

Appendix A: Employment Lands Work Chronology

<p>June 20, 2011 (CDC)</p> <p>July 7, 2011 (Council)</p> <p>CONSULTANT STUDY</p>	<p>Council received Phase 1 Employment Land Study, MKI/MMM, May 7, 2011. <i>Burlington Employment Lands Study, 2011</i>(PB-37-11).</p> <p>This study reported on the following key components:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analysis of the trends in employment uses in southern Ontario and the implications for demand for employment land, • updating of the supply of vacant, developable employment land, • calculation of the demand for employment land to the planning horizon of 2031 and having regard for the targets established under the Provincial Growth Plan, • strategies and options for the City to meet growth objectives.
<p>December 3, 2012 (CDC)</p> <p>December 10, 2012 (Council)</p> <p>CONSULTANT STUDY</p>	<p>Council received Phase 2 Draft Employment Lands Study, Dillon, dated November 26, 2012. Draft Employment Lands Study, Phase 2 (PB-101-12).</p> <p>This draft study builds on the findings of the Phase 1 ELS, developed a more detailed understanding of the vacant employment lands and their characteristics, identified opportunities and issues for Employment Lands throughout the City and provides a series of strategic directions to inform policy development.</p>
<p>January 14, 2013 (D&I)</p> <p>January 28, 2013 (Council)</p> <p>DIRECTIONS REPORT</p>	<p>Council endorsed Employment Land Conversion OP Policy Directions. Official Plan Review: Directions Report on the Draft Employment Land Conversion Policies; and, Proposed Strategic Assessment of Vacant Employment Land Inventory (PB-17-13).</p> <p>This report referenced existing approved Official Plan employment land conversion policies and proposed minor refinements to existing employment land conversion policy.</p> <p>Staff were directed to conduct a Strategic Vacant Land Assessment.</p>

<p>March 19, 2013</p> <p>STAKEHOLDER SESSION</p>	<p>Employment Lands Stakeholder Session</p>
<p>March 24, 2014 (D&I)</p> <p>April 7, 2014 (Council)</p> <p>CONSULTANT STUDY</p>	<p>Council received Phase 2 Final Employment Lands Study, Dillon, February 28, 2014. Report providing information on the Official Plan Review: Transmittal of Final Phase 2 Employment Lands Study (PB-17-14).</p> <p>This draft study builds on the findings of the Phase 1 ELS, developed a more detailed understanding of the vacant employment lands and their characteristics, identified opportunities and issues for Employment Lands throughout the City and provides a series of strategic directions to inform policy development. The Draft Report was modified to capture further discussion on methodology, <i>Planning Act</i> protection for employment land conversions, and intensification</p>
<p>May 6, 2014 (Council Workshop as part of C&CS)</p> <p>May 20, 2014 (Council)</p> <p>BRIEFING NOTE</p>	<p>Council received documentation in support a Council Workshop on Employment Lands:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing Note: Council Workshop on Employment Lands - Presentation: Prepared by Dillon Consulting & Watson & Associates
<p>May 26, 2014 (D&I)</p> <p>June 9, 2014 (Council)</p> <p>STAFF REPORT</p>	<p>Council approved an Employment Land Conversion Request Assessment Process. Official Plan Review: Proposed Employment Land Conversion Request Assessment Process and Strategic Vacant Land Assessment (PB-18-14).</p> <p>This report presented for endorsement a proposed Employment Land Conversion Request Assessment Process along with a discussion of the strategic vacant land assessment.</p>