

City of West Kelowna 2760 Cameron Road West Kelowna, BC V1Z 2T6 September 11, 2023 File: 2463

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Attention: Mayor and Council of West Kelowna

Bob Dargatz, P.Eng., Development Manager / Approving Officer

Upper Glenrosa/Salmon Road – Zoning Bylaw Amendment and Development Variance Permit Application – Lot A & B, KAP68680 and Block 105, KAP777, ODYD

In response to the rezoning application extension our office made on May 9, 2023, West Kelowna's Planning Department brought forward the application to Council on June 27, 2023. This application was the second rezoning application extension for the file, in accordance with West Kelowna's policy that allows for two rezoning file extension requests.

The application is faced with two issues that require solution.

- Unable to reasonably negotiate land acquisition required to facilitate the construction of a 680m section of Glenrosa Road north of the Gates Road and Glenrosa Road intersection, as identified on D.E. Pilling & Associates Ltd. (Pilling) drawing 2463 – P4 (rev.0), dated July 2020.
- 2) Cost of offsite upgrades.

For reference, after the 3rd reading, the subject property and its rezoning application was taken over by new ownership during 2019.

The June extension request pointed out that the extension would allow the development team to explore opportunities to address the above issues provided the land acquisition hurdles could first be solved.

On Tuesday, June 27, 2023 the Municipal Council of the City of West Kelowna passed the following resolution (C257/23):

THAT Council defer consideration of Z17-02, Application Extension, 3290 Glenrosa Road, 3280 Glenrosa Road and Salmon Road for a period of three months.

Submission materials include the below listed documents and the trailing text portion of this letter.

- 2463 P4 (rev.0) Land Acquisition Plan (From 2020)
- 2463 R1d (rev.0) Glenrosa Road Plan/Profile 0+000 to 0+340
- 2463 R2d (rev.0) Glenrosa Road Plan/Profile 0+340 to 0+700
- 2463 X2c (rev.0) Glenrosa Road Cross Sections 0+490 to 0+660

Following the resolution, our office reviewed the design to explore options to address the above noted issues. Referring to the attached Land Acquisition Map 2463-P4, land acquisition shown on properties labeled 1 to 5 have been eliminated. A summary of the changes that have been reviewed with West Kelowna's reviewing departments are as follows:

- Property #1: 3275 Glenrosa Road (BLK 107 PLAN KAP777)
 - Figure 1 below shows the existing property line in red, the proposed property lines in green, the proposed Glenrosa Road asphalt as grey, and the existing Glenrosa Road travelled surface overlapping private property hatched in olive green.
 - Section 42 of the BC Transportation Act states that
 - "42 (1) Subject to subsection (2), if public money is spent on a travelled road that is not a highway, the travelled road is deemed and declared to be a highway."
 - Consequently, this section of Glenrosa Road is deemed a highway.
 - To allow for road surface works (realignment, new pavement, etc.) as generally proposed on the Pilling civil drawings, the re-design includes jogging the proposed storm sewer and water system works off their preferred alignments so that they avoid containment within Property #1. The jogged utilities result in utilities located within the current Glenrosa Road right-of-way which we understand will avoid land acquisition requirements to complete the upgrade.

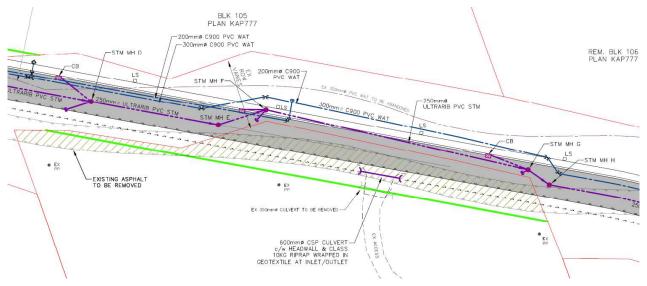


Figure 1: Property #1 Land Acquisition Avoidance

- Property #2 & #3: 3275 Glenrosa Road (BLK 107 PLAN KAP777) & 3235 Glenrosa Road (BLK 110 PLAN KAP777)
 - The challenge here was the balance between retaining wall heights on the east side
 of the road and reconstructing a functional driveway to these two properties on the
 west side of the road.
 - Map 2463-P4 notes driveway relocation and embankment cuts that when discussed on site with survey layout was not met with approval by the owners.
 - Long story short: The revised design avoids the driveway and embankment.
 Revisions included raising the road, narrowing the boulevard on the east side to offset the effect that the road lift had on the east retaining wall height, and shifted the centerline of the road to the east away from the subject driveway.

Property #4 & #5:

- The Glenrosa Road upgrade comes with nearly 700 m of barrier curb which would direct storm water to catch basin inlets, a piped storm sewer, a large storm water detention tank, and a slow controlled release downstream of the upgrade boundary.
- By extending the storm discharge some 60 m, shoulder work and dedication on properties #4 & 5 is avoidable. Figure 2 below, shows the previous design on the left and the revised design on the right.

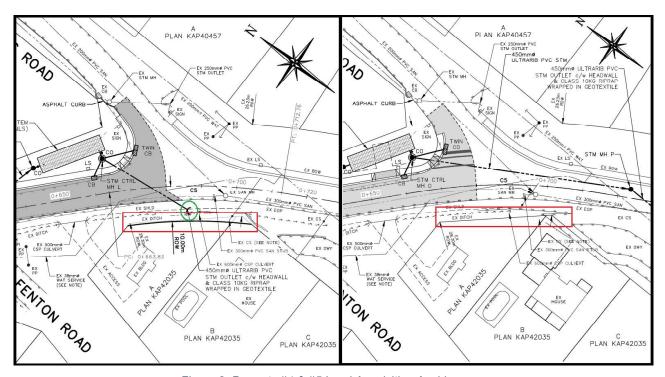


Figure 2: Property #4 & #5 Land Acquisition Avoidance

We trust this is what you require to approve this extension request. If you require anything further, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

D.E. Pilling & Associates Ltd.

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