

# CORPORATE REPORT

NO: R003 COUNCIL DATE: January 11, 2016

### **REGULAR COUNCIL**

TO: Mayor & Council DATE: December 8, 2015

FROM: General Manager, Engineering FILE: 3900-20 (8830)

SUBJECT: Amendments to Subdivision and Development By-law No. 8830 - Surrey Road

Classification Map (R-91) and Surrey Major Road Allowance Map

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Engineering Department recommends that Council:

- 1. Approve amendments to Schedule 'D', "Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91)", and Schedule 'K', "Surrey Major Road Allowance Map", in the *Surrey Subdivision and Development By-law*, 1986, No. 8830 all as documented in Appendix "I" to this report; and
- 2. Authorize the City Clerk to bring forward the necessary amendment Bylaw for the required readings.

### **INTENT**

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval for amendments to Schedule 'D', "Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91)", and Schedule 'K', "Surrey Major Road Allowance Map", of the *Surrey Subdivision and Development By-law*, 1986, No. 8830 (the "Bylaw") in support of on-going planned and orderly development of the City.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The proposed Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91), attached as Appendix "II" to this report, is the key document upon which the planning, operation, and management of the City's road network is based. It acts as the base for establishing new road alignments, road widths, and road cross-sections, and provides important information to prospective land development applicants in the context of establishing the business plans for new developments. It also assists City staff in the review of development applications and in managing the road network, including such things as determining transit routes, snowploughing priorities, traffic signal locations, access management, and the installation of traffic calming features.

The proposed Surrey Major Road Allowance Map, attached as Appendix "III" to this report, documents the road allowance width requirements for every major road within the City's transportation network to ensure that the servicing needs for the continued growth of the City can be accommodated. It also provides information to prospective land developers regarding the impacts of road dedications on land development proposals and reflects specific dedication requirements determined through major long-term transportation and planning studies, including rapid transit requirements.

The updates proposed in this report will ensure that the Bylaw reflects City growth projections and the augmentations to the City's transportation infrastructure that will be necessary to support such growth.

#### **DISCUSSION**

Although both maps were last amended in 2013, there is always a need to review and update these maps due to the rapid growth and change in the City. The updates to the Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91), as recommended in this report, are mostly of a housekeeping nature including minor road alignment changes based on conceptual designs, identifying newly constructed roads as "existing" rather than "future", and adding updates within West Clayton that were approved by Council as part of the West Clayton Neighbourhood Concept Plan approval on July 27, 2015. Lastly, there are a small number of minor classification adjustments that reflect local context.

Many of the updates to the proposed Surrey Major Road Allowance Map are to align with the above-mentioned changes to the Road Classification Map. In addition, the Road Allowance Map identifies a number of roads with offset centrelines, which have been determined through the development of conceptual designs or to accommodate adjacent features such as railways or provincial highways. The amendments include a small number of locations where the reduction of the road allowance width is proposed in order to respond to the local context.

### **Transportation & Infrastructure Committee**

At the December 7, 2015 Transportation & Infrastructure Committee meeting, the Committee adopted a resolution endorsing staff to bring forward the amendments to Council through a Corporate Report.

### **Legal Review**

The Bylaw amendments have been reviewed by the Legal Services Division and they have no concerns.

#### SUSTAINABILITY CONSIDERATIONS

The amendments to the Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91) and Surrey Major Road Allowance Map proposed in this report will assist in achieving the objectives of the City's Sustainability Charter. The roads, as identified on the subject maps, support economic growth by ensuring that sufficient land is protected for future infrastructure needs for all transportation modes including transit, goods movement, walking, cycling, and private vehicle use. More particularly, the application of the information on the subject maps supports the following scope action items in the Charter:

- SC13: Create a fully accessible City;
- EC2: Economic Development and Employment;
- EC4: Sustainable Fiscal Management Practices; and
- EC16: Increased Transit and Transportation to Support a Sustainable Economy.

### **CONCLUSION**

Based on the above discussion, it is recommended that Council:

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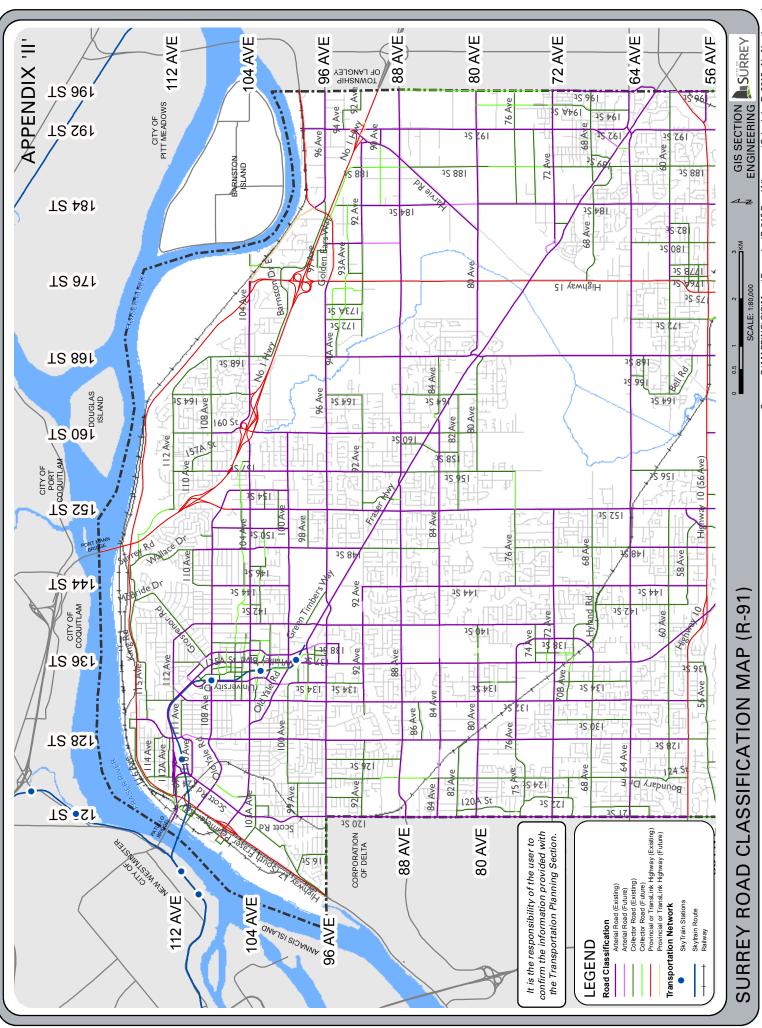
Appendix "I" - Proposed Amendments to *Surrey Subdivision and Development By-law, 1986, No. 88*30 Appendix "II" - Proposed Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91) Appendix "III" - Proposed Surrey Major Road Allowance Map

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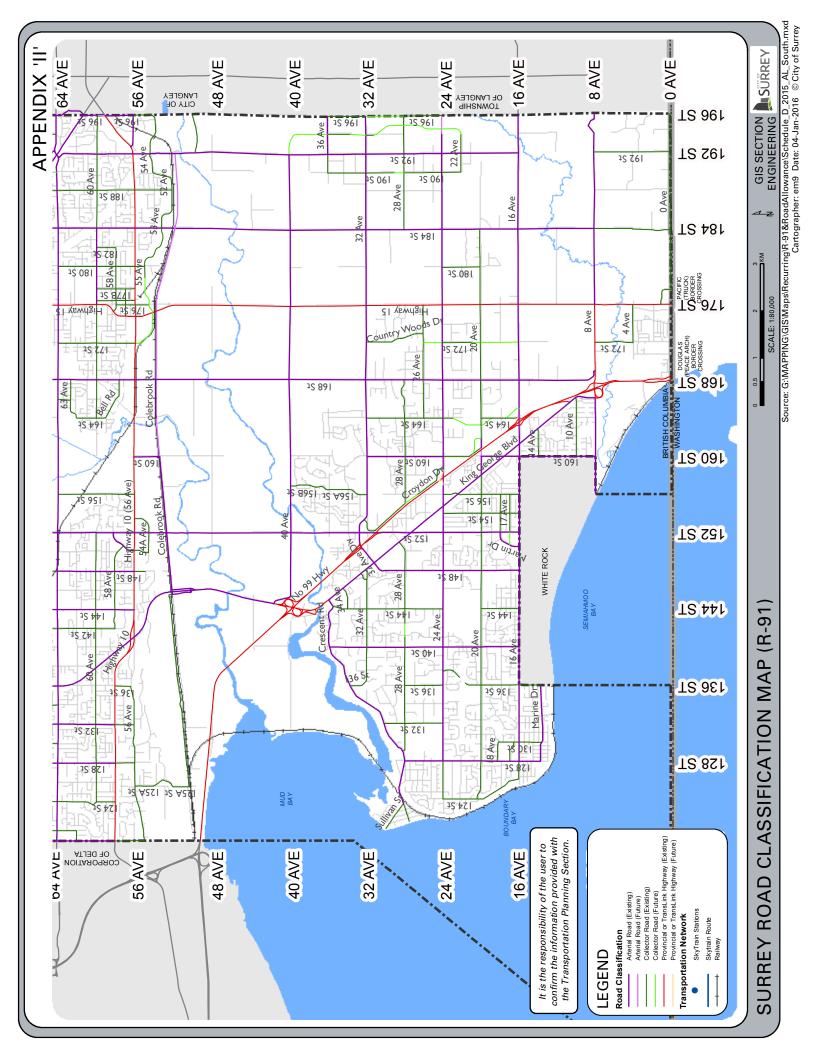
## Proposed Amendments to the Surrey Subdivision and Development By-law, 1986, No. 8830, as amended (the "Bylaw")

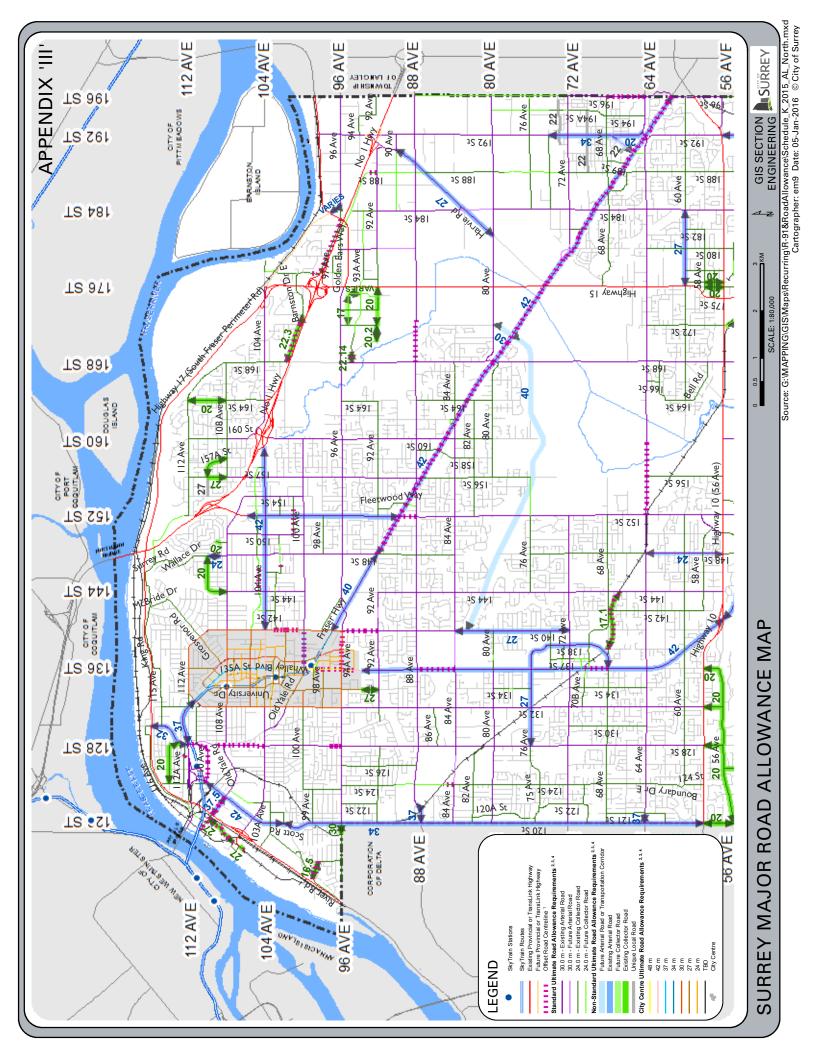
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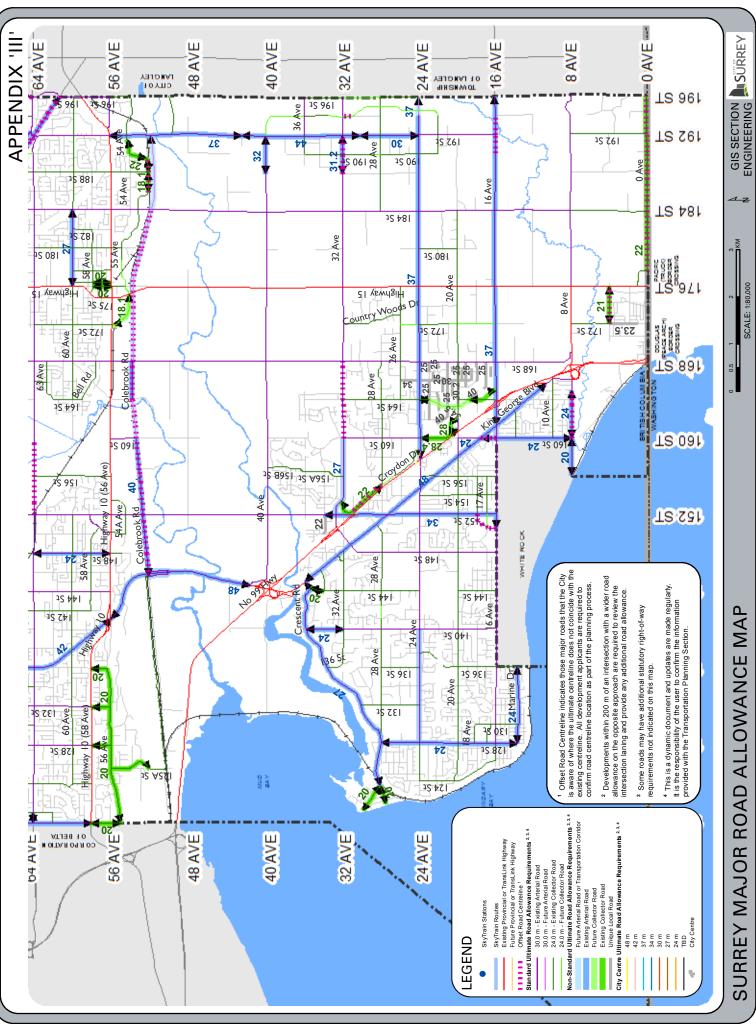
- 1. Replace Schedule 'D' in its entirety with a new Schedule 'D', the Surrey Road Classification Map (R-91), which is attached as Appendix "II"; and
- 2. Replace Schedule 'K' in its entirety with a new Schedule 'K', the Surrey Major Road Allowance Map, which is attached as Appendix "III".



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