

## Ottawa's Transit-Oriented Development (TOD) Studies



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## **Presentation Highlights**

# Introductions

## TOD Project Overview

## Policy & Zoning Approach





Walking





Roads



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The Phase 1 LRT Project

Light Rail Transit Corridor Corridor du service de transport en commun par train léger rapide



Tunney's Pasture to Blair Station | Pré Tunney à la station Blair

Transportation Master Plan - Phase I, Increment I | Plan directeur des transports - phase 1, étape 1



## What is Transit-Oriented Development?

- A pedestrian/cyclist-oriented, mixed land use form of development focused within an 800m walk of a rapid transit station.
  - **Concentrates higher densities near stations.**
  - Optimizes use of City infrastructure and the public transit network.





#### **Transit Station TOD Development**





## **Ottawa TOD Studies**

- Sets the stage for future growth.
- Design Policies and Land Use Plans.
- Supported by Servicing Overview Study:
  - Piped services and Hydro
  - Storm water management
  - Transportation





TOD Study Schedule

PROJECT COMPONENT	TARGET DATE
Project Commencement	January 2013
Existing Servicing and Preliminary TOD Analysis	February 2012
Consultation	March 2013
Preliminary Servicing Overview Study	April 2013
Preliminary TOD Plans	May 2013
Consultation	June 2013
Advisory Committee Presentations	July 2013
TOD Plan and Servicing Overview Revisions	August 2013
Public Open House Meeting	September 2013
TOD Plan and Servicing Overview Revisions	October 2013
Consultation	November 2013
Planning Committee and Council	December 2013
Project Completion	December 2013

## **Draft TOD Study Area Boundaries**

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## **TOD Plan Guiding Principles**

- Create a vibrant, context sensitive mixed-use environment with higher-density transitsupportive land use.
- Identify opportunities to create new streets, pathways and sidewalks that ensure safe, accessible and efficient movement of pedestrians and cyclists.





#### LRT Transit-Supportive Densities

- 200 to 400 residents / employees per gross ha located within an 800 metre walk (study area) of LRT stations.
- <u>Net</u> densities (site specific) will range from 250 to 1000+ people per ha higher near stations, lower on the periphery.



# Dttawa Draft Hurdman TOD Study Area



Future LRT Station / Future station de TLR



#### Draft Lees TOD Study Area



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#### Existing OP Designations

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New TOD Zones

TOD	Min. # Units	Min. F.S.I.	Max.	Range of
Sub-Zone	per Net ha	All Other	Building	People per
	Residential	Uses	Height	Net ha
				(Not in zoning)
TD1	150 u/ha	0.5 F.S.I.	20 metres	250 – 500
			(6 Storeys)	
TD2	250 u/ha	1.0 F.S.I.	60 metres	400 – 1000
			(20 Storeys)	
TD3	350 u/ha	1.5 F.S.I.	90 metres	550 – plus
			(30 Storeys)	

#### Draft Hurdman Density Areas

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#### Draft Lees Density Areas

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# Ottawa Draft Lees Development Timing

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## **Next Steps**

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- City to prepare draft TOD Plans and draft Servicing Overview study this spring.
- Public Open House in September.
- Comments please.