

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

To be held by the Planning and Growth Management Committee
(Under the Planning Act)

Proposed Amendments to: City of Toronto Zoning By-law No. 569-2013; former City of Toronto By-law 438-86; former City of North York By-law 7625; former City of Scarborough By-laws Employment By-law 24982; former City of York By-law 1-83; former Borough of East York By-laws 6752 and 1916 and former City of Etobicoke Zoning Code.

DATE: January 13, 2014
TIME: 10:00 a.m., or as soon as possible thereafter
PLACE: City Hall, Committee Room 1, 2nd Floor
100 Queen Street West, Toronto

PROPOSAL

The City of Toronto is proposing to enact amendments to the Zoning By-laws listed in this Notice, which regulate the use of the land, the size and location of buildings and structures, parking and loading. These amendments are intended to:

- 1) create a definition for Medicinal Marihuana Production Facilities;
- 2) identify the zones which will permit a Medicinal Marihuana Production Facilities; and
- 3) create use specific regulations for:
 - where this use may occur on the lot;
 - open storage;
 - lot separation distances from sensitive uses;
 - ancillary building and structure location; and
 - loading space locations.

Zones to be amended to permit a Medicinal Marihuana Production Facility are:

Amalgamated City of Toronto By-law 569-2013, E and EH Zones;
City of Toronto By-law 438-86, I2, I3 and I4 Zones;
City of North York By-law 7625, M2 and M3 Zones;
City of Scarborough By-law 24982, E, M, MG and MS Zones;
City of York By-law 1-83, BC and SI Zones;
Borough of East York By-law (Leaside) 1916, M1, M2 and BC Zones;
Borough of East York By-law 6752, HPI Zone;
City of Etobicoke Zoning Code, I.C1, I.C2 and I.C3 Zones.

These changes may affect the approval of building permits, zoning certificates or other applications for a minor variance, a consent to sever, an amendment to a zoning by-law, an Official Plan amendment or a Minister's zoning order and any appeals of these matters, as well as outstanding appeals of Zoning By-law 569-2013. All land owners and applicants should review the proposed amendments to the various Zoning By-laws carefully, and consult with your professional advisors about the proposed changes and how they may impact your lands or development applications.

The City will be holding a statutory public meeting prescribed by section 34(12) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13 as amended and O. Reg 545/06 to ensure that sufficient information and material is made available to enable the public to understand generally the proposed amendments to the Zoning By-laws listed in this Notice, and to give the public an opportunity to review and ask questions about the information and material, as well as make representations in respect of the proposed amendments.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

1. The statutory public meeting will be held on January 13, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. or as soon as possible thereafter, in Committee Room 1, City Hall, 100 Queen Street West, Toronto. Further information on the proposed amendments to the Zoning By-laws listed in this Notice can be obtained by calling

Klaus Lehmann
416-392-0175

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416-392-0185

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416-392-0189

2. Given that the Zoning By-laws listed in this Notice regulate the use of lands within the geographic boundaries of the amalgamated City of Toronto, a key map has not been provided with this Notice.
3. Additional information and material about the proposed amendments to the Zoning By-laws listed in this Notice will be available for inspection Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at Metro Hall, 22nd Floor, 55 John Street, Toronto, Ontario.
4.
 - i. If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting, or make written submissions to the Clerk, City of Toronto before the proposed amending By-law is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of council of the City of Toronto to the Ontario Municipal Board.
 - ii. If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting, or make written submissions to the Clerk, City of Toronto before the By-law is enacted, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Municipal Board unless, in the opinion of the Board, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

Formal submissions by letter may be forwarded to the City Clerk, Attention: Nancy Martins, Administrator, Planning and Growth Management Committee, Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West, 10th Floor, West Tower, Toronto, ON, M5H 2N2, Fax: 416-392-1879 or E-mail: pgmc@toronto.ca.

You are invited to attend the public meeting to make your views known regarding the proposal. To assist in scheduling, if you wish to address the Planning and Growth Management Committee, please notify Nancy Martins, Administrator, Planning and Growth Management Committee, by calling 416-397-4579, or e-mail pgmc@toronto.ca by no later than 12:00 p.m. on January 12, 2014.

FURTHER INFORMATION

If you wish to be notified of the passing of the amendments to By-law-569-2013, you must make a written request to the City Clerk, attention: Nancy Martins, Administrator, Planning and Growth Management Committee, at the above noted address or by Fax: 416-392-1879.

People writing or making presentations at the public meeting: The City of Toronto Act, 2006, and the City of Toronto Municipal Code authorize the City of Toronto to collect any personal information in your communication or presentation to City Council or its committees.

The City collects this information to enable it to make informed decisions on the relevant issue(s). If you are submitting letters, faxes, e-mails, presentations or other communications to the City, you should be aware that your name and the fact that you communicated with the City will become part of the public record and will appear on the City's website. The City will also make your communication and any personal information in it, such as your postal address, telephone number or e-mail address, available to the public, unless you expressly request the City to remove it.

The City videotapes committee and community council meetings. If you make a presentation to a committee or community council, the City will be videotaping you and City staff may make the video tapes available to the public. Questions about the collection of this information may be directed to the City Clerk's Office at 416-397-4579.

Dated at the City of Toronto this 20th day of December, 2013.

Ulli S. Watkiss
City Clerk

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