

COUNCIL REPORT

TO:CITY MANAGER**DATE:**2012 February 28

FROM:DIRECTOR PLANNING AND BUILDINGFILES:
X. References:87000 05 / 87000 20
ROD#08-3 / SUB 08-6

SUBJECT: ROAD CLOSURE REFERENCE: #08-3 X-REFERENCE: SUBDIVISION #08-6 Portion of Road Right-of-Way Adjacent 5939, 5959, and 5987 Brantford Avenue

PURPOSE: To obtain Council authority for the closure and sale of a redundant portion of road right-of-way adjacent 5939, 5959 and 5987 Brantford Avenue.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- THAT Council authorize the introduction of a Burnaby Highway Closure Bylaw involving the closure and consolidation of an area of approximately 10.05 m (33 ft.) by 46.32 m (152 ft.) of redundant road right-of-way adjacent 5939, 5959 and 5987 Brantford Avenue, as shown on the <u>attached</u> Sketch #1.
- 2. THAT Council authorize the sale of the road closure area, as outlined in this report.
- **3. THAT** a copy of this report be sent to Ms. Marisa Beraldin of #612 1425 W. 6th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. V6H 4G5.

REPORT

The subject road closure is part of an application for subdivision of properties zoned R2 Residential District at 5939, 5959, and 5987 Brantford Avenue. The application provides for the creation of eight new lots in accordance with the prevailing R2 Residential District. The subdivision also provides the dedication of a new cul-de-sac road, as indicated on <u>attached</u> Sketch #2.

As part of the review and processing of the subdivision application, it has been determined that a small portion of road right-of-way adjacent 5939, 5959 and 5987 Brantford Avenue is not required for City road purposes. The subject closure of an area of approximately 10.05 m (33 ft.) by 46.32 m (152 ft.) will contribute lot area for proposed Lot 3, Lot 4 and Lot 5 of the subdivision. The Legal Department has determined a value of \$358,000.00 for the 465.51 m² (5,010.93 sq. ft.) area. The applicant has agreed to purchase the proposed road closure area at the established market value. The Planning and Building Department has provided a letter to the applicant stating that the sale of the road closure area would be contingent upon Council approval and completion of the required conditions of the related subdivision and road closure applications.

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The Planning and Building Department has received the written concurrence to the conditions of the subdivision, road closure and land sale from the applicant.

It is recommended that Council authorize the introduction of a Burnaby Highway Closure Bylaw to provide for the closure and consolidation of the subject redundant road right-of-way, as indicated on Sketch #1. Council authorization for the sale of the road closure area, as indicated in this report, is also sought. With subsequent Council adoption of the bylaw, the subject portion of road right-of-way would be closed, sold and consolidated with the subject properties as part of the completion of subdivision and road closure applications.

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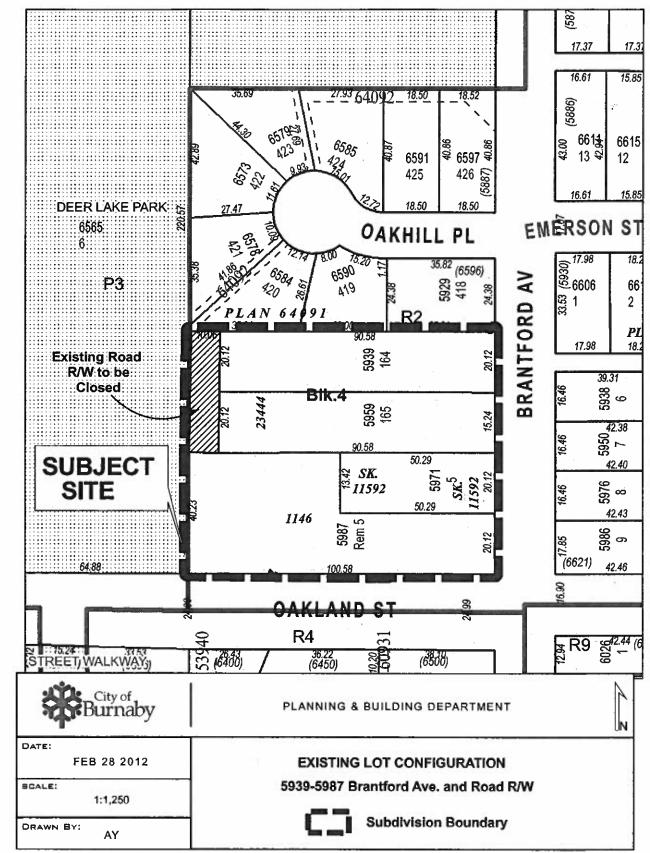
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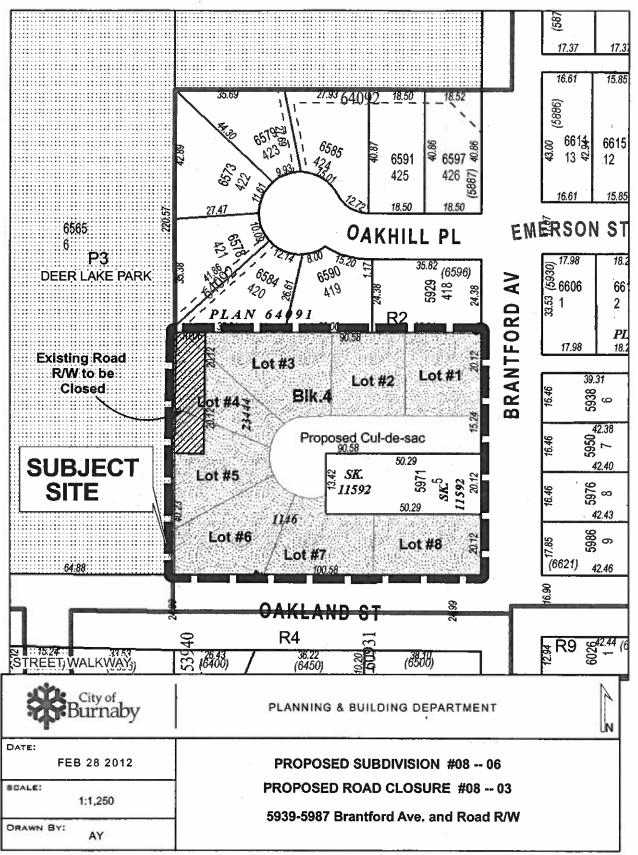
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cc: Director Engineering City Solicitor City Clerk

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Sketch #2

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