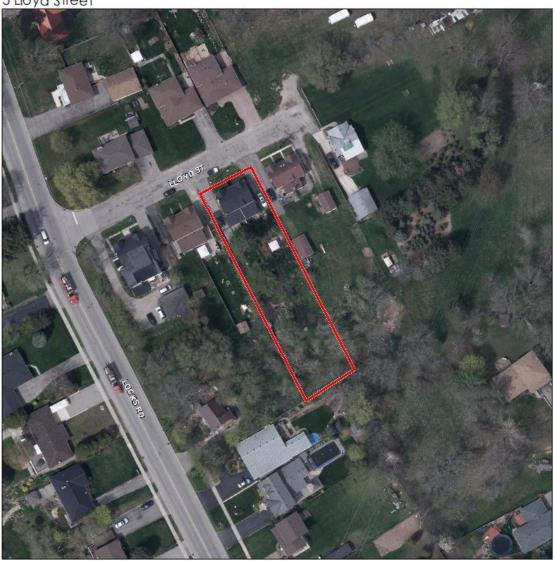


APPENDIX D Aerial Photo

AERIAL PHOTO

Application: B32/2019

5 Lloyd Street





Legend

Subject Land

Aerial Photo from Spring 2017



APPENDIX E Site Photo



APPENDIX F

Building Department Comments



BUILDING DEPARTMENT

PRELIMINARY REPORT TO PLANNING

DRAFT OFFICE	VARIANCE PLAN OF SUBDIVISION AL PLAN AMENDMENT L HOUSING PROTECTION ACT	_ Y_	SEVERANCE ZONING BYLAW AMENDMENT DRAFT PLAN OF CONDOMINIUM SITE PLAN CONTROL APPROVAL
APPLICATION / S	SUBMISSION N ⁰		
SITE:	5 Lloyd Street		
APPLICANT:	Kevin Ras		n
COMMENTS:			
BYL	AW: 160-90 ZONE: R2		

1. Please provide a verification that the party wall along the proposed proper y line is constructed as a fire separation having a 1 hr fire resistance rating and that it provides continuous protection from the top of the footings to the underside of the roof deck. This verification must be provided by a qualified designer and to the satisfaction of the Building Department. Any proposed construction required to upgrade the party wall so it is in compliance with OBC 9.10.11 will required that a building permit be applied for and issued through this department. Completion certificate must be obtained prior to

ks Thomson, MAATO, CBCO, CPSO Chief Building Official

severance getting final approval.

October 21, 2019 Date

APPENDIX G

Engineering Department Comments

No. <u>B32/2019</u>

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION ENGINEERING SERVICES STAFF REPORT									
HEARING DATE:	OCTOBER								
NAME OF APPLICANT:	Kevin Ras	Kevin Ras							
OWNER:	Kevin & Mic	Kevin & Michelle Ras							
ADDRESS:	5 Lloyd Stre	et							
NATURE OF APPLICATION:	Consent Ap	plication							
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REG	QUIREMENTS	S:							
Land required for road widen	ing purposes		Yes		No				
Ingress and Egress satisfactor	ory	8	Yes		No				
Off-street parking satisfactory	,		Yes		No				
Sanitary sewers available and	d satisfactory		Yes		No				
 Storm sewers available and s 	atisfactory		Yes		No				
Water Service available and	satisfactory		Yes		No				
COMMENTS OR REMARKS:									
1. TRAFFIC\PARKING									
No comment.									
T. KU, P.ENG., PTOE MANAGER, TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING SERVICES									
2. TRANSIT SERVICES	MANA	GER, IRANSP	ORIA	ION AI	ND PAR	KING SE	RVICES		
> No comment.									
The comments									
		NDERMADE							
MANAGER OF TRANSIT									

No. B32/2019

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION ENGINEERING SERVICES STAFF REPORT

HEARING DATE: O		OCTOBER	17, 2019							
NAME OF APPLICANT:		Kevin Ras	Kevin Ras							
OWNER:		Kevin & Mic	Kevin & Michelle Ras							
ADDRESS:		5 Lloyd Stre	5 Lloyd Street							
NATURE OF APPLICATION:		Consent Ar	oplication							
ENG	INEERING DEPARTMENT REC	UIREMENTS:								
1.	Land required for road wider	ning purposes		Yes		No				
2	Ingress and Egress satisfact	tory		Yes		No				
3.	Off-street parking satisfactor	у	2	Yes		No				
4.	Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory			Yes		No				
5.	Storm sewers available and	satisfactory	6	Yes		No				
6.	Water Service available and	satisfactory		Yes		No				
COMMENTS OF PEMARKS.										

WATER

I reviewed the severance application and associated documents—as prepared by Kevin & Michelle Ras and West. & Ruuska Ltd.—on behalf of Environmental Services and have the following water comments and conditions:

- City records indicate the subject property is located within Water Intake Protection Zone #2 (IPZ2). The Applicant must complete and submit a Source Water Protection: Restricted Land Use Declaration Form to the City's Coordinator, Water Compliance;
- City records indicate both units within the subject property are serviced by a single 19 mm copper lateral
 from the 150 mm Asbestos Cement watermain in Lloyd Street; this service appears to be located 1.5 m
 Right of the Right side of the existing dwelling and the curb stop 4.6 m Out from same—within the frontage
 of the proposed severed parcel (Part 1);
- City records indicate the proposed retained parcel is currently not serviced. In order to proceed with this severance, the unit on the proposed retained parcel must be serviced independently from the unit on the proposed severed parcel;
- 4. The Owner will be required to provide a detailed servicing plan of the retained lot for review, comment and approval prior to commencing installations. The Owner will be required to indicate the size, material and location of the proposed water service on the servicing plan; ensure separations to sewers and sewer services are in accordance with MECP procedure F-6-1;
- The proposed retained parcel must be serviced within its frontage from the 150 mm AC watermain in Lloyd Street. The minimum permitted service size is 25 mm. Only one (1) service will be permitted to each property. Modifications to the internal plumbing required to separate the two units may require a Plumbing Permit from the Building Department;
- Any section of the 150 mm AC watermain in Lloyd Street exposed during construction, including all points
 where a service crosses or connects to the AC main, shall be replaced with Polyvinylchloride (PVC) pipe.
 Any section of watermain placed on fill shall have joints restrained for the full width of the fill area;
- The Owner will be required to obtain a Street Excavation Permit prior to commencing any work within the City's road right-of-way;
- The Owner will be required to obtain a Water Service Connection Permit and pay all applicable fees prior to commencing any work to connect the new water service; the City will complete the inspection of all connections to City watermains;
- Development must be metered during construction and the Owner will be required to pay the current fee per cubic metre for the quantity of water used;
- All materials and construction methods must comply with the latest version of the City's Linear Design & Construction Manual and Ontario Building Code;

No. B32/2019

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION

NAME OF APPLICANT: Kevin Ras OWNER: Kevin & Michelle Ras ADDRESS: 5 Lloyd Street NATURE OF APPLICATION: Consent Application ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS: 1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No 2. Ingress and Egress satisfactory - Yes No 3. Off-street parking satisfactory - Yes No 4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	ENGINEERING SERVICES STAFF REPORT										
OWNER: Kevin & Michelle Ras ADDRESS: 5 Lloyd Street NATURE OF APPLICATION: Consent Application ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS: 1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No 2. Ingress and Egress satisfactory - Yes No 3. Off-street parking satisfactory - Yes No 4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	HEARING DATE: OCTOB		OCTOBER	CTOBER 17, 2019							
ADDRESS: 5 Lloyd Street NATURE OF APPLICATION: Consent Application ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS: 1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No 2. Ingress and Egress satisfactory - Yes No 3. Off-street parking satisfactory - Yes No 4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	NAME OF APPLICANT:		Kevin Ras								
NATURE OF APPLICATION: Consent Application ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS: 1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No	OWNER:		Kevin & Mic	Kevin & Michelle Ras							
1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No	ADDRESS:		5 Lloyd Stre	5 Lloyd Street							
1. Land required for road widening purposes - Yes No	NATURE OF APPLICATION: Cons		Consent Ap	plication							
2. Ingress and Egress satisfactory - Yes No 3. Off-street parking satisfactory - Yes No 4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS:										
3. Off-street parking satisfactory - Yes No 4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	1.	Land required for road widening purposes			Yes		No				
4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	2.	Ingress and Egress satisfactory			Yes		No				
5. Storm sewers available and satisfactory - Yes No 6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	3.	Off-street parking satisfactory		-	Yes		No				
6. Water Service available and satisfactory - Yes No	4.	4. Sanitary sewers available and satisfactory			Yes		No				
	5.	Storm sewers available and satisfactory		-	Yes		No				
	6.	Water Service available and satisfactory		ž	Yes		No				
COMMENTS OR REMARKS:		MENTS OR REMARKS:									

WATER con't

On behalf of Environmental Services-Solid Waste, I would like to offer the following solid waste management conditions

- 11. Under Bill 151, Waste Free Ontario (WFOA) and "Food and Organic Waste Framework in Ontario", Part B, Waste Policy Statement, new requirements have been established for the future management of food and organic waste materials for residential and commercial locations. The Owner shall comply will all future requirements of the Provincial Waste Policy Statement; and
- 12. The Owner is responsible for the management of all waste and recyclables materials during construction.

J. SPAGNUOLO, C.E.T. SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER

4. DEVELOPMENT ENGINEERING

- 1. The Owner will be required to send in a letter to request a Municipal Number be assigned to the severed property(s).
- 2. A Site Alteration Permit will be required for any changes/modifications made to the site as defined by the Site Alteration By-Law 28-2011.
- 3. Lands to be severed and retained have been, or will be, independently serviced with water and sanitary sewer service by the owner, to the satisfaction of the City of Brantford.
- 4. A Road Cut Permit will be required for any proposed excavation within the municipally owned road,
- 5. A Road Occupancy Permit will be required for any proposed work within the municipally owned road.
- 6. A Sanitary Lateral Connection Permit will be required for any proposed sanitary service connections.

G. PEEVER, P. ENG. MANAGER, DEVELOPMENT ENGINEERING

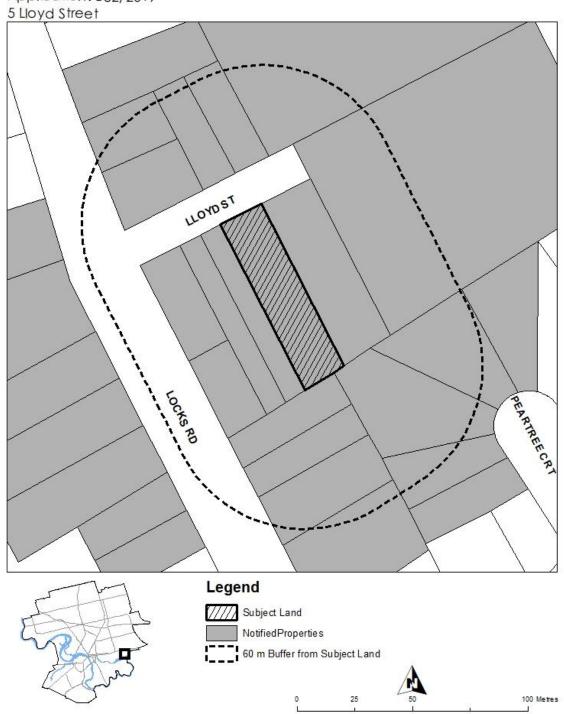
October 21, 2019

I. HANS, P. ENG., PMP

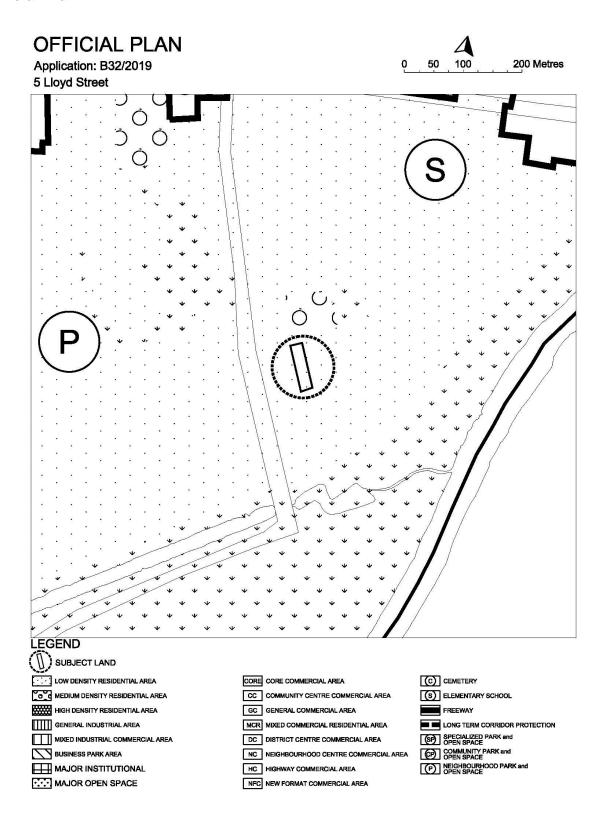
DIRECTOR, ENGINEERING SERVICES PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION

APPENDIX H Notification Area

AREA OF PUBLIC NOTIFICATION Application: B32/2019



APPENDIX I Official Plan



APPENDIX J Zoning

ZONING

Application: B32/2019

