

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING REGARDING CITY OF WOODSTOCK DEVELOPMENT CHARGES

Take notice that on **Thursday, May 19, 2022**, the Council of the City of Woodstock will hold a public meeting pursuant to The Development Charges Act, 1997, regarding proposed development charge rates and policies that will be applied throughout the City. It is proposed that enactment of a development charges by-law by Council would occur on a date after the public meeting.

Development charges are levied against new development and are a primary source of funding for growth-related capital expenditures. The 2022 Development Charges Background Study relates to the provision of the following eligible DC Services: Library, Fire, Police, Parks and Recreation, Waste Diversion, Transit, Services Related to a Highway (Public Works and Roads and Related) and Development-Related Studies.

Council is required under The Development Charges Act, 1997 to hold at least one public meeting to allow the public the opportunity to review and provide comments on the 2022 Development Charges Background Study, related staff reports and the proposed development charges by-law.

All interested parties are invited to attend the public meeting:

Date: Thursday, May 19, 2022

Time: 12:30 PM

Location: Council Chambers (500 Dundas Street, Woodstock, ON N4S 0A7)

Any person may attend the public meeting and make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the by-law. Written submissions must be directed to Amy Humphries, City Clerk at ahumphries@cityofwoodstock.ca or 519-539-2382 ext. 2500 no later than 12:00 PM on Thursday, May 19, 2022. Written and verbal comments received prior to and during the public meeting will be considered by Council prior to the enactment of a new development charges by-law.

Technical inquiries should be directed to Harold de Haan, City Engineer at hdehaan@cityofwoodstock.ca or 519 539-2382 ext. 3112

A copy of the 2022 Development Charges Background Study was made available on the City's website www.cityofwoodstock.ca/ on April 14, 2022. A copy of the development charges by-law will be made available on the City's website and at the clerk's office for viewing on or before May 5, 2022.

DATED AT City of Woodstock this 28th day of April 2022.