







### Town of Innisfil



## Transportation Master Plan (TMP)

Council Presentation April 10, 2013

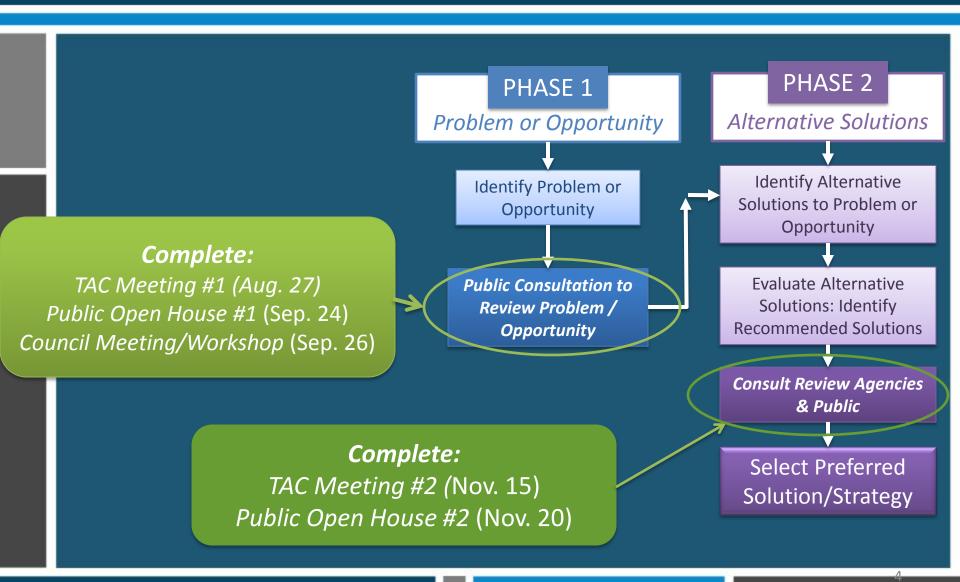
### **Agenda**

- What is a TMP?
- How did we get here?
- Recommended Transportation Plan
- Question and Answer Format
- Next Steps

### What is a TMP?

- Long term, town-wide strategic network plan
  - Avoids piecemeal planning
  - Cannot solve every local issue but provides framework and guidance
- 20-30 years
- Multi-modal
- Input to the Official Plan
- Input to local policies
- Follows the EA Process (Phase 1 and 2)

### Where are we in the TMP process?



### **TMP Study Progress**



### Findings of the Innisfil TMP

- Current Issues and Trends
- Future Outlook
- A Transportation Vision for the Town
- Alternative Planning Strategies
- Recommended Transportation Strategy
  - Active Transportation Implementation
  - Transit Opportunities
  - Road Network Improvements
- Traffic Policies
- Financial Planning and Input to DC

# CURRENT ISSUES AND TRENDS

### What we heard from the Public

- 1. Big Bay Point and Sandy Cove will need transit services since many of the residents are elderly and taxi service would be cost prohibitive to get around. Barrie is a key destination.
- 2. Large interest in trail connections (to recreation centre) and reviving the trails committee (including snowmobile trails).
- 3. Taxpayers don't want to pay for services that are underutilized.
- 4. Residents want GO station in Innisfil to improve transit to Newmarket and further south
- 5. Can we build on existing private taxi service to create first step towards a local transit service?

### What we heard from the TMP Survey

- Majority of respondents want GO transit and local transit.
- 2. Respondents recognize the potential cost burden on town and residents
- 3. Respondents recognize need to improve safety and mobility for children, students, elderly and those without vehicles.
- 4. Key destinations:
  - a) Barrie
  - b) YMCA / Recreation Centre
  - c) Connecting to GO bus along Yonge
  - d) Downtown Alcona, Innisfil Beach Park
  - e) New GO Station
- 5. Transit need is also tied to lack of sidewalks/trails and road congestion on County and Town roads

#### What we heard from Council

- 1. Ensure understanding of existing issues / deficiencies are up to date
- 2. Are there any Simcoe or MTO improvements that are planned in 2013 that will address deficiencies.
- Review active transportation corridor proposed on Innisfil Beach Road / County Road 21
- 4. Examine Innisfil Beach Road / County Road 21 and 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad intersection and potential realignment to address existing at grade rail crossing and jogged intersection
- 5. Review Barrie TMP and incorporate connections between Innisfil and Barrie across the boundaries

## **Existing Issues**

#### Notes

- 1. 20 Sideroad intersection jog at Innisfil Beach Road
- 2. Potential need for Leslie Street Extension
- 3. Traffic Signals are currently being installed or will be installed this year to address existing intersection operations
- 4. Connections to City of Barrie collector roads? (Annexed Lands TMP)

#### Legend

School

**Existing Trail** 

Existing Sidewalk

Rail

Park

Notional Co.

Natural Environmental Area

Settlement Boundary

Areas with Traffic Congestion

Areas with Speeding Concerns

Areas where Sidewalks are Needed

Areas where Sidewarks are needed

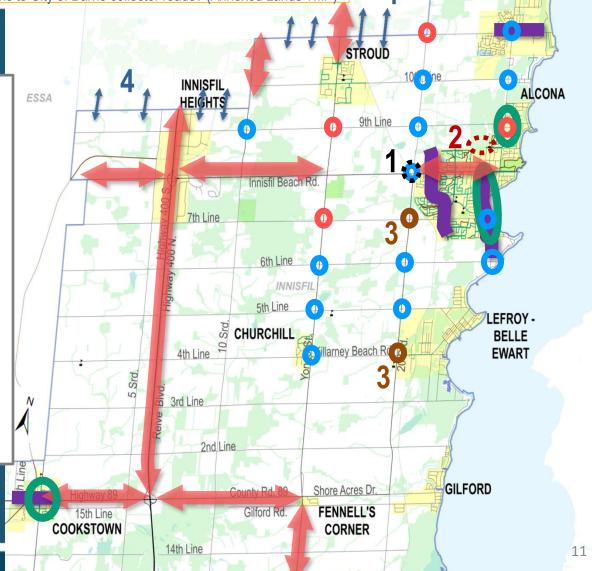
Areas with Special Issues (see notes)

Intersections with Observed Queuing

Intersections with Minimal Observed

Queuing

Collector Road Connections with Barrie



Big Bay Poin 13th Line

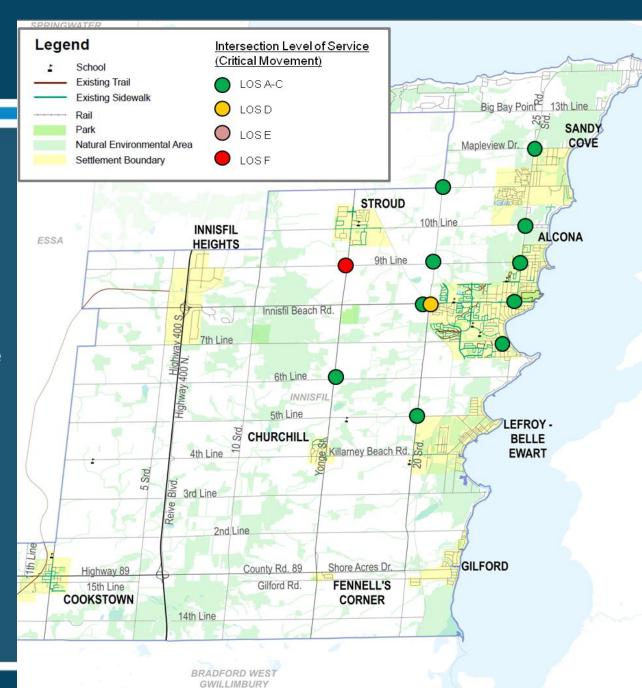
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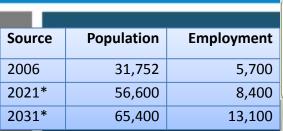
## Intersection Operations

- Selected intersections only
- Delay issues noted at:
  - Yonge-9<sup>th</sup> Line
  - 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad
     and IBR



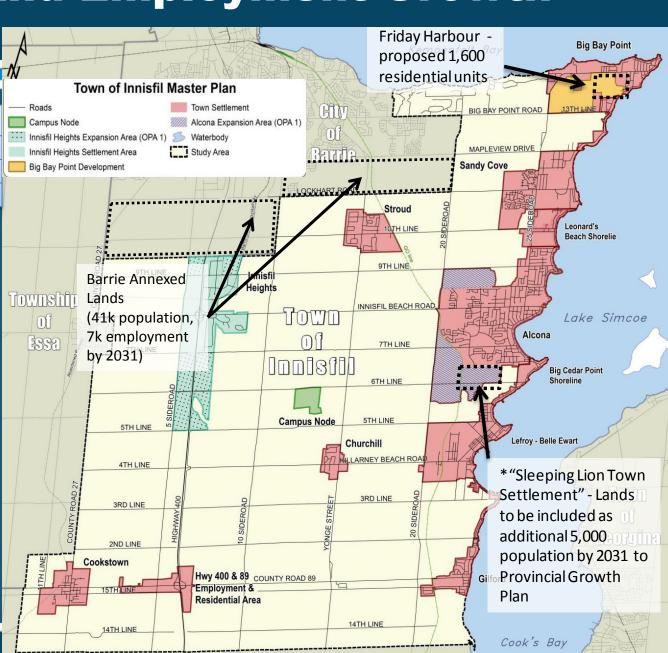
### **FUTURE OUTLOOK**

### **Population and Employment Growth**



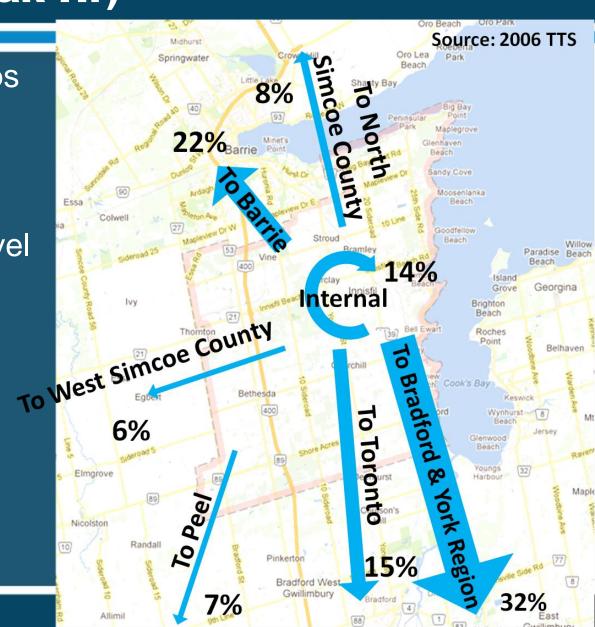
\*Includes Friday Harbour residential units and Sleeping Lion Development by 2021

- Significant growth anticipated by 2021 and 2031
- Significant development planned in the Barrie Annexed Lands



## 2006 Commuter Travel Patterns Outbound (AM Peak Hr)

- 6,200 AM peak trips begin in Innisfil
- Only 14% remain within Innisfil
- Majority (54%) travel south to Peel, Bradford, York and Toronto



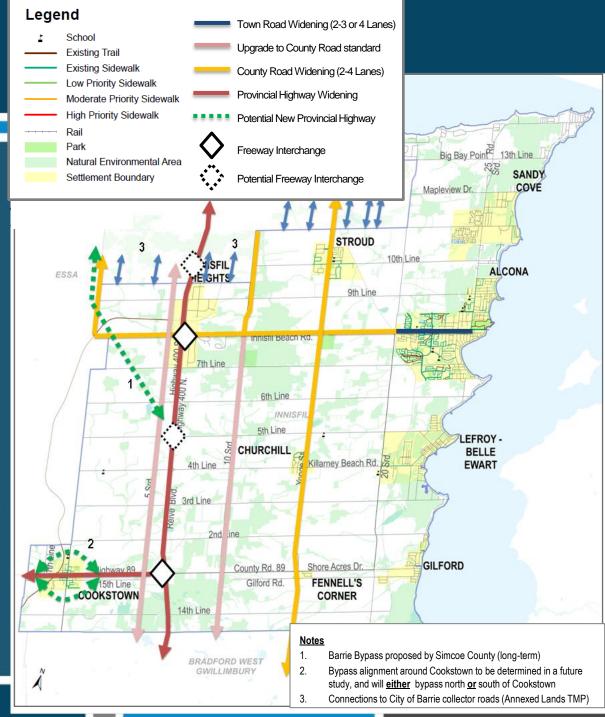
### **How will Growth will Impact Traffic?**

- Added pressure to north-south traffic in particular
- Impact of key development areas and Barrie Annexed Lands



## Planned Roads by 2031

- Planned provincial improvements
  - Bradford Bypass
  - Barrie Bypass?
  - Cookstown Bypass
- Simcoe TMP
  - 4 lanes on Yonge,
     Innisfil Beach Road
  - Transfer of 5<sup>th</sup>
     Sideroad and 10<sup>th</sup>
     Sideroad to County
  - Planned City of Barrie collector roads in the Annexed Lands



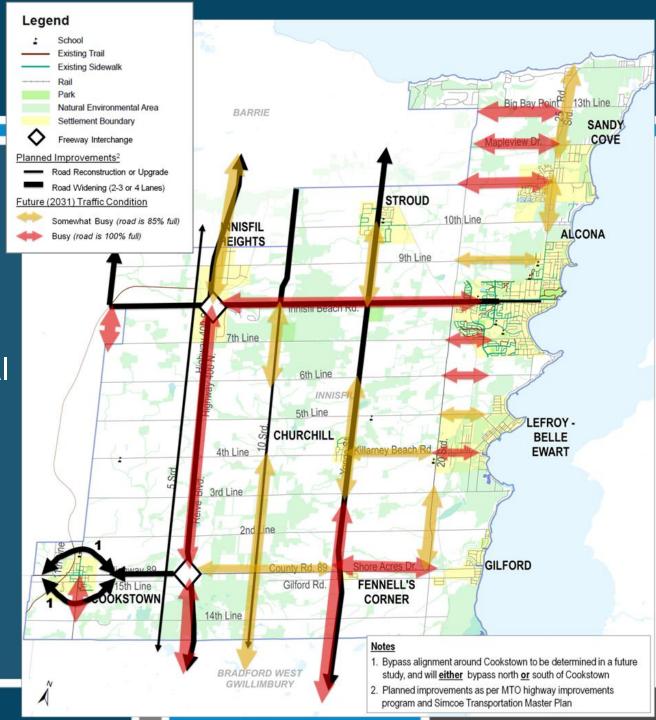
## Planned Transit and Active Transportation Network by 2031

- Alcona/Lefroy GO
   Transit Station at
   Belle Aire Beach
   Road
- New intermunicipal bus service
- Improved GO service
- Active
   Transportation
   linkages with
   Barrie, Bradford
   plans



## Future Network Capacity Deficiencies

- Incorporates currently planned improvements
- Significant
   east-west local
   traffic issues
   connecting to
   20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad



# VISION AND ALTERNATIVE PLANNING STRATEGIES

### **Innisfil's Transportation Vision**

### Innisfil's transportation network

- connects people and communities,
- fosters healthy living
- operates efficiently across the Town
- environmentally and financially sustainable

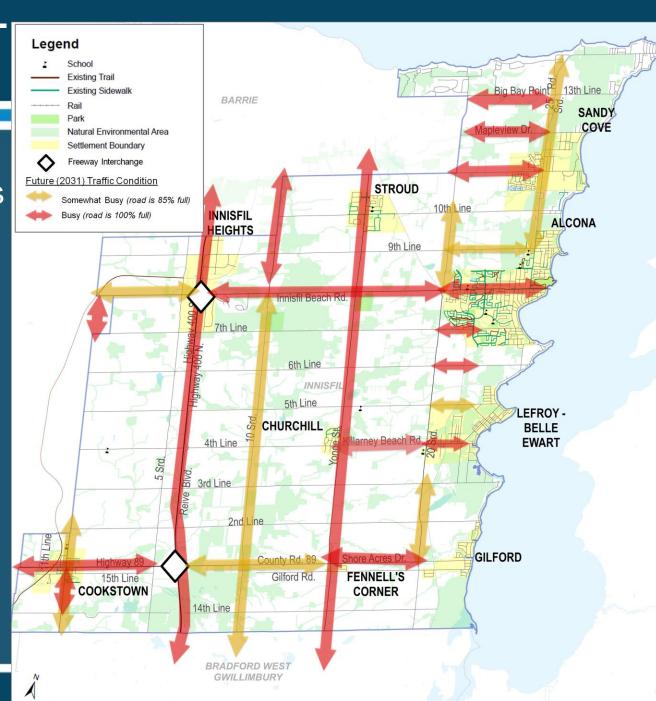
### **Alternative Planning Strategies**

### Four planning alternatives were identified:

- 1. **Do-Nothing** do not build any improvements
- 2. <u>Business As Usual</u> build only currently planned road improvements by MTO and County
- 3. <u>Balanced Approach</u> invest in Town road improvements but also build more trails, bike lanes, sidewalks and implement Travel Demand Management strategies (i.e. encourage carpools, working from home, etc.)
- **4.** Aggressive Approach Alternative 3 plus investment in local transit network and service

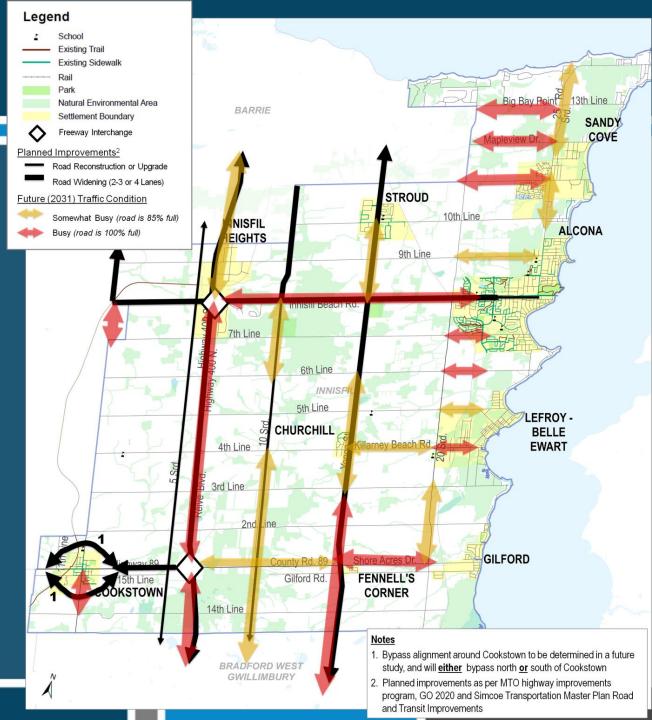
## Alternative 1 Do Nothing

No improvements



### Alternative 2 – Business as Usual

Road improvements to address congestion issues



## Alternative 3 – Balanced Approach

- Road improvements as per Alternative 2
- Investments in Active Transportation to connect communities and move towards a multi-modal system



## Alternative 4 – Aggressive Approach

Includes all
 Alternative 3
 improvements
 PLUS local
 transit corridors



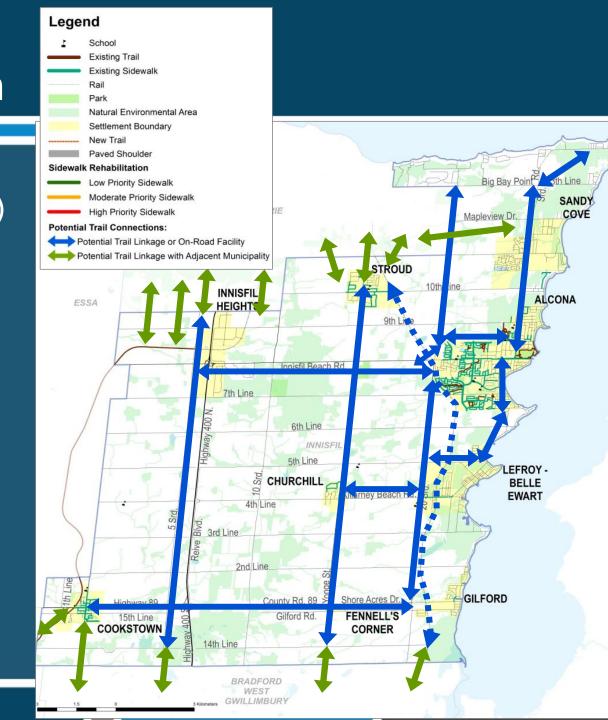
### **Evaluation Summary**

Criterion	Alternative 1: Do Nothing	Alternative 2: Business As Usual	Alternative 3: Balanced Approach	Alternative 4: Aggressive Approach
Transportation Service				
Natural Environment				
Policy Environment				
Socio-Economic Environment				
Financial Implications				
Preliminary Findings:	Screened Out	Screened Out	Carried Forward	Carried Forward
Legend:	Does Not Meet Crit	terion O	Meets 0	Criterion

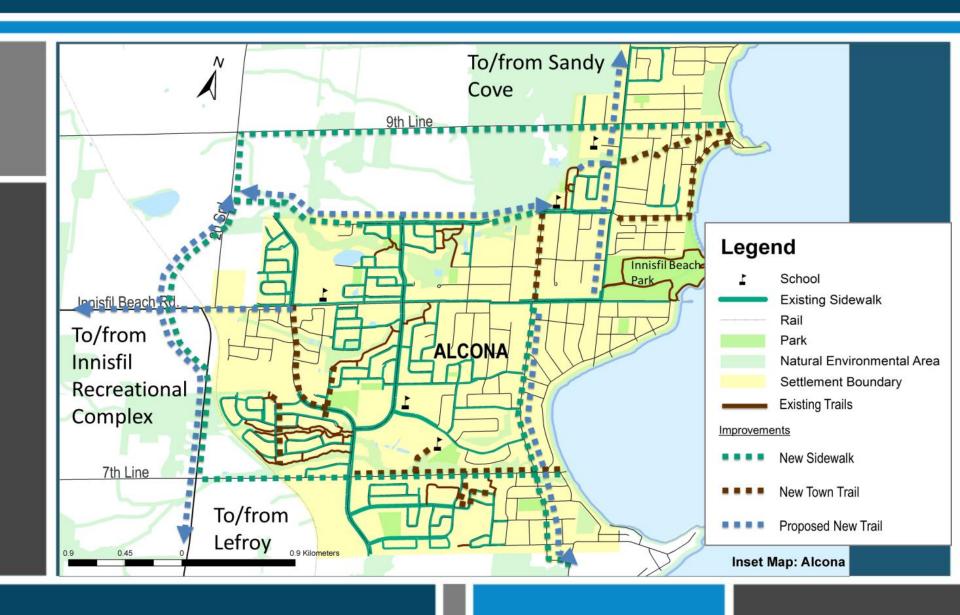
### RECOMMENDED TRANSPORTATION STRATEGY

## **Active Transportation**

- Interim measures (paved shoulders)
- Multi-use trails
- Expand network through development applications and planned capital works projects
- Connect communities



### **Alcona Active Transportation Network**



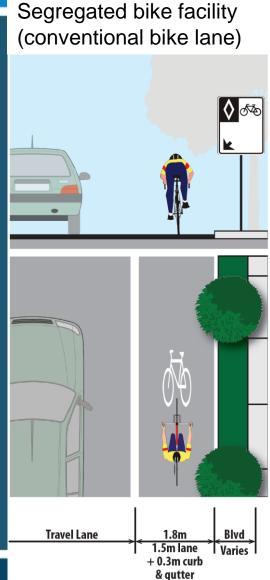
## Staging Active Transportation Improvements?

- Multi-use trails and on road bike lanes are long term improvements
- Interim pave 1.5m of the shoulders
- Note too wide to discourage parking or passing



### **Cross-section Requirements**

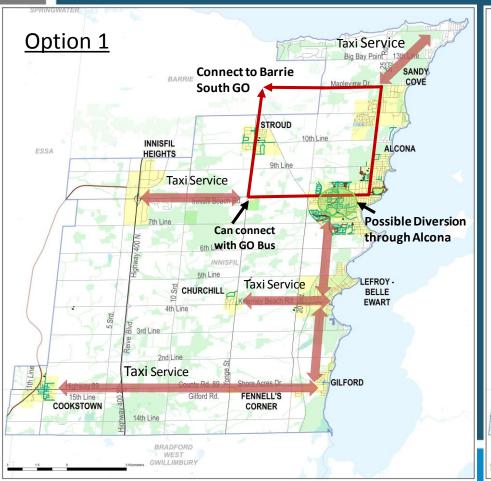


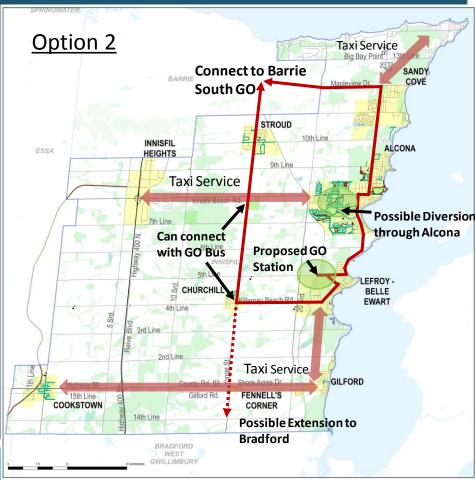




### **Potential Transit Opportunities**

 For consideration in a separate Transit Strategy or Transit Master Plan study for the Town





### **Proposed GO Station Location**

- Alcona (6<sup>th</sup> Line) vs. Lefroy (5<sup>th</sup> Line)
- Alcona preferred based on transportation choices and proximity to population growth, opportunity for intensification
- Lefroy preferred based on current plans and approvals
- TMP recommends supporting the Alcona location at 6<sup>th</sup> Line



## Leslie Drive Extension and 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad Realignment



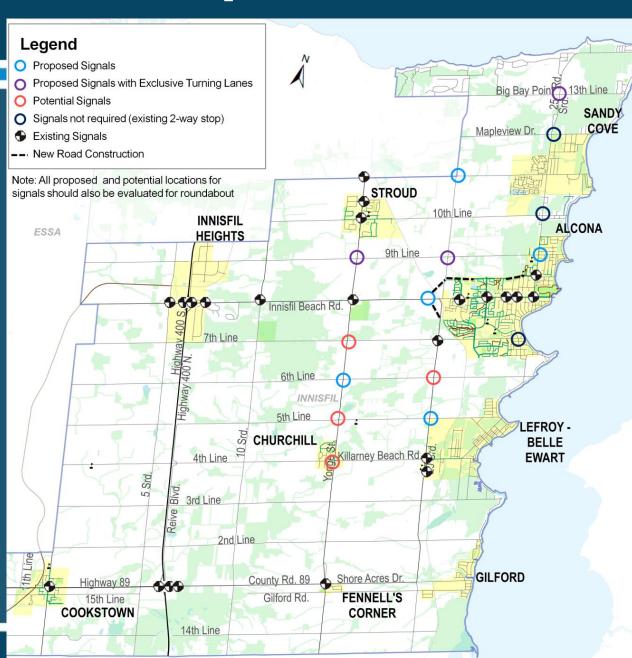
### **New Hwy 400 Interchange**

- Assessment of the proposed interchange
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Line versus 6<sup>th</sup> Line
- Transportation model indicated better benefits for 6<sup>th</sup> Line location
- Overall evaluation: 6<sup>th</sup> Line is preferred

Evaluation Criteria	5 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange	6 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange
Network-Wide Traffic Benefits	X	$\checkmark$
Supports Future Growth Areas	X	$\checkmark$
Environmental Impacts	$\checkmark$	X
Cost Impacts	X	$\checkmark$
Interchange Spacing	$\checkmark$	X
Overall Preferred Option	X	$\checkmark$

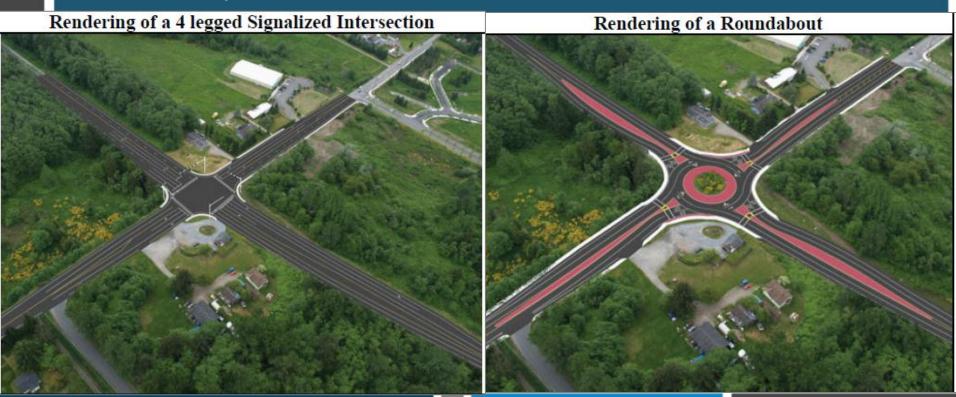
### **Future Intersection Improvements**

- 12 intersections recommended for improvements
  - Signalization
  - Turning lanes



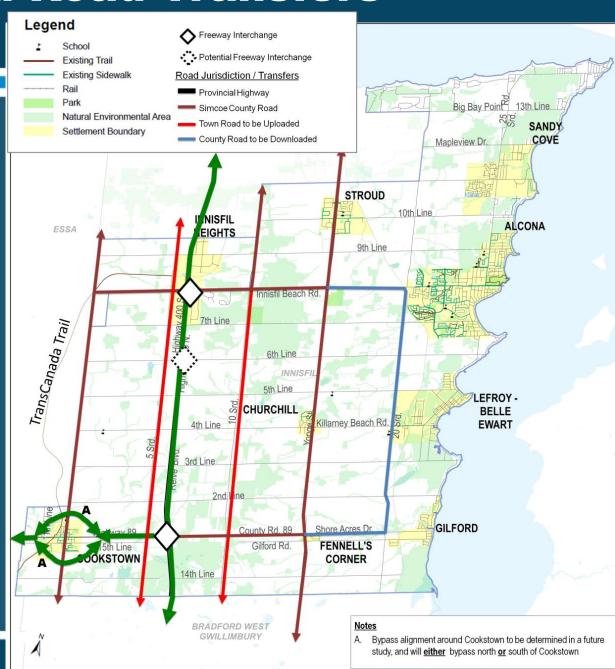
### **Consideration for Roundabouts**

- Where new traffic signals are warranted, the Town should consider roundabouts
  - Safety and environmental benefits



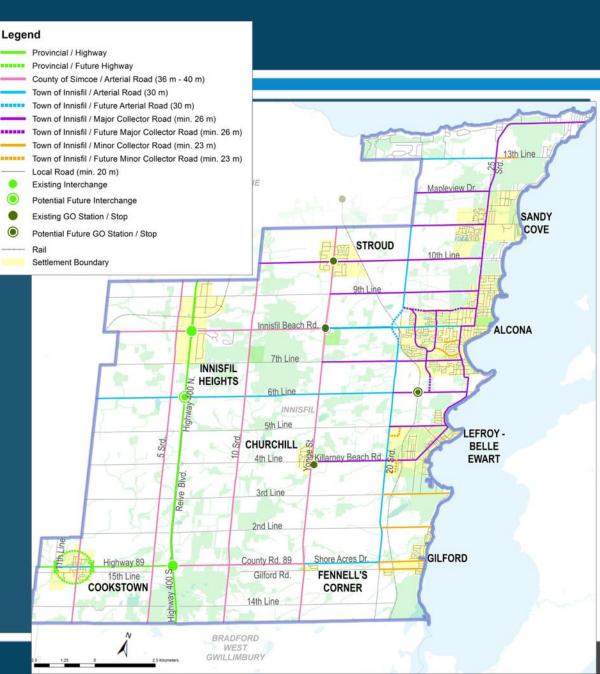
### **Recommended Road Transfers**

- Upload 5<sup>th</sup> Sideroad to the County
- Upload 10<sup>th</sup> Sideroad to the County
- Download 20<sup>th</sup>
   Sideroad to the Town
- Download Innisfil
   Beach Road east of CR
   4 to the Town
  - Only after County
     completes current
     capital program to
     widen to 4 lanes
     including the active
     transportation corridor
- Download Shore Acres
   Drive to the Town



### **Revisions to Official Plan Schedule C**

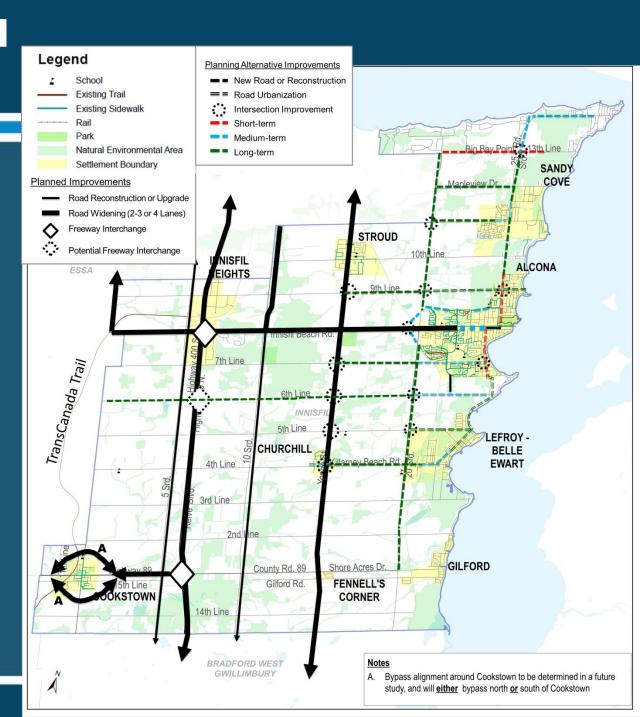
- Jurisdiction transfers:
  - 5<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>
     Sideroads to
     County
  - 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad,
     IBR, Shore Acres
     Drive to Town
- New major collectors:
  - Mapleview Drive
  - 9<sup>th</sup> Line
  - 7<sup>th</sup> Line
- 6<sup>th</sup> Line Arterial Road and Interchange
- Westerly realignment of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad



## Timing of Road Improvements

### Phasing of Improvements:

- Short-term (<5 years)</li>
- Medium Term (5-10 years)
- Long-term (10+ years)



# INNISFIL TRAFFIC POLICIES

### **Traffic Policies & Guidelines**

"Made in Innisfil" policies have been developed to address the following:

- Speed limits
- All-way Stop Control
- Community Safety Zones
- Parking
- Traffic Calming

Policy and guideline development was based on:

- Ontario Traffic Manual
- Canadian Traffic Calming Guide
- Transportation Association of Canada's Geometric Design Guide for Canadian Roads
- Existing municipal traffic policies across Ontario

## **Speed Limit Policy - Rural**

- Statutory speed limit is 80 km/h in rural areas
- Posted Speed Limits on rural roads should be set at 80 km/h unless a reduced speed designation is appropriate due to:
  - School zones
  - Geometric characteristics
  - To match other adjacent roads
  - Safety and/or operational issues



## Speed Limit Policy - Urban

- Statutory speed limit is 50 km/h in urban areas
- Urban roads should be posted at:
  - 50 km/h for local and collector roads
  - 60 km/h for arterial roads
- Reduced speed designations (to 40km/h) may be appropriate due to:
  - School Zones
  - Geometry
  - To match other adjacent roads





### **All-Way Stop Control Policy**

- The purpose of All-Way Stop Control is to provide gaps for side street traffic and/or pedestrians where two similar roadways meet
- Use Provincial Ontario Traffic Manual warrant for Arterial and Collector Roads
- Use Provincial Ontario Traffic Manual warrant with recommended

thresholds for Local Roads

- Do not adopt all-way stop control:
  - To control speeds (or for Traffic Calming)
  - For posted speed limits > 60 km/h
  - At intersections with challenging geometry
  - On grades
  - Where the protection of pedestrians, school children in particular, is a prime concern.

### **Community Safety Zone Policy**

- Community Safety Zones were created to allow a municipality the ability to highlight certain areas for special treatment where safety is a particular concern
- Fines for moving violations are doubled
- Selective and appropriate deployment is most effective as the over use of these zones will reduce their effectiveness
- Restrict size of zones to areas around:
  - Schools,
  - Child care centres,
  - Playgrounds,
  - o Parks,
  - Hospitals,
  - Senior's residences,
  - Collision prone locations



### **Parking Policy**

- There have been many concerns around the parking and stopping of vehicles in the Town:
  - The parking of vehicles too close to driveways and on both sides of local streets.
  - Drop-off / pick-up activity around elementary schools.
  - Parking and stopping in close proximity to pedestrian crossovers.
  - Parking in widened paved shoulder areas reserved for pedestrians and cyclists.
- Parking and stopping regulations are covered by the Comprehensive Parking By-law 070-11
- The proposed policy addresses these concerns and provides suggestions on targeted enforcement, education and where and when to add signs

**Enforcement** - First method should always be enforcement. Measure speeds before and after to gage effectiveness



**Employ Temporary Measures before considering permanent measures** 



#### **Permanent Measures where warrants are met**



**Curb Extensions** 



Textured Crosswalks



#### Warrant Criteria for Permanent Measures

- Use on Local and collector residential roadways only
- 85th percentile speed greater than 10 km/h over the posted speed limit of the roadway
- Vehicle volume greater than 900 vehicles per day
- Vehicle volume must be less than 5,000 vehicles per day within a 5 year horizon period
- Roadway is not a transit route
- Road grade less than 5%
- Street length must exceed 120 metres between controlled intersections
- Continuous sidewalks on at least one side of the street

## FINANCING REQUIREMENTS AND DC INPUT

### **Draft Transportation Costs**

- Draft Costs of the Recommended Transportation Master Plan were presented at the Development Liaison Committee Meeting
- Draft Total Cost: \$302M
  - Road Infrastructure: \$277M
  - Multiuse Pathways: \$25M
- Have since revised Total Costs by removing cost of improvements that would be responsibility of the County and Province
- The total costs currently do not include any costs for the Town in relation to the proposed GO Rail Station
- New Interchange at Highway 400 assumed Town would be responsible for 1/3 portion of the cost

### **Total Transportation Costs**

Timing	BTE+BTG	ВТЕ	BTG
Short-term (< 5 years)	\$34,741,139	\$7,349,646	\$27,391,492
Medium-term (5-10 years)	\$84,155,996	\$12,403,818	\$71,752,178
Long-term (> 10 years)	\$150,549,919	\$79,821,511	\$70,728,408
Combined	\$269,447,053	\$99,574,976	\$169,872,078

Total Cost: \$269M

Road Infrastructure: \$261M

Multiuse Pathways: \$8M

Benefit to Existing (BTE) versus Growth (BTG)

• 37% Existing: \$100M

63% Growth: \$170M

Cost by Timing:

13% Short-term: \$35M

· 31% Medium-term: \$84M

• 56% Long-term: \$151M

### **Cost of Required Road Infrastructure**

(excludes off-road trails)

Summary by Improvement Type	Cost
Urbanization	\$129,620,952
Reconstruction	\$104,235,436
Widening	\$11,684,279
New Construction	\$14,043,027
Signalization	\$1,080,000
Planning studies	\$500,000
Total:	\$261,163,693
Summary by Road Class (excluding signalization and studies)	Cost
Arterial Road	\$93,382,711
Major Collector	\$161,572,350
Minor Collector	\$4,628,632
Total:	\$259,583,693
Summary by Road Environment (excluding signalization and studies)	Cost
Urban	\$25,727,306
Rural	\$233,856,388
Total:	\$259,583,693

## Thank you



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| Council Date April 10/13 | Item # 5.2 - Walk on Item

**Action Taken** 

Resolution #	

April 9, 2013

Jason Reynar, Director of Legal Services/Clerk Town of Innisfil 2101 Innisfil Beach Road Innisfil, ON L9S 1A1

Dear Mr. Reynar,

Re: Planned Lefroy GO Station

It has recently be brought to our attention that as reflected in the Towns New Transportation Master Plan Study dated March 2013 that the planned Go Station for Lefroy is now being proposed to be moved to a new location on the 6<sup>th</sup> Line. It is our understanding that it will be presented to Council for Approval on April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Special Council meeting.

As you may be aware this is contrary to the approved Environmental Assessment that was previously completed in which it was recommended that the Go Station be located on the 5<sup>th</sup> Line. We refer to our numerous correspondence on this matter and in particular recent correspondence of January 24<sup>th</sup> 2012 (enclosed) in which we expressed our concerns about rumours of a possible change by the Town at that time.

As we all can appreciate that this will significantly impact our Home Sales in the Bellaire Properties Subdivision (located adjacent to the 5<sup>th</sup> line) and will also raise concerns from the existing neighbourhood who have previously expressed their strong intent to keep it in the Lefroy area. We respectfully ask that you provide written justification for such a change and reconsider your intent to move the Go Station from the Planned Lefroy location.

Your considerations of these requests are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Scott Young

Lormel Homes Itd/Bellaire Properties Inc

cc. Members of Council and Mayor Baguley

cc. John Skorobohacz, CAO Town of Innisfil



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Don Eastwood, Director Development Services Town of Innisfil 2101 Innisfil Beach Road Innisfil, ON L9S 1A1

Dear Mr. Eastwood

Re: Planned Lefroy GO Station

Lormel Homes Ltd/Bellaire Properties Inc and many of our neighbours in the Lefroy area were extremely pleased when you made it clear to Council and the media a few months ago that there had been no proposal to move the GO Station from its planned location at the 5<sup>th</sup> Line in Lefroy. As you know, the development of that station is eagerly anticipated by the community and we look forward to the introduction of GO service in Innisfil.

However, recent actions by the Town have generated some concern as it appears that plans to develop the station have been delayed again and the level of funding committed by the Town has been significantly reduced. In the 2011 version of the Capital Budget, there was \$1 million allotted to the GO Station in 2013 and \$8 million committed for 2014. In reviewing the latest Capital Budget passed last month, it appears that there are no funds allocated to the GO Station in 2013 and about \$2.7 million committed for 2015. In reviewing the budget documents and Council Minutes posted on-line, I have been unable to find an explanation for this change.

Could you please advise on the status of the planned GO Station at 5<sup>th</sup> Line and provide an update on the costs and schedule associated with this very important asset to our community?

Furthermore I noticed through recent documentation concerning OPA #1 (in particular the Secondary Plan for Alcona South) that the location of the Proposed GO station location in Lefroy was not indicated on the Town wide Transportation Plans. Can you please ensure that this is updated accordingly.

Your considerations of these requests are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Scott Young

Lormel Homes Itd/Bellaire Properties Inc

cc. Councillor Richard Simpson

cc. John Skorobohacz, CAO Town of Innisfil

## GO station site concerns expressed



### Lawyer worries proposed project could be moved to a site along the 6th Line

By Chris Simon

A letter concerning the future location of a GO Transit train station has been received by council.

The letter, written by LSAMI Group lawyer Jane Pepino, expresses concern for 'recent suggestions' that a GO station could be built near the 6th Line, as part of the draft Alcona South Secondary Plan, instead of the originally proposed 5th Line site.

LSAMI is planning to build roughly 1,400 homes in the Lefroy area.

"We submitted a letter to the town on Sept. 8, expressing our concerns regarding the discussions that may have taken place, about the possible relocating of the proposed GO station," said LSAMI lawyer Scott Young, addressing council on behalf of Pepino. "We trust our letter fairly conveys our concerns, and (the town) agrees with keeping the station at the 5th Line."

Town officials have been involved in discussions with Metrolinx and the County of Simcoe, regarding long-term plans for transportation services.

But there have been no formal attempts to move the station, said director of development Don Eastwood.

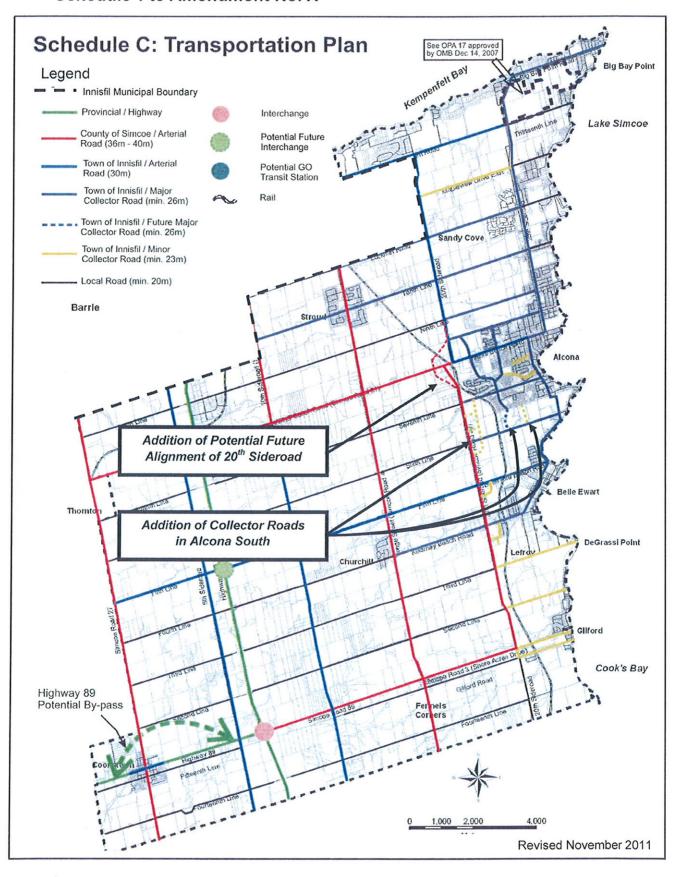
"Council has committed to the current site on the 5th," he said, in a report to council.

"The process of relocation, if undertaken by Metrolinx, would be required to follow established procedures ... all of these processes require public notice (and) municipal support, and are subject to appeal. The station cannot disappear and reappear in a new location. The Alcona South plan is now in draft form ... there is no reference to the suggestion of relocation of the station."

Councillor Ken Simpson wants the station built in Lefroy.

"I'm pleased to see there appears to be no change in the location of the GO station," he said

#### Schedule 1 to Amendment No. X



Rec'd

Special Council Date April 10/13 From: PETER CAMPBELL [mailto:

Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2013 02:09 PM **To**: Barb Baguley, Mayor; Dan Davidson; Doug Lougheed; Ken Simpson;

Rod Boynton; Bill Loughead; Maria Baier

Subject: FW: Proposed GO Station in Lefroy

5.3 Walk-on item Item # **Action Taken** Resolution #

April 10/13

Mayor and Councillors,

Please see the email below that I have sent to Councillors Simpson and Dollin Please I respectfully ask that you keep the location of the GO station in Lefroy at 5th line. I believe the rest of the email below is self explanatory.

Thank you

**PGC** 

Peter G. Campbell P. Eng

**President** 

**PGC Group of Companies** 

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From: campbell

To: rsimpson ; Idollin@innisfil.ca; campbell

Subject: RE: Proposed GO Station in Lefroy Date: Wed, 10 Apr 2013 13:57:14 -0400

Councillors Simpson and Dollin,

I have reviewed the Transportation Masterplan being presented tonight which is proposing to move the proposed GO Station from the 5th line to the 6th line.

As you both know there have been hundreds of homes sold by Lormel and Baywood on the basis, at least in part, that the GO station as shown on the Town approved Display maps and as shown in the Towns Official Plan for many years, will be at the 5th line. To locate a GO station in a vacant field, at a location already dismissed in the Metrolinx EA years ago seems inappropriate to say the least and may cause years of delay for it to get built or prevent GO from agreeing to have a station in Innisfil at all.

I know I am a future resident and not there just yet. But I have made a significant investment in my new home. I am looking forward to being an Innisfil resident in the near future and the location of the go station at the 5th line materially impacts on that investment and is not right.

Please support keeping the GO Station where it is shown in your official plan on the 5th line, thats what an OP is for. We have relied on it.

**Thanks** 

Peter Campbell

Peter G. Campbell P. Eng

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Subject: Re: Proposed GO Station in Lefroy

To:

From: rsimpson

Date: Thu, 28 Jun 2012 17:01:21 +0000

Thank you for your email Peter and I too want to see the Go Station completed ASAP. And I will do my best to make sure it stays at the proposed current location. Please stay in touch. Richard.

Sent on the TELUS Mobility network with BlackBerry

From: PETER CAMPBELL <

Date: Wed, 27 Jun 2012 10:54:32 -0400

To: <rsimpson@innisfil.ca>; <

**Subject:** Proposed GO Station in Lefroy

Councillor Simpson,

I note that the Town of Innisfil is in the process of launching a review of its' Transportation Masterplan.

This study as outlined, is to be completed by late this Fall 2012. A prominent component of this study will likely be the implementation of the Lefroy GO station on Bellaire Beach Road. As you will know GO/Metrloinx completed a Class EA study a few years ago to determine the location of this station. A number of alternative locations were considered, some north of the current location and some south.

After careful consideration, input form the Town of Innisfil and others, the present location was determined. It has consequently been incorporated into the Lefroy Secondary Plan and the overall Official Plan for the Town of Innisfil. It has been in the OP for several years now, and provides an extraordinary opportunity for the Town in the context of the entire County of Simcoe.

This station when implemented will be one of two (Bradford) in the entire County, excluding the two stations in the City of Barrie. It provides the opportunity to have a direct public transportation link to York Region, the extended Spadina Subway and downtown Toronto. It provides the hub from which a future local public transportation system can be designed and built. As such it is perhaps THE most important public transportation feature in the entire Official Plan.

I have owned a cabin in Belle Ewart for several years and recently purchased a new home in the Lormel, Phase 1 subdivision. As such, knowing the history of the Lefroy Secondary Plan through my professional and personal lives, I am relying on the Town, the County and Metrolinx to stand by their commitment to build this important GO station at its proposed location as soon as possible. The house prices in the subdivision reflect this station location and I submit the home values in the existing surrounding community reflect this station location. It is important to me, the local community, the Town of Innisfil and indeed the County of Simcoe that this station be implemented as a first priority.

As such I respectfully encourage you to make sure this station, in Lefroy, remains a top priority in the Transportation Masterplan and is implemented in the Towns capital budget as soon as possible. Thank you for your attention in this matter on behalf of myself, the future homeowners in Lefroy and the exisitng community.

It is very very important to us.

Peter G. Campbell P. Eng 416-931-6249

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5.4 Walk on item

Action Taken



Resolution #

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10-Apr-13

Town of Innisfil 2101 Innisfil Beach Rd. Innisfil, Ont. L9S 1A1

RE: Special Meeting of Council – Transportation Master Plan

Dear Your Worship, Deputy Mayor, and Members of Council,

We are in receipt of the Town of Innisfil Transportation Master Plan Final Report (March 2013). We have completed a preliminary review of the Final Report and are supportive of the Town of Innisfil's direction. We will follow with a detailed submission shortly.

Regards,

Luka Kot

Planning and Development

CC. Jason Reynar, Town Clerk

Karen Fraser, Deputy Clerk

John Skorobohacz, CAO

Tim Cane, Manager of Land Use Planning

Andy Campbell, Director of Infrastructure and Engineering Services

Don Eastwood, Director of Development



Rec'd April 10/13

SpecialCouncil Date April 10/13

Item # 5.5 Walk on item

Action Taken

Resolution #

April 10, 2013

Mr. Jason Reynar Director of Legal Services/Clerk Town of Innisfil 2101 Innisfil Beach Road Innisfil, ON L9S 1A1

Dear Mr. Reynar:

Re: Transportation Master Plan (TMP)

Our Files: LPL/INN/03-01 & ARG/INN/09-01

We are the land use planning consultants for Loblaw Properties Limited ("Loblaws") and Alcona Capital Properties Inc. ("ACP"), owners of lands generally located on the east side of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad, north of Innisfil Beach Road. The Loblaws lands are located at the northeast corner of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad and Innisfil Beach Road and currently contain a No Frills food store at the southerly portion of the site, and vacant (future commercial) lands on the northerly portion. The ACP lands are immediately north of the Loblaws lands and are currently subject of applications to amend the Official Plan (recently adopted by the Town of Innisfil) and Zoning By-law to permit residential uses on the property (Town Files D09-2010-003 & D14-2010-012). Both properties currently have frontage along 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad.

Upon preliminary review of the Transportation Master Plan ("TMP"), we would like to express the following concerns on behalf of our clients:

• Neither of our clients were aware of the TMP process until recently and, as such, were unaware of the plans for a potential realignment of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad. As you can appreciate, a future realignment of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad has potential impacts on current and future development for both properties. Any potential impacts of the realignment, preliminary or otherwise, are not known or stated in the documents reviewed as it relates to property owners that currently enjoy access off of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad, north of Innisfil Beach Road.

Further to the above, we are forwarding the following comments from our clients' Traffic Consultant (LEA Consulting Ltd.):

- The TMP is to be served as direct input for specific infrastructure projects such that Phase 1 and Phase 2 of the Class EA (2011) are satisfied.
  - We are concerned that the identified infrastructure improvements (Section 8.4.2) have not been properly screened to ensure that the 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment is the "Preferred Solution" for the "identified" capacity constraint. LEA was not able to find any technical supporting document within the TMP supporting that the proposed 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment is "Preferred" solution to address capacity constraint.

- The identified "Alternative Solutions" for the TMP should not be the screening criteria for the 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment.
- Traffic Model Calibration concerns:
  - Based on available information within the TMP, LEA is concerned that the existing model calibration methodologies will lead to an overestimation of 2031 traffic projection. Due to the uncertainty of the existing traffic model calibration, we have reservations regarding the future traffic capacity constraints as identified in the TMP.
- 2013 Intersection Analysis:
  - In Section 5.4.3, it is unclear how the future traffic volumes were projected or what actual traffic volumes were used. There is insufficient information provided in the TMP, or in the supporting appendices, to independently evaluate this traffic projection and conclusion.
- Daily Traffic Projection across 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad (Section 8.4.1- Table 8)
  - Based on the Table provided, the provision of BOTH the Leslie Drive AND the 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad will result in a daily reduction of 2,400 vehicles on Innisfil Beach Road. This would translate to approximately 240 vehicles (two-way traffic) during the peak hour.
  - It is unclear as to the traffic reduction "benefits" the proposed 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment would have for the identified intersections constraints in Section 5.4.3 (Table 5)

For the above reasons, we believe it is premature for Council to support the Staff Recommendation and findings of the TMP as it relates to the realignment of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad and request that Council defer final determination on a proposed "realignment" of 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad until all potential impacts (i.e. future status of current 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad road allowance, cost of realignment, etc.) have been investigated and reviewed thoroughly with our clients. Please note that Mr. Ken Chan of LEA Consulting Ltd. will be in attendance this evening to address any questions of Council regarding the above.

We thank you for allowing us the opportunity to provide the above comments on behalf of our clients. If we can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly

ZELINKA PRIAMO LTD.

Harry Froussios, BA, MCIP, RPP

Senior Planner

cc: Steve Thompson - Loblaw Properties Limited
Neil Palmer - Alcona Capital Properties Limited
Ken Chan - LEA Consulting Ltd.







### Welcome to the

### Public Open House #3

for the

# Town of Innisfil Transportation Master Plan Study

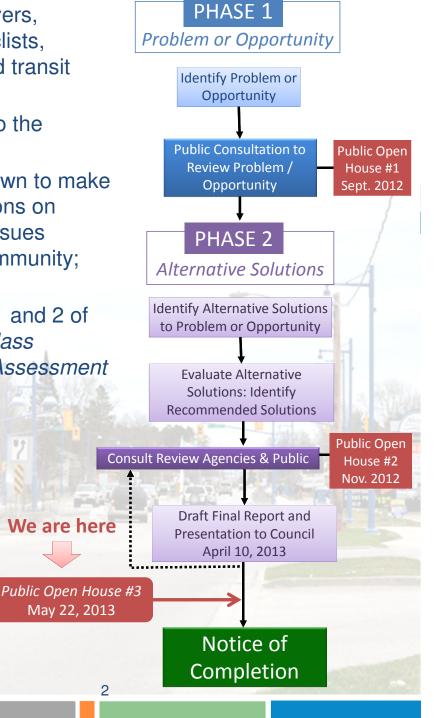
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### What is a Transportation Master Plan **(TMP)?**

- Long term (20 year), town-wide plan;
- Planning for drivers, passengers, cyclists, pedestrians, and transit users;
- Provides input to the Official Plan;
- Will allow the Town to make informed decisions on transportation issues affecting the community; and
- Follows Phase 1 and 2 of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Process.

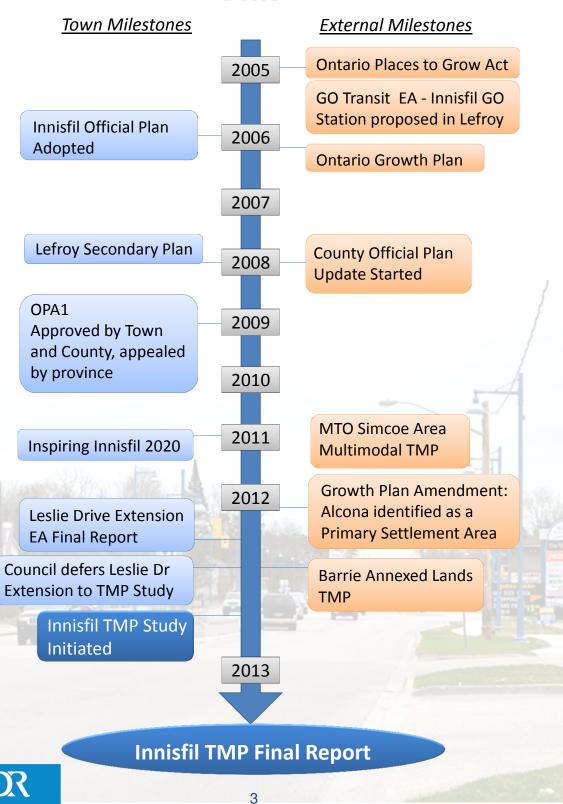
#### **TMP Planning Process**







## Timeline of Key Inputs to the TMP





### **Growth Planning**

### **Official Plan**

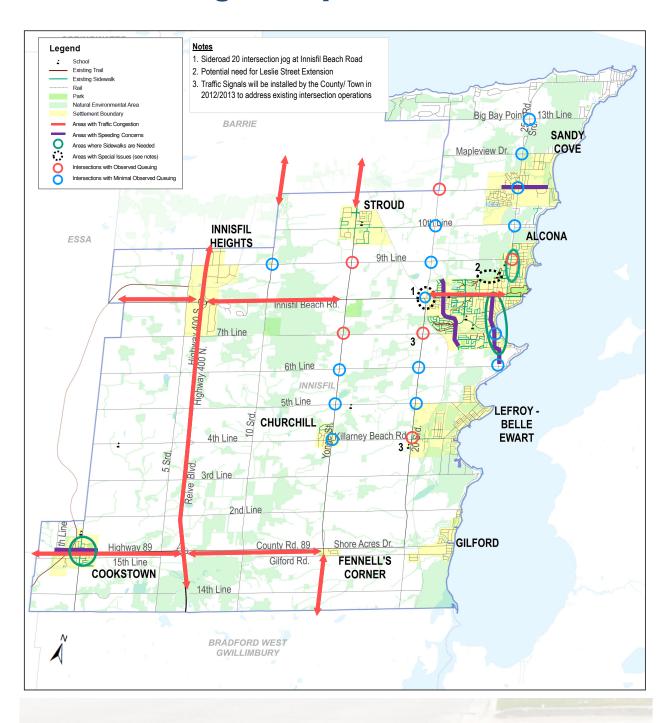
- Settlement Areas
- Population
- "Protect for Community Infrastructure"
- Road Improvements
- Pump Stations
- Reservoirs

### **Master Plans**

- Transportation
   Master Plan
- Transit Master Plan
- Water Master Plan
- Sewer Master Plan



#### **Existing Transportation Issues**







#### **Innisfil's Transportation Vision**

#### Innisfil's transportation network

- connects people and communities,
- · fosters healthy living,
- operates efficiently across the Town as an environmentally and financially sustainable system.

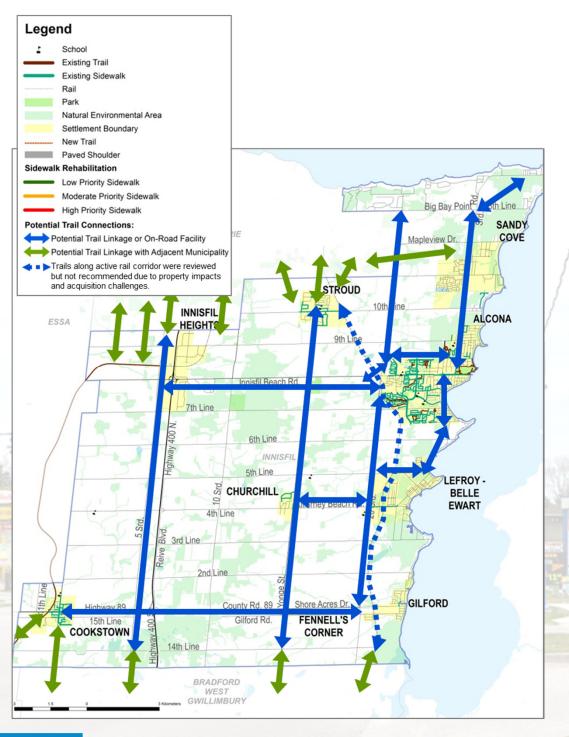
#### **Recommended Transportation Plan**

- Four alternative strategies were presented at Public Open House #2:
  - 1. Do-Nothing
  - 2. Business as Usual (road and intersection improvements)
  - 3. A Balanced Approach (road and intersection improvements, sidewalk and trail connections, TDM measures)
  - 4. An Aggressive Approach (Alternative 3 plus local transit service for Innisfil)
- Alternatives 3 and 4 were carried forward
  - However, only conceptual local transit opportunities were assessed. Specific transit routes and services deferred to future detailed Transit Strategy study which is outside the scope of the TMP





# **Proposed Active Transportation Connections**



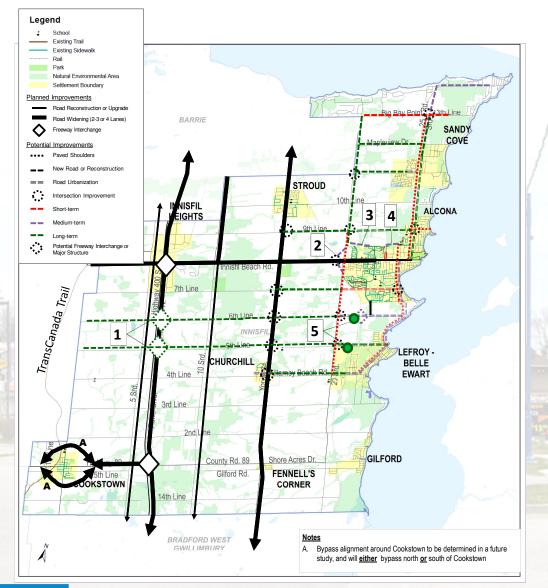




# **Proposed Road and Intersection Improvements and Key Issues**

#### Key Issues:

- 1. New Highway 400 interchange location at 5<sup>th</sup> Line or 6<sup>th</sup> Line and upgrade to arterial road
- 2. 20th Sideroad Realignment at Innisfil Beach Road
- 3. Leslie Drive West Extension (20th Sideroad to Oriole Crescent)
- 4. Proposed Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard Avenue to Adullam Avenue) across Provincially Significant Wetland
- 5. Innisfil GO Station in Alcona (6<sup>th</sup> Line) or Lefroy (5<sup>th</sup> Line)

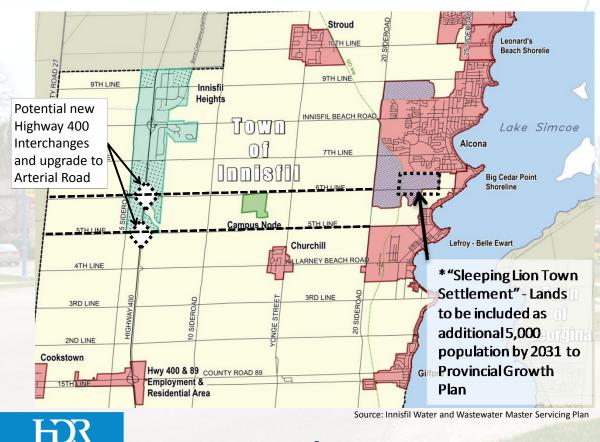






#### **New Highway 400 Interchange** Location

- Innisfil's Official Plan (adopted in 2006) identified the need for a new Highway 400 interchange at 5th Line
- New planning initiatives support an interchange further north:
  - Alcona as a Primary Settlement Area
  - Innisfil Heights identified as a Strategic Settlement Employment Area
- 6th Line can divert traffic from Innisfil Beach Road, which will be very busy by 2031
- The Alcona South Secondary Plan (2011) identified significant development adjacent to 6<sup>th</sup> Line in Alcona (Sleeping Lion)
- The Innisfil TMP confirms the need for a new interchange



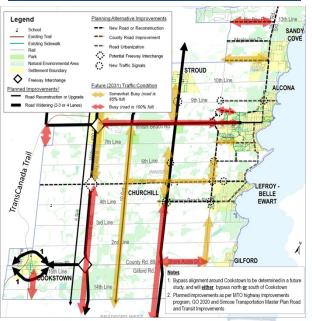


# New Highway 400 Interchange Location

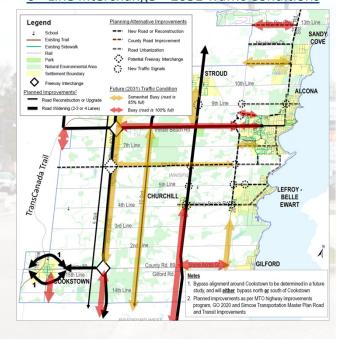
# Transportation analysis indicates better traffic benefits for 6<sup>th</sup> Line location:

- 6<sup>th</sup> Line is better than 5<sup>th</sup> Line as an alternative route for Innisfil Beach Road
- Serves the new growth areas in Alcona
- Increased traffic from Alcona can access 6<sup>th</sup> line through various collector roads
- Improves north-south traffic flow in Innisfil by accommodating trips to Highway 400 earlier
- Less impact on 20<sup>th</sup>
   Sideroad and Yonge Street Alcona traffic does not have
   to travel south to 5<sup>th</sup> Line to
   access Highway 400

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Line Interchange – 2031 Traffic Conditions



#### 6<sup>th</sup> Line Interchange – 2031 Traffic Conditions







# New Highway 400 Interchange Location

In addition to the traffic benefits provided by the 6th Line location:

- 6<sup>th</sup> Line serves the Alcona Primary Settlement Area
- The Innisfil Heights Strategic Settlement Employment Area is bounded by 5<sup>th</sup> Line to the south
  - o A 5<sup>th</sup> Line interchange would only support development to the north
  - o A 6th Line interchange serves both sides of the employment area
- Similar environmental impacts
- Greater ease of construction for 5<sup>th</sup> Line (new structure and road required versus potential widening or replacement at 6<sup>th</sup> Line)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Line provides better interchange spacing from Innisfil Beach Road; however, 6<sup>th</sup> Line is approximately 3 km which is sufficient interchange spacing and has the same spacing between the proposed McKay Road interchange and Innisfil Beach Road
- With 6<sup>th</sup> Line interchange an additional interchange at either 4<sup>th</sup> Line or 3<sup>rd</sup> Line is possible

#### **Summary Evaluation Table**

Criteria	5 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange	6 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange
Network-Wide Traffic Benefits		
Supports Future Growth Area	s	
Environmental Impacts		
Constructability and Cost		
Interchange Spacing		
Recommendation	Screen Out	Carry Forward
	Legend: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

Recommendation: Interchange at 6th Line

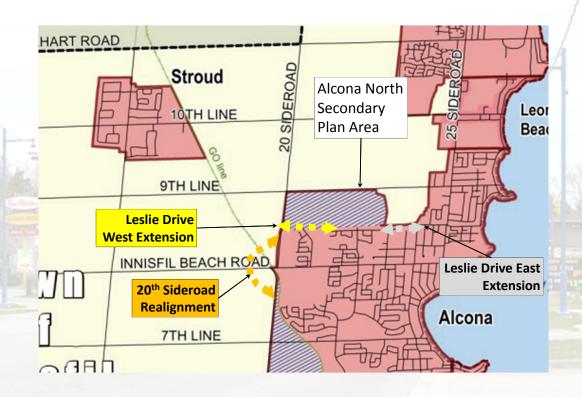
Note: The above findings are subject to review and approval by the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) and their own independent detailed analysis





#### **Alcona Road Improvements**

- Three new roads within Alcona identified to improve transportation connections, increase safety, and to support growth
- Includes:
  - o 20th Sideroad Realignment
  - Leslie Drive West Extension (20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad to Oriole Crescent)
  - Leslie Drive East Extension (Adullam Avenue to Willard Avenue)





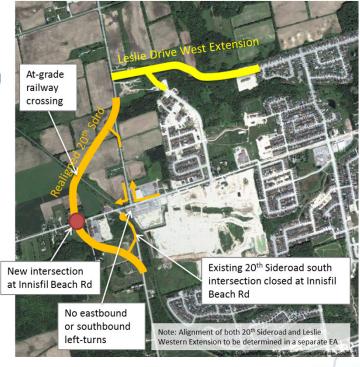
#### 20th Sideroad Realignment

#### Major traffic safety issue:

Increased traffic in the future will result in traffic queues on Innisfil Beach Road extending across the Railway.

An alternative to Innisfil Beach Road: Together with the Leslie Drive West Extension, the realignment provides an alternative route to Innisfil Beach Road as well as accommodating an active transportation corridor.

# 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad will be a key north-south arterial road in the future:



North-south traffic demands will increase particularly with Friday Harbour and the Barrie Annexed Lands. This through traffic increase will be difficult to accommodate as both the existing north and south legs are only stop-controlled and new traffic signals are not possible.

#### **Summary Evaluation Table**

Criteria	Do-Nothing	20 <sup>th</sup> Sideroad Realignment
Network-Wide Traffic Benefit	s	
Community Benefits		
Supports Future Growth Area	as	
Environmental Impacts		
Financial Impacts		
Recommendation	Screen Out	Carry Forward
	Legend: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

**Recommendation**: 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad Realignment





# Leslie Drive West Extension (Oriole Crescent to 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad)

- Identified in Official Plan Schedule C as a major collector road
- Supports the Alcona North Secondary Plan (expansion of the urban boundary north to 9<sup>th</sup> Line)
- Supports network connectivity by providing an eastwest alternative to Innisfil Beach Road accessing 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad
- Relieves traffic pressures on Innisfil Beach Road
- Supports potential active transportation corridor
- No significant environmental impacts
- Compatible with a realigned 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad

Criteria	Do-Nothing	Leslie Drive West Extension (Oriole to 20 <sup>th</sup> )
Network-Wide Traffic Benefits	s	
Community Benefits		
Supports Future Growth Area	as	
Environmental Impacts		
Financial Impacts		
Recommendation	Screen Out	Carry Forward
	Legend: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

Recommendation: Leslie Drive West Extension
(Oriole Crescent to 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad)





# Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard Avenue to Adullam Avenue)

- Extension identified as major collector road in Official Plan Schedule C
- Service corridor recommended in the EA study
- Road corridor deferred to the TMP
- Along with Jans Blvd, provides collector road network for development up to 9<sup>th</sup> Line (Alcona North Secondary Plan)
- Crosses through a provincially significant wetland



## Projected traffic volumes with and without Leslie Drive East Extension





- With the Extension:
  - Reduced traffic on Innisfil Beach Road (Adullam Ave to 25<sup>th</sup> Sideroad)
  - o Increased traffic on Jans Blvd (major collector)
- Without the Extension:
  - o Increased traffic on Adullam Avenue and Willard Avenue
  - Requires upgrades on Adullam Avenue and Willard Avenue





# Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard Avenue to Adullam Avenue)

- Connecting Leslie Drive improves network connectivity and has transportation benefits with respect to improving traffic flow and providing additional capacity
- However, the public has raised concerns about major impacts to the provincially significant wetland
- If the extension is not constructed, the Town and community may have to accept some increased traffic on Innisfil Beach Road and other local roads in the future (Lebanon, Adullam, Willard, etc)
- Improvements to Adullam and Willard would be recommended such as improving pedestrian and cycling accommodation (use of paved shoulders)

**Summary Evaluation Table** 

Criteria	Do Nothing	Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard to Adullam)
Network-Wide Traffic Benefits		
Community Benefits		
Supports Future Growth Areas		
Environmental Impacts		
Financial Impacts		
Recommendation	Carry Forward	Screen Out
Leg	end: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

**Recommendation:** Do Nothing

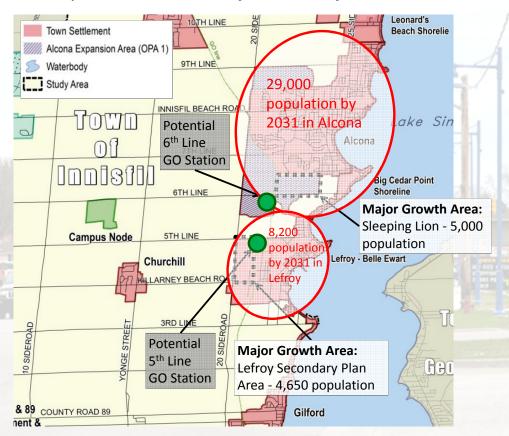
Note: The Do Nothing option will require upgrades Adullam Ave and Willard Ave





#### **Innisfil GO Station Location**

- GO Transit EA in 2005 assessed three locations for an Innisfil GO Station between 5<sup>th</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Line.
- Locations to the north and south were dismissed early in the 2005 study process because the locations would be further away from future population growth
- The 5<sup>th</sup> Line location was selected as the preferred site by GO
   Transit based on available information in 2005
- The preferred location of the GO Station within Innisfil is being revisited in this TMP study due to many changes since 2005
- The 6<sup>th</sup> Line location is being reconsidered due to changes to Provincial Growth Plan, which has identified Alcona as a Primary Settlement Area.
- There is planned population growth on both sides of 6<sup>th</sup> Line that is comparable to the Lefroy Secondary Plan





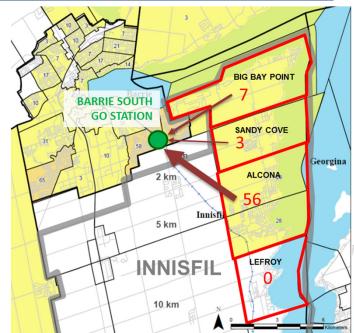
# Which parts of Innisfil do Innisfil GO users come from?

Location of Innisfil residents who use Barrie South GO

**Station** 

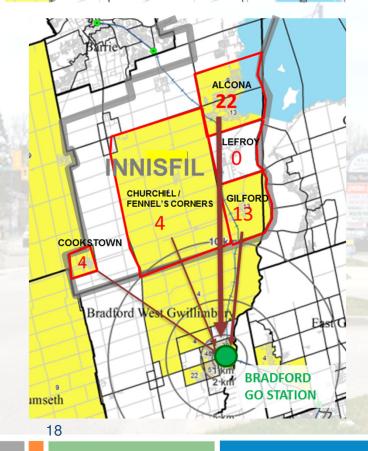
 About 66 Innisfil residents use Barrie South GO Station each day

56 are from Alcona (85%)



# Location of Innisfil residents who use Bradford GO Station

- About 43 Innisfil residents use Bradford GO Station each day
- 22 are from Alcona (51%)





# Innisfil GO Station Location Detailed Comparison

U	etalled Comp	arison
	6 <sup>th</sup> Line	5 <sup>th</sup> Line
Location	Assumed to be southwest quadrant of Rail line / 6 <sup>th</sup> Line but could be located in other quadrants pending detail studies	Southwest quadrant of Rail line / Belle Aire Beach Rd
Proximity to Population Market	Approximately 29,000 residents within Alcona (2031 Growth Plan plus Sleeping Lion)	Approximately 8,200 residents within Lefroy-Belle Ewart
Current Plans	None - Located within OPA #1 Alcona south development, supports Primary Settlement Area designation in Provincial Growth Plan	Currently shown in approved Lefroy Secondary Plan, and approved in 2005 GO Transit EA.
Timing	Need further studies and approval of Metrolinx.	EA approved - Next stages can be approved sooner
Station Vehicular Access	Potential access via Webster Blvd, 20 Sdrd, and St Johns Rd onto 6 <sup>th</sup> Line	Potential access via 20 Sdrd and 5 <sup>th</sup> Line/Belle Aire Beach Rd, Maple Rd, and Arnold St
Potential Local Transit Access	Can be served by future local transit service if proposed on 20 <sup>th</sup> Sdrd or 6 <sup>th</sup> Line. Proximity to population density in Alcona would support an easier connection to a 6 <sup>th</sup> Line GO Station.	Can be served by future local transit service if proposed on 20 <sup>th</sup> Sdrd or 5 <sup>th</sup> Line. Where Transit service is routed to Alcona which is designated as a growth area, a farther routing to 5 <sup>th</sup> Line would be required.
Pedestrian and Cycling Access	The larger population and more significant existing sidewalk and trail system are located within Alcona; therefore, the 6 <sup>th</sup> Line site would provide better connectivity to walking and cycling. Sidewalks and trails required on 20 <sup>th</sup> Sdrd, Webster, and 6 <sup>th</sup> Line to connect to the existing Alcona system.	Proposed trails along rail line and crossings leading to proposed GO station were identified in the Lefroy Secondary Plan; however trails on 20 <sup>th</sup> Sdrd and 5 <sup>th</sup> Line would also be required. Walk access likely not feasible from Alcona due to distance.
Supporting Improvements Required	<ul> <li>Signals at 20 Sideroad / 6<sup>th</sup> Line</li> <li>Urbanization of 6<sup>th</sup> Line</li> <li>Extension of Webster Blvd to 6<sup>th</sup> Line</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Signals at 20 Sideroad / 5<sup>th</sup> Line</li> <li>Urbanization of Belle Aire Beach Rd</li> </ul>
Compatibility with Adjacent Development	The opportunity exists to provide High Density residential development adjacent to the 6th Line station.	Low density residential and convenience commercial are already planned adjacent uses based on the Secondary Plan.
Location of Current GO Rail Users	Out of 109 total Innisfil GO users, 78 from Alcona (Source: Metrolinx Origin- Destination Survey)	Out of 109 total Innisfil GO users, 0 from Lefroy (Source: Metrolinx Origin-Destination Survey)
Public Support from the TMP Survey	10 out of 15 unsolicited responses recommended the Alcona location	5 out of 15 unsolicited responses recommended the Lefroy location





# Innisfil GO Station Location Summary Evaluation

Criteria	6 <sup>th</sup> Line	5 <sup>th</sup> Line
Proximity to Population Market		
<b>Current Plans</b>		
Timing		
Station Vehicular Access		
Potential Local Transit Access		
Pedestrian and Cycling Access		
Supporting Improvements Required		
Compatibility with Adjacent Development		
Location of Current GO Rail Users		
Public Support from the TMP Survey		
Recommendation	Carry Forward	Screen Out
	Legend: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

#### Recommendation: Innisfil GO Station at 6th Line

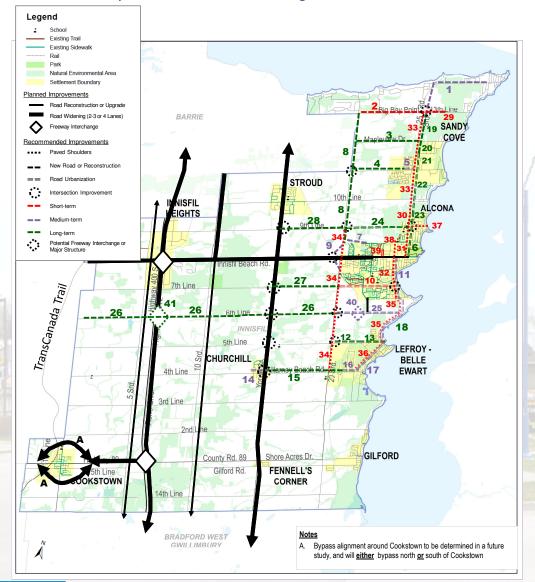
- Proximity to planned population and pedestrian and cycling access to a major facility like a GO station are keys to building liveable, sustainable communities.
- Majority of current GO users already live in Alcona





#### **Recommended Improvements**

- 6<sup>th</sup> Line interchange at Highway 400 and upgrade to Arterial Road standard
- 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad Realignment and Leslie Drive West Extension
- No Leslie Drive East Extension
- Improvements to Adullam Ave and Willard Ave
- 6<sup>th</sup> Line GO Station
- Paved Shoulders in the short-term
- Urbanization and Road Reconstruction
- Intersection Improvements Traffic Signals or Roundabouts





#### **Roundabouts for Innisfil**

 Where signalized intersections are needed, the Town should consider implementation of the modern *roundabout*

#### **Traffic Benefits**

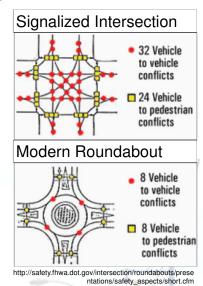
- · Ideal for lower speed lower volume intersections
- Reduced delay due to continuous flow of traffic including left turns
- Shorter queues due to continuous movement

#### Safety Benefits

- Less conflict points (both vehicle to vehicle and vehicles to pedestrian)
- Lower speeds mean less severe collisions and improved driver reaction to avoid collisions

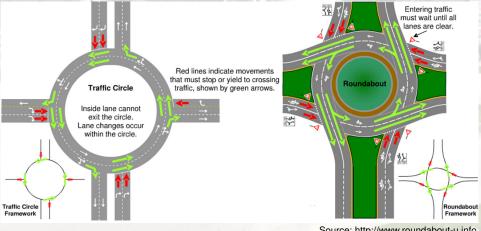
#### **Environmental Benefits**

- Constant speeds reduces vehicle emissions, fuel consumption
- Less noise (no starting from stop)
- No electricity required



## What is the difference between Traffic Circles and Roundabouts?

- Traffic circles are typically larger, higher speed, and primarily for visual appeal
- Roundabouts typically small, low speed, and focused on efficiency and safety







#### **Moving Forward...**

# Please attend tonight's Council Meeting

#### Your input is very valuable to us

## **Project Manager Grant Shellswell**

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Transportation Master Plan

May 22, 2013

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### **Town of Innisfil**



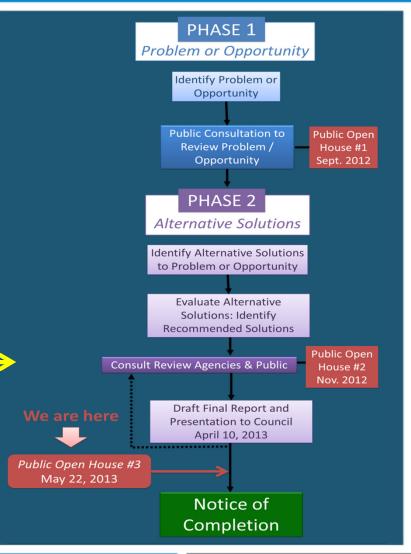
# Transportation Master Plan (TMP)

**Council Presentation** 

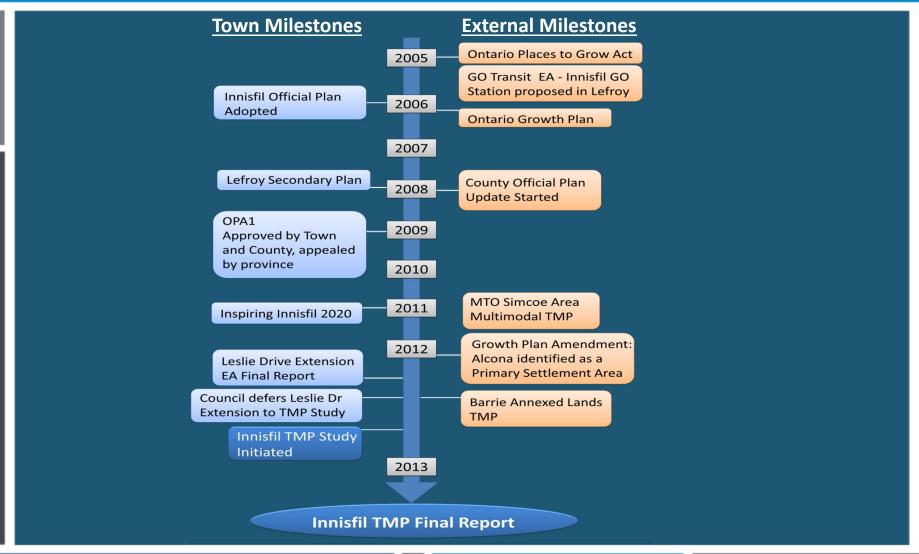
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### What is a Transportation Master Plan (TMP)?

- Long term (20 year), town-wide plan
- Planning for drivers, passengers, cyclists, pedestrians, and transit
- Provides input to the Official Plan
- Will allow the Town to make informed decisions on transportation issues affecting the community
- Follows Phase 1 and 2 of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Process.*



## Timeline of Key Inputs to the TMP



## **Growth Planning**

#### **Official Plan**

- Settlement Areas
- Population

- "Protect for Community Infrastructure"
- Road Improvements
- Pump Stations
- Reservoirs

#### **Master Plans**

- Transportation Master Plan
- Transit Master Plan
- Water Master Plan
- Sewer Master Plan

## Innisfil's Transportation Vision

- Innisfil's transportation network
  - Connects people and communities
  - Fosters healthy living
  - Operates efficiently across the Town as an environmentally and financially sustainable system

## **Recommended Transportation Plan**

- Four alternative strategies were presented at Public Open House #2:
  - Do-Nothing
  - 2. Business as Usual (road and intersection improvements)
  - 3. A Balanced Approach (road and intersection improvements, sidewalk and trail connections, TDM measures)
  - 4. An Aggressive Approach (Alternative 3 plus local transit service for Innisfil)
- Alternatives 3 and 4 were carried forward
  - However, only conceptual local transit opportunities were assessed.
     Specific transit routes and services deferred to future detailed Transit
     Strategy study which is outside the scope of the TMP

### Traffic Policies Included in the TMP

- All-way Stop Control Warrants
- Speed Limits
- Parking/Stopping Regulations
- Community Safety Zones
- Traffic Calming

# Proposed Active Transportation Connections

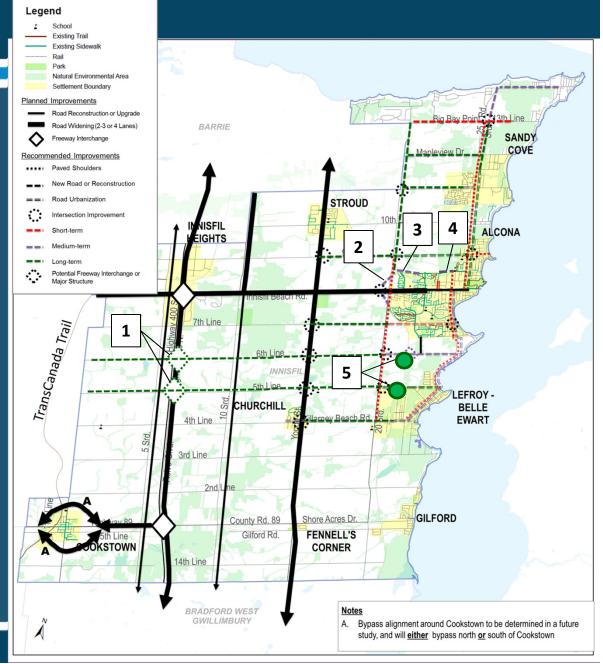


Proposed Road and Intersection Improvements and

Issues

#### **Key Issues:**

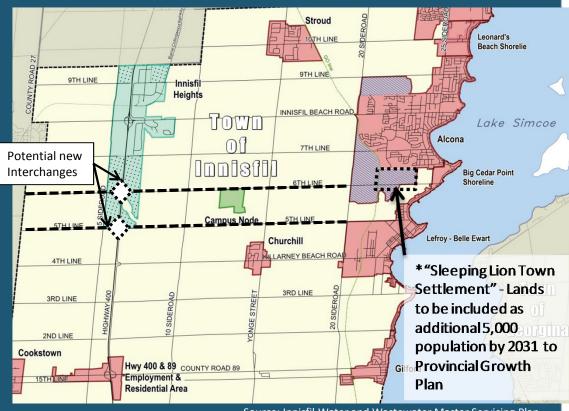
- 1. New Highway 400 interchange location at 5<sup>th</sup> Line or 6<sup>th</sup> Line and upgrade to arterial road
- 2. 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment
- Leslie Drive West Extension (20<sup>th</sup> to Oriole)
- Leslie Drive East
   Extension (Willard to Adullam)
- 5. Innisfil GO Station at 5th Line or 6th Line



## **New Highway 400 Interchange Location**

- 5<sup>th</sup> Line IC identified in the OP
- Newer planning initiatives support an IC further north:
  - Alcona PrimarySettlement Area
  - Innisfil Heights Strategic
     Settlement Employment
     Area
- The Innisfil TMP confirms the need for a new interchange – particularly to offload Innisfil Beach Road

Potential interchanges and arterial road upgrade relative to growth areas



Source: Innisfil Water and Wastewater Master Servicing Plan

## **Hwy 400 IC – Traffic Analysis**

- Future analysis indicates traffic benefits for 6<sup>th</sup> Line location:
  - Provides better relief to Innisfil Beach Road
  - Better utilized, and also reduces north-south traffic

STROUD

and Transit Improvements

Decreases congestion on Hwy 400, Yonge St and 20th Sdrd

5<sup>th</sup> Line Interchange model results

Legend

**Existing Trail** 

Planned Improvements<sup>2</sup>

Existing Sidewalk

Natural Environmental Area

Road Reconstruction or Upgrade

Road Widening (2-3 or 4 Lanes)

Settlement Boundary

Planning Alternative Improvements

Road Urbanization

New Traffic Signals

Future (2031) Traffic Condition

85% full)

Somewhat Busy (road is

Busy (road is 100% full)

6th Line

CHURCHILL

County Rd. 8

Gilford Rd

New Road or Reconstruction

County Road Improvement

Potential Freeway Interchange

6<sup>th</sup> Line Interchange model results Planning Alternative Improvements Legend ■■■ New Road or Reconstruction SANDY **Existing Trail** COVE County Road Improvement Existing Sidewalk Road Urbanization Potential Freeway Interchange New Traffic Signals STROUD Settlement Boundary Future (2031) Traffic Condition ALCONA Planned Improvements<sup>2</sup> Somewhat Busy (road is Road Reconstruction or Upgrade 85% full) Road Widening (2-3 or 4 Lanes) Busy (road is 100% full) LEFROY -CHURCHILL **EWART** 4th Line County Rd. 8 Gilford Rd. Bypass alignment around Cookstown to be determined in a future . Bypass alignment around Cookstown to be determined in a future study, and will either bypass north or south of Cookstown 14th Line study, and will either bypass north or south of Cookstown Planned improvements as per MTO highway improvements Planned improvements as per MTO highway improvements program, GO 2020 and Simcoe Transportation Master Plan Road program, GO 2020 and Simcoe Transportation Master Plan Road and Transit Improvements

SANDY

COVE

ALCONA

LEFROY -

**BELLE** 

**EWART** 

## **Hwy 400 IC – Overall Evaluation**

- 6<sup>th</sup> Line supports future growth
- Diverts traffic from Innisfil Beach Road

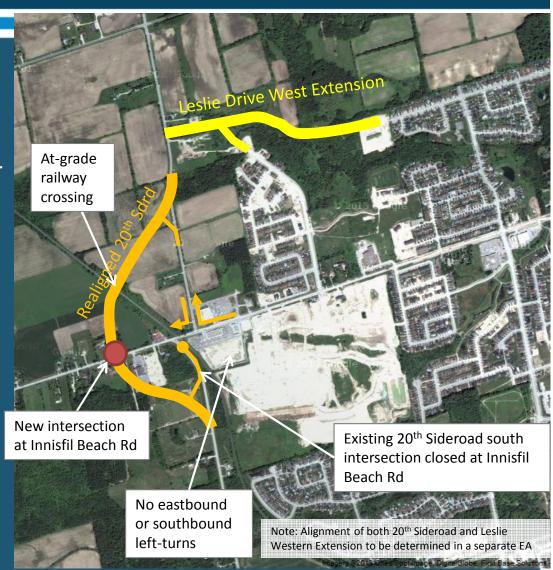
Criteria		5 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange	6 <sup>th</sup> Line Interchange
Network-Wide Traffic Benefit	ts		
Supports Future Growth Are	as		
Environmental Impacts			
Constructability and Cost			
Interchange Spacing			
Recommendation		Screen Out	Carry Forward
	Legend:	Least Preferred	Most Preferred

### **Recommendation:** 6<sup>th</sup> Line Interchange

Note: Final interchange location subject to further and detailed MTO study

## 20th Sideroad Realignment

- 20th Sdrd will be a key North-South Arterial Road in the future
- Increased north-south traffic demands from Friday Harbour and the Barrie Annexed Lands
- Development in Alcona and Lefroy is adjacent to 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad (Alcona north and south SP's and Lefroy SP)
- Significant safety concern with IBR traffic queuing on railway
- With Leslie Drive western extension, 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment also provides an alternative route to Innisfil Beach Road



## 20th Sideroad Recommendation

- Safety issues across rail tracks not sustainable with increased traffic
- Alternative route to Innisfil Beach Road
- Potential active transportation corridor

Criteria		Do-Nothing	20 <sup>th</sup> Sideroad Realignment
Network-Wide Traffic Benefi	ts		
Community Benefits			
Supports Future Growth Are	as		
Environmental Impacts			
Financial Impacts			
Recommendation		Screen Out	Carry Forward
	Legend:	Least Preferred 🔘 🍞 🌓	Most Preferred

Recommendation: 20th Sideroad Realignment

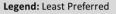
Leslie Drive West Extension (20<sup>th</sup> to Oriole)

- Identified in Official Plan Schedule C
- Supports the Alcona North SP
- Major collector road access to 20th Sideroad
- Potential active transportation corridor

Recommendation: Leslie Drive West Extension (20<sup>th</sup> to Oriole)



Do-Nothing	Leslie Drive West Extension (Oriole to 20 <sup>th</sup> )
Screen Out	Carry Forward











## Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard to Adullam)

- Identified as major collector road in Official Plan Schedule C
- Service corridor recommended in the EA study
- Road corridor deferred to the TMP

#### **Pros**

- Completes collector road network for development up to 9th Line (Alcona North Secondary Plan)
- Improved east-west continuity and connectivity for vehicles and cyclists/pedestrians

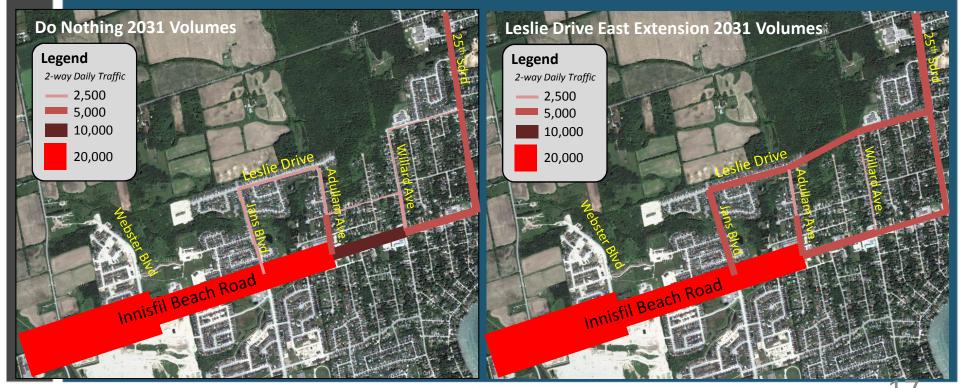
### **Cons**

 Crosses through a provincially significant wetland



## Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard to Adullam)

- With the Extension:
  - Reduces traffic on Innisfil Beach Road (Adullam Avenue and 25<sup>th</sup> Sideroad)
  - Increases traffic on Jans Boulevard (major collector)
- Without the Extension:
  - Increased traffic on Adullam Avenue and Willard Avenue
  - Upgrades on Adullam Avenue and Willard Avenue required



## Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard to Adullam)

- Benefits to transportation, community, and growth outweighed by significant environmental impacts
- We have heard public concerns

Criteria	Do Nothing	Leslie Drive East Extension (Willard to Adullam)
Network-Wide Traffic Benefi	ts	
Community Benefits		
Supports Future Growth Are	eas	
Environmental Impacts		
Financial Impacts		
Recommendation	Carry Forward	Screen Out
	Legend: Least Preferred	Most Preferred

### **Recommendation:** Do Nothing

Note: The Do Nothing Option will require upgrades Adullam Avenue and Willard Avenue

### **Innisfil GO Station Location**

GO Transit EA in 2005

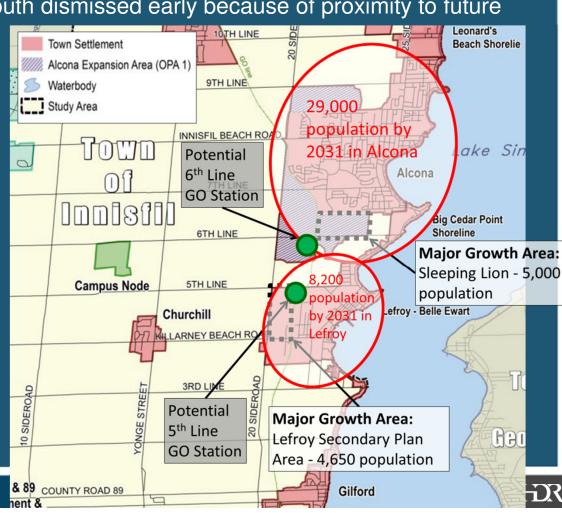
3 locations assessed between 5<sup>th</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Line

Locations to the north and south dismissed early because of proximity to future

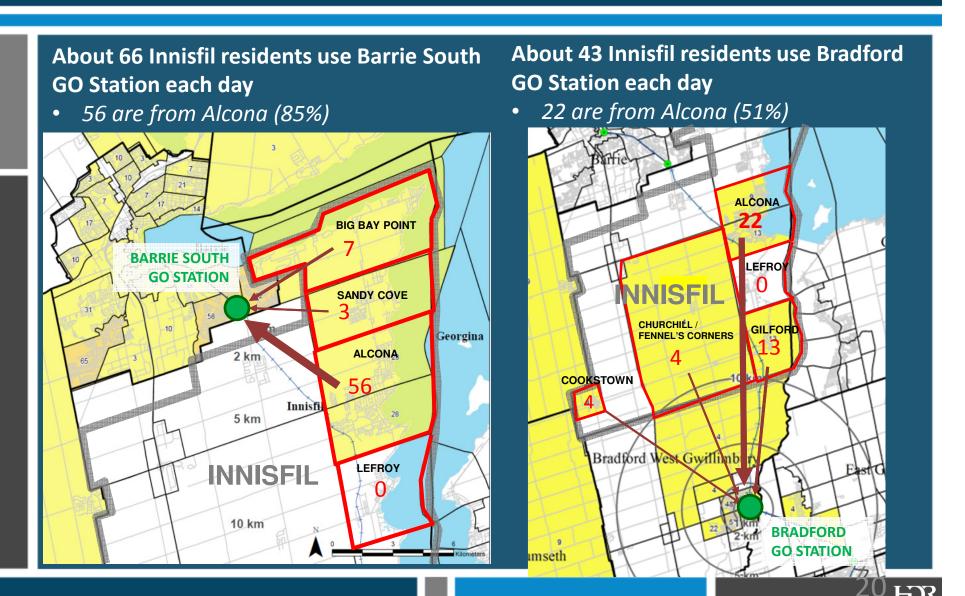
population growth

 5<sup>th</sup> Line selected as the preferred site by GO Transit based on available information in 2005

- Many changes since 2005
- TMP revisiting the preferred location of the GO Station
- The 6<sup>th</sup> Line location is being reconsidered
- Alcona is a Primary Settlement Area
- Planned population growth on both sides of 6<sup>th</sup> Line comparable to the Lefroy Secondary Plan



## Which GO Stations are current Innisfil Residents Using?



## **Innisfil GO Station Location**

6 <sup>th</sup> Line	5 <sup>th</sup> Line
	6 <sup>th</sup> Line

- Innisfil should be a liveable, sustainable community
- Major facilities should be planned to maximize:
  - Proximity to planned population
  - Pedestrian access
  - Cycling access

Timing	
Station Vehicular Access	
Potential Local Transit Access	
Pedestrian and Cycling Access	
Supporting Improvements Required	
Compatibility with Adjacent Development	
Location of Current GO Rail Users	
Public Support from the TMP Survey	

Recommendation: 6<sup>th</sup> Line GO Station

**Legend:** Least Preferred

Recommendation



**Carry Forward** 



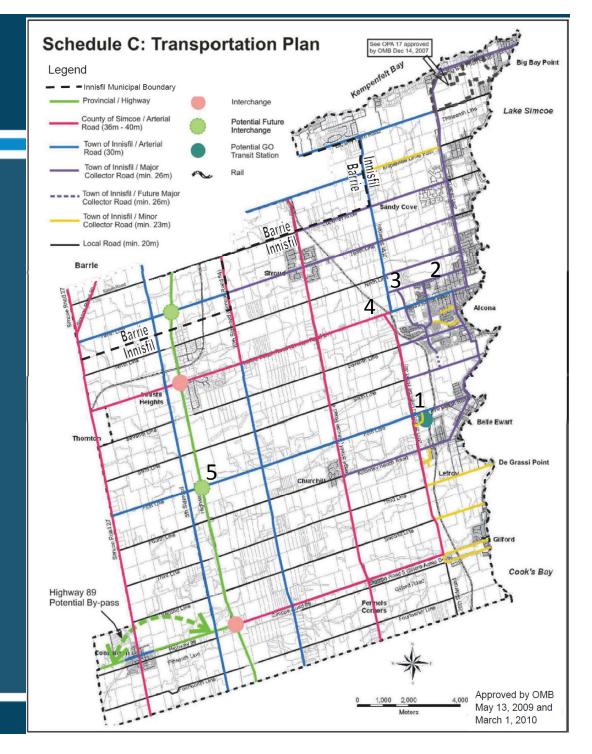


Most Preferred

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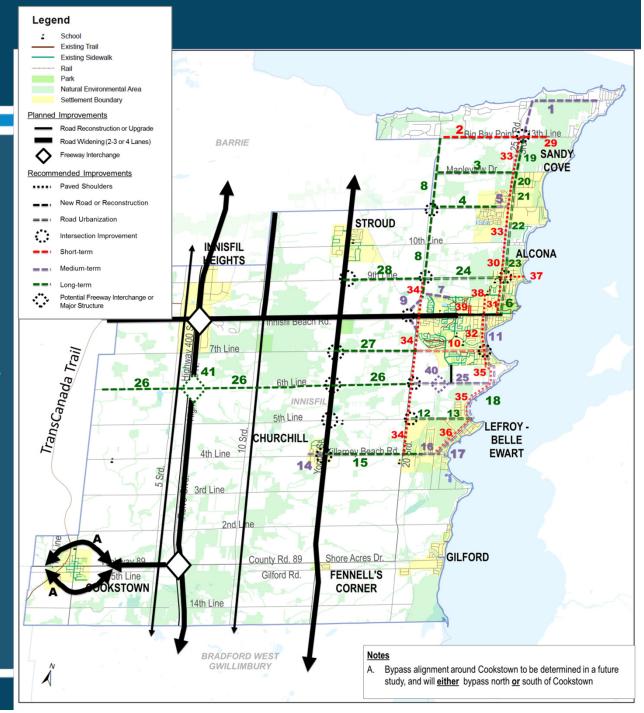
# **Current Official Plan Status of Key Issues**

- 1. 5<sup>th</sup> Line interchange and arterial road upgrade
- 2. 20<sup>th</sup> Sideroad realignment **not** identified
- Leslie Drive West Extension identified
- 4. Leslie Drive East Extension identified
- 5. GO Station identified at 5<sup>th</sup> Line



### Recommended 2031 Road Improvements

- Short-term (within 5 years)
- Medium-term (5-10 years)
- Long-term (10+ years)



## **BACKUP SLIDES**



### **Total Transportation Costs**

Timing	BTE+BTG	ВТЕ	BTG
Short-term (< 5 years)	\$15,031,419	\$9,107,386	\$5,924,033
Medium-term (5-10 years)	\$77,547,294	\$15,385,732	\$62,161,562
Long-term (> 10 years)	\$166,538,781	\$66,985,785	\$99,552,996
Combined	\$259,117,494	\$91,478,903	\$167,638,591

Total Cost: \$259M

Road Infrastructure: \$248M

Multiuse Pathways: \$11M

Benefit to Existing (BTE) versus Growth (BTG)

35% Existing: \$91M

• 65% Growth: \$168M

Cost by Timing:

• 6% Short-term: \$15M

• 30% Medium-term: \$78M

• 64% Long-term: \$167M

## **Cost of Required Road Infrastructure**

(excludes off-road trails)

Summary by Improvement Type	Cost
Urbanization	\$146,096,678
Reconstruction	\$83,262,410
Widening	\$0
New Construction	\$11,102,413
Paved Shoulders	\$5,756,633
Signalization	\$1,224,000
Planning studies	\$500,000
Total:	\$247,942,134
Summary by Road Class (excluding signalization and studies)	Cost
Arterial Road	\$65,941,857
Major Collector	\$172,278,239
Minor Collector	\$7,998,038
Total:	\$246,218,134
Summary by Road Environment (excluding signalization and	
studies)	Cost
Urban	\$11,102,413
Rural	\$235,115,721
Total:	\$246,218,134

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#### TOWN OF INNISFIL TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN

COMMENT SUMMARY AND RESPONSES BASED UPON: May 6, 2013 Final Report April 10, 2013 Special Council Meeting Public Open House No. 2, Nov. 20, 2012 Public Open House No. 1, Sept. 24, 2012

#### May 6 Final Report Comments

em#	Date	Commenter	Comment Subject	Comment	Response			
				Question why there is no Post Period Benefit to assess benefit beyond 2031	The focus of the TMP was to provide a cost estimate for input to the DC Study. Other detailed DC methodologies including accounting for benefits beyond 2031 are outside of the scope of the TMP Study.			
				Road <u>Urbanization Projects</u> Urbanization upgrades would occur over time without expansion. Allocation of 90% of urbanization project costs to growth does not comply with the DC Act, and should be allocated entirely as BTE.	We disagree that urbanization upgrades would occur over time without expansion. For the purposes of the TMP study costing, we feel this assumption is reasonable but the DC background study to be conducted by the Town may revisit these details.			
				20th Sideroad Bypass (p. 118-120) For the 20th Sideroad Realignment, previous TMP report recommended grade separation with a total project cost of \$6.7M. The current May TMP report recommends an at-grade crossing, but the project cost of \$6.7M was not revised. Clarification is required.	The \$6.7M was the estimated cost for the Highway 400 Interchange and not the bypass.			
1	21-May-13	T.E. Rae, Roland Roovers, Sernas Group Inc. (GHD)	TMP May 2013 Final Report Review	20th Sideroad Bypass (p. 118-120) Question why 20th Sideroad realignment is allocated 100% to growth. In our opinion there is significant benefit to existing users of 20th Sideroad. We estimated that minimum 50% BTE is a reasonable allocation of costs on the basic that the population is to double during the planning horizon. We also expect there would be an amount attributable to PPB. Please provide further analysis / justification to the growth allocation.	For TMP costing, our methodology assumed that all new construction is 100% attributable to growth - this assumption is in line with other DC costing analysis undertaken for municipalities in Ontario. The DC update study may revisit this allocation.			
				Leslie Drive Extension (p.121-124) We are supportive of the Leslie Drive West Extension between 20th Sideroad and Oriole Crescent	Thank you for your comment			
				Intersection Improvements and Signalization: [p. 135-141] We note that several intersections were not analyzed including four additional intersections that are identified as possible candidates for signalization. Further clarification is required since item 45 of Table 10-6 allocates a cost for these signalizations.	Based on anticipated traffic volumes in the traffic model and the location of future growth, we estimated that additional signalization / intersection improvements would be required at these identified intersections which are mostly located along Yonge Street / County Road 4 where very high north-south traffic is anticipated.			
				Capital Cost Calculation (p.155-156): We would like the opportunity to review the details of how the benchmark capital costs were derived to confirm whether these unit costs are fair and reasonable.	Unit costs were provided by the Town and were also sourced from the road needs study			
		13 Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd	ussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd TMP Review Draft Final Report (May 2013)	Encouraged by latest revision to 20th Sideroad Realignment plans to maintain the northern leg of current 20th Sideroad at IBR. This road currently provides frontage along our clients' lands. Maintaining this stretch of 20th Sideroad is more consistent with the approved site plan and developed portion of the site for truck access, loading activity, and overall traffic circulation.	Thank you for your comment			
2	22-May-13			Acknowledge that the proposed restriction to RIRO movements will be implemented as part of the 20th Sdrd Realignment. Proposed RIRO restriction is consistent with the recommendations of the October 2008 Comprehensive Traffic Evaluation by CC Tatham and Associates prior to the development of the food store.	Thank you for your comment			
								We have concerns with respect to the funding for the proposed improvements and the suggested allocation of 100% of the 20th Sideroad realignment costs being attributed to future growth in the Development Charges (DC) By-law, indicated as item 7 in Table 10-6. We reserve the right to address funding for this project at such time when the Town prepares a DC Background Study in support of an amendment to the DC By-law.
3	22-May-13	N. Jane Pepino, AIRD & BERLIS LLP	Location of Future GO Rail in Innisfil	Objection to any possible relocation of the GO Rail Station away from the 5th Line. To do so is contrary to the approved Environmental Assessment and Official Plan, and to one of the key principles included in the settlement between the LSAMI landowners and the Town.	Since the completion of the EA in 2005 and adoption of the Official Plan in 2006, the Province has since completed the Growth Plan January 2012 Amendment in which Alcona is designated as a Primary Settlement Area. The location of the GO station was re-examined in light of this new information. The justification and evaluation of GO station locations are detailed in the May 3 report			
4	21-May-13	George & Bernadette Macha	Lebanon Dr	As a resident on Lebanon dr I am against the road widening on our street and disagree that it should be used as a bypass or main route.	Thank you for your comment - there is currently no recommendation for road widening on Lebanon Drive			
5	22-May-13	J&M Racioppo	Adullam Avenue	One of our neighbors brought this to our attention yesterday. We live on Adullam Avenue and do not want to see our street widened.  There appears to be quite a bit of traffic already, and with the addition of the new subdivision on our street it will be increasing.  There are many families with children and it would be great to keep our street the way it is.  We like to see another solution.	The proposed improvement to Adullam Avenue is for Urbanization which will provide a sidewalk on both sides of the street for enhanced pedestrian safety.			

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#### April 10, 2013 Special Council Meeting Comments

Item#	Date	Commenter	Comment Subject	Comment	Response
1	9-Apr-13	Scott Young, Lormel Homes / Bellaire Properties Inc	Planned Lefroy GO Station	Relocation of the planned GO Station for Lefroy to 6th line is contrary to the approved EA. This will significantly impact home sales adjacent to 5th Line in the Bellaire Properties subdivision. Concerns have also been raised from existing neighbourhood who has previously expressed strong intent to keep the GO station in the Lefroy Area. We ask that you provide written justification for such a change and reconsider your intent to move the GO Station from the planned Lefroy location.	Since the completion of the EA in 2005 and adoption of the Official Plan in 2006, the Province has since completed the
2	10-Apr-13	Peter Campbell	Proposed GO Station in Lefroy	To locate a GO station in a vacant field at a location already dismissed in the Metroliux EA years ago seems inappropriate and may cuase years of delay for it to get built or prevent GO from agreeing to have a station in Innisfil at all. I have made a significant investment in my new home and the location of the GO station at 5th line materially impacts on that investment and is not right. Please support keeping the GO station where it is shown in your Official Plan on 5th line.	The 6th Line location was dismissed by 6O Transit in 2005 because there was no residential development planned at 6th Line. There was no detailed evaluation of that location in the 2005 EA. With the Primary Settlement Area designation for Alcona, that rationale for dismissal is no longer valid.
3	10-Apr-13	Luka Kot, Cortel Group	Special Meeting of Council - TMP	We have completed a preliminary review of the Innisfil TMP Final Report (March 2013) and are supportive of the Town of Innisfil's direction.	Thank you for your support
4	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	Future realignment of 20th Sideroad has potential impacts on current and future development for two properties with frontage along 20th Sideroad.	examined at a more detailed level.
5	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	Potential impacts of the realignment are not stated in the report (preliminary or otherwise), as it relates to property owners that enjoy access off of 20th Sideroad north of Innisfil Beach Road.	Potential access impacts are now included in the May 3 report. A future EA and design study will address all impacts when the alignment is examined at a more detailed level.
6	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd & Ken Chan, LEA Consulting Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	The identified infrastructure improvements have not been properly screened to ensure that the 20th Sideroad realignment is the "preferred solution" for the "identified" capacity restraint. Technical supporting documentation within the TMP supporting the 20th Sideroad as a preferred solution was not found.	Additional details on the justification have been added in the May 3 report and considered transportation and non transportation criteria. Primary drivers of the realignment include improving the overall safety of the corridor as the current situation is not sustainable with increased traffic and queues on Innisfil Beach Road.
7	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd & Ken Chan, LEA Consulting Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	The identified "alternative solutions" for the TMP should not be the screening criteria for the 20th Sideroad realignment.	Agree. Further information on the justification has been added to the May 3 report.
8	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd & Ken Chan, LEA Consulting Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	Traffic model calibration concerns - LEA is concerned that the existing model calibration methodologies will lead to overestimation of the 2031 traffic projection. Due to the uncertainty of the existing traffic model calibration, we have reservations regarding the future traffic capacity constraints as identified in the TMP.	The existing model calibration findings are documented in the report and based on the results of that exercise, we believe the forecast results are defendable.
9	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd & Ken Chan, LEA Consulting Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	2013 Intersection analysis - Section 5.4.3 it is unclear how the future traffic volumes were projected or what actual traffic volumes was used.	Future volumes were projected using a combination of the transportation model to determine growth rates that were applied at the approaches and turning movements.
10	10-Apr-13	Harry Froussios, Zelinka Priamo Ltd & Ken Chan, LEA Consulting Ltd	Transportation Master Plan	Daily Traffic projection across 20th Sideroad (Section 8.4.1 - Table 8). Based on the table provided the provision of BOTH Leslie Drive and the 20th Sideroad will result in a daily reduction of 2,400 vehicles on Innisfil Beach Road or 240 vehicles in the peak hour (2-way). Looking also at the table in Section 5.4.3, it is unclear so the the traffic reduction benefits the proposed 20th Sideroad realignment would have.	Specific to the need for a 20th Sideroad realignment, the 2031 intersection analysis at Innisfil Beach Road and the 20th Sideroad north and south intersections both clearly show intersection operation deficiencies for the northbound approach and southbound approach. Further to the constrained intersection capacity, there is also a safety issue with respect to growing traffic queues spilling back from the intersections over the train tracks. Also, constraints to north-south capacity on Yonge Street in the future will push more and more north-south traffic on to 20th Sideroad, and elimination of the existing jog through the proposed realignment bypass will make 20th Sideroad a feasible north-south option crossing Innisfil Beach Road.

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#### Public Open House No. 2, Nov. 20, 2012 Comments

em#	Date	Commenter	Comment Subject	Comment	Response
			Exisiting Issues Presented	Short term + long term opportunites:  1. Short term- reduce width of lanes on St. Johns road and install walking or cycling lanes on each side as per our boards. Slow traffic down, even if it means installing rubber speed bumps  2. Curtail heavy truck traffic in Cookstown during the weekend.  3. Imperative town be brought together via trails/transportation	TMP has recommended paved shoulders on St. Johns road and lanes are proposed to be 3.75m wide which will be more narrow than today. As well, an active transportation network has been recommend and will connect communities within the Town. Heavy truck traffic diversion will be part of the Bypass EA study that MTO will be undertaking
1	20-Nov-12	-12 Name withheld for privacy	Town's Transportation Vision	Slow to react to GO station opportunity;     Short term shuttle service to Barrie, Cookstown, Guilford etc.	Transit opportunities do exist for shuttle service but will be further assessed in a separate Transit Master Plan or Transit Strategy Study. The GO station is not currently funded by Metrolinx and is not in their short term priority projects. The Town and Metrolinx will continue to work together to bring a GO station in Innisfil.
			Planning Alternatives Don't waste opportunity. Start to act now.	Don't waste opportunity. Start to act now.	Proposed improvements have been recommended in a phased strategy so that the Town can afford to implement the improvements. In 2014 there will be improvements to select road corridors.
			Material and Displays	Excellent	Thank you for your support

#### Public Open House No. 1, Sept. 24, 2012 Comments

Item#	Date	Commenter	Comment Subject	Comment	Response
			Existing Isssues Presented	Issues presented are a reflection of needs	We agree and the TMP has provided improvements to address multi-modal needs
			Future Planned Works	GO station should be planned and budgetted in the next couple of years, and a connection between the GO station and Yonge Street needs to reviewed	The GO station is not currently funded by Metrolinx and is not in their short term priority projects. The Town and Metrolinx will continue to work together to bring a GO station in Innisfil. A future transit strategy study will be undertaken by the Town to examine specific routes - we do support a potential in our TMP support as part of a loop service in Innisfil
1	24-Sep-12	Name withheld for privacy	Material and Displays	Would like to see community connected with bike lanes. Would like a 4-5 foot path provided on Innisfil Beach Road between 20th Sideroad and the recreational centre. The sidewalk prioritization did not meet the needs of residents. Urbanization of St Johns road was not in the 2009 study.	The TMP has recommended the coordination of an active transportation corridor on Innsifil Beach, which the County is responsible for implementing. The TMP has also recommended a network of bike lanes/trails and paved shoulders to improve network connectivity within Innisfil. We have re examined the active transportation needs and have added to the prioritization plan. We are recommending the urbanization of St. Johns road in the long term so a more cost effective solution can be implemented sooner through paved shoulders. This will help the Town to manage and afford the cost of improvements over the next 20 years.
			Existing Isssues Presented	a. No costing per unit and or usage; b. Cost to taxpayer for min. usage	Costs have been included in the TMP report in Chapter 10
2	24-Sep-12		a. Capital Cost     b. Maintenance Cost     C. Desired that the local area getting the improvement pick up costs, and not allocated to alltaxpayers	The development charges by law determines the allocation based on the type of improvement. In some cases, the costs are attributable to the Town and other costs are attributable to new developments.	
			Material and Displays	Well done; Stated that cost estimates of improvements were not available.	Costs have been included in the TMP report in Chapter 10

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