File No.: 19-9930

May 7, 2020

VIA EMAIL ONLY

The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle 5950 Malden Road LaSalle, ON N9H 1S4

Attention: Larry Silani

Director of Development & Strategic Initiatives

Request for Class 4 (NPC-300) Designation Proposed Creekside Condominium Development Ellis Street and Trinity Avenue, LaSalle ON

On behalf of our client, Valente Development Corporation Inc. /Creekside LaSalle Ltd. (Creekside), we are responding to your email of March 27, 2020, requesting additional information related to the Class 4 designation (NPC-300 Guidelines) of the subject lands and in keeping with our clients on-going negotiations with Loblaws Inc. (Loblaws). We would suggest that this letter be read in conjunction with our March 13, 2020 letter to the Town.

The questions raised in your March 27, 2020 email were as follows:

- 1. The wording of the resolution that you wish Council to adopt with sufficient detail and the appropriate language that is needed for Council to make this designation;
- 2. Confirmation from your noise expert, as to the form of notice (if any) that has to be given by Council before they adopt such a Council resolution. Does anyone other than the developer that is requesting this designation need to be notified?
- 3. A draft of the warning clause that you will be using to inform prospective purchasers/tenants of the noise that they can expect to hear from the Zehrs Store; and
- 4. A copy of the revised site plan/elevation drawings depicting the changes that are being made to address the noise issues, as agreed to with Loblaws

After receiving information from our client and various team members, we provide the following response for your consideration:



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> Council Resolution: We suggest the following draft recommendation to Council:

That Report XX/2019 **BE FURTHER AMEDNED** by adding the following additional recommendations:

"That LT 5 PL 1555 SANDWICH WEST; LT 6 PL 1555 SANDWICH WEST; LT 7 PL 1555 SANDWICH WEST S/T R1120784; S/T R1300816; LASALLE, BEING ALL OF PIN 70546-0431 (LT) situated on the southwestern corner of Ellis Street and Trinity Avenue, **BE CLASSIFIED** as a Class 4 area pursuant to Publication NPC-300 (MOECP Environmental Noise Guideline – Stationary and Transportation Sources – Approval and Planning).

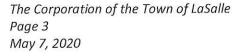
THAT the Director of Development & Strategic Initiatives or their designate **BE DIRECTED** to incorporate additional or modify existing, mitigation measures including warning clauses required for a Class 4 designation pursuant to the Publication NPC-300 in the site plan approval and site plan agreement.

THAT the Director of Development & Strategic Initiatives or their designate **BE DIRECTED** to provide a copy of the Council Resolution approving Class 4 area classification and a copy of any Site Plan Control Agreement for the subject lands that incorporates noise mitigation measures to Loblaws Inc.

2. Requirement for Notice: It is our opinion that no public notice is required for a Council of a municipality to designate lands as Class 4 under the NPC-300 Guidelines. The designation of an area as Class 4 solely rests with the planning authority of a municipality. The planning authority is to rely on the definitions and descriptors provided in the Ministry of Environment Conservation and Parks (MECP) Noise Publication NPC-300 in determining appropriate noise area classification. Please see below an extract from NPC-300:

Subsection B9.2: "Class 4 area classification is based on the principle of formal confirmation of the classification by the land use planning authority. Such confirmation would be issued at the discretion of the land use planning authority and under the procedures developed by the land use planning authority, in the exercise of its responsibility and authority under the Planning Act."

To the best of our knowledge and confirmed with MECP, no notification is required prior to adopting a council resolution pertaining to approval of a Class 4 designation under the NPC-300 guidelines, nor is there a need to seek input from stationary noise source owners (Loblaws).



However, subsequent to designating the subject site as Class 4, the planning authority or the proponent should provide a copy of the Noise Impact Study to the owners of the stationary noise source (i.e., Loblaws). Please see below extract from NPC-300:

Subsection B9.3: "Where a noise sensitive land use in a Class 4 area has been approved in proximity to a stationary source, the proponent or the land use planning authority should provide a copy of the approved noise impact study for the noise sensitive land use to the owners of the stationary source(s). The formal confirmation of the area classification from the land use planning authority should also be provided. This will allow the owners of the stationary source(s) to use the appropriate classification and sound level limits in applications for MOE approvals."

The proponent has provided a copy of the Noise Study to both the Town and Loblaws.

3. Warning Clauses: In our March 13, 2020 letter to the Town we reference Warning Clause F, as per Section C8.3 of the NPC-300. In addition, we suggest Warning Clause E. They are as follows:

Warning Clause E:

Purchasers/tenants are advised that due to the proximity of the adjacent grocery store, noise from the grocery store may at times be audible.

Warning Clause F:

Purchasers/tenants are advised that sound levels due to the adjacent grocery store are required to comply with sound level limits that are protective of indoor areas and are based on the assumption that windows and exterior doors are closed. This dwelling unit has been supplied with a ventilation/air conditioning system which will allow windows and exterior doors to remain closed.

- 4. **Revised Site Plan Control Drawings**: To assist Council and the Town in their deliberations, we have included a revised set of Site Plan and Building Elevation drawings for consideration (refer to Appendix "A" Site Plan and Elevations). The most significant changes from the previous version is:
 - The removal of balconies on the west side of Building B and the north side of Building C both elevations are facing the Loblaws loading dock and roof top cooling units;
 - b. The addition of Garages C1 and C2 adjacent to the northern property line shared with Loblaws; and

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c. The addition of a 1.8m pressure treated wood fence to be constructed as a noise barrier (20kg/m2 density) on our clients' lands adjacent to the shared Loblaws property line.

We trust the above information is of assistance and the matter can proceed to Council for approval at your earliest opportunity. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require additional information or clarification.

Yours sincerely,

Karl Tanner, MCIP RPP

Partner KDT:dlt

cc: Mr. J. Hewitt, LLB - Legal Counsel

Mr. P. Valente – Creekside LaSalle Inc.

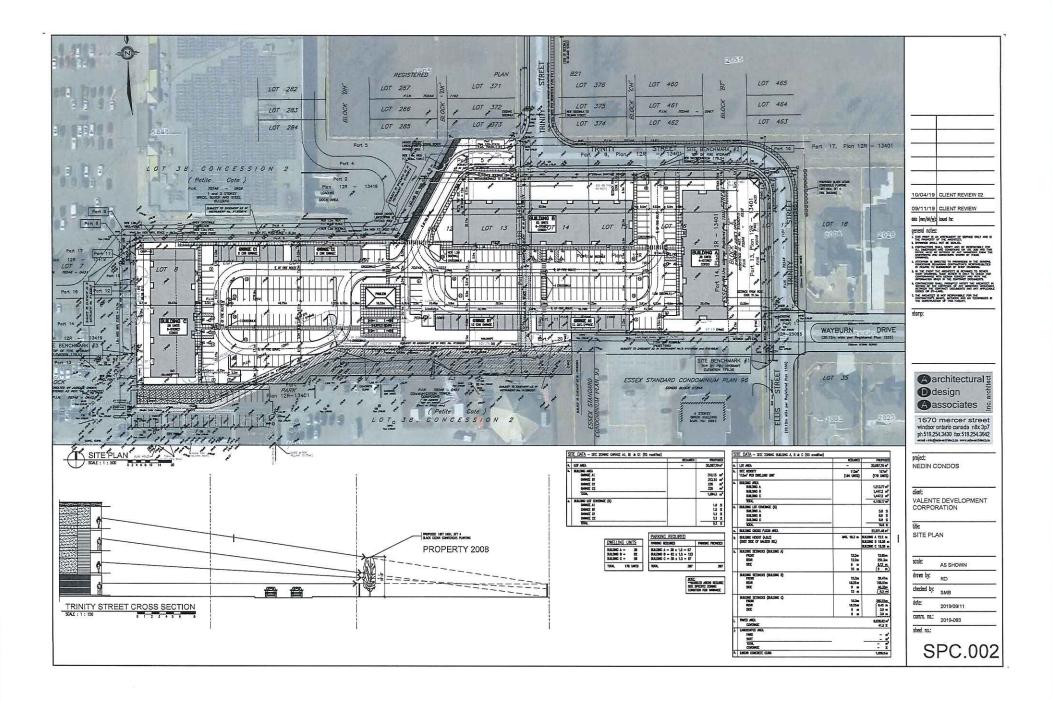
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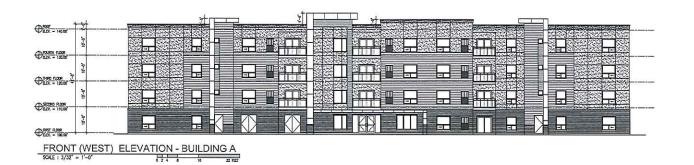
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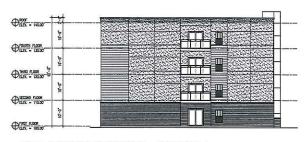
APPENDIX A

Site Plan and Elevations

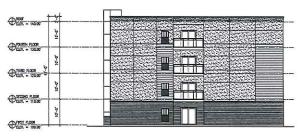








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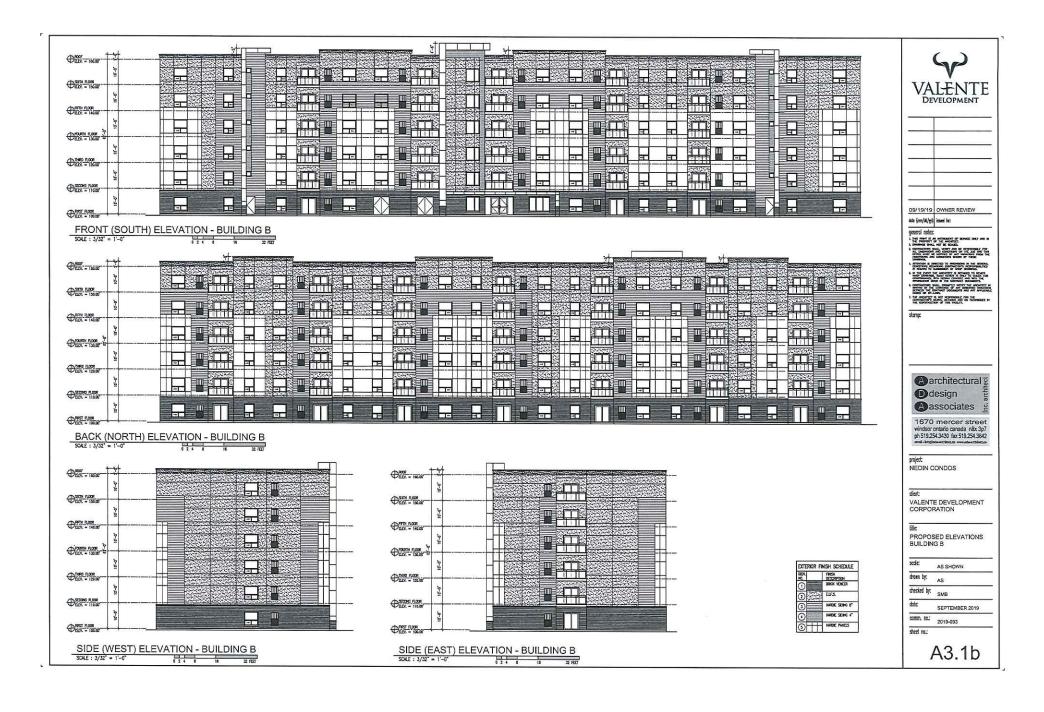
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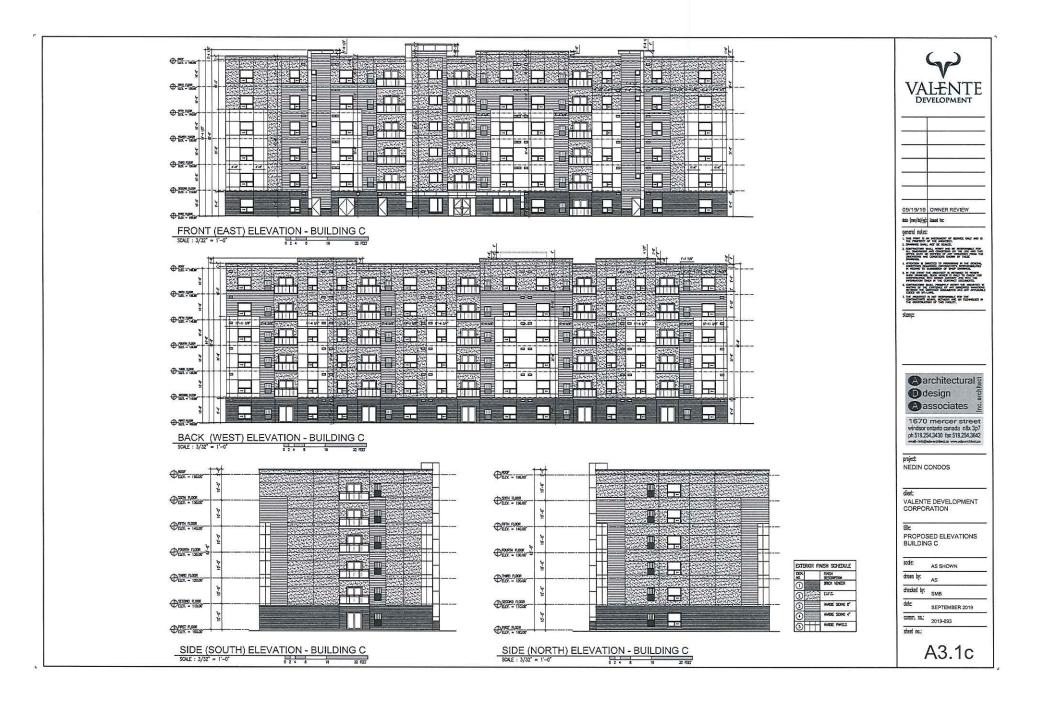
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Sent:

May 22, 2020 10:32 AM

To:

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Hewitt, Jeffrey J.

Subject:

Fwd: Creekside Condominium Developments (Valente Development)

Attachments:

Class 4 Letter to Town of LaSalle, May 7, 2020.pdf

Larry

Further to your response, it's unfortunate that you have not received the attached information that was sent to your legal counsel a couple of weeks ago. As you are aware, the Class 4 designation is critical to a settlement with Loblaws. Please let me know when direction has been received and Council Meetings will resume. Regards

Karl



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Remember to <u>stay safe</u> and help out those in your family & community that can benefit.

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From: **Jeff Hewitt** < jeff@hewittlaw.ca>

Date: Sat, 9 May 2020 at 07:33

Subject: Creekside Condominium Developments (Valente Development)

To: Domenic Dadalt <ddadalt@lasalle.ca>

Cc: Tanner, Karl ktanner@dillon.ca, Peter Valente pvalente@valentecorp.com>

Domenic,

Attached, please find correspondence from Dillon Consulting regarding the above-noted development for consideration by Council.

If you have any questions or need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jeff