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Reference: 745 Smyth Road

**Transportation Impact Assessment** 

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We are pleased to submit the following Transportation Impact Assessment (TIA), in support of a Site Plan Control application at 745 Smyth Road, for your review and signoff. The structure and format of this report is in accordance with the City of Ottawa's *Transportation Impact Assessment Guidelines* (June 2017).

If you have any questions or comments regarding this report, please feel free to contact Brad Byvelds, or the undersigned.

Yours truly,

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- 3. I have substantial experience (more than 5 years) in undertaking and delivering transportation impact studies (analysis, reporting and geometric design) with strong background knowledge in transportation planning, engineering or traffic operations; and
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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This Transportation Impact Assessment (TIA) has been prepared in support of a Site Plan Control application for the property located at 745 Smyth Road. The subject site is approximately 3.84 hectares in size, and is currently occupied by Vincent Massey Public School. Students attending the school range from junior kindergarten to eighth grade. The subject site is currently served by one full-movement access to Smyth Road, one full-movement access to Edgecombe Street, and one egress on Edgecombe Street.

The subject site is surrounded by the following:

- Residential uses and Halstead Street to the north.
- Smyth Road and residences to the south,
- · Residences and Haig Drive to the east, and
- Edgecombe Street and residences to the west.

Modifications relating to staff parking and school bus access are proposed, and there will not be any modifications or expansions to the school building. It is proposed that the existing full-movement parking lot accesses to Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street will be removed, and the northern egress to Edgecombe Street will be converted to a full-movement access. A new bus loop is proposed along Smyth Road between the fire lane access and the existing staff parking lot access, which will allow buses to pick up and drop off students on-site. School buses currently pick up and drop off students using the curbside lane on Smyth Road. These proposed modifications are anticipated to be completed in 2023.

The subject site is designated as 'Corridor – Mainstreet' (Smyth Road) on Schedule B3 of the City of Ottawa's Official Plan. The existing zoning for the property is 'Minor Institutional' (I1A).

The study area for this report includes the boundary roadways Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street, as well as the intersections at Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road and Smyth Road/ Haig Drive.

The conclusions and recommendations of this TIA can be summarized as follows:

#### Development Design and Parking

- Pedestrian walkways are provided between the existing sidewalk along Smyth Road and the school entrances, and between the staff parking lot and the westernmost entrance. A new 2.5m-wide sidewalk is proposed on the north side of the new bus loop, and a new 2.0mwide sidewalk is proposed through the landscaped island formed by the proposed bus loop. Sidewalks across the proposed accesses to Smyth Road will be continuous, per City standards.
- Bicycle parking is proposed adjacent to the northeast corner of the existing parking lot, and at the western and central entrances to the school. In total, approximately 75 bicycle parking spaces are proposed.
- Bus stops #7243, #7245, #8358, and #8563 are within 400m walking distance of the school's main entrance. Transit riders travelling to/from the site would do so at these stops using OC Route 55. The proposed on-site bus loop will allow students to arrive and depart the school in a safer manner.

- A double-wide on-site bus loop is proposed with ingress and egress on Smyth Road. The
  proposed bus loop will have a width of 7.5m and a parallel length of approximately 70m.
  The width of the bus loop allows for two rows of buses to queue within the site and wait for
  students to load. Once all students are loaded onto the buses, the buses will depart one at
  a time.
- Garbage collection currently takes place in the northeastern corner of the existing parking
  lot. No changes to the route for garbage trucks are proposed. The on-site fire route will
  include the proposed bus loop along Smyth Road.
- The proposed number of vehicle parking spaces after parking lot modifications and the
  existing number of bicycle parking spaces meet the minimum requirements of the City's ZBL
  and Accessibility Design Standards.

#### **Boundary Streets**

- Based on the results of the segment MMLOS analysis:
  - Both Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street do not meet the target pedestrian level of service (PLOS) A;
  - Edgecombe Street meets the target bicycle level of service (BLOS) D and Smyth Road does not meet the target BLOS B;
  - Smyth Road meets the target transit level of service (TLOS) D;
  - o Smyth Road meets the target truck level of service (TkLOS) D.
- Smyth Road can only achieve the best-possible PLOS C by implementing sidewalks with a
  minimum width of 2.0m and boulevard width of 2.0m. The existing 1.5m asphalt sidewalk
  will be removed and replaced with a 2m-wide concrete sidewalk, achieving the maximum
  PLOS C, for the limits of the proposed bus loop.
- Edgecombe Street achieves a PLOS C on the east side and PLOS F on the west side, as a sidewalk is only provided on the east side from Smyth Road to Hastings Avenue. The target PLOS A can be achieved by implementing 2.0m sidewalks with a minimum boulevard width of 0.5m, or 1.8m sidewalks with a minimum boulevard width of 2.0m. This is identified for the City's consideration.
- Smyth Road achieves a BLOS F. A separated facility is the only way to achieve the target BLOS B, based on the operating speed of 60 km/h. This is identified for the City's consideration.

#### Access Design

- The parking lot will be modified to be served by a single full-movement access to Edgecombe Street. Signage at the existing egress to Edgecombe Street will be removed to adjust the driveway to a two-way access. No changes to the access itself are required, as it is wide enough to accommodate two-way traffic.
- The proposed bus loop will include an ingress and an egress to Smyth Road. The ingress and egress meet all relevant provisions of the *Private Approach By-Law* (PABL) and the Transportation Association of Canada (TAC)'s *Geometric Design Guide for Canadian Roads*.
- The proposed development is recommended from a transportation perspective.

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#### 1.0 SCREENING

#### 1.1 Introduction

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The subject site is surrounded by the following:

- Residential uses and Halstead Street to the north,
- Smyth Road and residences to the south,
- · Residences and Haig Drive to the east, and
- Edgecombe Street and residences to the west.

An aerial of the vicinity around the subject site is provided in **Figure 1**.



#### 1.2 Proposed Development

Modifications relating to staff parking and school bus access are proposed, and there will not be any modifications or expansions to the school building. It is proposed that the existing full-movement parking lot accesses to Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street will be removed, and the northern egress to Edgecombe Street will be converted to a full-movement access. A new bus loop is proposed along Smyth Road between the fire lane access and the existing staff parking lot access, which will allow buses to pick up and drop off students on-site. School buses currently pick up and drop off students using the curbside lane on Smyth Road. These proposed modifications are anticipated to be completed in 2023.

The subject site is designated as 'Corridor – Mainstreet' (Smyth Road) on Schedule B3 of the City of Ottawa's Official Plan. The existing zoning for the property is 'Minor Institutional' (I1A).

A copy of the preliminary site plan is included in **Appendix A**.

#### 1.3 Screening Form

The City's 2017 TIA Guidelines identify three triggers for completing a TIA report, including trip generation, location, and safety. The criteria for each trigger are outlined in the City's TIA Screening Form, which is included in **Appendix B**. The trigger results are as follows:

- Trip Generation Trigger The development is not anticipated to generate any new person trips; further assessment is **not required** based on this trigger.
- Location Triggers The development proposes new connections to a Spine Cycling Route; further assessment is **required** based on this trigger.
- Safety Triggers New connections are proposed within 150m of adjacent traffic signals; further assessment is **required** based on this trigger.

#### 2.0 SCOPING

#### 2.1 Existing Conditions

#### 2.1.1 Roadways

All roadways within the study area fall under the jurisdiction of the City of Ottawa.

Smyth Road is an arterial roadway that generally runs on an east-west alignment between Rideau River Drive and St. Laurent Boulevard/Russell Road. The roadway continues as Main Street west of Rideau River Drive, and as Lancaster Road east of St. Laurent Boulevard/Russell Road. Within the study area, Smyth Road has a four-lane undivided urban cross-section and asphalt sidewalks on both sides of the roadway. On either side of the study area, Smyth Road has posted speed limit signs of 50 km/h, with school zone signage within the study area. Smyth Road is classified as a truck route, allowing full loads. Street parking is not permitted between 7:00am and 7:00pm on weekdays between Dauphin Street/Botsford Street South and Haig Drive. On the north side of the roadway, the westbound curbside lane is designated as a school bus loading zone during these hours. The City of Ottawa's Official Plan identifies a right-of-way (ROW) protection of 26m within the study area, and therefore a widening is not required.

Haig Drive is a collector roadway that generally runs on a north-south alignment between Kilborn Avenue and Russell Road. South of Kilborn Avenue, the roadway continues as Canterbury Avenue. Within the study area, Haig Drive has a two-lane urban cross-section, asphalt sidewalks on both sides of the roadway south of Smyth road, an asphalt sidewalk on the west side of the roadway north of Smyth Road, and an unposted speed limit of 50 km/h. Haig Drive is not classified as a truck route. Street parking is generally permitted south of Smyth Road and on the west side of Haig Drive north of Smyth Road (excluding the first 25m north of Smyth Road), and is permitted between April 1 and November 30 on the east side of Haig Drive north of Smyth Road (excluding the first 25m).

Dauphin Road is a collector roadway that generally runs on a north-south alignment between Smyth Road and Haig Drive/Portage Avenue. Dauphin Road has a two-lane urban cross-section, an asphalt sidewalk on the west side, and an unposted speed limit of 50 km/h. The roadway is not classified as a truck route. Street parking is not permitted between Smyth Road and Hamlet Road, and is generally permitted south of Hamlet Road.

Botsford Street South is a local roadway that runs on a north-south alignment, starting at Smyth Road and terminating approximately 250m north of Smyth Road. Botsford Street South has a two-lane urban cross-section, no sidewalks, and a posted speed limit of 40 km/h. The roadway is not classified as a truck route. Street parking is not permitted on the east side of the roadway, and is restricted on the west side of the roadway between 8:00am and 5:00pm on weekdays.

Edgecombe Street is a local roadway that runs on a north-south alignment for approximately 210m north of Smyth Road, before continuing as Halstead Street. Edgecombe Street has a two-lane urban cross-section, an asphalt sidewalk on the east side of the roadway between Smyth Road and Hastings Avenue, and a posted speed limit of 40 km/h. The roadway is not classified as a truck route. Street parking is generally permitted north of Hastings Avenue, and stopping is generally restricted south of Hastings Avenue (from 7:00am to 7:00pm on weekdays on the west side, and at all hours on the east side).

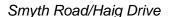
The roadway of the greater area surrounding the subject site is illustrated in Figure 2.



#### 2.1.2 Intersections

#### Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road

- Signalized four-legged intersection
- North Approach (Botsford Street South): one shared left turn/through/right turn lane
- South Approach (Dauphin Road): one left turn lane and one shared through/right turn lane
- East/West Approaches (Smyth Road): one shared left turn/through lane and one shared through/right turn lane
- Zebra-striped crosswalk on west approach, and standard crosswalks on north, south, and east approaches



- Signalized four-legged intersection
- North/South Approaches (Haig Drive): one shared left turn/through/right turn lane
- East/West Approaches (Smyth Road): one shared left turn/through lane and one shared through/right turn lane
- Zebra-striped crosswalk on east and west approaches, and standard crosswalks on north and south approaches





#### 2.1.3 Driveways

A review of the existing adjacent driveways along the boundary roads are provided as follows:

#### **Smyth Road, North Side**

- Ten driveways to residences at 679, 703, 705, 713, 771, 789, 793, 797, 801, 805, 809 & 813 Smyth Road
- One driveway to a church at 691 Smyth Road

#### **Edgecombe St/Halstead St, East Side**

 Four driveways to residences at 722, 728 & 732 Halstead Street, and 1801 Edgecombe Street

#### Smyth Road, South Side

17 driveways to residences at 706, 710, 714, 718, 724, 728, 732, 736, 740, 744, 748, 752, 758, 762, 766, 770, 774, 790, 794, 798, 802, 806, 810 & 814 Smyth Road

#### Edgecombe St/Halstead St, West Side

14 driveways to residences at 707, 711, 715, 719, 723 & 729 Halstead Street, and 1804, 1810, 1814, 1828, 1832, 1838, 1846, 1850 & 1854 Edgecombe Street

#### 2.1.4 Pedestrian and Cycling Facilities

Asphalt sidewalks are provided on both sides of Smyth Road and Haig Drive (south of Smyth Road), and on one side of Dauphin Road, Haig Drive (north of Smyth Road), and Edgecombe Street (between Smyth Road and Hastings Avenue).

In the City of Ottawa's primary cycling network, Smyth Road is classified as a Spine Route, and Botsford Street South, Dauphin Road, and Haig Drive are classified as Local Routes. Edgecombe Street has no cycling route designation. A multi-use pathway (MUP) connects the northern terminus of Botsford Street South and the southern terminus of Botsford Street (north of the study area). No study area roadways have any dedicated cycling facilities.

#### 2.1.5 Area Traffic Management

The Haig Drive Traffic Calming Study is a neighbourhood traffic management study that is currently underway. The study will consider traffic calming measures on Haig Drive between Smyth Road and Kilborn Avenue. Based on resident feedback, the most common concerns include vehicle speeds, pedestrian/cyclist safety, and traffic volumes.

Some neighbourhood traffic management measures have been implemented throughout the study area. School zone signage and pavement markings are included on Smyth Road and Dauphin Road, vehicle speed boards have been installed on Dauphin Road (south of Hamlet Road, for southbound vehicles) and Haig Drive (west of Saunderson Drive, for westbound vehicles), and a municipal speed camera was installed in front of Vincent Massey School in July 2020, enforcing vehicle speeds on Smyth Road.

#### 2.1.6 Transit

The locations of OC Transpo bus stops in vicinity of the subject site are described in **Table 1**, and are shown in **Figure 3**. A summary of the routes which serve the study area is included in **Table 2**. Detailed route maps and an excerpt from OC Transpo's system map are included in **Appendix C**.

Table 1: OC Transpo Transit Stops

**Routes Serviced** Stop Location #3343 North side of Smyth Road at Franco-Cité High School 645 South side of Smyth Road, west of Roger Guindon Avenue #7242 55, 609 #7243 South side of Smyth Road, west of Dauphin Road 55, 609 #7244 North side of Smyth Road, east of Roger Guindon Avenue 55, 609, 645 #7245 North side of Smyth Road, west of Haig Drive 55, 609 #7246 South side of Smyth Road, east of Saunderson Drive 55, 609 #8358 South side of Smyth Road, east of Haig Drive 55, 609 North side of Smyth Road, west of Botsford Street South 55, 609 #8563 #8568 North side of Smyth Road, east of Saunderson Drive 55, 609

**Table 2: OC Transpo Route Information** 

Route	From ↔ To	Frequency
55	Elmvale ↔ Westgate	All day service, seven days a week; 15- to 30-minute headways
609	Elmvale ↔ De La Salle H.S.	Service at select times on school days only
645	Hurdman ↔ Franco-Cité H.S.	Service at select times on school days only



#### 2.1.7 Existing Traffic Volumes

Weekday traffic counts completed by the City of Ottawa were used to determine the existing pedestrian, cyclist, and vehicular traffic volumes at the study area intersections. These counts were completed on the dates listed below:

Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road
 Smyth Road/Haig Drive
 January 8, 2019
 February 13, 2018

Based on the 2019 count, Smyth Road east of Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road has an average annual daily traffic (AADT) of approximately 20,200 vehicles per day (vpd).

Traffic count data for the study area intersections is included in **Appendix D**. Traffic volumes within the study area are shown in **Figure 4**.

HAIG BOTSFORD 9(113) 2(1) 14(30) 6(8) **€** <sub>7(3)</sub> 1110(416) 27(31) 1027(425) 33(13) SMYTH <sub>4(5)</sub> **≯** 26(94) 355(1092) 345(958) 65(221 35(10) 60(62) 39(36) AM Peak Hour (veh/h) DAUPHIN PM Peak Hour (veh/h) Signalized Intersection Unsignalized Intersection Pedestrian Movement (ped/h) Cyclist Movement (cyc/h)

**Figure 4: Existing Traffic Volumes** 

#### 2.1.8 Collision Records

Historical collision data from the last five years available was obtained from the City's Public Works and Service Department for the study area intersections and midblock segments. Copies of the collision summary reports are included in **Appendix E**.

The collision data has been evaluated to determine if there are any identifiable collision patterns, which are defined in the *2017 TIA Guidelines* as 'more than six collisions in five years' for any one movement. The number of collisions at each intersection from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2020 is summarized in **Table 3**.

**Table 3: Reported Collisions** 

	Impact Types						
Intersection or Segment	Approach	Angle	Rear End	Sideswipe	Turning Movement	SMV <sup>(1)</sup> / Other	Total
Smyth Road/ Botsford Street S./Dauphin Road	-	3	5	1	3	2	14
Smyth Road/ Haig Drive	-	9	4	1	18	-	32
Smyth Road btwn Botsford Street S. & Haig Drive	-	-	-	1	1	1	3

<sup>1.</sup> SMV = Single Motor Vehicle

#### Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road

A total of 14 collisions were reported at this intersection over the last five years, of which there were three angle impacts, five rear-end impacts, one sideswipe impact, three turning movement impacts, and two single vehicle/other impacts. Three of the 13 collisions resulted in injuries, but none caused fatalities. Six of the collisions occurred under poor driving conditions. No collisions involved cyclists, and one involved a pedestrian and a northbound left-turning vehicle.

#### Smyth Road/Haig Drive

A total of 32 collisions were reported at this intersection over the last five years, of which there were nine angle impacts, four rear-end impacts, one sideswipe impact, and 18 turning movement impacts. Eleven of the 32 collisions resulted in injuries, but none caused fatalities. Six of the collisions occurred under poor driving conditions. No collisions involved cyclists or pedestrians.

Of the nine angle impacts, four involved a northbound vehicle and an eastbound vehicle, four involved a southbound vehicle and a westbound vehicle, and one involved a southbound vehicle and an eastbound vehicle.

Of the 18 turning movement impacts, ten involved an eastbound left-turning vehicle and a westbound through vehicle, one involved an eastbound right-turning vehicle and an eastbound through vehicle, six involved a westbound left-turning vehicle and an eastbound through vehicle, and one involved a westbound right-turning vehicle and a westbound through vehicle.

The conflict between eastbound left turns and westbound throughs meet the City's threshold of an identifiable collision pattern. As auxiliary left turn lanes are not provided on Smyth Road in either direction, visibility for left-turning drivers is compromised, particularly when there are drivers attempting to turn left in both directions simultaneously. Providing auxiliary left turn lanes for the eastbound and westbound directions is likely to mitigate this type of collisions, but would require a widening of Smyth Road in vicinity of the intersection with Haig Drive.

#### Smyth Road between Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road and Haig Drive

A total of three collisions were reported along this segment over the last five years, including one at the intersection of Smyth Road/Edgecombe Street. The three collisions consisted of one sideswipe impact, one turning movement impact, and one single vehicle/other impact. One of the three collisions resulted in injuries, but did not cause any fatalities. One of the collisions occurred under poor driving conditions. No collisions involved cyclists or pedestrians.

#### 2.2 Planned Conditions

#### 2.2.1 Planned Transportation Projects

In the City's 2013 Transportation Master Plan (TMP), the Alta Vista Transportation Corridor is identified in the 2031 Roadway Network Concept as a new four-lane roadway (including two peak-period bus lanes) between the Ottawa Health Services Centre and Walkley Road at Conroy Road. The new roadway, as well as Smyth Road between the new roadway and St. Laurent Boulevard are also designated in the 2031 Rapid Transit and Transit Priority (RTTP) Network Concept as Transit Priority Corridors with Isolated Measures, and will include transit signal priority and queue jump lanes. These measures will improve transit access to the Ottawa Hospital, CHEO, and the Canadian Forces Health Care Centre. The new roadway is anticipated to address capacity deficiencies and the Environmental Assessment (EA) is complete. While this corridor is part of the City's 2031 Network Concept, it will not be implemented prior to 2031.

The 2013 Ottawa Cycling Plan does not identify any upcoming cycling infrastructure in the study area. North and west of the study area, the Cycling Plan identified the Hospital Link Crosstown Bikeway as a Phase 1 (2014-2019) project. This bikeway was recently constructed and consists of multi-use pathways on the west side of Roger Guindon Avenue and travelling through the Ottawa Hospital Campus to connect to shared-use lanes along Station Boulevard.

The 2013 Ottawa Pedestrian Plan does not identify any upcoming pedestrian infrastructure projects in vicinity of the study area.

#### 2.2.2 Other Area Developments

A review of the City's Development Application search tool has been conducted. There are multiple applications east of the study are that are in the approval process, for the following properties:

- 355 Everest Private (D07-12-19-0135);
- 700 Coronation Avenue (D07-12-20-0152);
- 1740, 1754, and 1760 St. Laurent Boulevard (D07-12-21-0177);
- 1804 St. Laurent Boulevard (D02-02-21-0153);
- 1971 and 1975 St. Laurent Boulevard (D07-12-22-0044);
- 2025 Othello Avenue (D02-02-21-0131).

Upon review of the transportation impact assessments prepared in support of those developments, the cumulative traffic impacts are anticipated to result in negligible traffic impacts on Smyth Road.

#### 2.3 Study Area and Time Periods

The study area for this report includes the boundary roadways Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street, as well as the following intersections:

- Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road
- Smyth Road/Haig Drive

The selected time periods for this TIA are the weekday AM and PM peak hours, as they represent the 'worst case' combination of site generated traffic and adjacent street traffic. The buildout year 2023 and horizon year 2028 will be considered.

#### 2.4 Exemptions Review

This module reviews possible exemptions from the final Transportation Impact Assessment, as outlined in the 2017 TIA Guidelines. The applicable exemptions for this site are shown in **Table 4**.

**Table 4: TIA Exemptions** 

Module	Element	Exemption Criteria	Status				
Design Review Component							
<b>4.1</b> Development Design	4.1.2 Circulation and Access	Only required for site plans	Not Exempt				
	4.1.3 New Street Networks	Only required for plans of subdivision	Exempt				
4.2	4.2.1 Parking Supply	Only required for site plans	Not Exempt				
Parking	4.2.2 Spillover Parking	Only required for site plans where parking supply is 15% below unconstrained demand	Exempt				

As this proposed project will not result in any additional trip generation, the Trip Generation Trigger has not been met, and therefore all Network Impact components are exempt from this TIA. Further, as no new trips will be generated, the Development-Generated Travel Demand section (including Trip Generation, Distribution, and Assignment) will not be included in this TIA. Based on the foregoing, the following modules will be included in the TIA report:

#### **Design Review Component**

- Module 4.1: Development Design
- Module 4.2: Parking
- Module 4.3: Boundary Streets
- Module 4.4: Access Design

#### 3.0 FORECASTING

#### 3.1 Development-Generated Travel Demand

The proposed modifications to the staff parking lot and the addition of a bus loop on Smyth Road is not anticipated to generate any new trips. Therefore, further review of this module is not included in this TIA.

#### 3.2 Background Traffic

A review of snapshots of the City's *Strategic Long-Range Model* and *Intersection Traffic Growth Rates (2000-2016)* has been conducted. Both resources are included in **Appendix F**. Comparing snapshots of the 2011 and 2031 AM peak hour traffic volumes, the *Strategic Long-Range Model* generally suggests negligible growth on Smyth Road. The *Intersection Traffic Growth Rates* figures, which determine growth rates based on total vehicular volumes entering the intersection, identify the growth rates of -0.2% to +0.2% at Smyth Road/Botsford Street South/Dauphin Road, and +0.2% to +2.0% at Smyth Road/Haig Drive between 2000 and 2016.

For the purposes of this study, an annual growth rate of 1% has been conservatively applied to the through traffic volumes on Smyth Road. It is assumed that this growth rate will capture traffic generated by the other area developments included in Section 2.2.2.

Background traffic volumes in 2023 are shown in **Figure 5**, and background traffic volumes in 2028 are shown in **Figure 6**.

Figure 5: 2023 Background Volumes

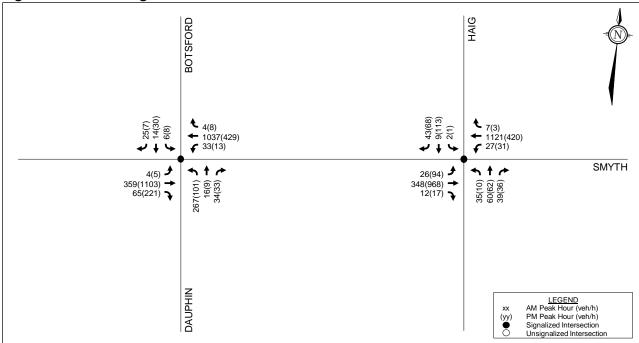
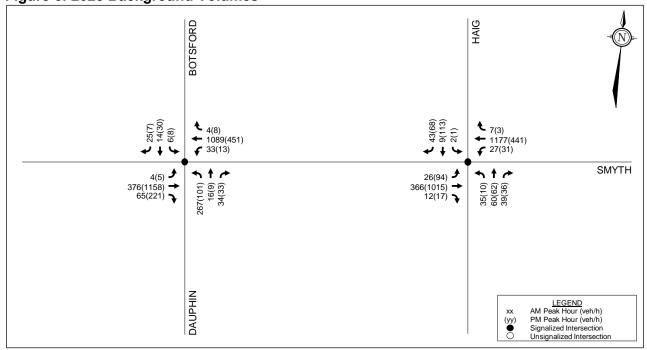


Figure 6: 2028 Background Volumes



#### 3.3 Demand Rationalization

Based on the City's 2017 TIA Guidelines, the Demand Rationalization module includes identifying any locations and approaches where total auto demand is projected to exceed capacity, and what reduction in peak hour volumes are required for demand to meet capacity. However, determining whether any approach has volumes that exceed capacity requires intersection analysis. Since the Trip Generation Trigger has not been met, all Network Impacts modules (including intersection analysis) are outside the scope of this study.

#### 4.0 ANALYSIS

#### 4.1 Development Design

#### 4.1.1 Design for Sustainable Modes

Pedestrian walkways are provided between the existing sidewalk along Smyth Road and the school entrances, and between the staff parking lot and the westernmost entrance. A new 2.5m-wide sidewalk is proposed on the north side of the new bus loop, and a new 2.0m-wide sidewalk is proposed through the landscaped island formed by the proposed bus loop. Sidewalks across the proposed accesses to Smyth Road will be continuous, per City standards.

Bicycle parking is proposed adjacent to the northeast corner of the existing parking lot, and at the western and central entrances to the school. In total, approximately 75 bicycle parking spaces are proposed. A review of the proposed bicycle parking and the minimum requirements is included in Section 4.2.

Bus stops #7243, #7245, #8358, and #8563 are within 400m walking distance of the school's main entrance. A 400m walking distance is equivalent to a five-minute walk, per OC Transpo's service design guidelines. Transit riders travelling to/from the site would do so at these stops using OC Route 55. School buses provide transit for students, who currently board and alight the school buses from the westbound curbside lane on Smyth Road. The proposed on-site bus loop will allow students to arrive and depart the school in a safer manner.

As no changes are proposed to the existing school, a review of the City's *Transportation Demand Management (TDM)-Supportive Development Design and Infrastructure Checklist* has not been conducted.

The proposed on-site bus loop and parking lot modifications will alter the existing curbside traffic regulations along the subject site's frontages to Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street. Existing and proposed signage plans for Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street are included in **Appendix G**.

#### 4.1.2 Circulation and Access

A double-wide on-site bus loop is proposed with ingress and egress on Smyth Road. The proposed bus loop will have a width of 7.5m and a parallel length of approximately 70m. The width of the bus loop allows for two rows of buses to queue within the site and wait for students to load. Once all students are loaded onto the buses, the buses will depart one at a time. The 2.5m-wide sidewalk previously described will follow the entire northern curbline of the bus loop.

Garbage collection currently takes place in the northeastern corner of the existing parking lot. No changes to the route for garbage trucks are proposed.

The on-site fire route will include the proposed bus loop along Smyth Road.

#### 4.2 Parking

The subject site is located in Area B on Schedules 1 and 1A of the City's *Zoning By-Law* (ZBL). Minimum vehicle parking and bicycle parking rates for the school as identified in Sections 101 and 111 of the ZBL, minimum accessible parking rates as identified in the City's *Accessibility Design Standards*, and the proposed number of parking spaces after modifications to the staff parking lot, are summarized in **Table 5**.

**Table 5: Required and Proposed Parking** 

Land Use	Rate	;	Units	Required	Proposed		
Minimum Vehicle	Minimum Vehicle Parking						
School, other(1	1.5 spaces per classroom	(including portables)	36 rooms	54	75		
Minimum Access	Minimum Accessible Parking						
-	3 spaces when parking s	supply totals 51 to 75	75 spaces	3	3		
Minimum Bicycle Parking							
School	1.0 spaces per 100 m <sup>2</sup>	of gross floor area	5,985 m <sup>2</sup>	60	75		

<sup>1.</sup> Per Table 101 of the ZBL, school uses are divided into 'secondary' or 'other.'

Based on the previous table, the proposed number of vehicle parking spaces after parking lot modifications and the existing number of bicycle parking spaces meet the minimum requirements of the ZBL and *Accessibility Design Standards*.

The Accessibility Design Standards outline that when three accessible spaces are required, a minimum of one Type A space (minimum width of 3.4m) must be included, while the other two may be Type B (minimum width of 2.4m). Each space must also be adjacent to a 1.5m-wide access aisle. The proposed accessible spaces have been designed to meet these standards.

#### 4.3 Boundary Streets

This section provides a review of the boundary streets Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street, using complete streets principles. The *Multi-Modal Level of Service (MMLOS) Guidelines* produced by IBI Group in October 2015 were used to evaluate the levels of service for the boundary roadways for each mode of transportation, based on existing conditions. Targets for the pedestrian level of service (PLOS), bicycle level of service (BLOS), transit level of service (TLOS), and truck level of service (TkLOS) adhere to the targets for roadways within 300m of a school, as outlined in Exhibit 22 of the *MMLOS Guidelines*.

A summary of the MMLOS review is included in **Table 6**, and the detailed MMLOS review is included in **Appendix H**.

**Table 6: Segment MMLOS Summary** 

	PLOS		BLOS		TLOS		TkLOS	
Segment	Actual	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target
Smyth Road	E	۸	F	В	D	D	Α	D
Edgecombe Street	F	A	В	D	-	-	-	-

Based on the results of the segment MMLOS analysis:

- Both Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street do not meet the target PLOS A;
- Edgecombe Street meets the target BLOS D and Smyth Road does not meet the target BLOS B;
- Smyth Road meets the target TLOS D;
- Smyth Road meets the target TkLOS D.

#### Pedestrian Level of Service

Smyth Road achieves a PLOS E. Based on Exhibit 4 of the *MMLOS Guidelines*, Smyth Road can only achieve the best-possible PLOS C by implementing sidewalks with a minimum width of 2.0m and boulevard width of 2.0m. The existing 1.5m asphalt sidewalk will be removed and replaced with a 2m-wide concrete sidewalk, achieving the maximum PLOS C, for the limits of the proposed bus loop.

Edgecombe Street achieves a PLOS C on the east side and PLOS F on the west side, as a sidewalk is only provided on the east side from Smyth Road to Hastings Avenue. The target PLOS A can be achieved by implementing 2.0m sidewalks with a minimum boulevard width of 0.5m, or 1.8m sidewalks with a minimum boulevard width of 2.0m. This is identified for the City's consideration.

#### Bicycle Level of Service

Smyth Road achieves a BLOS F. For roadways with an AADT greater than 10,000 vpd and an operating speed of 60 km/h, the *Ontario Traffic Manual (OTM)* – *Book 18* states that a 'separated facility' is appropriate (per the selection tool included in *OTM Book 18*). The selection tool used in *OTM Book 18* is shown in **Figure 7**. Based on Exhibit 11 of the *MMLOS Guidelines*, a separated facility is the only way to achieve the target BLOS B, based on the operating speed. This is identified for the City's consideration.

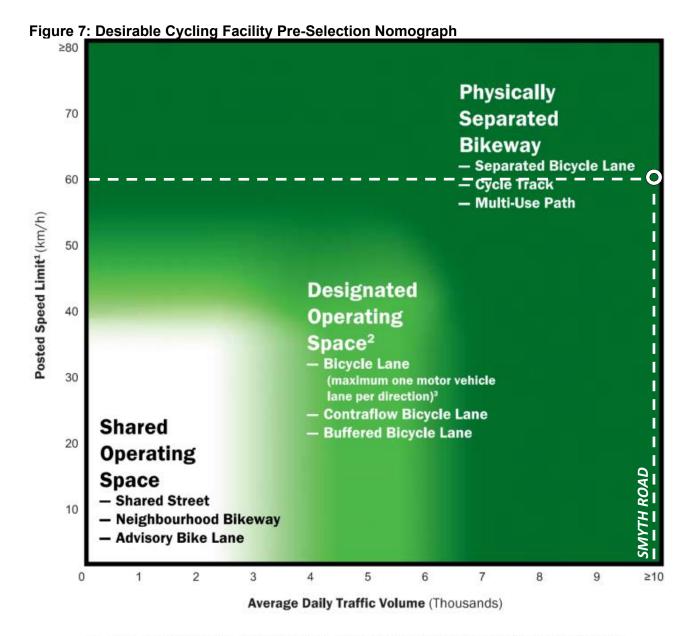
#### 4.4 Access Design

The parking lot will be modified to be served by a single full-movement access to Edgecombe Street. Signage at the existing egress to Edgecombe Street will be removed to adjust the driveway to a two-way access. No changes to the access itself are required, as it is wide enough to accommodate two-way traffic. Therefore, the characteristics of this access have not been evaluated against the provisions of the City's *Private Approach By-Law* (PABL).

The proposed bus loop will include an ingress and an egress to Smyth Road. The ingress and egress have been evaluated using the relevant provisions of the PABL and the Transportation Association of Canada (TAC)'s *Geometric Design Guide for Canadian Roads*.

Section 25(a) of the PABL identifies that a minimum of 20m of frontage to a roadway is required to permit two one-way private approaches to that roadway. As the subject site has approximately 190m of frontage to Smyth Road, the proposed bus loop meets this requirement.

Section 25(d) of the PABL identifies a maximum width requirement of 7.5m for any one-way private approach, as measured at the street line. Since the proposed bus loop accesses are 7.5m in width at the street line, this requirement is met.



- 1 Operating speeds are assumed to be similar to posted speeds. If evidence suggests this is not the case, practitioners may consider using 85th percentile speeds or implementing measures to reduce operating speeds.
- 2 Physically separated bikeways may always be considered in the designated operating space area of the nomograph.
- 3 On roadways with two or more lanes per direction (including multi-lane one-way roadways), a buffered bicycle lane should be considered the minimum with a typical facility being a physically separated bikeway.

Section 25(h) of the PABL identifies a minimum separation distance of 2m between any two oneway private approaches to the same property, as measured at the street line. Since the proposed bus loop accesses are approximately 80m apart at the street line, this requirement is met.

Section 25(m) of the PABL identifies that, when a property abuts or is within 46m of an arterial roadway, there shall be minimum distances between the nearest edge of a private approach and the nearest intersecting street line, and between the nearest edges of any two private approaches to the same property. For properties with a public use and a parking lot with 50 to 99 parking spaces, a minimum distance of 30m is required between a private approach and the nearest intersecting street line. As the nearest edge of the western bus loop access is approximately 45m from the ROW of Edgecombe Street, this requirement is met.

Section 25(p) of the PABL identifies a minimum separation distance of 3m between the nearest edge of a private approach and the property line, as measured at the street line. The nearest edge of the eastern bus loop access is approximately 50m from the eastern property line. Therefore, this requirement is met.

TAC's Geometric Design Guide identifies minimum corner clearance distances between the nearest edge of a private approach and the nearest edge of an intersecting roadway. When accessing an arterial roadway, TAC identifies minimum corner clearance requirements of 70m to the nearest intersecting roadway at a signalized intersection, and 25m to the nearest intersecting roadway at an unsignalized intersection. The proposed bus loop ingress meets the 70m requirement, as the nearest edge is approximately 93m west of Haig Drive. The proposed bus loop egress meets the 25m requirement, as the nearest edge is approximately 52m east of Edgecombe Street.

The proposed clear throat lengths of the parking lot access and the bus loop ingress are both approximately 6m. TAC's *Geometric Design Guide* does not identify minimum clear throat length requirements for schools or accesses to local roadways. There are no concerns with the proposed clear throat length of the parking lot access or the bus loop, as the bus loop is only intended for pick-ups/drop-offs and will not operate as a parking area.

A review of stopping sight distance (SSD) and intersection sight distance (ISD) at the proposed bus loop has been conducted, in accordance with the minimum requirements outlined in TAC's *Geometric Design Guide*. For the purposes of this review, an operating speed of 60 km/h has been assumed for Smyth Road (i.e. 10 km/h greater than the posted speed limit of 50 km/h). Therefore, TAC outlines the following SSD and ISD requirements for the bus loop accesses to Smyth Road:

- SSD: 85m required;
- ISD, looking right to turn left out of bus loop egress: 130m required;
- ISD, looking left to turn right out of bus loop egress: 110m required.

As Smyth Road does not have any vertical or horizontal curves that impact sightlines at the subject site, the required sight distances are met.

#### 5.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the foregoing, the conclusions and recommendations of this TIA can be summarized as follows:

#### Development Design and Parking

- Pedestrian walkways are provided between the existing sidewalk along Smyth Road and the school entrances, and between the staff parking lot and the westernmost entrance. A new 2.5m-wide sidewalk is proposed on the north side of the new bus loop, and a new 2.0mwide sidewalk is proposed through the landscaped island formed by the proposed bus loop. Sidewalks across the proposed accesses to Smyth Road will be continuous, per City standards.
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  students to load. Once all students are loaded onto the buses, the buses will depart one at
  a time.
- Garbage collection currently takes place in the northeastern corner of the existing parking lot. No changes to the route for garbage trucks are proposed. The on-site fire route will include the proposed bus loop along Smyth Road.
- The proposed number of vehicle parking spaces after parking lot modifications and the existing number of bicycle parking spaces meet the minimum requirements of the ZBL and Accessibility Design Standards.

#### **Boundary Streets**

- Based on the results of the segment MMLOS analysis:
  - Both Smyth Road and Edgecombe Street do not meet the target pedestrian level of service (PLOS) A;
  - Edgecombe Street meets the target bicycle level of service (BLOS) D and Smyth Road does not meet the target BLOS B;
  - Smyth Road meets the target transit level of service (TLOS) D;
  - Smyth Road meets the target truck level of service (TkLOS) D.
- Smyth Road can only achieve the best-possible PLOS C by implementing sidewalks with a
  minimum width of 2.0m and boulevard width of 2.0m. The existing 1.5m asphalt sidewalk
  will be removed and replaced with a 2m-wide concrete sidewalk, achieving the maximum
  PLOS C, for the limits of the proposed bus loop.

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- The proposed bus loop will include an ingress and an egress to Smyth Road. The ingress and egress meet all relevant provisions of the *Private Approach By-Law* (PABL) and the Transportation Association of Canada (TAC)'s *Geometric Design Guide for Canadian Roads*.

Based on the foregoing, the proposed development is recommended from a transportation perspective.

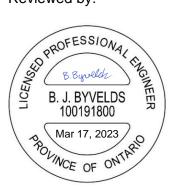
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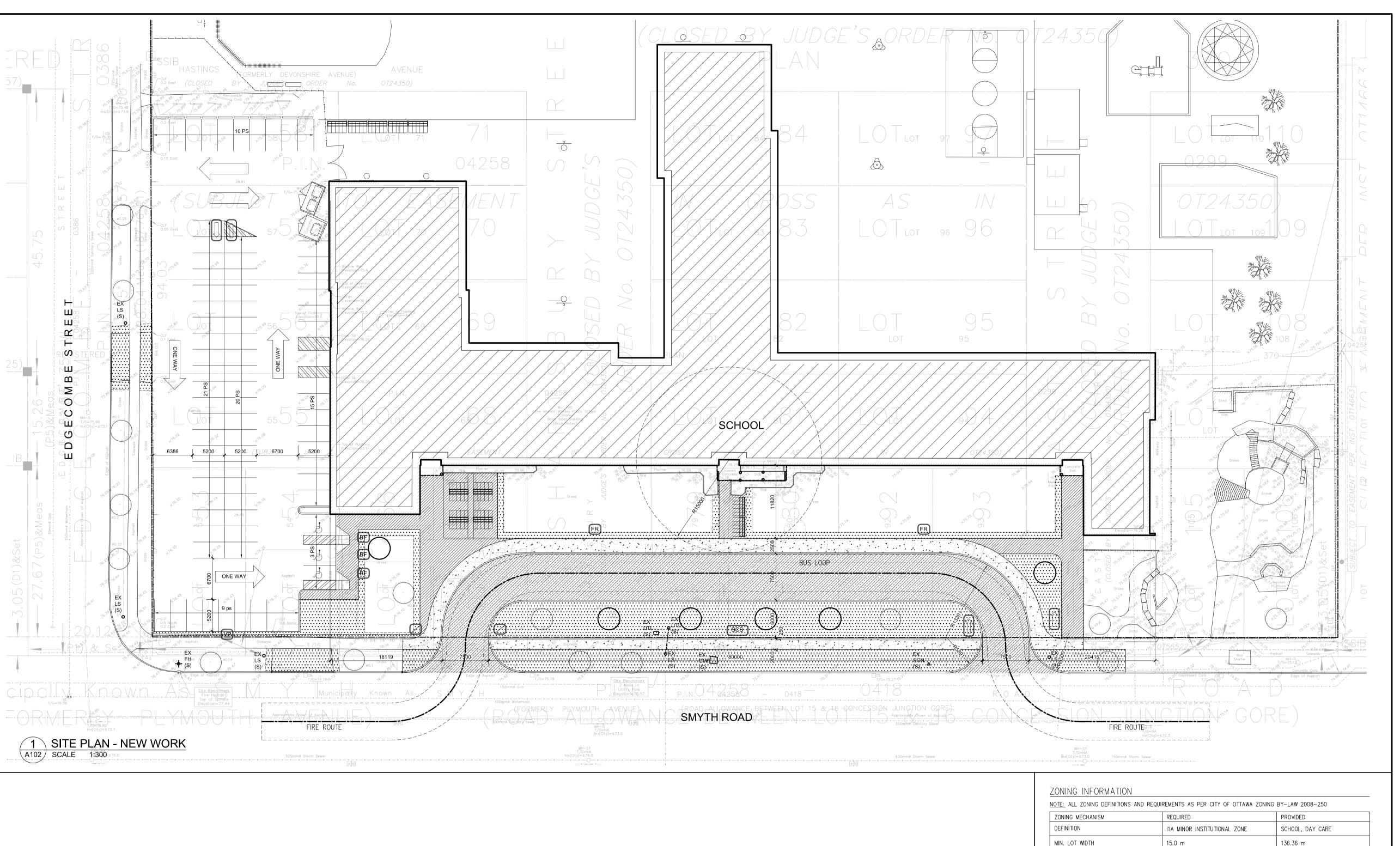
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# **APPENDIX A**

Preliminary Site Plan



SIGN FACE TO BE 3mm THICK —

ALUM. C/W BAKED ENAMEL

SIGN FACE WRAPPED ON SIDE

WHITE VINYL TEXT & LOGO —

C/W REFLECTIVE COATING

250x250x10 ALUMINUM BASE

ANCHORS W/ HY150 ADHESIVE,

165min. ENBEDMENT ANCHOR

PLATE C/W 4-16 DIA. HILTI

PROJECTION 75mm ABOVE

BASE PLATE —

400mm DIA.—

COLOUR PURPLE PMS 519

1500

BIKE RACKS DETAIL
SCALE 1: 25

1800 7

1500

2135

SIGN TO BE ONE SIDED FACING STREET.

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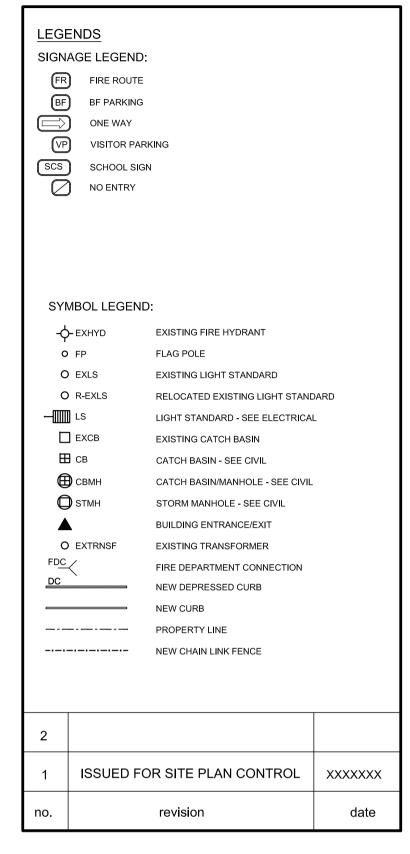
PUBLIC SCHOOL

NOTE:

BASE BELOW PLAN FOR BACKFILL & COMPACTION

400mm DIA.—
CONCRETE BASE PLATE
REFER TO GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER





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DISCREPANCIES BEFORE WORK COMMENCES. DO NOT SCALE DRAWINGS.

4 ZONING MATRIX
SCALE NTS

MIN. LOT AREA

MIN. FRONT YARD SETBACK

MIN. REAR YARD SETBACK

MAX. BUILDING HEIGHT

- 100x100mm H.S.S.

ALUM. POSTS & TOP

CROSSER WELDED &

BRACING AS REQ'D

ANODIZED FRAMING

SIGN FACE TO BE

3mm THICK ALUM.

COLOUR

1234

STREET NAME

C/W BAKED ENAMEL

PMS: COOL GREY 5C

- VINYL TEXT OCDSB

400mm DIA. SONO

TUBES, WRAP C/W

2 LAYERS 6mil.

POLYETHELENE

PURPLE PMS 519 C/W

REFLECTIVE COATING

CLEAR LIGHT

MAX. FLOOR SPACE INDEX

MIN. INTERIOR SIDE YARD SETBACK

MIN. CORNER SIDE YARD SETBACK

MIN. WIDTH OF LANDSCAPED AREA

PARKING LANDSCAPE BUFFER

PRIVATE APPROACH PROVISIONS:

STANDARD PARKING SPACE

PARALLEL PARKING SPACE

ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACE

PARKING REQUIREMENTS

BARRIER FREE ACCESSIBLE

BICYCLE PARKING RATE

APPROACH

400 m²

7.5 m

7.5 m

7.5 m

4.5 m

15.0 m

SPACES

TABLE 3

2 TYPE 'A', 1 TYPE 'B'

SCH00L 72 (1/100m2)

DISTANCE BETWEEN A TWO WAY PRIVATE 2003-447, ITEM (I)(ii), FOR A APPROACH AND ANY OTHER PRIVATE PARKING LOT CONTAINING 20-99

ABUTTING A STREET = 3m

ABUTTING A STREET = 3 m

2.6m WIDTH x 5.2m LENGTH

2.6m WIDTH x 6.7m LENGTH

3.66m WIDTH x 5.2m LENGTH

TOTAL EXISTING = 67 PARKING SPACES

AS PER CITY OF OTTAWA ACCESSIBILITY

DESIGN STANDARDS, PARGRAPH 3.1.2,

NOT ABUTTING A STREET = 3 m

15.0 m, AS PER OTTAWA BY-LAW

FOR A PARKING LOT CONTAINING 100+

 $28,365 \text{ m}^2 (\pm 7 \text{ Acres})$ 

ABUTTING A STREET 3 m

NOT ABUTTING A STREET 3 m

2.6m WIDTH x 5.2m LENGTH

2.6m WIDTH x 6.7m LENGTH

3.66m WIDTH x 5.2m LENGTH

75 PARKING SPACES

3 ACCESSIBLE PARKING

SPACES (2xTYPE 'A' + 1xTYPE 'B')

75 BICYCLE SPACES

7.5 m

66 m ?

n/a

5 m

8.5 m

24.0 m

0.15

# **APPENDIX B**

TIA Screening Form



# City of Ottawa 2017 TIA Guidelines Screening Form

#### 1. Description of Proposed Development

Municipal Address	745 Smyth Road
Description of Location	Northeast corner of Smyth Road/Edgecombe Street
Land Use Classification	Elementary School
Development Size (units)	-
Development Size (m²)	-
Number of Accesses and Locations	Two new accesses to Smyth Road and one existing access to Edgecombe Street; removal of one access to Smyth Road and one access to Edgecombe Street
Phase of Development	1
Buildout Year	

If available, please attach a sketch of the development or site plan to this form.

#### 2. Trip Generation Trigger

Considering the Development's Land Use type and Size (as filled out in the previous section), please refer to the Trip Generation Trigger checks below.

Land Use Type	Minimum Development Size
Single-family homes	40 units
Townhomes or apartments	90 units
Office	3,500 m²
Industrial	5,000 m <sup>2</sup>
Fast-food restaurant or coffee shop	100 m²
Destination retail	1,000 m²
Gas station or convenience market	75 m <sup>2</sup>

<sup>\*</sup> If the development has a land use type other than what is presented in the table above, estimates of person-trip generation may be made based on average trip generation characteristics represented in the current edition of the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) Trip Generation Manual.

If the proposed development size is greater than the sizes identified above, the Trip Generation Trigger is satisfied.



# 3. Location Triggers

	Yes	No
Does the development propose a new driveway to a boundary street that is designated as part of the City's Transit Priority, Rapid Transit or Spine Bicycle Networks?	✓	
Is the development in a Design Priority Area (DPA) or Transit-oriented Development (TOD) zone?*		✓

<sup>\*</sup>DPA and TOD are identified in the City of Ottawa Official Plan (DPA in Section 2.5.1 and Schedules A and B; TOD in Annex 6). See Chapter 4 for a list of City of Ottawa Planning and Engineering documents that support the completion of TIA).

If any of the above questions were answered with 'Yes,' the Location Trigger is satisfied.

#### 4. Safety Triggers

	Yes	No
Are posted speed limits on a boundary street are 80 km/hr or greater?		✓
Are there any horizontal/vertical curvatures on a boundary street limiting sight lines at a proposed driveway?		✓
Is the proposed driveway within the area of influence of an adjacent traffic signal or roundabout (i.e. within 300 m of intersection in rural conditions, or within 150 m of intersection in urban/suburban conditions)?	✓	
Is the proposed driveway within auxiliary lanes of an intersection?		✓
Does the proposed driveway make use of an existing median break that serves an existing site?		✓
Is there is a documented history of traffic operations or safety concerns on the boundary streets within 500 m of the development?		✓
Does the development include a drive-thru facility?		✓

If any of the above questions were answered with 'Yes,' the Safety Trigger is satisfied.

#### 5. Summary

	Yes	No
Does the development satisfy the Trip Generation Trigger?		✓
Does the development satisfy the Location Trigger?	✓	
Does the development satisfy the Safety Trigger?	✓	

If none of the triggers are satisfied, <u>the TIA Study is complete</u>. If one or more of the triggers is satisfied, <u>the TIA Study must continue into the next stage</u> (Screening and Scoping).

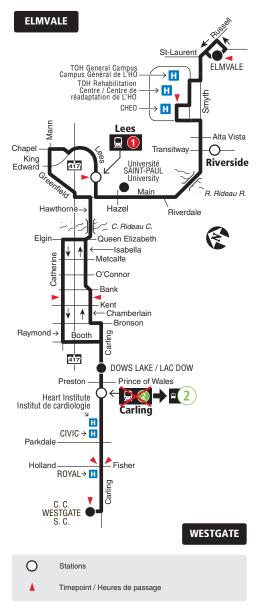
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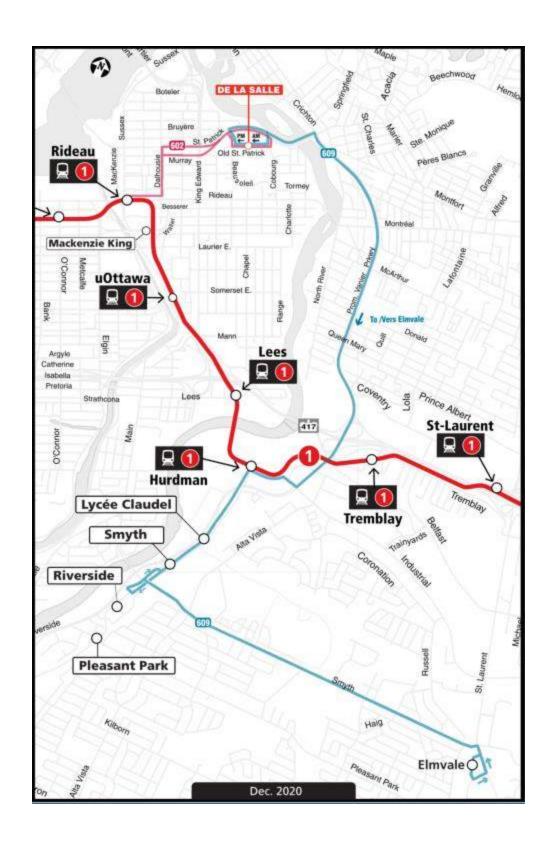
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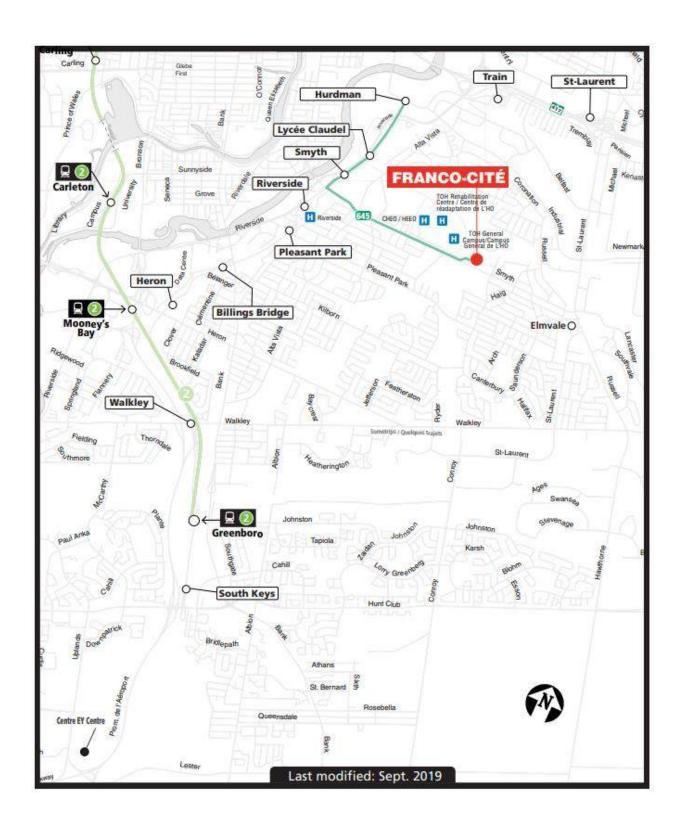


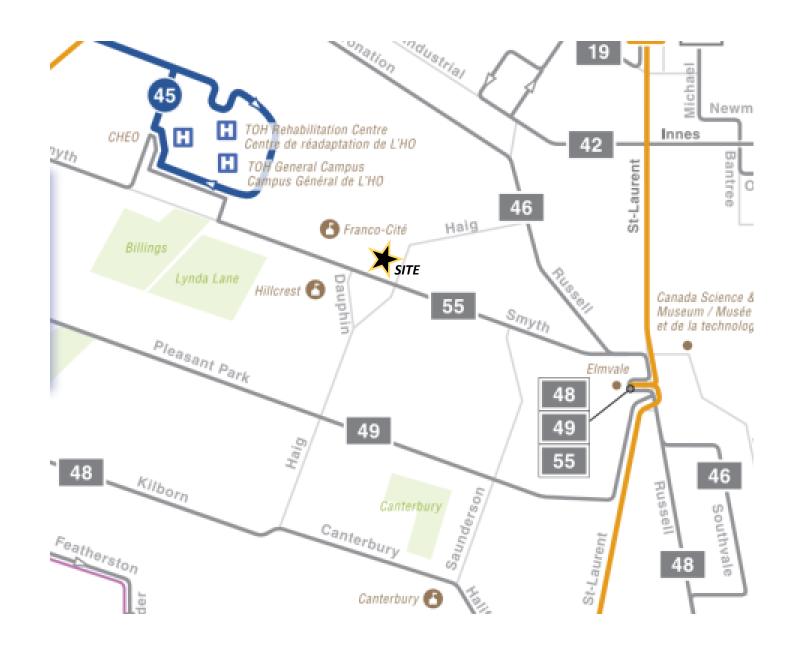
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#### 7 days a week / 7 jours par semaine









#### **APPENDIX D**

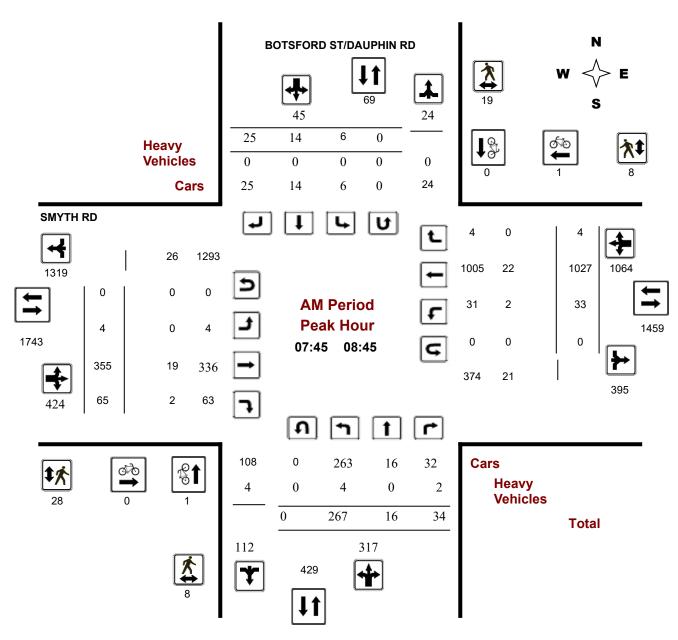
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#### **Turning Movement Count - Peak Hour Diagram**

## **SMYTH RD @ BOTSFORD ST/DAUPHIN RD**

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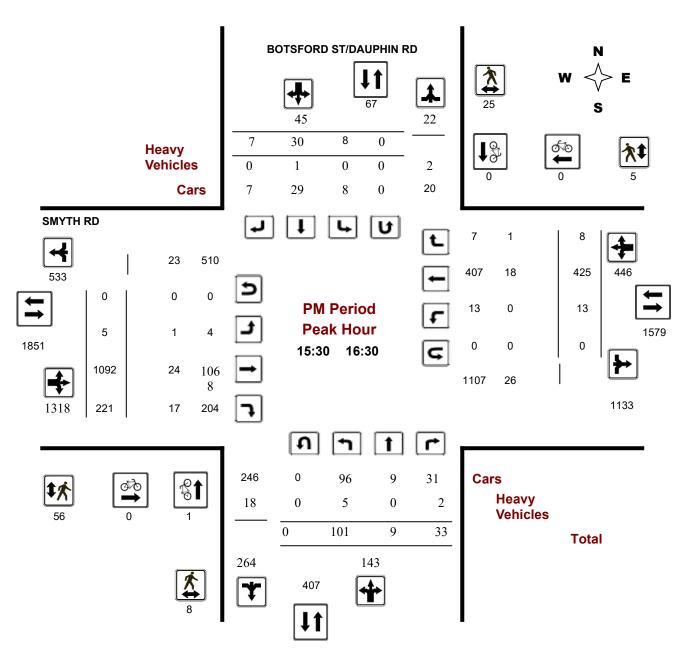
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#### **Turning Movement Count - Study Results**

#### SMYTH RD @ BOTSFORD ST/DAUPHIN RD

Survey Date: Tuesday, January 08, 2019 WO No: 38228

Start Time: 07:00 Device: Miovision

**Full Study Summary (8 HR Standard)** 

Survey Date: Tuesday, January 08, 2019 Total Observed U-Turns AADT Factor

Northbound: 1 Southbound: 0

Eastbound: 0 Westbound: 0

1.10

BOTSFORD ST/DAUPHIN RD SMYTH RD

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08:00 09:00	239	16	44	299	7	17	26	50	349	4	372	69	445	48	988	2	1038	1483	1832
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15:00 16:00	108	13	36	157	12	33	17	62	219	6	971	186	1163	28	495	9	532	1695	1914
16:00 17:00	82	7	32	121	6	11	2	19	140	1	1060	234	1295	15	395	4	414	1709	1849
17:00 18:00	68	2	23	93	7	3	5	15	108	3	665	183	851	11	375	2	388	1239	1347
Sub Total	1032	64	225	1321	39	78	71	188	1509	23	4677	947	5647	158	4950	32	5140	10787	12296
U Turns				1				0	1				0				0	0	1
Total	1032	64	225	1322	39	78	71	188	1510	23	4677	947	5647	158	4950	32	5140	10787	12297
EQ 12Hr	1434	89	313	1838	54	108	99	261	2099	32	6501	1316	7849	220	6880	44	7145	14994	17093
Note: These	values ar	re calcu	lated by	y multiply	ing the	totals b	y the ap	opropriate	e expans	ion fact	tor.			1.39					
AVG 12Hr	1577	98	344	2022	59	156	142	287	2309	35	7151	1448	8634	242	7568	48	7860	16493	18802
Note: These	volumes	are cal	culated	by multip	olying th	ne Equiv	alent 1	2 hr. tota	ls by the	AADT	factor.			1.10					
AVG 24Hr	2066	128	451	2649	77	204	186	376	3025	46	9368	1897	11311	317	9914	63	10297	21606	24631
Note: These	volumes	are cald	culated	by multip	olying th	ne Avera	ige Dail	ly 12 hr. 1	totals by	12 to 2	4 expan	sion fac	ctor.	1.31					

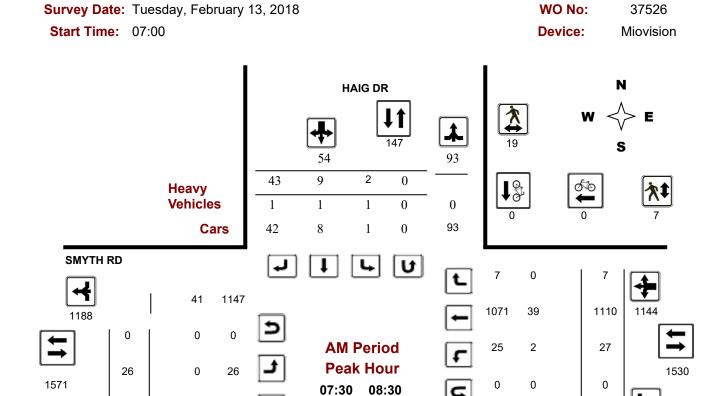
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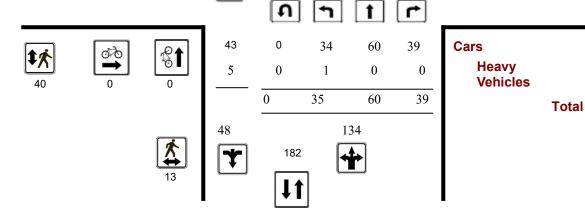
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#### **Turning Movement Count - Peak Hour Diagram**

## HAIG DR @ SMYTH RD





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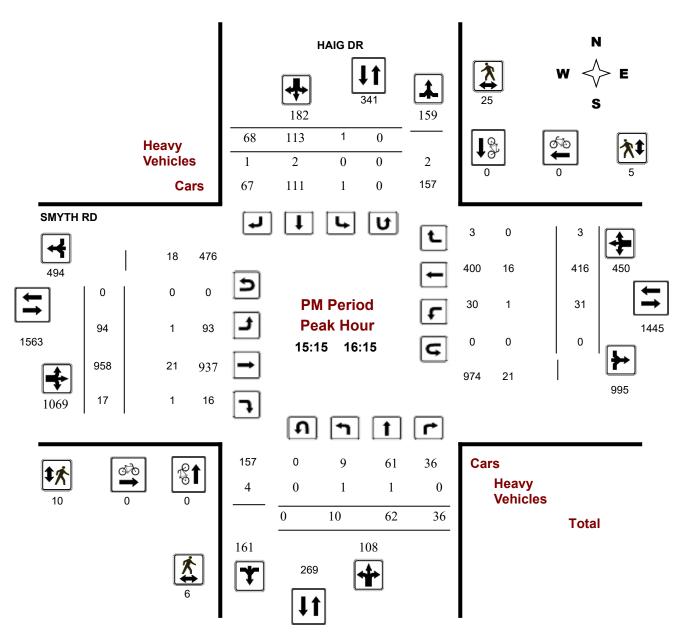
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#### **Turning Movement Count - Peak Hour Diagram**

## HAIG DR @ SMYTH RD

Survey Date:Tuesday, February 13, 2018WO No:37526Start Time:07:00Device:Miovision



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#### **APPENDIX E**

Collision Records



## **Collision Details Report - Public Version**

**From:** January 1, 2016 **To:** December 31, 2020

Location: EDGECOMBE ST @ SMYTH RD

Traffic Control: Stop sign Total Collisions: 1

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	r Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2017-Jan-19, Thu,14:45	Clear	Sideswipe	P.D. only	Dry	East	Changing lanes	Delivery van	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	

Location: HAIG DR @ SMYTH RD

Traffic Control: Traffic signal Total Collisions: 32

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	r Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2016-Apr-16, Sat,15:00	Clear	Angle	Non-fatal injury	Dry	West	Going ahead	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	0
					South	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Aug-14, Sun,18:25	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Sep-28, Wed,19:39	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Oct-03, Mon,16:00	Clear	Sideswipe	P.D. only	Dry	East	Changing lanes	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Delivery van	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Oct-19, Wed,08:53	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Nov-17, Thu,09:12	Clear	Rear end	Non-fatal injury	Dry	North	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					North	Turning left	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Nov-23, Wed,17:37	Clear	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Dry	East	Turning left	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Dec-16, Fri,16:16	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2017-Feb-07, Tue,01:20	Snow	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Packed snow	East	Turning right	Fire vehicle	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Municipal transit bus	Other motor vehicle	

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# **Collision Details Report - Public Version**

**From:** January 1, 2016 **To:** December 31, 2020

Location: HAIG DR @ SMYTH RD

Traffic Control: Traffic signal Total Collisions: 32

Traine Control. Traine Signal										
Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	er Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped	
2017-May-04, Thu,16:19	Clear	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
					South	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2017-Jun-26, Mon,13:57	Clear	Angle	Non-fatal injury	Dry	West	Going ahead	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	0	
					South	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2017-Jul-05, Wed,20:20	Clear	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					West	Going ahead	Motorcycle	Other motor vehicle		
2018-Jul-05, Thu,13:07	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					North	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2018-Aug-10, Fri,13:58	Clear	Angle	Non-fatal injury	Dry	South	Turning right	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2018-Oct-03, Wed,08:16	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Dry	South	Turning right	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2018-Oct-30, Tue,12:13	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					East	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
					East	Stopped	Unknown	Other motor vehicle		
2018-Dec-07, Fri,20:29	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2019-Apr-24, Wed,15:44	Clear	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2019-Jun-07, Fri,17:20	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		
2019-Jul-23, Tue,12:40	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0	
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle		

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# **Collision Details Report - Public Version**

**From:** January 1, 2016 **To:** December 31, 2020

Location: HAIG DR @ SMYTH RD

Traffic Control: Traffic signal Total Collisions: 32

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	r Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2019-Sep-27, Fri,13:33	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Nov-14, Thu,12:37	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Loose snow	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Dec-05, Thu,17:30	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Wet	East	Changing lanes	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Delivery van	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Dec-17, Tue,12:30	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Wet	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					North	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Jan-29, Wed,12:58	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Feb-19, Wed,13:10	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Dry	West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Mar-27, Fri,13:20	Clear	Angle	Non-fatal injury	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					North	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Apr-17, Fri,17:51	Clear	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-May-09, Sat,19:32	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Dry	South	Going ahead	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Jul-31, Fri,15:10	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning right	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Sep-29, Tue,16:05	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Nov-16, Mon,14:30	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Dry	North	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	

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# **Collision Details Report - Public Version**

**From:** January 1, 2016 **To:** December 31, 2020

Location: SMYTH RD @ BOTSFORD ST/DAUPHIN RD

Traffic Control: Traffic signal Total Collisions: 14

Traine Control. Traine signal									
Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	er Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2016-Jan-04, Mon,12:00	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Stopped	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	
2016-Dec-20, Tue,18:23	Snow	SMV other	Non-fatal injury	Wet	North	Turning left	Unknown	Pedestrian	1
2017-Jan-20, Fri,03:18	Clear	SMV other	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Pick-up truck	Other	0
2017-Feb-09, Thu,16:00	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2017-Feb-16, Thu,08:55	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Loose snow	East	Slowing or stoppin	g Pick-up truck	Skidding/sliding	0
					North	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2018-May-09, Wed,17:45	Clear	Rear end	Non-fatal injury	Dry	West	Going ahead	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
					West	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2018-Nov-05, Mon,11:34	Clear	Rear end	P.D. only	Wet	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Stopped	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Feb-06, Wed,10:30	Freezing Rain	Turning movement	P.D. only	Wet	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Mar-12, Tue,16:00	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Jun-07, Fri,16:05	Clear	Turning movement	P.D. only	Dry	East	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Jun-19, Wed,17:30	Clear	Angle	P.D. only	Dry	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					South	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2019-Dec-04, Wed,10:23	Snow	Sideswipe	P.D. only	Loose snow	West	Changing lanes	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	

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# **Collision Details Report - Public Version**

**From:** January 1, 2016 **To:** December 31, 2020

Location: SMYTH RD @ BOTSFORD ST/DAUPHIN RD

Traffic Control: Traffic signal Total Collisions: 14

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	r Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2019-Dec-18, Wed,13:32	Snow	Angle	Non-fatal injury	Loose snow	East	Going ahead	Passenger van	Other motor vehicle	0
					North	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	
2020-Feb-09, Sun,19:18	Snow	Rear end	P.D. only	Loose snow	West	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					West	Turning left	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	

Location: SMYTH RD btwn BOTSFORD ST & EDGECOMBE ST

Traffic Control: No control

Total Collisions: 1

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	er Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2019-Feb-02, Sat,15:17	Snow	Turning movement	Non-fatal injury	Loose snow	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Other motor vehicle	0
					East	Turning right	Pick-up truck	Other motor vehicle	

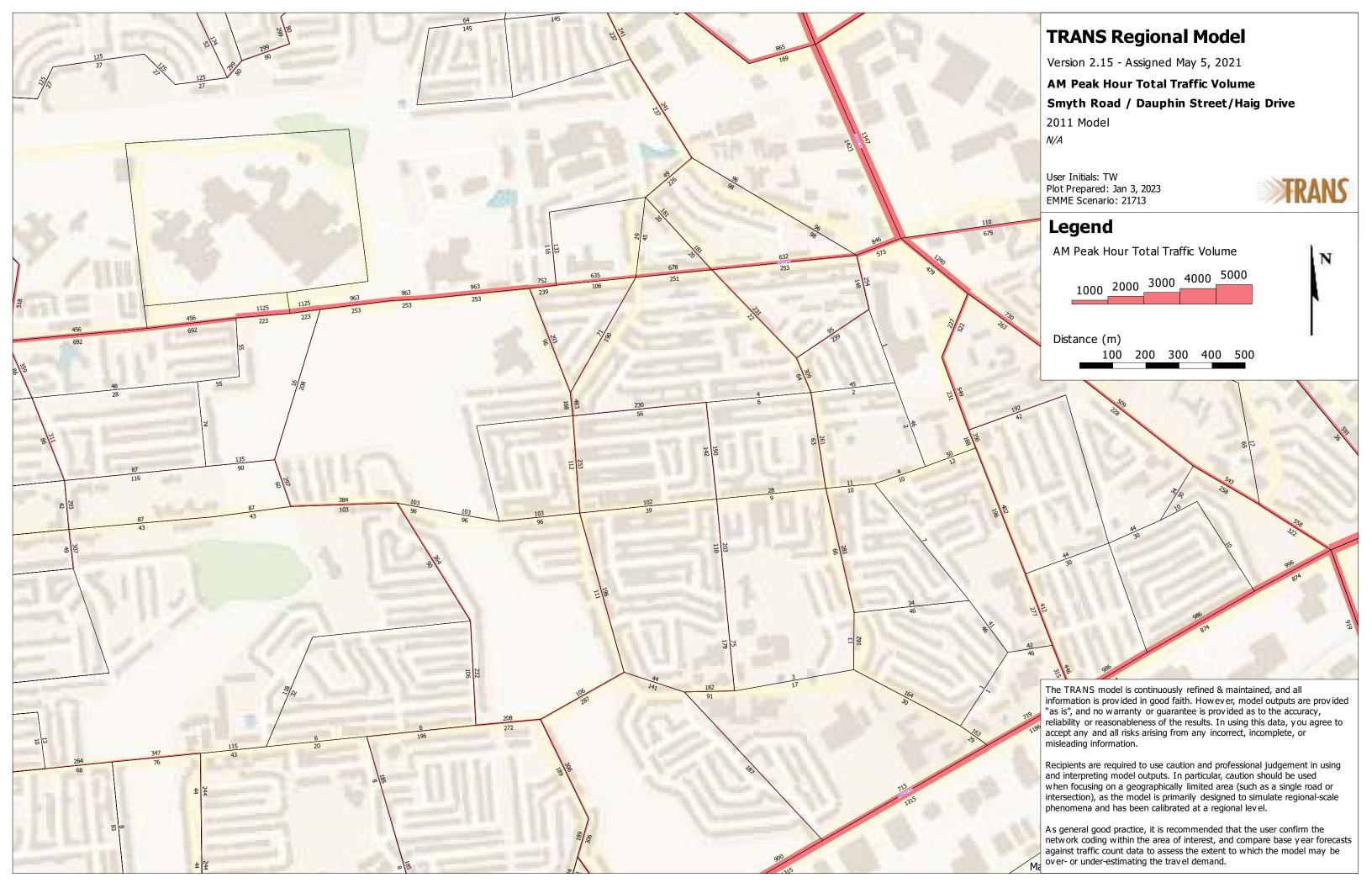
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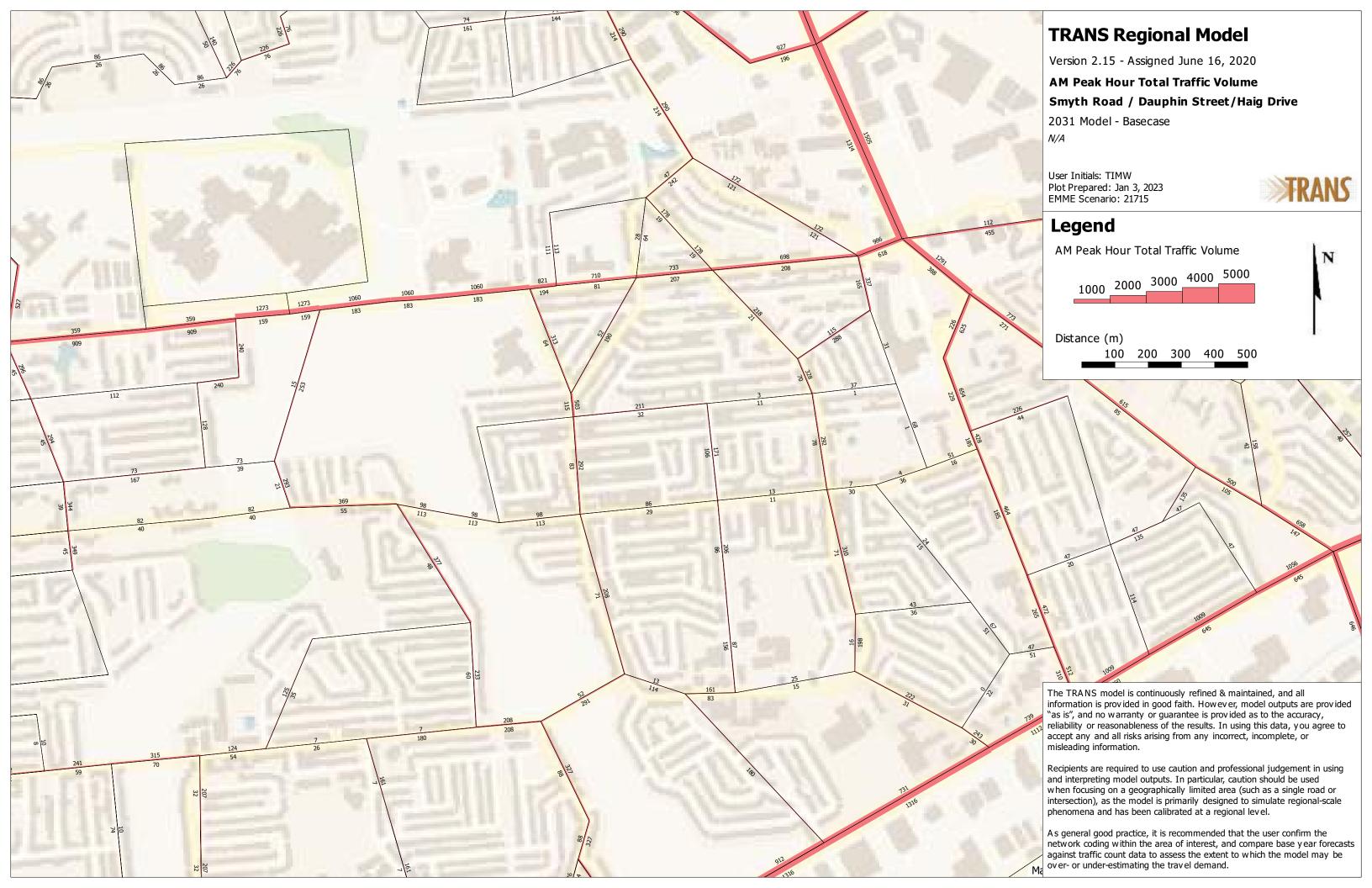
Traffic Control: No control Total Collisions: 1

Date/Day/Time	Environment	Impact Type	Classification	Surface Cond'n	Veh. Dir	Vehicle Manoeuve	er Vehicle type	First Event	No. Ped
2018-Jan-13, Sat,08:06	Clear	SMV other	P.D. only	Packed snow	East	Going ahead	Automobile, station wagon	Skidding/sliding	0

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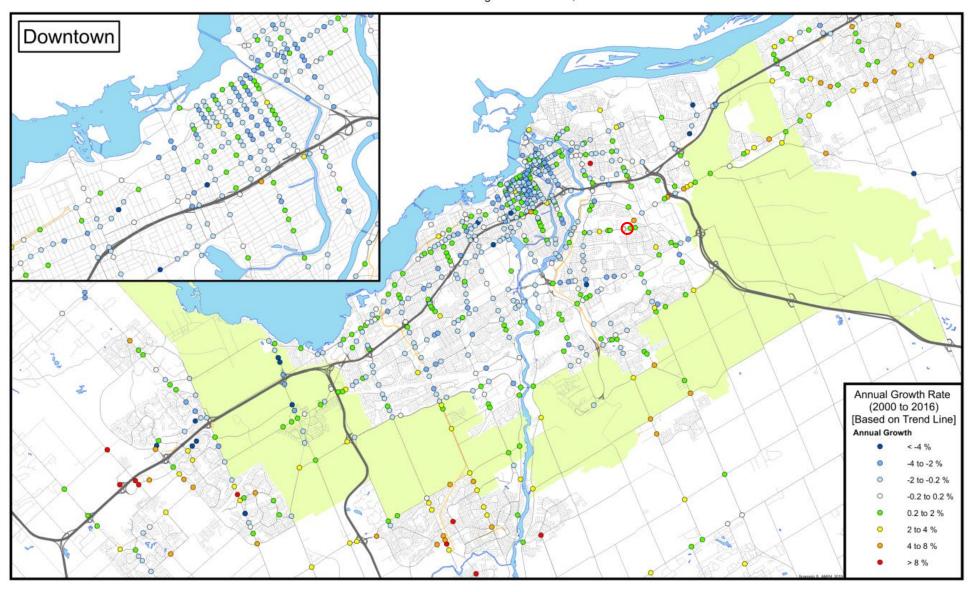
# **APPENDIX F** Long-Range Model Snapshots and Intersection Growth Rate Figures





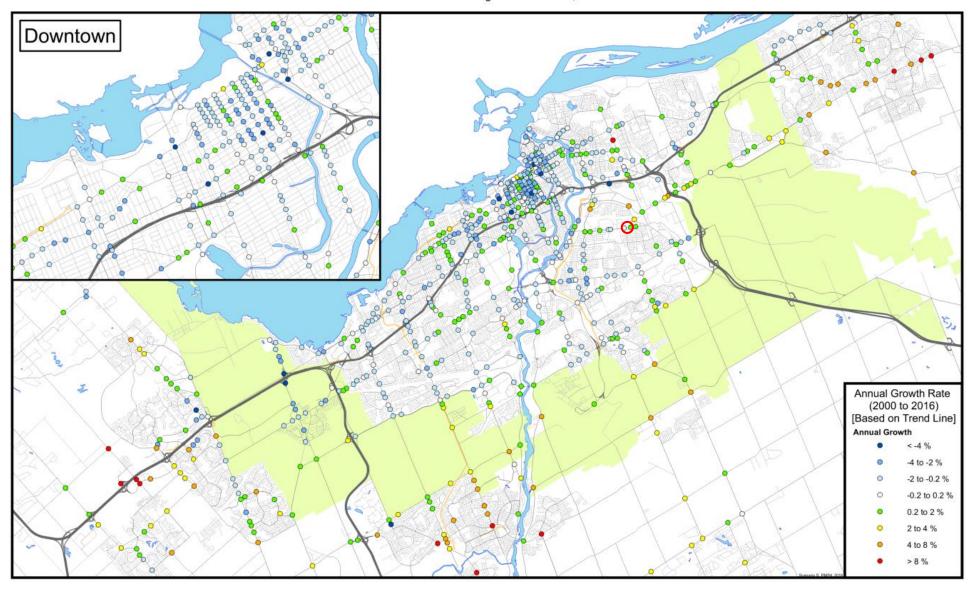
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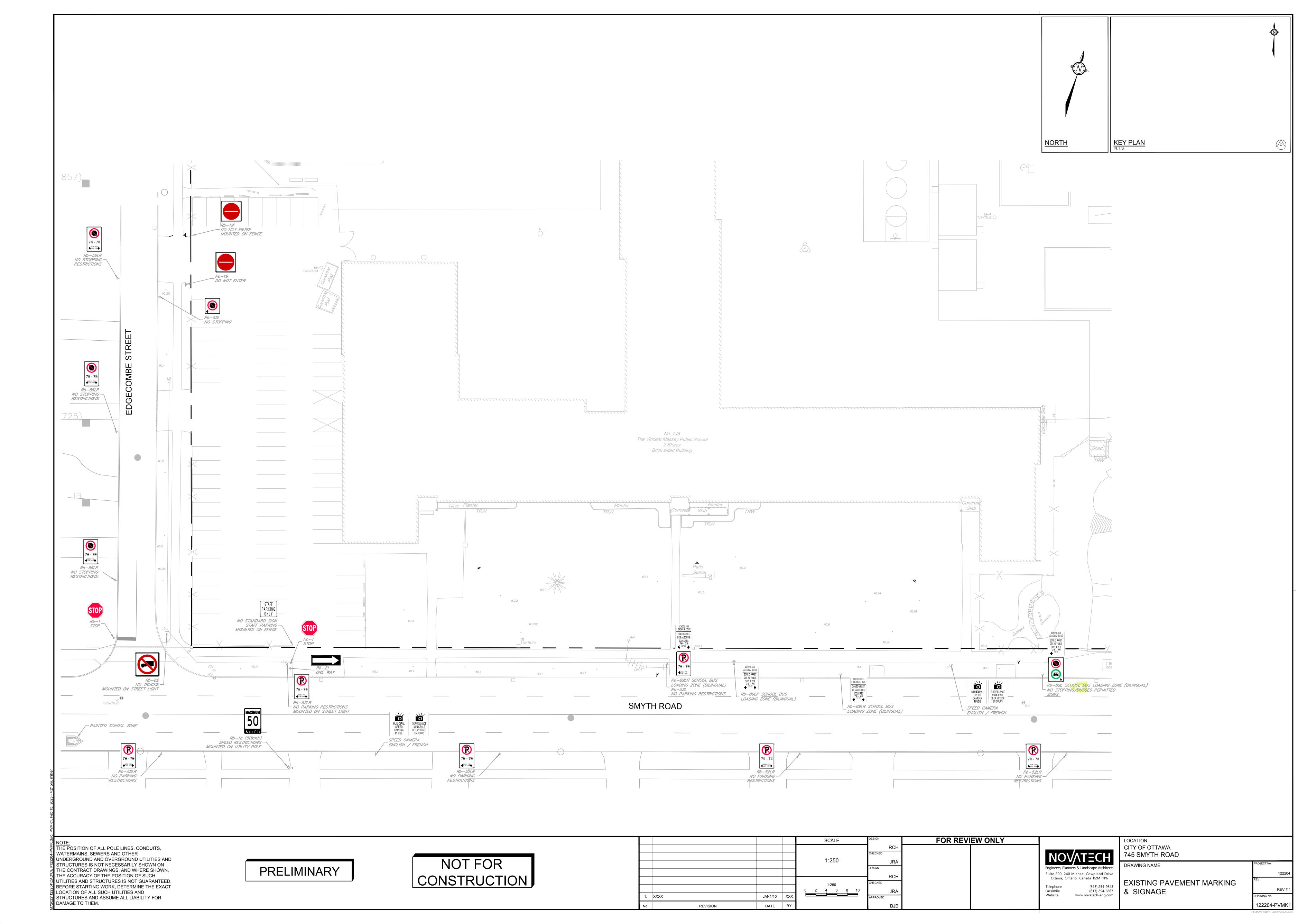
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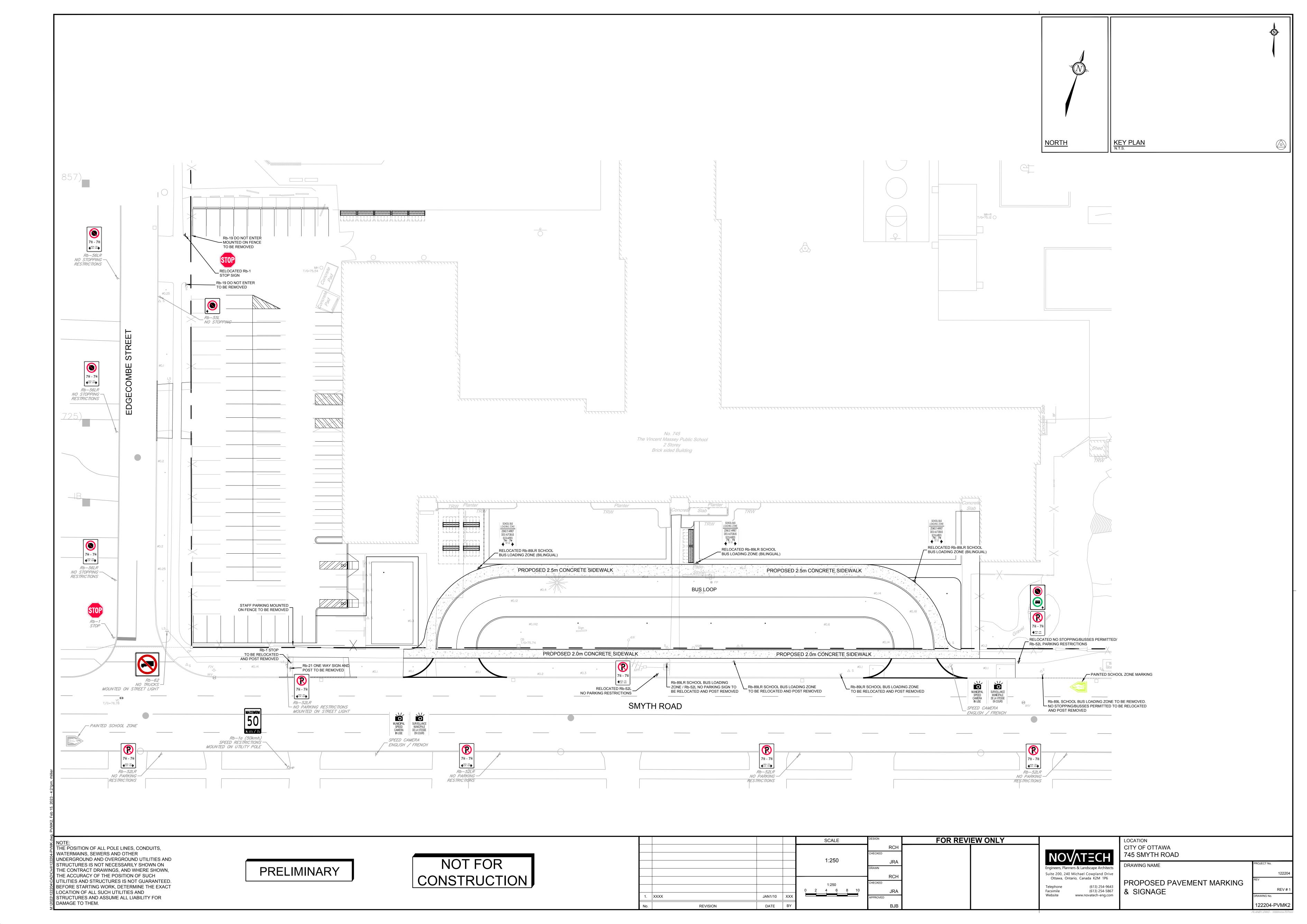
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## **APPENDIX G**

Existing and Proposed Signage Plans





## **APPENDIX H**

MMLOS Analysis

This section provides a review of the boundary streets using complete streets principles. The *Multi-Modal Level of Service (MMLOS) Guidelines*, produced by IBI Group in October 2015, were used to evaluate the levels of service for each alternative mode of transportation, based on the targets for roadways 'within 300m of a school.'

Exhibit 4 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* has been used to evaluate the segment pedestrian level of service (PLOS) of the boundary streets. Exhibit 22 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* suggest a target PLOS A for all roadways within 300m of a school. The results of the segment PLOS analysis are summarized in **Table 1**.

Exhibit 11 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* has been used to evaluate the segment bicycle level of service (BLOS) of the boundary streets. Exhibit 22 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* suggest a target BLOS B for Spine Routes within 300m of a school (Smyth Road), and a target BLOS D for all roadways with no cycling designation within 300m of a school (Edgecombe Street). The results of the segment BLOS analysis are summarized in **Table 2**.

Exhibit 15 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* has been used to evaluate the segment transit level of service (TLOS) of Smyth Road. Exhibit 22 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* suggest a target TLOS D for Transit Priority Corridors (Isolated Measures) within 300m of a school. The results of the segment TLOS analysis are summarized in **Table 3**.

Exhibit 20 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* has been used to evaluate the segment truck level of service (TkLOS) of Smyth Road only. Exhibit 22 of the *MMLOS Guidelines* suggest a target TkLOS D for arterial truck routes within 300m of a school. The results of the segment TkLOS analysis are summarized in **Table 4**.

**Table 1: PLOS Segment Analysis** 

Sidewalk Width	Boulevard Width	Avg. Daily Curb Lane Traffic Volume	Presence of On- Street Parking	Operating Speed <sup>(1)</sup>	PLOS
Smyth Road (I	north side)				
1.5m	> 2.0m	> 3,000 vpd	No	60 km/h	E
Smyth Road (s	south side)				
1.5m	> 2.0m	> 3,000 vpd	No	60 km/h	E
Edgecombe S	treet (east side				
1.5m	> 2.0m	≤ 3,000 vpd	No	50 km/h	С
Edgecombe S	treet (west side	<del>(</del> )			
No sid	dewalk	≤ 3,000 vpd	No	50 km/h	F

<sup>1.</sup> Operating speed taken as the speed limit plus 10 km/h.

**Table 2: BLOS Segment Analysis** 

Road Class	Bike Route	Type of Bikeway	Travel Lanes	Centerline Type	Operating Speed	BLOS
Smyth Road (	Edgecombe St	treet to Haig D	rive)			
Arterial	Spine Route	Mixed Traffic	4	Marked Centerline	60 km/h	F
Edgecombe S	Street (Smyth F	Road to Hastin	gs Avenue)			
Local	No Class	Mixed Traffic	2	No Marked Centerline	50 km/h	В

**Table 3: TLOS Segment Analysis** 

Facility Type	Level of Conge	stion Delay, Frictio	n and Incidents	TLOS
Facility Type	Congestion			ILUS
Smyth Road (Edgecombe St				
Mixed Traffic – Limited Parking/Driveway Friction	Yes	Low	Medium	D

**Table 4: TkLOS Segment Analysis** 

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Curb Lane Width	Number of Travel Lanes Per Direction	TkLOS
Smyth Road (Edgecombe Street to Haig Drive)		
> 3.7m	2	Α