# COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (PUBLIC HEARING) SEPTEMBER 7, 2004

2. OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT FILE OP.04.015
ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT FILE Z.04.040
DRAFT PLAN OF SUBDIVISION FILE 19T-04V10
PIANORA HOLDINGS CORP., C/O SOLMAR DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION PRELIMINARY REPORT

P.2004.88

### Recommendation

The Commissioner of Planning recommends:

THAT the Public Hearing for Files 19T-02V11, OP.04.015 and Z.04.040 (Pianora Holdings Corp., c/o Solmar Development Corporation) BE RECEIVED, and that any issues identified be addressed by Staff in a comprehensive report to the Committee of the Whole.

# **Purpose**

On July 8, 2004, the Owner submitted applications to amend the Official Plan and Zoning By-law and for a Draft Plan of Subdivision to permit the redevelopment of the residual lands (approx. 2.262 ha) that will occur north of the existing Teston Road and south of the proposed realignment of Teston Road.

The proposal includes 30 semi-detached and 6 townhouse units as well as re-designating a portion of the lands to Local Convenience Commercial with an exception to permit a service station/gas-bar with drive-through, car wash and a convenience eating establishment with take-out.

### **Background - Analysis and Options**

The site is located on the northwest corner of Jane Street & Teston Road (Post Re-alignment), Part of Lot 26, Concession 5, City of Vaughan

The site is designated "Planned Road Re-alignment" and "Low Density Residential" by OPA 600 and zoned A Agricultural Zone by By-law 1-88. The surrounding land uses are:

North - vacant land (A Agricultural Zone)

South - residential (RVM1(B) Residential Zone)

East - Jane Street; residential (A Agricultural Zone)

West - vacant land (A Agricultural Zone)

On August 13, 2004, a notice of public hearing was circulated to all property owners within 120m of the subject lands, and to the Columbus Trail Ratepayers Association. To date, no comments have been received. Any responses received will be addressed in the technical review and included in a comprehensive staff report to a future Committee of the Whole meeting.

#### Preliminary Review

Following a preliminary review of the proposed applications, Staff has identified the following matters to be reviewed in greater detail:

 the "Low Density Residential" designation permits a maximum density of 22 units per net residential hectare, whereas the proposed subdivision yields a density of approximately 27.48 units per net residential ha; density of the development will need to be reviewed for conformity;

- the application proposes to rezone the subject property to an RS1 Residential Semi-Detached Zone, a RT1 Residential Townhouse Zone, a C3 Local Convenience Zone and an OS1 Open Space Conservation Zone;
- further site-specific exceptions are requested for the lot frontage and lot area of the RS1
  Residential Semi-Detached Zone; an amendment to the Official Plan is required for the
  additional uses of an automobile gas bar, car wash and eating establishment; the
  appropriateness of these uses in the context of the surrounding land uses will be
  evaluated;
- a Phase 1 Environmental Site Assessment is required by the Engineering Department for review and approval prior to Council's consideration of this application;
- the subject development will require formal allocation of sewage and water capacity by Council prior to approval of the zoning by-law and related draft plan of subdivision;
- enhanced elevations will be required for the dwelling units that abut the proposed Teston Road re-alignment; and the landscaping requirements along the Teston Road realignment will need to be reviewed.

## Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2007

The applicability of this application to the Vaughan Vision will be determined when the technical report is completed.

#### Conclusion

The above issues, but not limited to, will be considered in the technical review of the application, together with comments of the public and Council expressed at the public hearing or in writing, and be addressed in a comprehensive report to a future Committee of the Whole meeting. In particular, the appropriateness and impact of adding the commercial uses to the site will be reviewed.

### **Attachments**

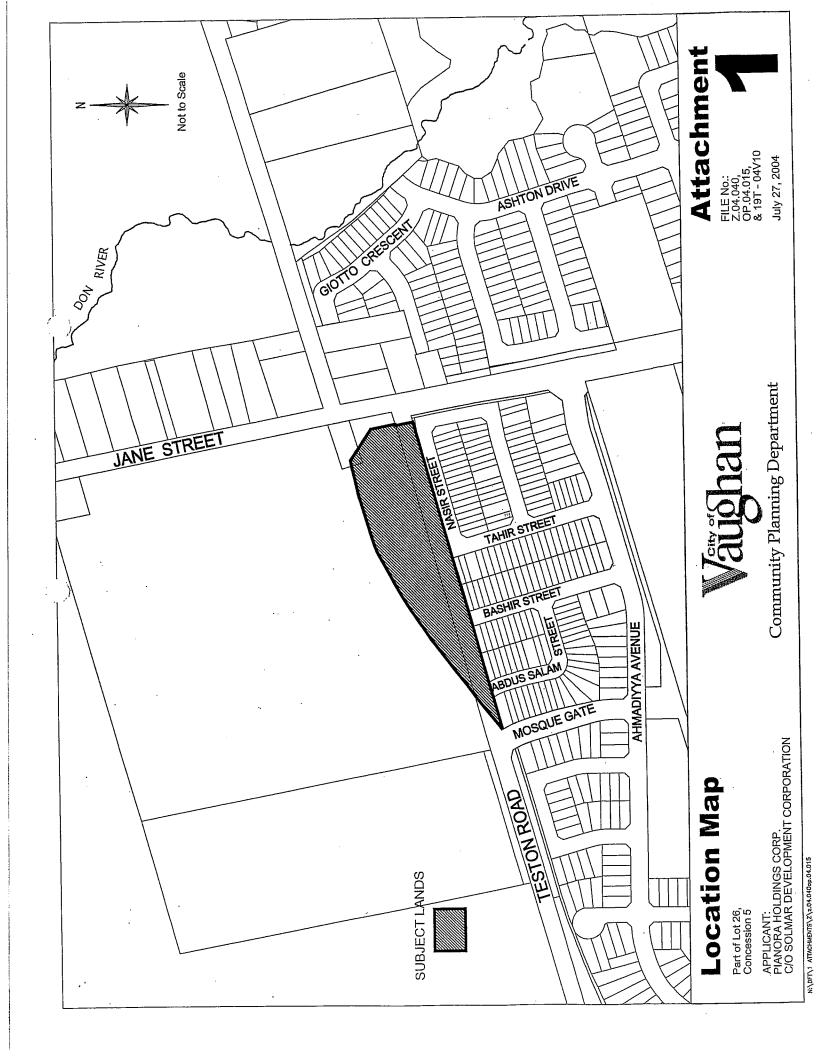
- Location Map
- 2. Site Plan
- 3. Proposed Zone Schedule

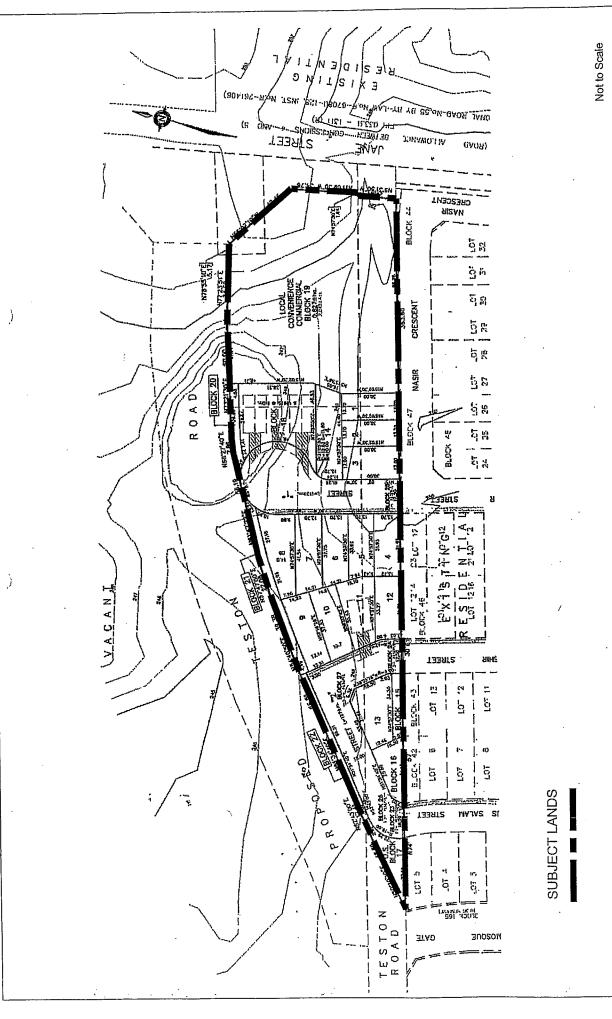
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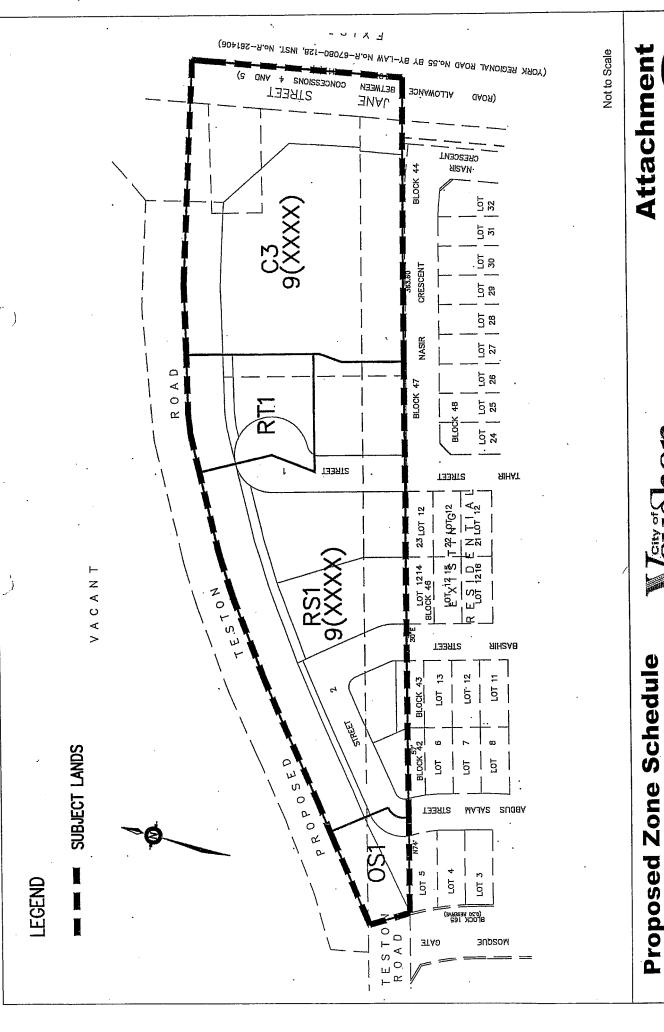
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**Site Plan** 

Part of Lot 26, Concession 5



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