Amendment No. XXX to Mississauga Official Plan

The following text and Map 'A' attached hereto constitute Amendment No. XXX

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Amendment is to amend Schedule 10 to redesignate the Subject Lands and to amend the Downtown Cooksville Character Area to include the Subject Lands as a Special Site.

LOCATION

The lands affected by this Amendment are located on the west side of Hurontario Street, south of John Street, north of Hillcrest Avenue. The land is municipally addressed as 25 Hillcrest Avenue and 3154 Hurontario Street. The Subject Lands are located within the Downtown Cooksville Character Area, as identified in the Mississauga Official Plan.

BASIS

The Mississauga Official Plan came into effect on November 14, 2012, save and except for the outstanding site specific appeals at the Ontario Land Tribunal.

The Mississauga Official Plan ('MOP') contains a City Structure which outlines where growth ought to be encouraged and discouraged within the City. The City Structure is comprised of Intensification Areas and Non-Intensification Areas. Intensification Areas include Downtown, Major Nodes, Community Nodes, Corporate Centres, Intensification Corridors and Major Transit Station Areas. Intensification Areas are the principal location for future growth within the City. The Subject Lands are located within the Downtown, with a Major Transit Station Area and along an Intensification Corridor where transit-oriented development is encouraged.

As per the Downtown Cooksville Character Area, a maximum building height of six storeys is permitted and a density is not specified. The City requires that a Special Site policy be added to the MOP for the proposed building height and density: this has been included in the enclosed implementing Official Plan Amendment.

The Subject Lands are currently split designated 'Residential High Density' and 'Mixed Use'. Permitted uses on the Subject Lands include apartment dwelling, uses permitted in the Residential Medium Density designation and uses permitted in the Convenience Commercial designation at-grade in apartment dwellings, commercial parking facility, financial institution, funeral establishment, markerspaces, motor vehicle rental, motor vehicle sales, overnight accommodation, personal service establishment, post-secondary educational facility, residential in conjunction with other permitted uses, restaurant, retail store and secondary office.

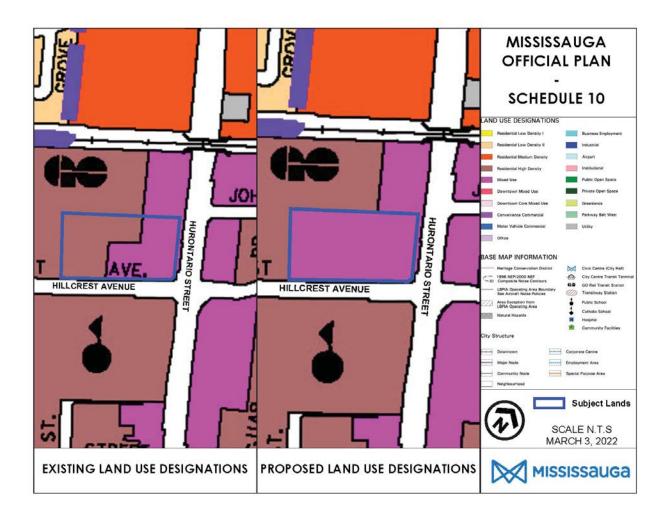
The Official Plan Amendment is required to redesignate the Subject Lands to 'Mixed Use'. As previously stated, the Subject Lands are located within the Downtown Cooksville Character Area of the Mississauga

Official Plan. This Amendment proposes to revise the Downtown Cooksville Character Area to add the Subject Lands as a Special Site. This proposed Special Site policy will permit a range of accessory uses on the lands, maximum building heights of 34, 36, 39, 46 and 46 storeys, respectively and a Floor Space Index of 7.5. Overall, the proposed Official Plan Amendment is to redesignate the Subject Lands to 'Mixed Use – Special Site'. The proposed Official Plan Amendment is acceptable from a planning perspective and should be approved for the reasons as follows:

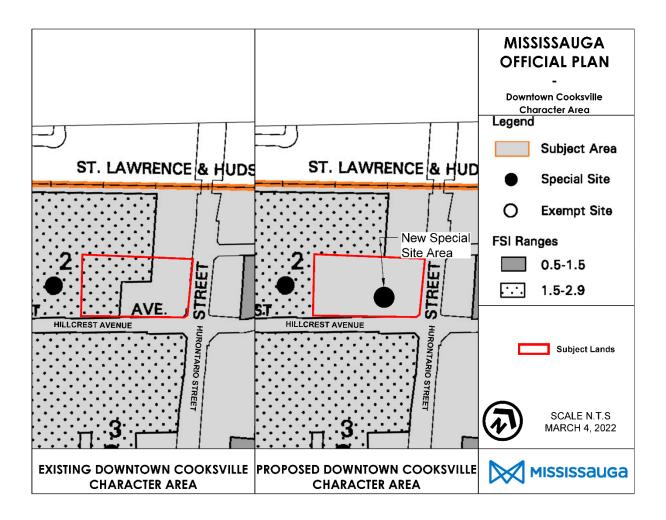
- 1. The proposed development is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement (2020) and conforms to and does not conflict with A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (2020). In addition, the proposed development will bring the Peel Regional Official Plan (2021) and the Mississauga Official Plan (2021) into consistency with the Provincial Policy Statement and into conformity with A Place to Grow. The proposed development represents reinvestment and intensification of an underutilized site and will better utilize transit infrastructure investments.
- 2 The Subject Lands are located within an Urban Growth Centre, within a Major Transit Station Area, adjacent to the Cooksville GO Station and within a comfortable 5-minute walking distance of higher order transit stops including the Cooksville GO Station, the planned Hurontario Light Rail Transit Station at John Street and Hurontario Street as well as the planned Dundas Bus Rapid Transit Station at Dundas Street West and Hurontario Street. Furthermore, the Subject Lands is located along an Intensification Corridor and in proximity to the Dundas Street Intensification Corridor. As noted in A Place to Grow, the Peel Regional Official Plan and the Mississauga Official Plan, these are areas for intensification and compact, mixed-use, high density development. Transit-supportive development should be directed to these locations.
- *3.* The proposed development will utilize existing servicing and future servicing can be provided in an efficient, cost-effective manner.
- 4. The proposal with heights of 34 46 storeys and a Floor Space Index of 7.5 is a transit-supportive development on lands that are well-served by existing and future transit networks. The Site is also well-served by existing greenspace, active transit networks and service and retail establishments in the surrounding area. Bringing additional residents, new community infrastructure and local employment opportunities to this otherwise underutilized parcel will bring families and households within comfortable walking distance to an abundance of services, facilities and amenities which will support the creation of Cooksville as a complete, 15-minute, walkable community.
- 5. The proposed development will improve and contribute to the Hurontario Street streetscape by providing animated podiums situated close to the streetline, with a mixture of uses at-grade, directly accessible from the public sidewalk. This will enable an active, main street with high pedestrian activity.

DETAILS OF THE AMENDMENT AND POLICIES RELATIVE THERETO

1. Schedule 10, Land Use Designations, of the Mississauga Official Plan, is hereby amended by redesignating the lands to 'Mixed Use'.



2. Section 12.4, Downtown Cooksville Character Area, of the Mississauga Official Plan, is hereby amended by adding Special Site X to Map 12-4, Downtown Cooksville Character Area, in accordance with the Special Site Policies.



- *3.* Section 12.4.3, Special Site Policies Downtown Cooksville Character Area, of the Mississauga Official Plan is hereby amended by removing the Subject Lands from Special Site Policy 2 and by adding the following:
 - 12.4.3.XX The lands identified as Special Site X are located on the west side of Hurontario Street, south of John Street, north of Hillcrest Avenue and east of GO Access Road.
 - 12.4.3.XX Notwithstanding the policies of this Plan, apartment buildings with a maximum height of 46 storeys will be permitted.

IMPLEMENTATION

Upon the approval of this Amendment by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Mississauga, the Mississauga Official Plan will be amended in accordance with this Amendment.

The lands will be rezoned to implement this Amendment.

This Amendment has been prepared based on the Office Consolidation of the Mississauga Official Plan dated October 21, 2021.

INTREPRETATION

The provisions of the Mississauga Official Plan, as amended from time to time, regarding the interpretation of that Plan, will apply in regard to this Amendment.

This Amendment supplements the intent and policies of the Mississauga Official Plan.

A By-law to Adopt Mississauga Official Plan Amendment No. XXX

WHEREAS in accordance with the provisions of Sections 17 and 21 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.. 1990, c.P. 13, as amended ('*Planning Act*'), Council may adopt an Official Plan or an amendment thereto;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to subsection 17(10) of the *Planning Act*, the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing authorized the Regional Municipality of Peel ('Region' or 'Regional') an approval authority, to exempt from its approval any or all proposed Local Municipal Official Plan Amendments;

AND WHEREAS, Regional Council passed By-law Number 1 – 2000 which exempted all Local Municipal Official Plan Amendments adopted by local Council in the Region after March 1, 2000, provided that they conform with the Regional Official Plan and comply with conditions of exemption;

AND WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Public Works for the Region has advised that, with regard to Amendment No. XXX, in his or her opinion the Amendment conforms with the Regional Official Plan and is exempt;

AND WHEREAS, Council desired to adopt certain amendments to the Mississauga Official Plan regarding a land use designation change, to modify a Special Site Policy within the Downtown Cooksville Character Area and to add a Special Site Policy within the Downtown Cooksville Character Area;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the City of Mississauga ENACTS as follows:

| The document attached hereto hereby adopted. | , constituting Amendment No. > | XXX to Mississauga Official Plan, is |
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| ENACTED and PASSED this | day of | , 20XX. |
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