COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SEPTEMBER 15, 2003

SITE DEVELOPMENT FILE DA.03.054 DUFCON DEVELOPMENT INC.

Recommendation

The Commissioner of Planning recommends:

THAT the building elevations for Site Development Application DA.03.054 (Dufcon Development Inc.) BE APPROVED.

Purpose

On August 27, 2003, the Owner submitted a Site Plan Application for two industrial buildings on a 1.45 ha lot. Building "A" is 4,702.5m² with an office, warehouse and mezzanine. Building "B" is 2,308.2m² with a mezzanine.

Background - Analysis and Options

The subject lands are located on the south side of Connie Crescent, north of Regional Road 7 and west of Dufferin Street, being Lot 31 on Plan 65M-1801 (345 Connie Crescent), in Part of Lot 10, Concession 3, City of Vaughan.

The irregular-shaped buildings are of the same design and will be constructed to a height of 8m. The building materials consist of white aggregate and ribbed pre-cast concrete panels with smooth white concrete accents and vertical blue glass panels. The primary façade for Building "A" is located on the north elevation, with Building "B" on the west elevation, both facing Connie Crescent. The main entrances consist of two blue glass doors beneath a concrete canopy, with a concrete column, surrounded by horizontal blue glass panels.

Three loading doors and a drive-in door are located on the west elevation of Building "A" and two loading doors and a drive-in door are located on the southwest elevation of Building "B". The loading doors for both buildings are screened from Regional Road 7 by a 4.5m high pre-cast concrete wall. The Owner will be required to provide an additional level of architectural detailing on the elevations facing Regional Road 7 and the Dufferin Street overpass, and additional vision windows. No spandrel glass is to be used, and all exit doors leading to parking areas are to be provided with wired vision panel inserts and transom windows.

Conclusion

Staff is satisfied with the proposed building elevations, subject to the minor revisions to be incorporated on the exterior façade, as identified in the report. Should the Committee concur, the recommendation in this report can be adopted.

Attachments

- 1. Location Map
- 2. Site Plan
- 3. Building Elevations

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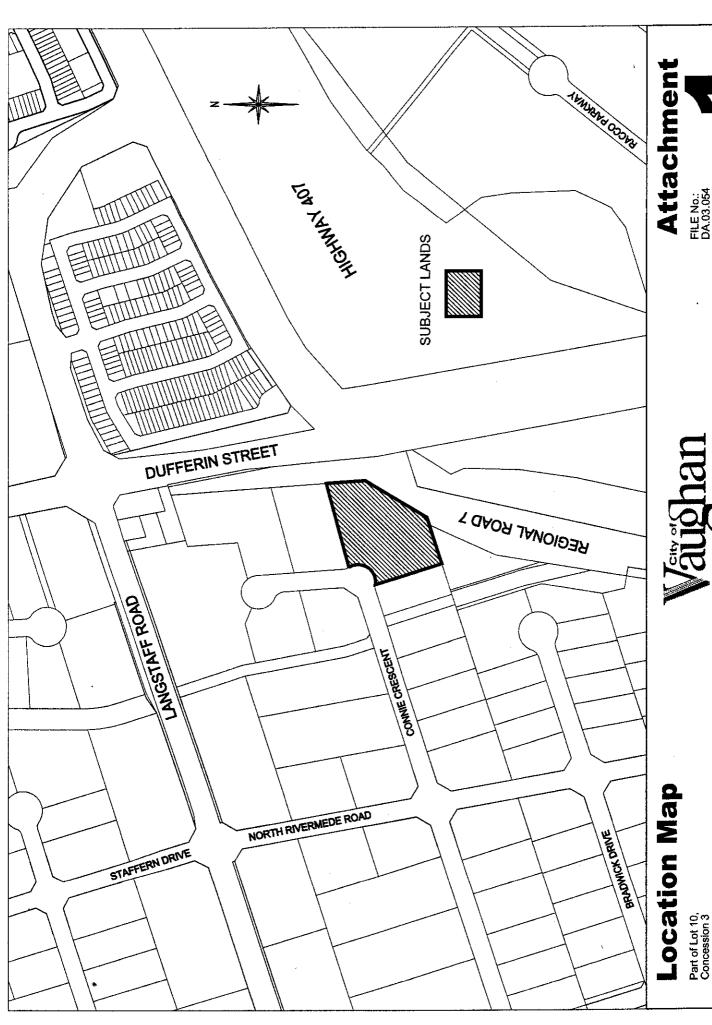
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Respectfully submitted,

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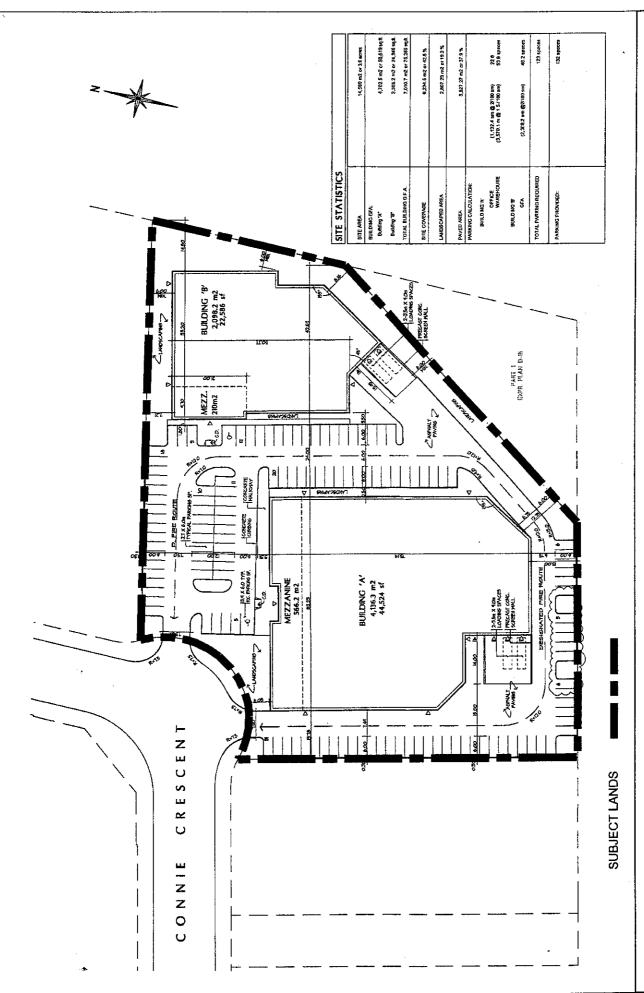
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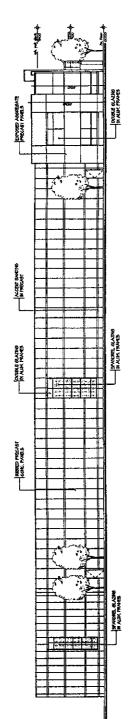
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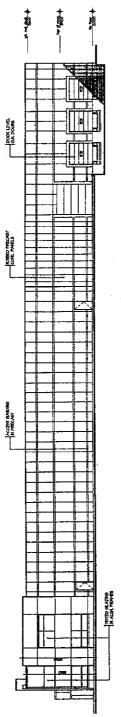
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Part of Lot 10, Concession 3

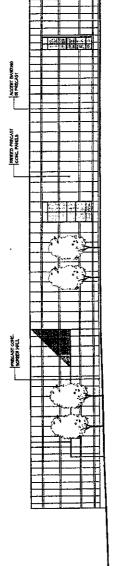
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EAST ELEVATION - Building 'A'



WEST ELEVATION - Building 'A'



SOUTH ELEVATION - Building 'A'

Elevation Plan

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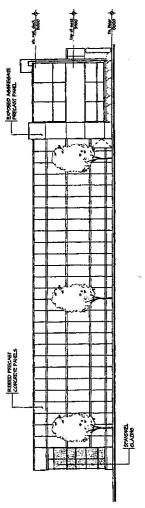


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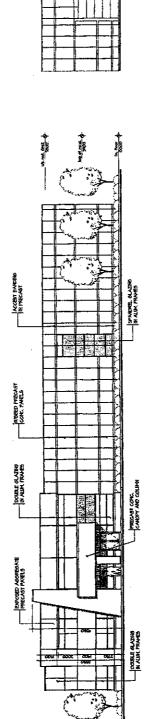
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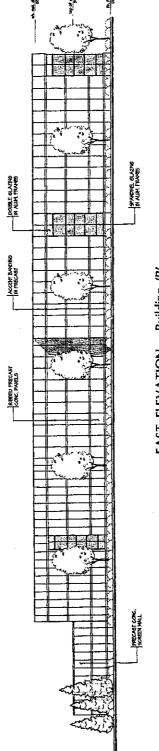
NORTH ELEVATION - Building 'B'

POOK LEVEL



SOUTH-WEST ELEVATION

WEST ELEVATION - Building 'B'



EAST ELEVATION - Building 'B'

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