

CORPORATE REPORT

NO: R185 COUNCIL DATE: SEPTEMBER 23, 2013

REGULAR COUNCIL

TO: Mayor & Council DATE: September 19, 2013

FROM: General Manager, Engineering FILE: 7910-0256/00

SUBJECT: Closure of Road Allowance Adjacent to 442 – 188 Street and 435 - 192 Street

RECOMMENDATION

The Engineering Department recommends that Council authorize the City Clerk to bring forward a by-law to close and remove the dedication as highway for each of a 1,866 m 2 (20,087 ft. 2) area and a 2,357 m 2 (25,370.5 ft 2) area of road allowance located adjacent to the property at 442 – 188 Street and 435 – 192 Street, respectively, all as generally illustrated in Appendix I attached to this report.

BACKGROUND

1. Property Description

The pieces of road allowance proposed for closure have an area of 1,866 m 2 (20,087 ft. 2) and 2,357 m 2 (25,370.5 ft 2), respectively, and are located along the southern frontage of the privately-held properties located at 442 – 188 Street and 435 - 192 Street, respectively. The road closure areas are not required by the City if the properties at 442 – 188 Street and 435 – 192 Street are developed as is proposed.

2. Zoning, Plan Designations and Land Uses

The areas of road allowance proposed for closure and the adjacent properties 442 – 188 Street and 435 - 192 Street are zoned General Agriculture (A-1) Zone, and are designated as "Agricultural" in the Official Community Plan.

DISCUSSION

1. Purpose of Road Closure

The areas of road allowance proposed for closure are to be consolidated and redeveloped with the adjacent private properties located at 442 – 188 Street and 435 – 192 Street, which are the subject of Development Application No. 7910-0256-00. The development application is

seeking approval to develop nine (9) agriculture parcels from the consolidated site, as illustrated in Appendix II attached to this report.

The proposed road closures have been circulated to all potentially concerned City Departments for review and all are supportive of the closures.

As required under Section 40 (4) of the Community Charter, all utility companies potentially affected by the proposed road closures have been consulted and none have expressed any objections.

2. Land Value

The applicant has agreed to provide compensation to the City equivalent to the market value of the road closure areas as determined by a staff appraiser.

All area calculations contained in this report are approximate and subject to final survey.

SUSTAINABILITY CONSIDERATIONS

The proposed road closures and sale support the Surrey Sustainability Charter goal of using the City's land base efficiently. The road allowance areas proposed for closure are not required for road purposes upon development of the adjacent private properties at 442 – 188 Street and 435 – 192 Street and are to be consolidated and developed with these properties, which supports of planned and orderly development in South Surrey.

CONCLUSION

The areas of road allowance proposed for closure are surplus to the City's needs. The terms of the agreement related to the disposition of the road closure areas are considered reasonable. It is recommended that Council authorize staff to bring forward an appropriate by-law to close the subject road allowance areas in preparation for their sale and consolidation as generally described in this report.

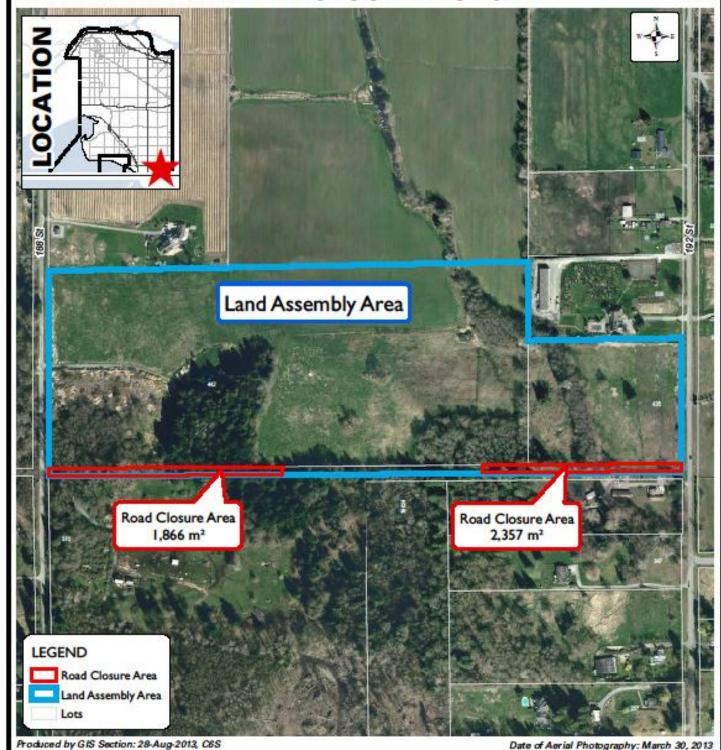
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Appendix I: Aerial Photograph of Site Appendix II: Development Site Layout

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APPENDIX I AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF SITE





CLOSURE OF ROAD ALLOWANCE:

Adjacent to 442 - 188 St & 435 - 192 St FILE: 7910-0256

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

The data provided is compiled from various sources and IS NOT warranted as to its accuracy or sufficiency by the City of Surrey.

Lot sizes, Legal descriptions and engumbrances must be confirmed at the Land Title Office.

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APPENDIX II DEVELOPMENT SITE LAYOUT

Amendment to PLA

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Lot 4 Section 4 Township 7 New Washrenston District Plan 6224

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Lot *C* Section 4 Township 7 New Westminster District PLAN 15914

CBMC Properties Ltd.;

435 - 192 Street and 442 - 188 Street

Reason for Amendment

Move 4th Avenue "Hat"-Road" firee malars north, two CIMD property.

Consequence to Layout

