



## Media Release

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### Official Plan Update – Urban Design Survey

Peterborough, ON – The City of Peterborough invites residents and interested parties to participate in the latest survey released as part of the Official Plan Update. The survey focuses on urban design and opens on August 24, 2018 and remains active until October 8, 2018 at [www.peterborough.ca/planit](http://www.peterborough.ca/planit).

This survey allows participants to review, rate, and comment on topics such as the outcomes of the Community Design Charrette held earlier in the summer and strategies to maintain downtown Peterborough's historic character. Additional topics include identifying important views and landmarks in the City and considering community benefits that may be required when a development proposes increased density and/or height. Community feedback will be used to help guide the creation of urban design policies in the Official Plan and guidelines for new development.

The City has previously released surveys focused on: a vision statement and guiding principles (August 2017); growth management (December 2017); and land use and transportation (March 2018). In total, the City has received over 3,000 online survey responses throughout the Official Plan Update.

Those interested in completing the survey online and subscribing to email updates can visit the City of Peterborough's Official Plan Update project website at [www.peterborough.ca/planit](http://www.peterborough.ca/planit). Paper copies of the survey are available at the City's Planning Division located at City Hall, 500 George St. N.

This information is also available on the City of Peterborough website [www.peterborough.ca](http://www.peterborough.ca).

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