

# NOTICE OF COMMUNITY CAFÉ EVENT

## SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY PLAN – PORT WHITBY

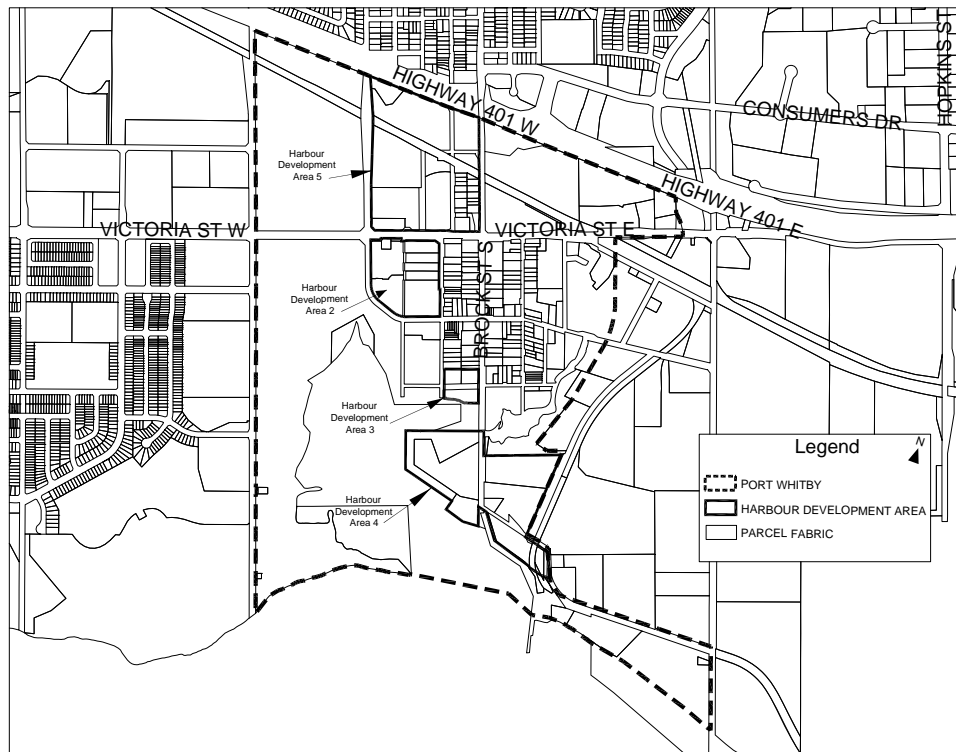
### NEW DATE

**TUESDAY, MAY 11, 2010  
7:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.**

**PORT WHITBY MARINA  
301 WATSON STREET EAST  
WHITBY, ONTARIO**

### Background:

The Town of Whitby and its consultants, consisting of Meridian Planning and their team, are undertaking a Sustainable Community Plan for lands in Port Whitby. Focus is on Harbour Development Areas #2, #3, #4 and #5 as shown on the map below.



The product of the work will be recommendations on:

1. How infrastructure in the area can be provided and designed in a manner that minimizes energy consumption and land requirements;
2. How new buildings in the area can be designed and located to minimize energy consumption and support the use of public transit and the provision of other amenities;
3. How the streets, parks, open spaces and recreational facilities should be planned to enhance the quality of the public realm and support healthy community principles; and,

4. The rules that should apply to the siting, massing and height of buildings in the Harbour Development Areas that are the focus of the study and which recognize the uniqueness of each Harbour Development Area in terms of its location and relationship to existing and future land uses.

### **Community Café Event:**

The public is invited to attend an interactive Community Café event planned for **Tuesday, May 11, 2010 from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** at the Port Whitby Marina. The Community Café will seek input from the public on a series of Sustainability Concepts for Port Whitby. The concepts will present different sustainability options for Port Whitby related to energy use, water use, waste generation and transportation. After an initial presentation from the consultant team, the public will be asked to comment on the strengths and weaknesses of the various concepts, as well as suggest refinements or improvements.

Input received at the Community Café will be used by the consultant team to refine the Sustainability Concepts prior to undertaking the more detailed sustainability analysis of each one.

### **Pre-registration:**

In order to gauge the number of expected attendees, the Planning Department would like to request that you pre-register for the Community Café. To register:

**Telephone:** 905-430-4306, Ext. 2344

**Email:** portwhitbyplan@whitby.ca

### **Next Steps:**

The next steps in this project include the refinement of the Sustainability Concepts and the development of the consultant team's preferred Sustainability Conceptual Development Plan for the lands in Port Whitby.

### **Communications:**

Additional information on the Sustainable Community Plan project for Port Whitby can be found on the Town of Whitby's website at [www.whitby.ca](http://www.whitby.ca) (click on Port Whitby Sustainable Community Plan) and the Whitby Planning Department, Level 7, Whitby Municipal Building, 575 Rossland Road East, Whitby, Ontario, L1N 2M8, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Telephone 905-430-4306; Email: [portwhitbyplan@whitby.ca](mailto:portwhitbyplan@whitby.ca).

If you are unable to attend the Community Café, please provide your comments to the Planning Department by *Friday, May 14, 2010*.

***We welcome your input into the Sustainable Community Plan for Port Whitby and hope to see you at the Community Café Event on Tuesday, May 11, 2010.***

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