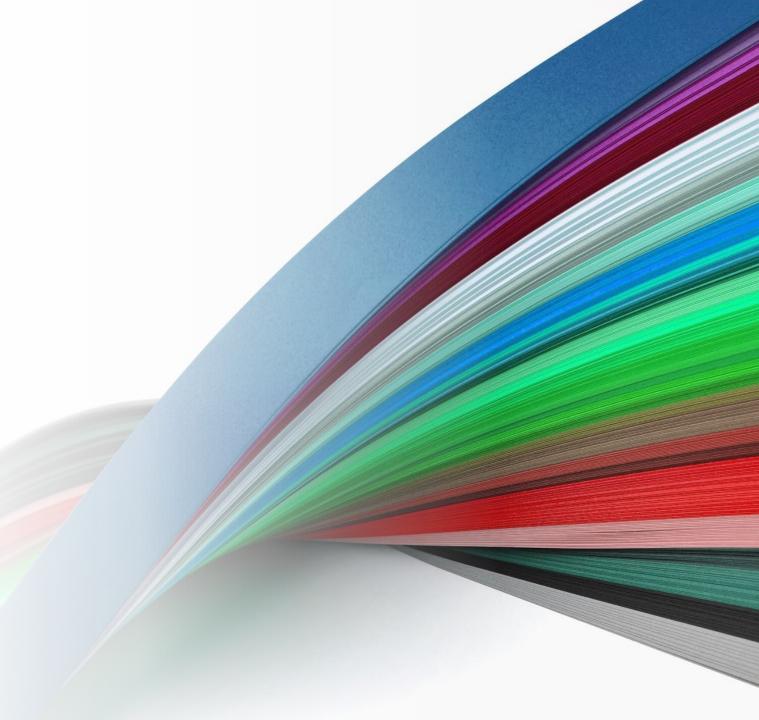


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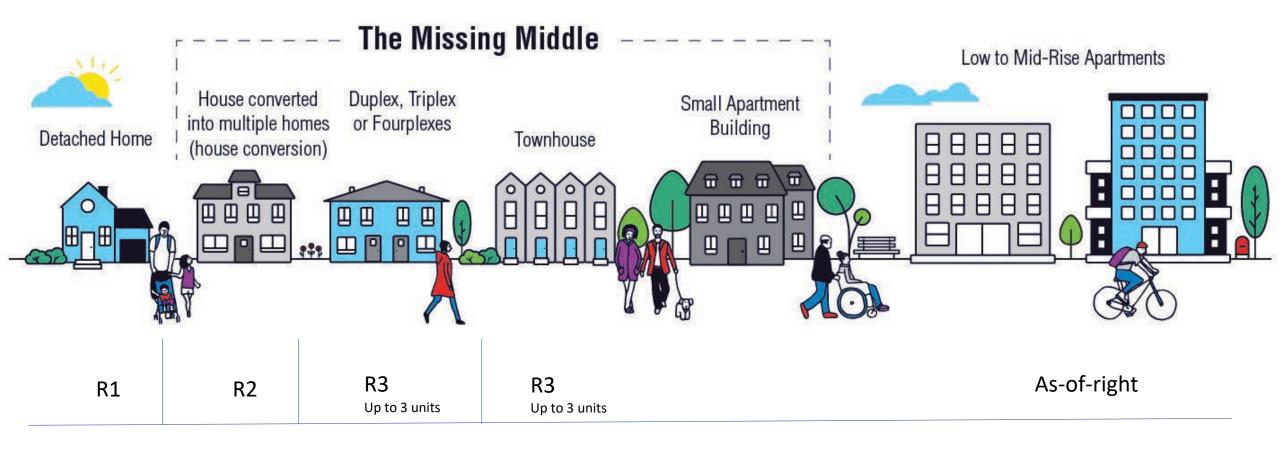


Gentle increases in density





Residential Units by zone in current bylaw



R1/R2/R3 - - - - - - - - - - - - →

By Development Agreement



Proposed Residential Units by zone



R2 Zoning

- 2 main units as of right
- 4 units by site plan approval

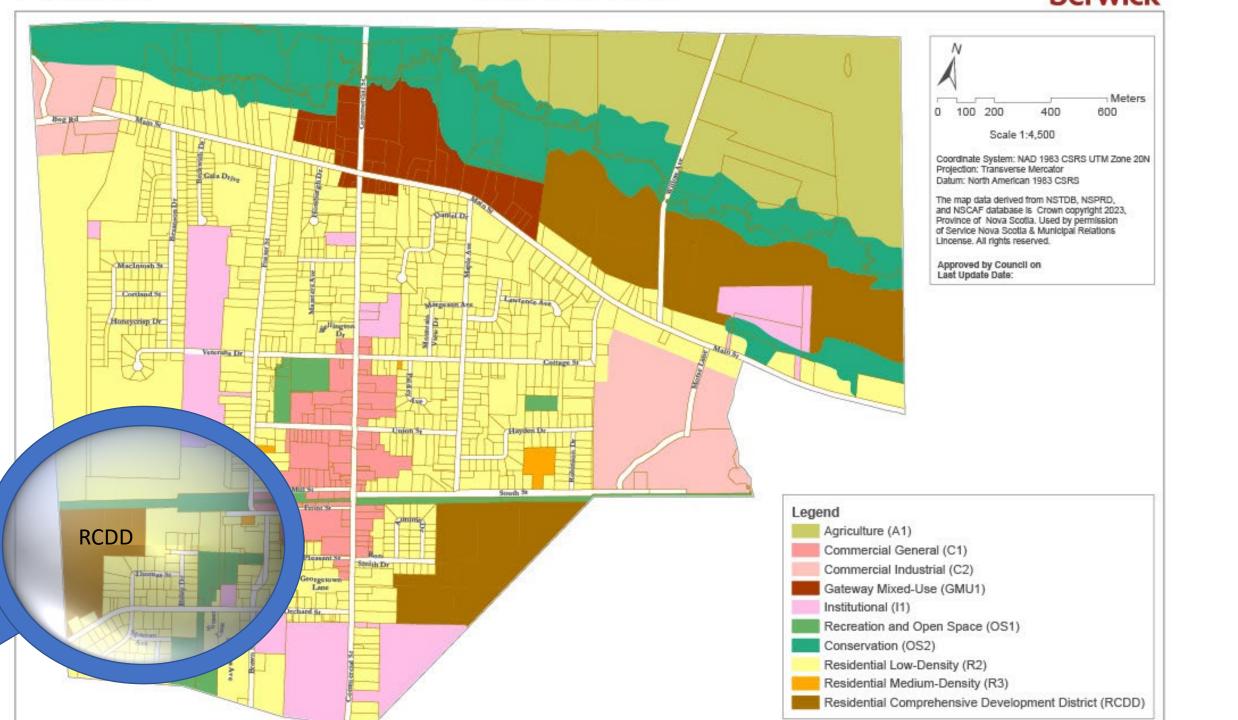
R3 and R4 Zones

- 10 or more units in R4 zone by DA
- 7-9 units in the R3 and R4 zone by site plan approval
- Requires a ground water assessment. Other criteria include compatibility criteria and design.





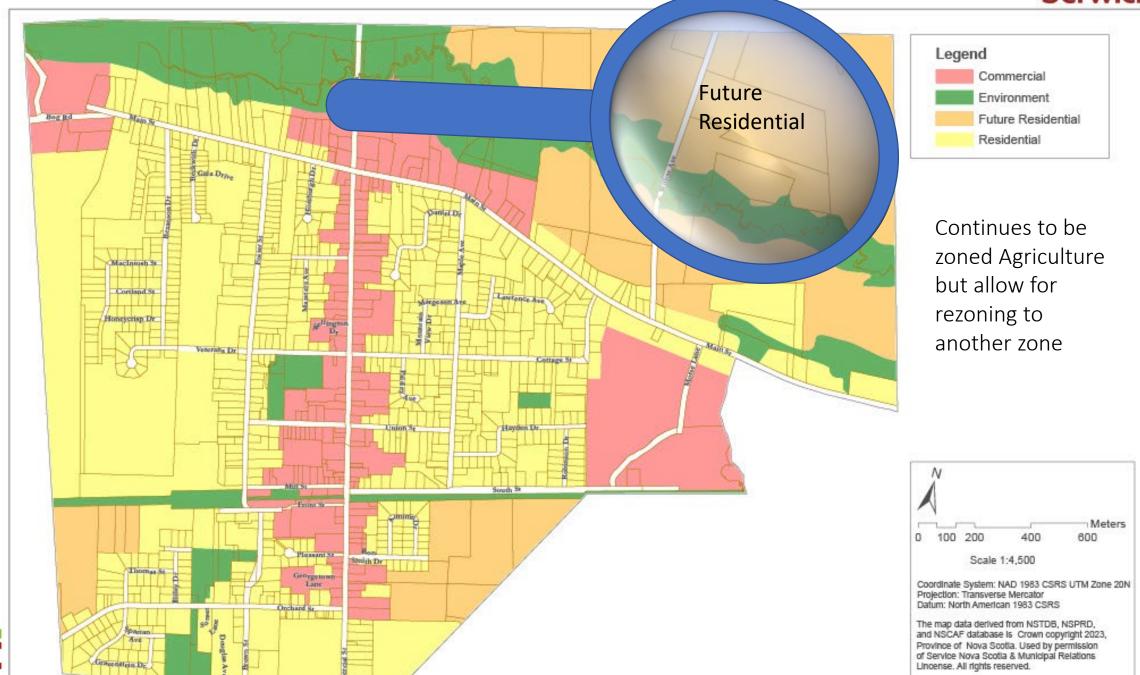
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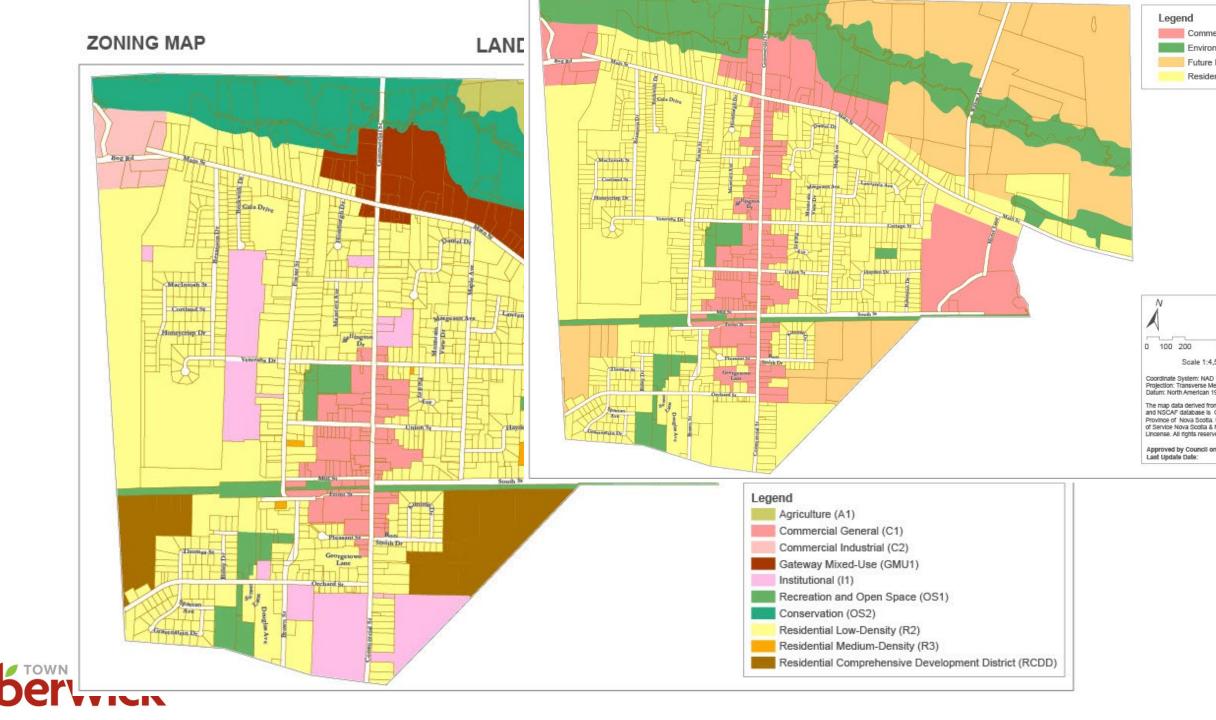


GENERAL FUTURE LAND USE MAP

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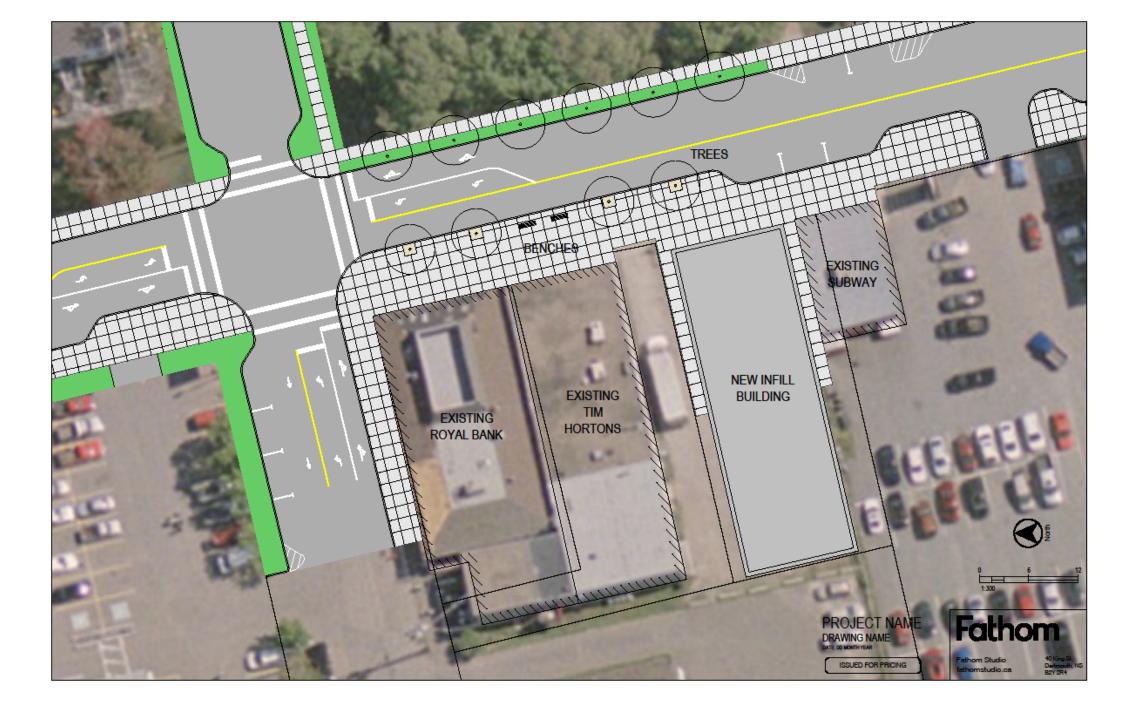




Encouraging More Commercial Development











How the Plan encourages Commercial?

01

Reduce Parking

0.5 spaces per residential unit (reduced from 1 or 1.5)

1 parking space per 300 square feet of floor area (no change)



02

Heights

Allows up to 5 stories of residential – must provide a hydrological study and compatibility of design



03

Mixed Use

Encourages the development of ground floor commercial with residential above.

Promotes walkability and density in areas with sidewalks and services.



04

New Areas

Allows for rezoning of a small area of Commercial Street from residential to commercial subject to criteria





Other changes

Other changes





Next Steps



PAC – April 5th



Revise

Documents







1st Reading -April*



Public Hearing/ Second Reading-May*



Provincial Review

