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## **CONSENT APPLICATION** Comité de dérogation COMMENTS TO THE COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT PANEL 2

# PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND BUILDING SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Site Address: 982 Watson Street

Legal Description: Lot 14, Registered Plan 479600

File No.: D08-02-25/B-00137

Report Date: July 17, 2025 Hearing Date: July 22, 2025 Planner: Wendy Yang

Official Plan Designation: Inner Urban Transect, Neighbourhood, Evolving

Neighbourhood Overlay

Zoning: R<sub>2</sub>G

#### **DEPARTMENT COMMENTS**

The Planning, Development and Building Services Department has no concerns with the application.

### **DISCUSSION AND RATIONALE**

Section 53 (12) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended, permits the criteria for the subdivision of land listed in Section 51 (24) to be considered when determining whether provisional consent may be granted by a committee of adjustment. With respect to the criteria listed in Section 51 (24), staff have no concerns with the proposed consent,

#### ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

### **Planning Forestry**

There are no tree-related concerns with the proposed severance. There are no exiting trees on site. A planting plan will be required showing one new tree to be planted on each lot following construction, to contribute to the Official Plan target of 40% of canopy cover.

## **Right of Way Management**

The Right-of-Way Management Department has no concerns with the proposed Consent Application. New Private Approach permits are required to establish any

- **new** proposed entrances for future development, as well as to modify or close an existing entrance that becomes redundant.
- It appears that looks like 2 new entrances are being developed in a semidetached dwelling. Please contact the ROW Department for further information at rowadmin@ottawa.ca

#### CONDITIONS

If approved, the Planning, Development, and Building Services Department requests that the Committee of Adjustment impose the following conditions on the application:

- 1. That the Owner/Applicant(s) provide a tree planting, prepared to the satisfaction of the Manager of Development Review All Wards Branch within Planning, Development and Building Service Department, or their designate, showing the location(s) and species of ultimate size of at least one new tree (50 mm caliper) per lot, in addition to any compensation tree required under the Tree Protection By-law. Planting within the municipal right-of-way [or frontage] should be prioritized, where space allows, to enhance the streetscape and maximize public benefits.
- 2. That the Owner(s) provide evidence, to the satisfaction of both the Chief Building Official and the Manager of Development Review All Wards Branch within Planning, Development and Building Services Department, or their designates, that both severed and retained parcels have their own independent water, sanitary and storm connection as appropriate, that these services do not cross the proposed severance line and are connected directly to City infrastructure. Further, the Owner(s) shall comply to 7.1.5.4(1) of the Ontario Building Code, O. Reg. 332/12 as amended. If necessary, a plumbing permit shall be obtained from Building Code Services for any required alterations.
- 3. That the Owner(s) provide proof that a grading and drainage plan, prepared by a qualified Civil Engineer, licensed in the Province of Ontario, an Ontario Land Surveyor or a Certified Engineering Technologist, delineating the existing and proposed grades for both the severed and retained lands has been provided to the satisfaction of the Manager of Development Review All Wards Branch within Planning, Development and Building Services Department, or their designate.
- 4. That the Owner(s) enter into an Agreement with the City, at the expense of the Owner(s), which is to be registered on title to deal with the following covenant/notice that shall run with the land and bind future owners on subsequent transfers:

"The property is located next to lands that have an existing source of environmental noise (arterial road) and may therefore be subject to noise and other activities associated with that use."

The Committee shall be provided a copy of the Agreement and written confirmation from City Legal Services that it has been registered on title.

5. That the Owner(s) enter into a Joint Use and Maintenance Agreement, at the expense of the Owner(s), setting forth the obligations between the Owner(s) and the proposed future owners with respect to the joint use and maintenance of all common elements including, but not limited to, the common party walls, common structural elements such as roof, footings, soffits, foundations, common areas, and common landscaping.

The Owner shall ensure that the Agreement is binding upon all unit owners and successors in title and shall be to the satisfaction of Manager of Development Review All Wards Branch within Planning, Development and Building Services Department, or their designate, or City Legal Services. The Committee shall be provided written confirmation that the Agreement is satisfactory to the Manager of Development Review All Wards Branch within Planning, Development and Building Services Department, or their designate, or is satisfactory to City Legal Services, as well as a copy of the Agreement and confirmation that it has been registered on title.

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