

Introduction to Planning

Presentation to
Planning Advisory Committee

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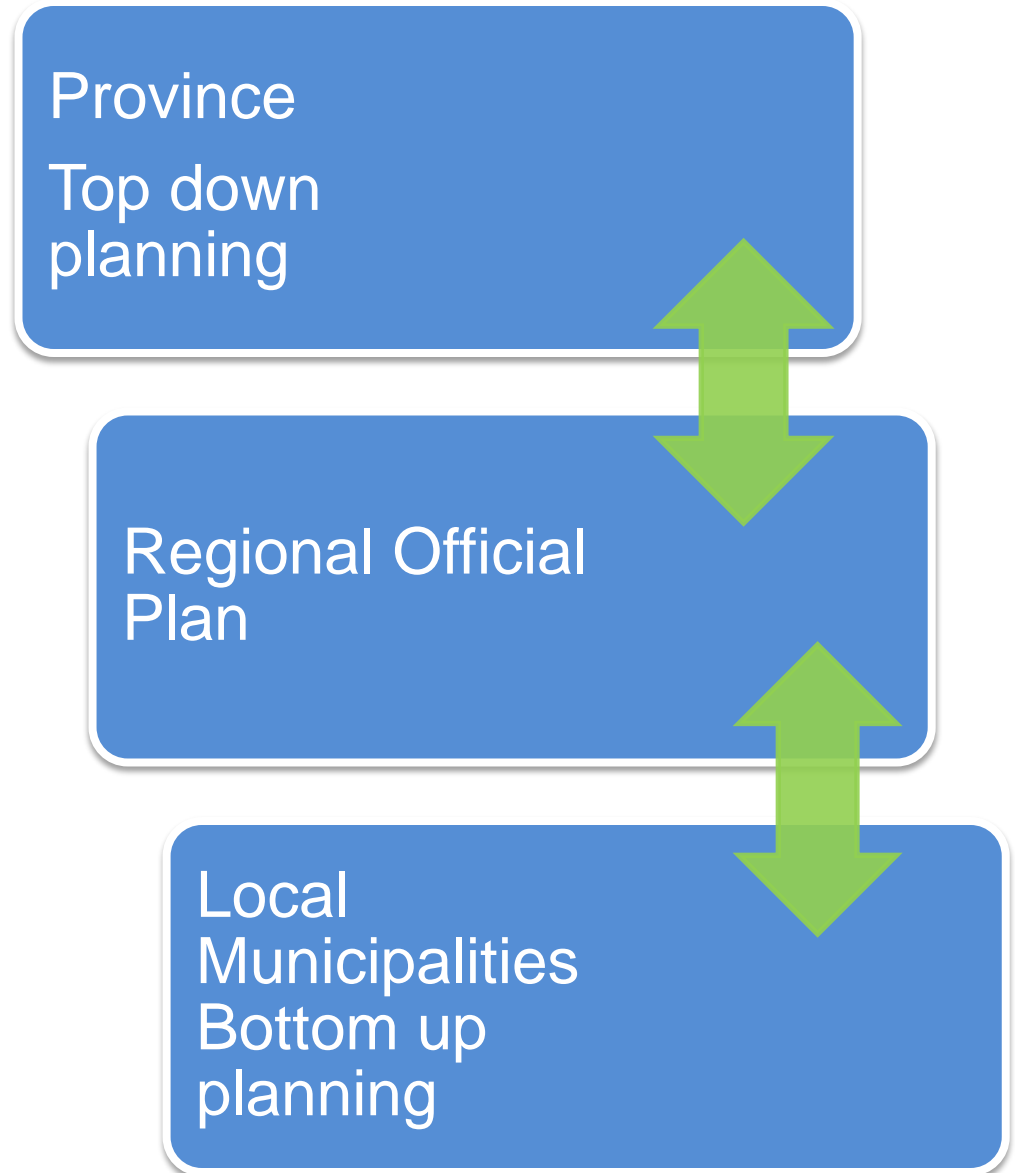


Planning for the Future

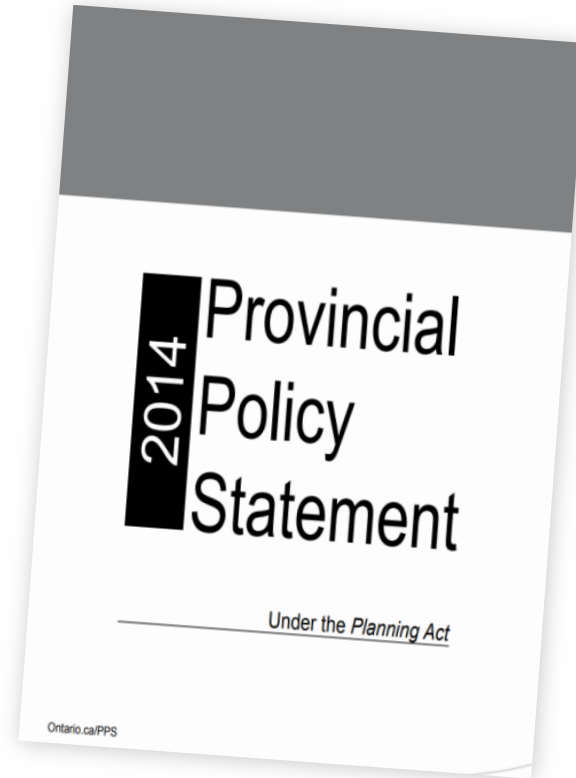
Land Use Planning In Ontario



Planning Framework

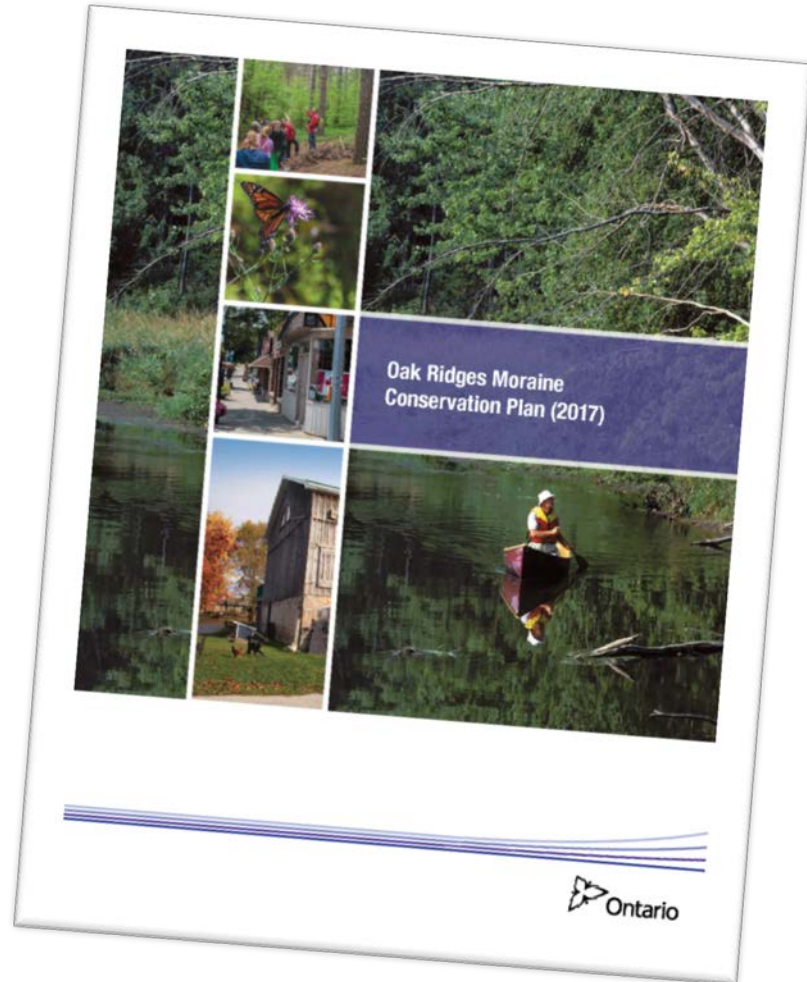
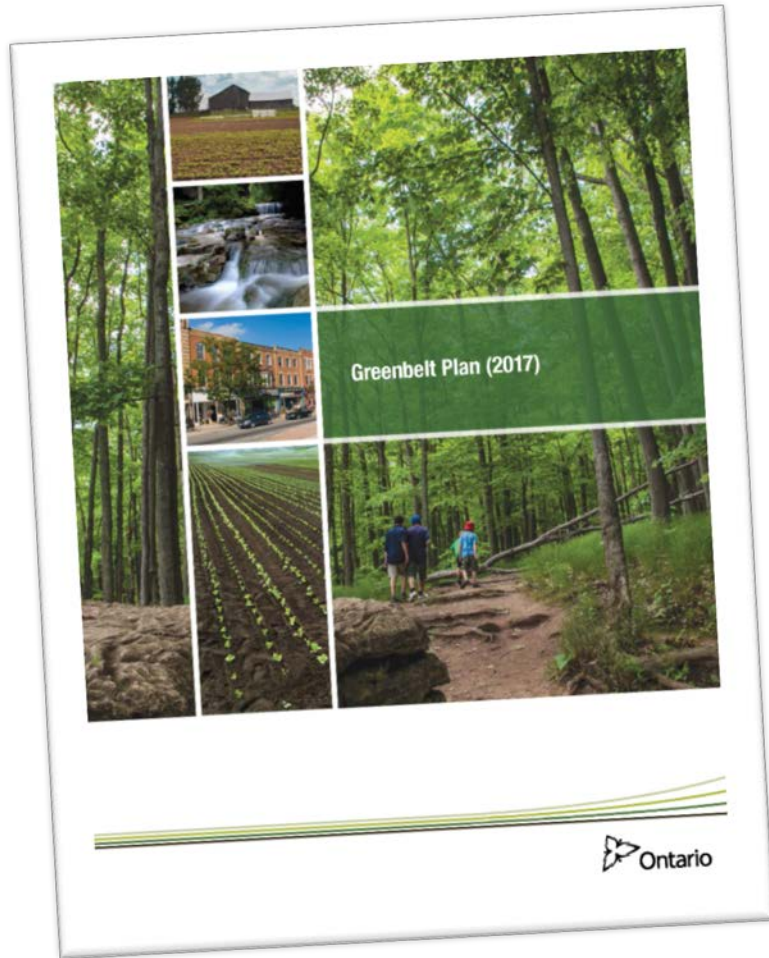


Provincial Policy Documents



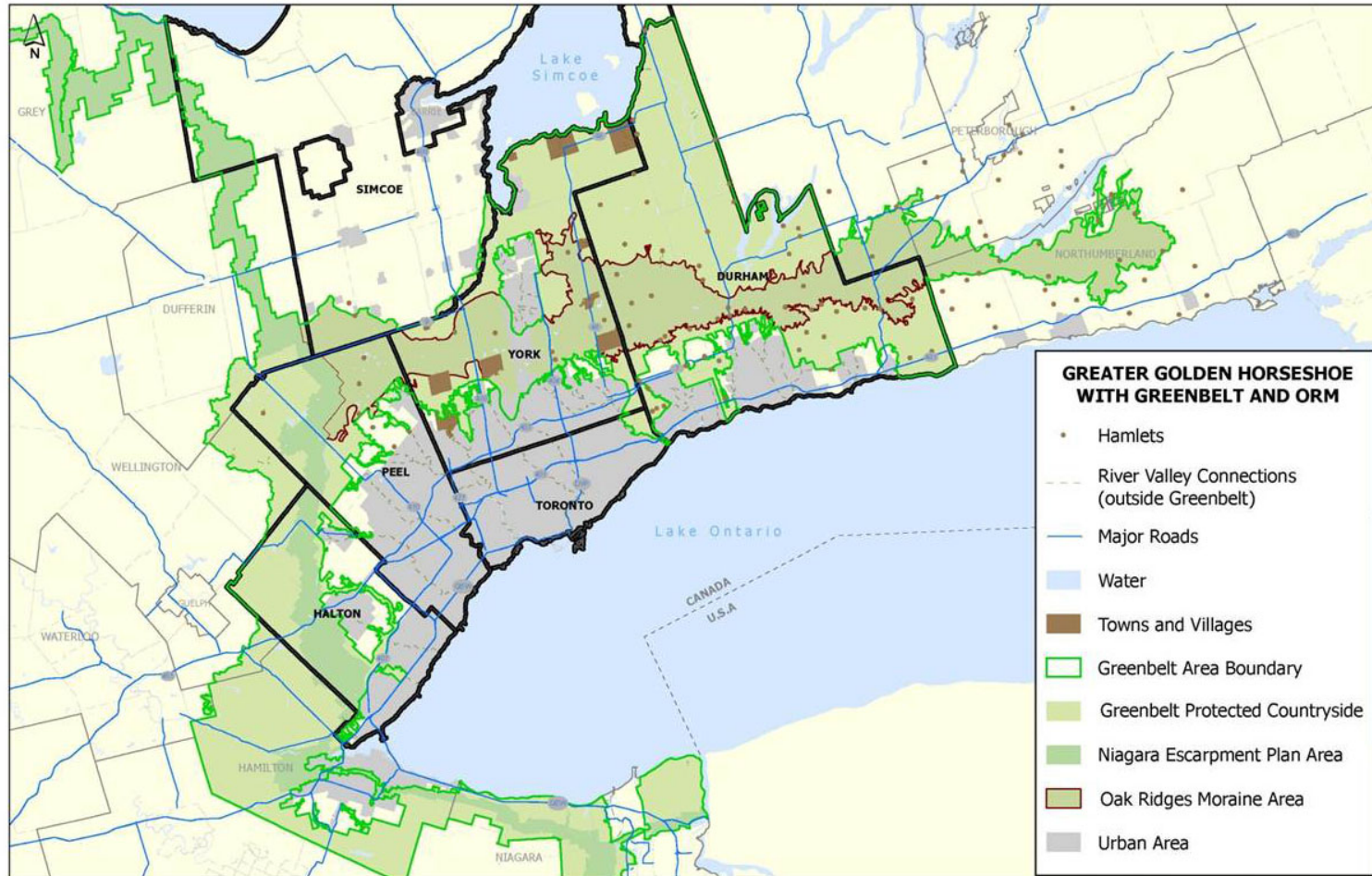
Municipalities are 'creatures' of the Province

Provincial Plans



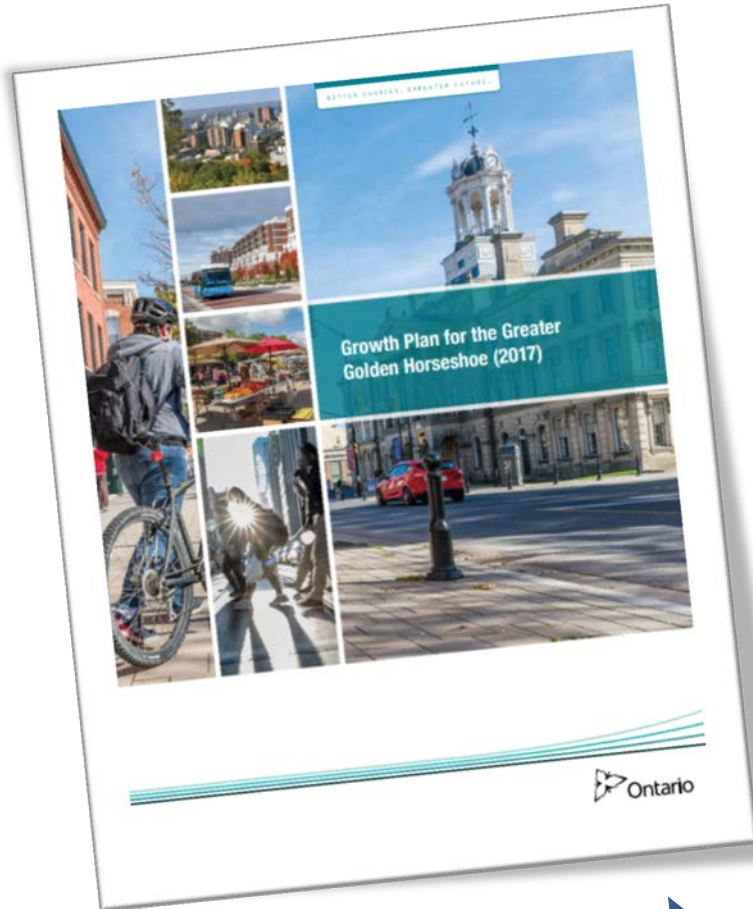
York Region is protected by the Greenbelt Plan and Oak Ridges Moraine Conservation Plan

Oak Ridges Moraine



Centrally located, York Region contributes 69% of its land base to the Oak Ridges Moraine and Greenbelt Plan areas

Growth Plan



Complete Communities

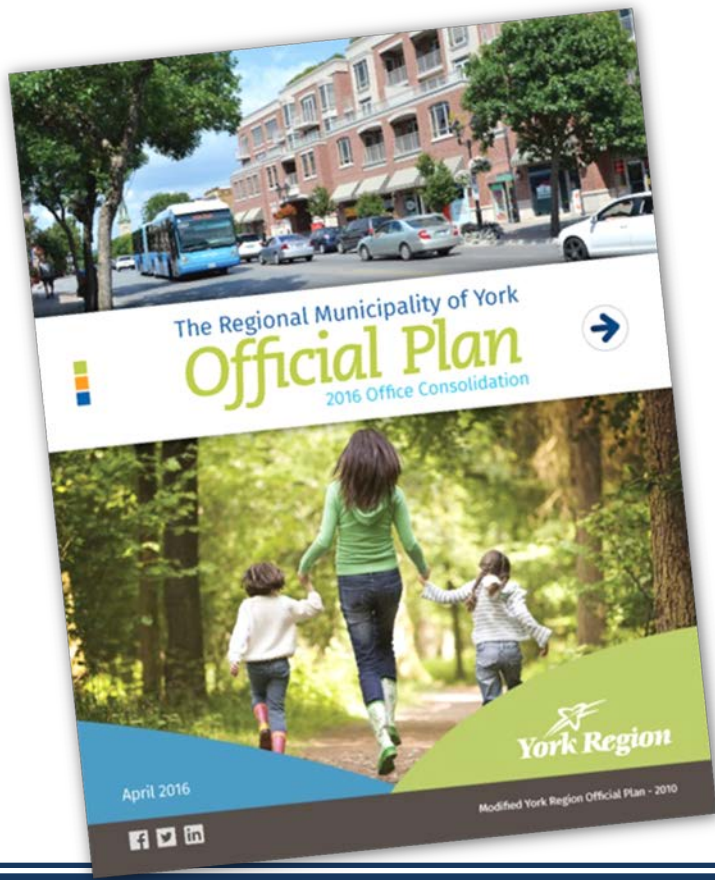


Regional Planning

Vision 2051



Eight Goal Areas and Corresponding Action Areas



Towards a Sustainable Region

Regional Official Plan Policy Areas

Sustainable Natural Environment

Healthy Communities

Economic Vitality

An Urbanizing Region

Agricultural and Rural Areas

Servicing our Population

Provincially Protected Areas

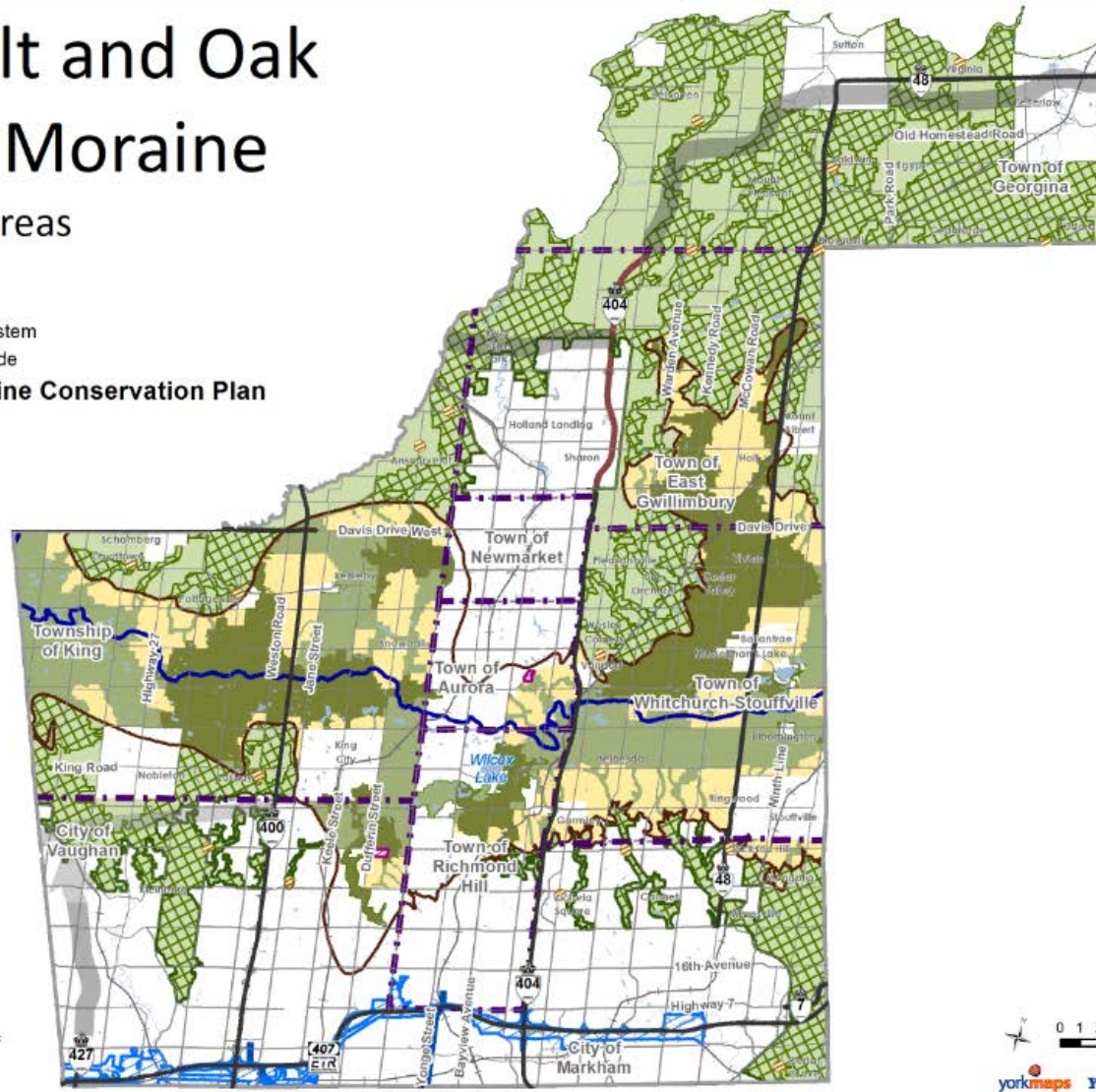
Greenbelt and Oak Ridges Moraine Protected Areas

Greenbelt Plan

-  Natural Heritage System
-  Protected Countryside

Oak Ridges Moraine Conservation Plan

-  Core
-  Countryside
-  Linkage



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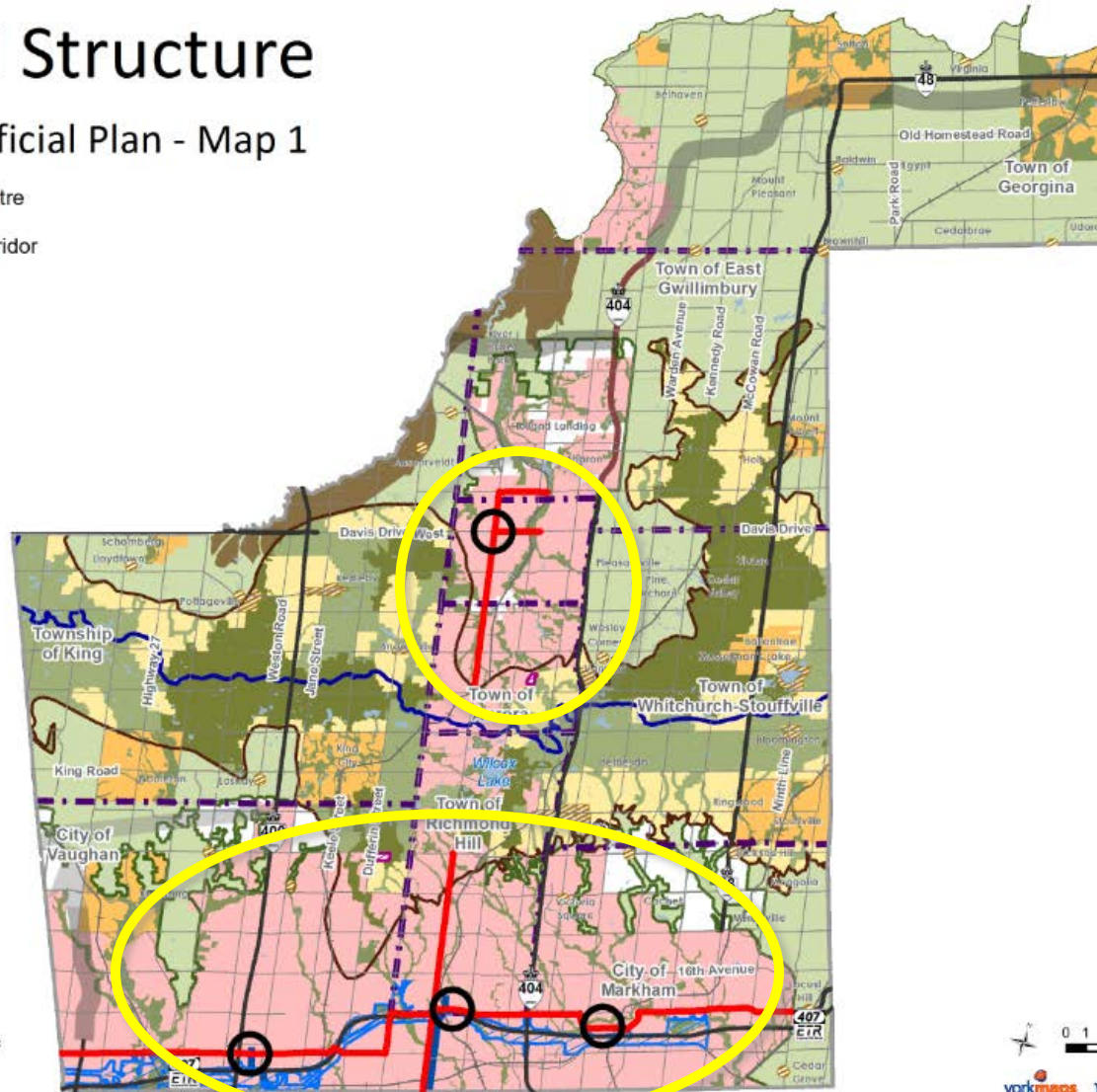


Planned Urban Structure

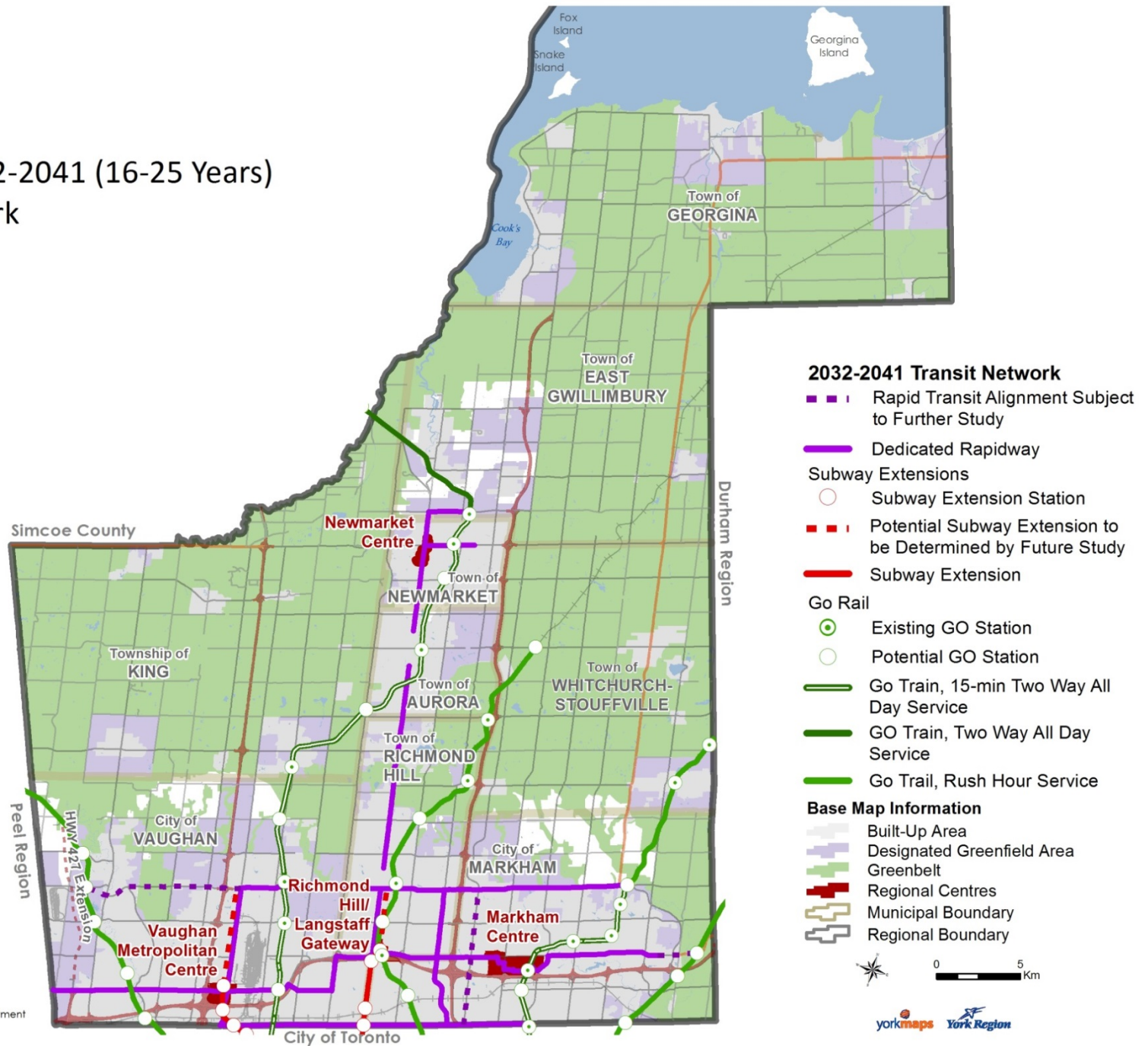
Regional Structure

Regional Official Plan - Map 1

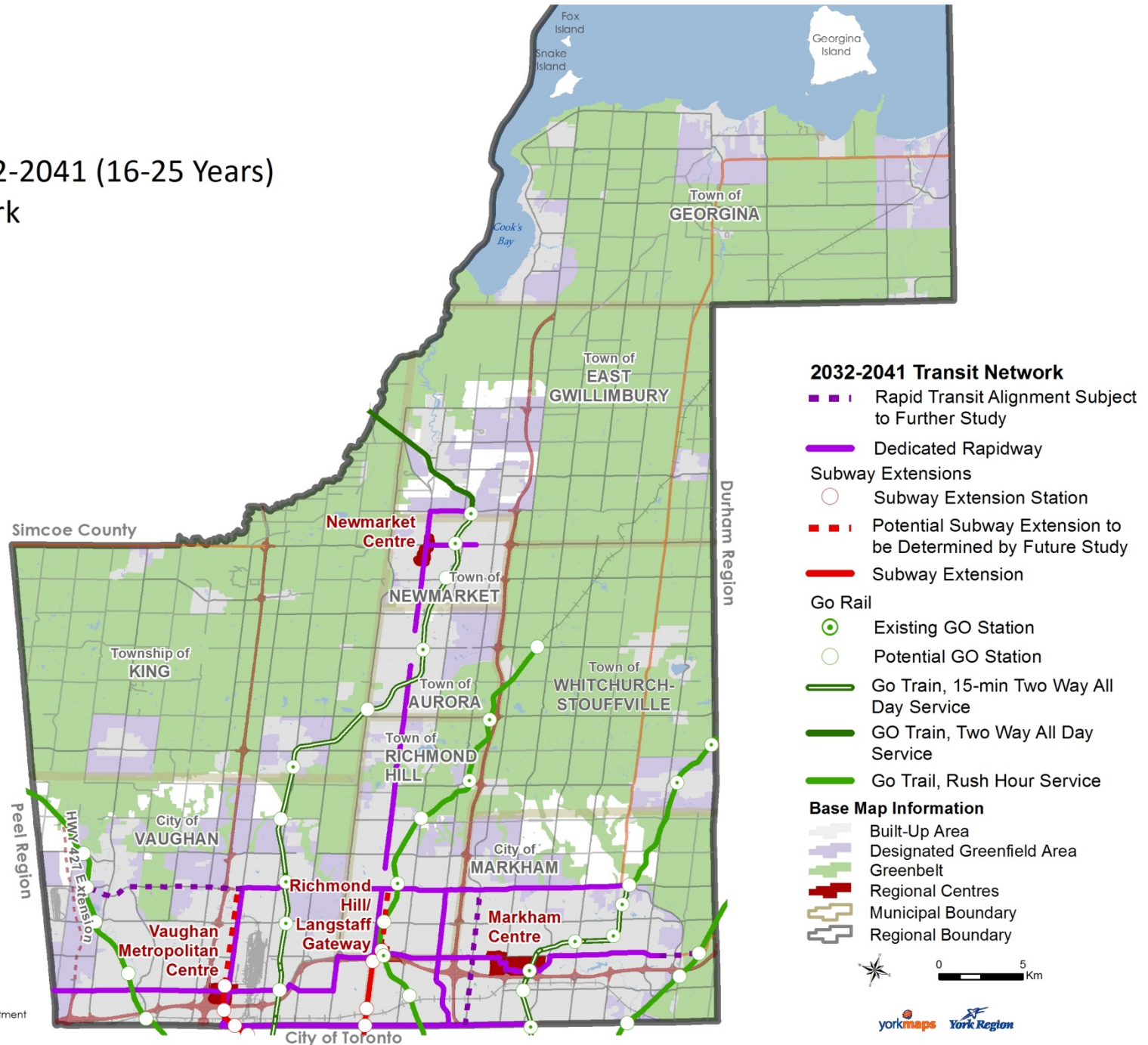
- Regional Centre
- Regional Corridor



Proposed 2032-2041 (16-25 Years) Transit Network



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Municipal Comprehensive Review

**Municipal
Comprehensive
Review (MCR)**

Regional Official Plan Update

Vision 2051

Transportation and Water
Wastewater Master Plans

Background

- Municipal Comprehensive Review resumed in 2017
- Consultation builds on previous input and feedback



MCR Strategies and Background Studies

Land Needs
Assessment & Land
Budget

Intensification Strategy

Housing Strategy

Employment Strategy

Infrastructure
Coordination

Climate Change

Agricultural and Natural
Heritage Systems

Fiscal Impact Analysis

Policy Review and
ROP Update

MCR

Infrastructure Master Plans

Transportation Services

- Transportation Master Plan

Environmental Services

- Water & Wastewater Master Plan

Finance

- Fiscal Impact Analysis

Consultation and Coordination

Extensive collaboration
with local municipalities

Indigenous Communities

Public and stakeholder
consultation

Coordination with Vision
2051 update

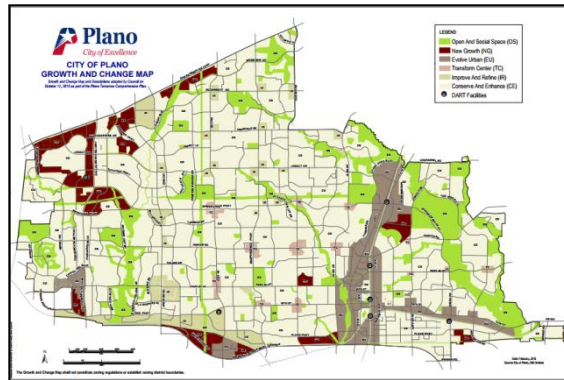
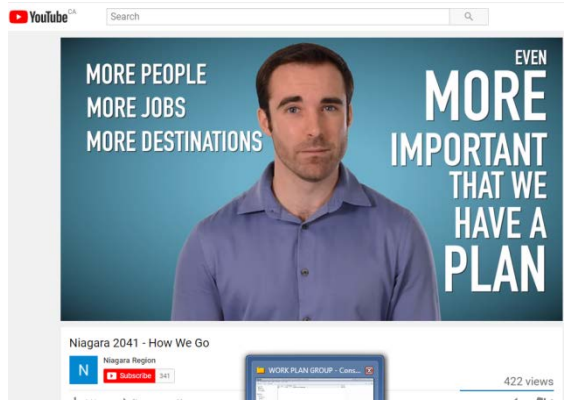
Alignment with:

Water and Wastewater
Master Plan

Transportation Master
Plan

Development Charges
background study update

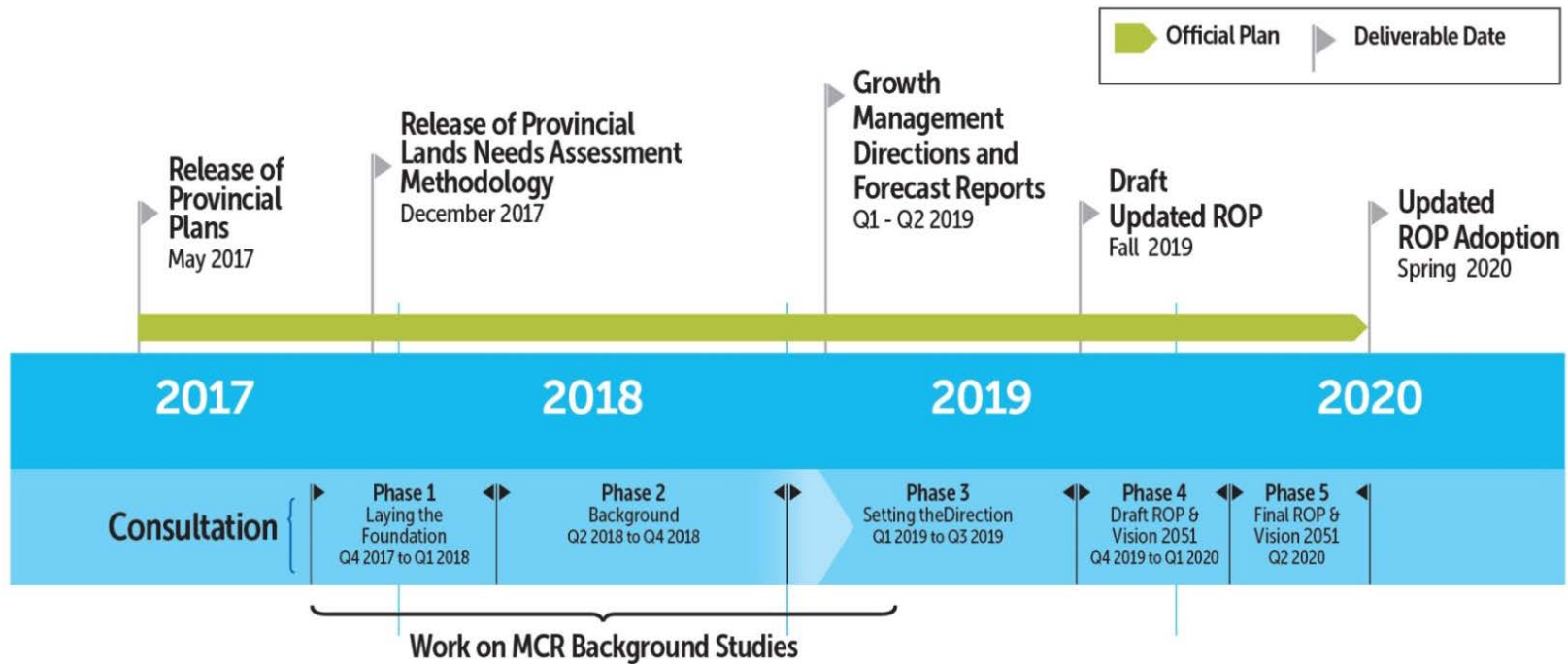
Public Engagement Techniques



- Education videos
- Photo contests
- Interactive mapping
- Walking tours
- Online conferencing
- Public open houses
- Online surveys & social media



Timeline for MCR

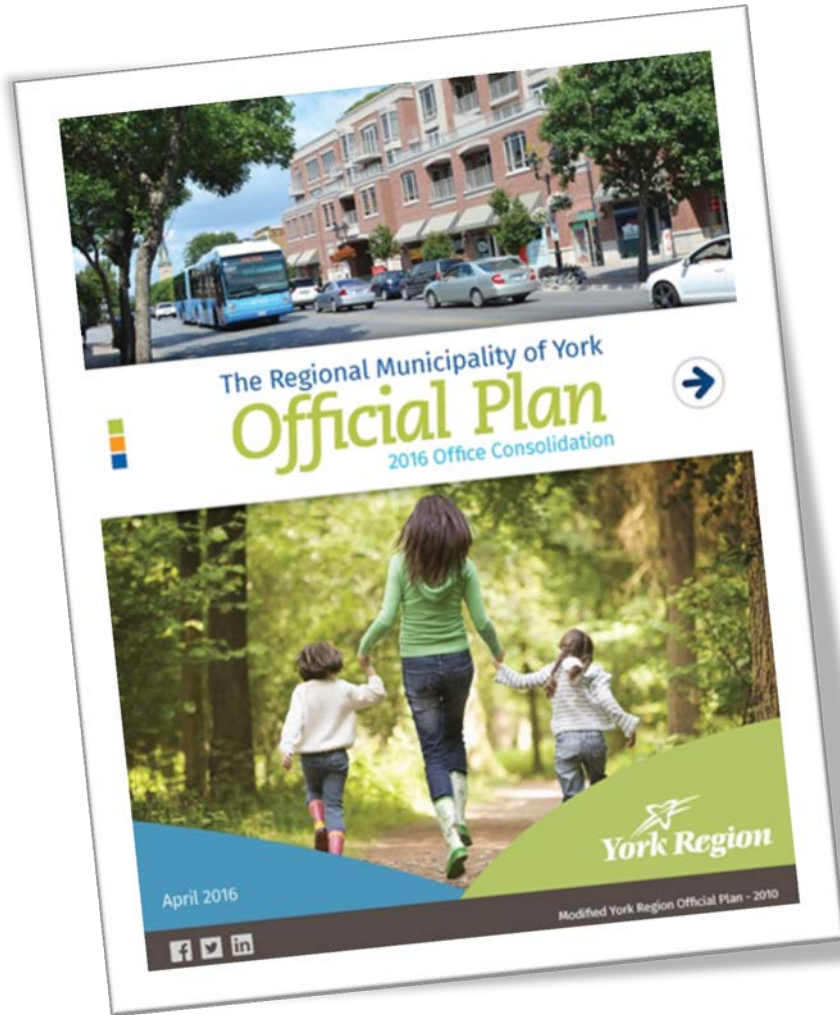


The MCR will be a standing item on the agenda for the PAC



Local Planning

Local Official Plans



Local Official Plans conform to the Regional Official Plan

Local Municipal Planning





Planning **Advisory** Committee

Role of the PAC

Input on MCR – Standing item on Agenda

Proposed, new or revised plans, legislation and initiatives from Provincial Ministries, Federal departments and other agencies that affect planning issues in York Region

Updates and amendments to the ROP

Other studies warranting additional consideration, as referred by Regional Council or staff

Terms of Reference



Mandate: To provide Regional Council and staff with advice regarding key land use planning matters in York Region.

Questions?



Your community, your say.