**Applicant:** Springer Pond Developments Inc.

**File No.:** 39T-MC0204

Municipality: Municipality of Middlesex Centre
Subject Lands: LONDON CON 2 PT LOT 5

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# NOTICE OF DECISION

# On Application for Approval of Draft Plan of Subdivision Section 51 of the <u>Planning Act</u>

Approval of Draft Plan of Subdivision to the application in respect of the subject lands noted above was given by the County of Middlesex on (DATE). A copy of the conditions for final plan approval are attached.

# When and How to File an Appeal

Notice to appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal must be filed with the County of Middlesex no later than 20 days from the date of this notice as shown above as the last date of appeal.

The notice of appeal should be sent to the attention of the Director of Planning, at the address shown below and it must,

- (1) set out the reasons for the appeal, and
- (2) be accompanied by the fee prescribed under the Ontario Land Tribunal Act payable by cheque to the Minister of Finance, Province of Ontario.

### Who Can File An Appeal

Only specified persons, corporation or public bodies may appeal the decisions in respect of a proposed plan of subdivision to the Ontario Land Tribunal. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or group on its behalf.

No specified person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal of the decision of the Approval Authority, including the lapsing provisions or the conditions, unless the specified person or public body, before the decision of the Approval Authority, made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the council or, in the Ontario Land Tribunal's opinion, there are reasonable grounds to add the specified person or public body as a party.

#### Right of Applicant or Public Body to Appeal Conditions

The applicant, any public body that, before the approval authority made its decision, made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the approval authority, the Minister of Municipal Affairs & Housing or the Municipality may, at any time before the final plan of subdivision/condominium is approved, appeal any of the conditions imposed by the County of Middlesex to the Ontario Land Tribunal by filing with the Director of Planning a notice of appeal.

#### **How to Receive Notice of Changed Conditions**

The conditions of an approval of draft plan of subdivision/condominium may be changed at any time before the final plan is given. You will be entitled to receive notice of any changes to the conditions of approval of draft plan of subdivision/condominium if you have made a written request to be notified of changes to the conditions of approval of the draft plan of subdivision/condominium.

No specified person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal regarding any changes to the conditions of approval unless the specified person or public body, before the approval authority made its decision, made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the approval authority, or made a written request to be notified of the changes to the conditions.

Other Related Applications: ZBA 2017

**Getting Additional Information:** Additional Information about the application is available for public inspection during regular office hours at the County of Middlesex at the address noted below.

## Mailing address for Request to be Notified

County of Middlesex - Planning Department | 399 Ridout Street North | London ON N6A 2P1 T: 519.434.7321 F:519.434.0638 Email : <a href="mailto:dvanderwerff@middlesex.ca">dvanderwerff@middlesex.ca</a>

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The conditions and amendments to final plan of approval for registration of this Subdivision as provided by the County of Middlesex are as follows:

#### No. Conditions

- 1. That this approval applies to the draft plan of subdivision prepared and signed by Robert Wood, OLS dated September 6, 2024 which shows:
  - Lots 1 to 8 for single detached dwellings
  - Block 9 for a single detached dwelling

2.

- a) No development of the Plan of Subdivision may begin until all external infrastructure and services required for the development of the Plan of Subdivision are in place; including municipal water supply, treatment and conveyance infrastructure and sewage treatment and waste water conveyance infrastructure. For the purpose of these conditions, services being "in place" means that the infrastructure exists and is operational to the satisfaction of the Municipality and that capacity in such infrastructure has been formally allocated by the Municipality for use in connection with the development of the Plan of Subdivision. External capacity of any services will be formally allocated through the execution of a Development Agreement for each phase of the development as Municipal capacity allows. Should the Municipal Engineer deem there to be insufficient external capacity for any of the required municipal services, the Municipality has no obligation to provide such capacity within the lapse period, or at any time. The Municipality may include language in the Development Agreement regarding the allocation of external capacity.
- b) that, in connection with all financing proposals and commitments and all offers and agreements of purchase and sale made by or to the Owner involving all or any part of the land covered by the Plan of Subdivision that has not been registered, there shall be a written acknowledgement given by the other party or parties of item 2.a. above and of receiving a copy of the draft plan conditions which acknowledgement will be produced by the Owner to the Municipality on request.
- 3. That the Plan of Subdivision shall be developed on full municipal services, including sanitary sewers, municipal water and urban storm water management practices. Prior to final approval of the development, the Municipality shall confirm that full municipal services are 'in place' as described in Condition No. 2.
- 4. That the Owner erect a sign to the satisfaction of the Municipality, within 90 days of the Draft Approval date, depicting the approved Draft Plan of Subdivision and zoning.
- 5. That prior to final approval, the Owner convey up to 5% of the subject land to the Municipality for park purposes. Alternatively, the Municipality may accept cash-in-lieu of parkland dedication of all or a portion of the conveyance pursuant to Section 42 and 51.1 of the Planning Act. The amount of the required cash-in lieu of parkland dedication will be determined by an appraiser of the Municipality's choosing, at the Owner's expense, based on the valuation of the area of Draft Plan of Subdivision determined as of the day before the day of the approval of the Draft Plan of Subdivision.
- 6. That the Lots and Block shall be addressed to the satisfaction of the Municipality in consultation with the County of Middlesex. This shall include permanent and temporary road names and municipal address signage during all stages of construction which shall and will be required through the subdivision agreement.

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7. That prior to final approval, the County is to be advised by the Municipality that appropriate zoning is in effect for the Plan of Subdivision and retained lands.

- 8. That the Owner and the Municipality enter into a subdivision agreement ("Subdivision Agreement") pursuant to Section 51 (26) of the Planning Act to be registered on title of the lands to which it applies prior to the Plan of Subdivision being registered. Further that the Subdivision Agreement shall include provisions that it will also be registered against the lands to which it applies once the plan of subdivision has been registered.
- 9. That the Subdivision Agreement satisfy all requirements of the Municipality related to financial, legal, planning and engineering matters including but not limited to; grading and drainage, planting of trees, landscaping, provision of community mailboxes, fencing, buffering, street lighting and other amenities, the provision and installation of full municipal water and sanitary services, the installation of underground electrical services, and other matters which may be required by the Municipality respecting the development of the Plan of Subdivision, including the payment of Municipal Development Charges in accordance with the Municipality's Development Charge By-Law.
- 10. If necessary, that the Owner shall enter into an agreement with Canada Post Corporation for the installation of community mailboxes.
- 11. The Owner shall enter into an agreement with the appropriate service providers for the installation of underground communication / telecommunication utility services for these lands to enable, at a minimum, the effective delivery of the broadband internet services and communication / telecommunication services for 911 Emergency Services.
- 12. That the Subdivision Agreement shall ensure that the persons who first purchase the subdivided land after the final approval of the plan of subdivision are informed, at the time the land is transferred, of all the development charges related to the development, pursuant to Section 59(4) of the Development Charges Act.
- 13. That such easements as may be required for utility, servicing, or drainage purposes shall be granted to the appropriate authority, at the expense of the Owner.
- 14. That prior to final approval, arrangements shall be made to the satisfaction of the Municipality for the relocation of any utilities required for the development of the Plan, which relocation shall be undertaken and provided at the expense of the Owner.
- 15. That the Owner extend and construct municipal sanitary gravity sewers to individually service Lots 1 through 8 and Block 9 to the satisfaction of the Municipality.
- 16. That the Owner provide individual service connections to the existing water main.
- 17. That a 6 metre easement along the rear of Lots 1 through 8 and Block 9 and the south of Block 9 be established on the retained lands also owned by the Owner in favour of Lots 1 through 8 and Block 9 for the purposes of access to repair or rehabilitate slopes.
- 18. That an agreement and easement with the abutting retained lands, also owned by the Owner, are obtained to accept outletting of the storm sewer into the private pond on the retained lands until a future connection to storm sewer system along Glendon Drive is provided.
- 19. That an agreement and easements are obtained, if necessary, to accept the stormwater runoff from Lots 1 through 8 and Block 9 directly into the private pond located on the abutting retained lands owned by the Owner.

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- 20. That the Owner shall provide each prospective lot purchaser and new homeowner with information about the fill area and extent of the fill area by registering this information and a fill map on title to the satisfaction of the Municipality.
- 21. That the Owner shall enter into a cost-sharing agreement with the Municipality and fund 50% of the costs to urbanize Springer Street in Komoka along the entire subject property frontage to the Municipality's standards, and shall fund 100% of the cost to install the required sanitary and storm sewers complete with the required individual private drain connections, sidewalks and street lighting fronting the subject property.
- 22. That prior to final approval, a Licensed Archaeologist shall provide a letter to the Municipality and the County indicating that there are no concerns for impacts to archaeological sites on the subject lands. This is to be accompanied by a Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport letter indicating that the licensee has met the Terms and Conditions for Archaeological Licensing and that the report has been entered into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports.
- 23. That prior to final approval the Owner provide the following studies to the satisfaction of the Municipality:
  - a) Hydrogeological study
  - b) Geotechnical study
  - c) Stormwater management report
  - d) Servicing report
  - e) Development Assessment Report (DAR) A scoped DAR prepared by a qualified professional that specifically addresses the potential for impact of development on the adjacent fish habitat (existing pond), and identified applicable mitigation and best practices during and after construction.
- 24. The stormwater management plan will be completed to the satisfaction of the Municipality, and shall obtain the necessary approvals from the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP).
- 25. That the Subdivision Agreement include a clause which states "Any development or site alteration within lands regulated by the Upper Thames River Conservation Authority may require Section 28 Permit or Letter of Clearance".
- 26. That prior to final approval, the County is to be advised in writing by the Municipality of Middlesex Centre, how conditions 1 through 25 have been satisfied.
- 27. That prior to final approval, the County is to be advised in writing by the Upper Thames River Conservation Authority how condition 25 has been satisfied.

#### **NOTES TO DRAFT APPROVAL**

- 1. Draft approval for this plan of subdivision is for a period of three (3) years from the date of decision. Any request made by the Owner to the Approval Authority to extend the lapsing date must be made 60 days prior to the lapsing date and include a written confirmation from the municipality endorsing the extension.
- 2. It is the applicant's responsibility to fulfill the conditions of draft approval and to ensure that the required clearance letters are forwarded by the appropriate agencies to the approval authority, quoting the file number.

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- 3. It is suggested that the applicant be aware of:
  - a) subsection 144 (1) of The Land Titles Act, which requires all new plans be registered in a land titles system;
  - b) subsection 144 (2) allows certain exceptions.
- 4. Inauguration, or extension of a piped water supply, a communal sewage system or a storm water management system, is subject to the approval of the Ministry of Environment under Section 52 and Section 53 of the Ontario Water Resources Act.
- 5. The Ministry of Environment must be advised immediately should waste materials or other contaminants be discovered during the development of this plan of subdivision.
- 6. It is the applicant's responsibility to obtain the necessary permits from the Upper Thames River Conservation Authority in accordance with Ontario Regulation 157/06 and 41/24 made pursuant to Section 28 of the Conservation Authorities Act.
- 7. A copy of the subdivision agreement must be provided to the County of Middlesex (Planning Department) prior to final plan approval.
- 8. If the agency's condition concerns a condition in the subdivision agreement, a copy of the agreement should be sent to them. This will expedite clearance of the final plan.
- 9. When the zoning by-law amendment required in Condition 7 is being prepared, reference to this subdivision application file number should be included in the explanatory note. This will expedite the County of Middlesex and other agencies' consideration of the by-law.
- 10. Clearance is required from the following agencies:

Municipality of Middlesex Centre | 10227 Ilderton Road, Coldstream N0M 2A0

Upper Thames River Conservation Authority | 1424 Clarke Road, London N5V 5B9

- 11. All measurements in subdivision final plans must be presented in metric units.
- 12. The final plan approved by the County of Middlesex must include the following paragraph on all copies (3 Mylars and 4 paper) for signature purposes:

"Approval Authority Certificate	
This Final Plan of Subdivision is appro	ved by the County of Middlesex under
Section 51(58) of the Planning Act, R.S.C	D. 1990, on this day of
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Director of Planning"	

- 13. The final plan must be submitted digitally in AutoCAD (DWG) and Portable Document Format (PDF) with the appropriate citation from the Planning Act used. The AutoCAD (DWG) file must be consistent with the following standards:
  - Georeferenced to the NAD83 UTM Zone 17N coordinate system.
  - All classes of features must be separated into different layers.
  - Each layer should be given a descriptive name so that the class of feature it contains is recognizable.

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14. The final plan approved by the County of Middlesex must be registered within 30 days or the County may withdraw its approval under Subsection 51(59) of the Planning Act.

