



Notice of Study Commencement

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Transportation Master Plan

To strategically prepare for growth and enhance the City's existing transportation network, the City of Woodstock has retained McIntosh Perry to undertake the development of the City's Transportation Master Plan (TMP) study. The TMP is a strategic policy document that will serve as a road map for short-range, medium-range, and long-range transportation infrastructure investments, as well as integrated multi-modal transportation planning to meet the demands up to the 2043 horizon year. The goal is to optimize the performance of existing infrastructure and identify the most sustainable approach to accommodating new development. Overall, the plan will guide how we:

- Develop our roadways.
- Coordinate infrastructure improvements with land uses.
- Provide sustainable and integrated transportation facilities, and services to ensure enhanced mobility, accessibility, and connectivity.
- Respond to future growth and demand on our transportation network.
- Provide for Active Transportation and multi-modal/complete streets within the City's built up communities, to ensure forecasted future traffic volumes are adequately accommodated by the City's road network.

Phases

The TMP will be developed in full compliance with the Provincial Environmental Assessment (EA) Act, following Approach 1 of the 2023 Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Master Planning process. The TMP will satisfy Phase 1 and Phase 2 of the MCEA process and facilitate streamlining and implementation of recommended capital works.

Overall, the TMP will have three phases that will follow the MCEA process:

1. Assess the existing conditions, area context and specific challenges.
2. Assess traffic operations and road safety.
 - Assess the City's transportation needs.
 - Develop preferred solutions to meet those needs.
 - Update and implement policies and develop design standards to align with our goals.

3. Refine the preferred solutions and develop a comprehensive TMP document.

Have your say

An important part of this study is consultation with the public, stakeholders, and the City's agency partners. We want to hear from you on the issues and opportunities that you see for the City's Transportation System to the horizon year of 2043.

At any time during this study, you can provide comments, questions, and concerns to the project team. We will also organize Public and Stakeholder engagement events to present an overview of the study and existing conditions while outlining alternatives, evaluation, and study recommendations.

The project team will host two (2) Public Virtual Open House Information Meeting (PIC) to gather public input and present findings of the study, with the first PIC anticipated later in 2023. A PIC Notice will be published at least two weeks in advance providing the date, time, and location of the meeting.

Stay connected and participate in shaping the future of our community!

Learn more:

For updates, visit the project website at www.cityofwoodstock.ca/studiesandplans

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