Growth Management

Master Servicing Study

Development Services Committee April 20, 2010







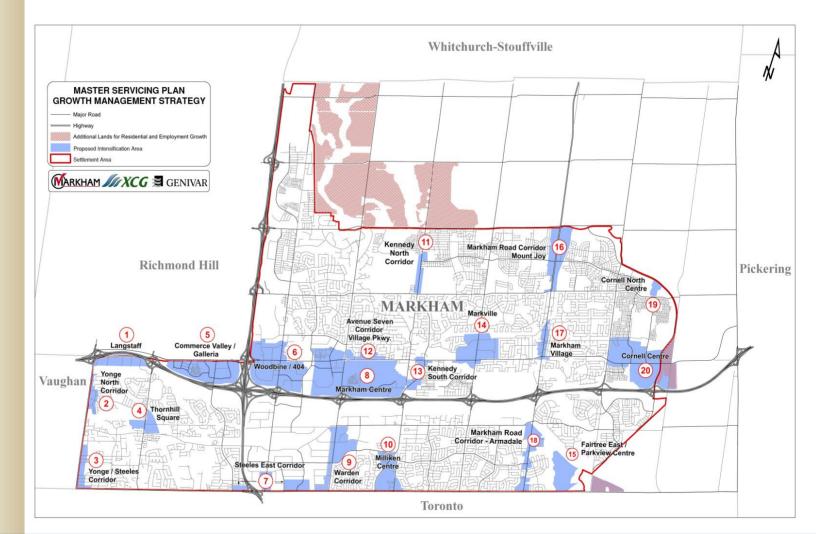
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Purpose of Presentation & Study Approach

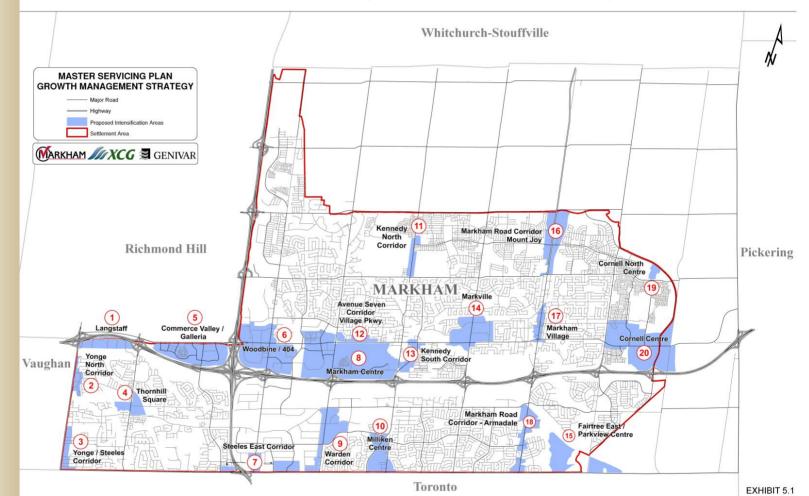
- The purpose of this presentation is to review the feasibility and cost implication of two growth scenarios for 2031 (52-60% vs No Urban Boundary Expansion)
- Assessment of existing system in Intensification Areas
- Growth applied to proposed Intensification Areas and additional lands north of Major Mackenzie Dr.
- Assessment of capacity for the proposed systems (water, sanitary & storm) for the 52-60% and No Urban Boundary Expansion growth options
- Identified costs to upgrade or construct new infrastructure to accommodate the two growth options
- Further detailed assessment of the Council's endorsed growth option to follow

52 - 60% Growth Option - Study Areas



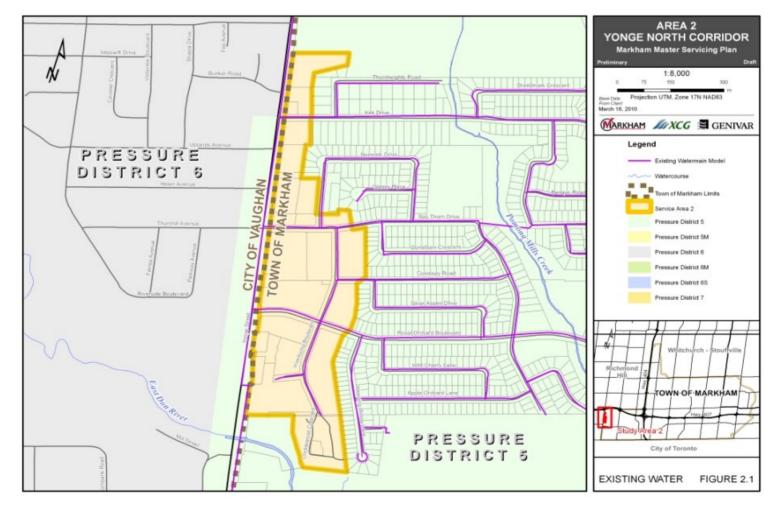
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No Urban Boundary Expansion - Study Areas



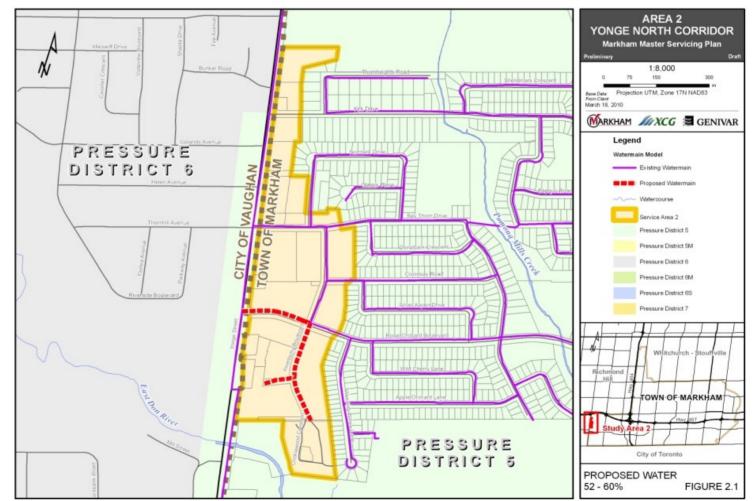
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Area 2 Water - Existing



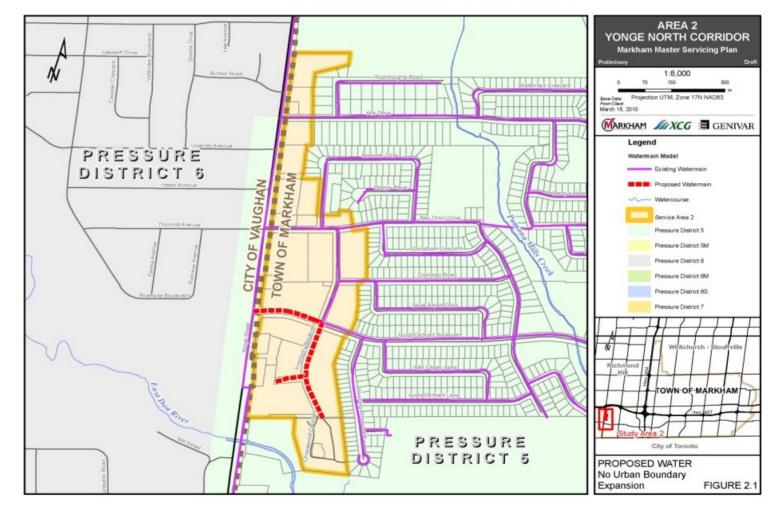
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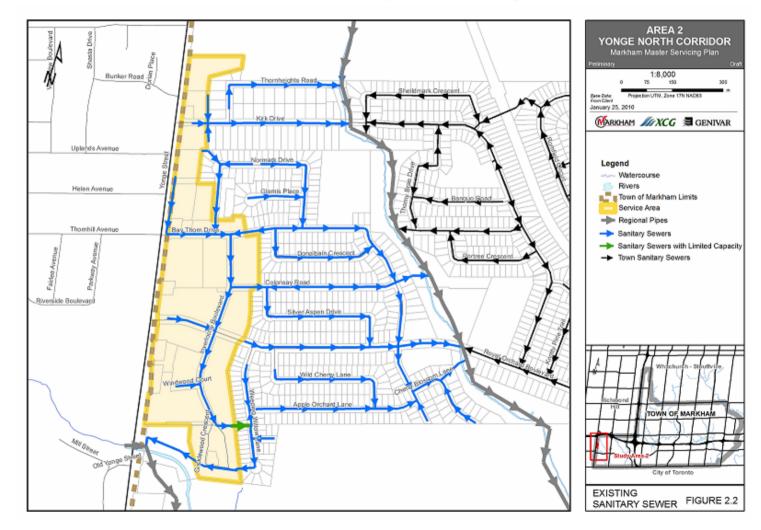


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Area 2 Water – No Urban Boundary Expansion

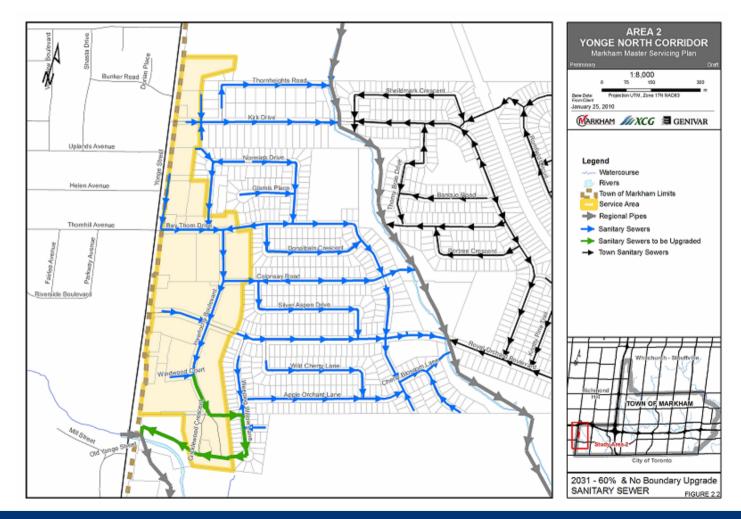


Area 2 Sanitary - Existing



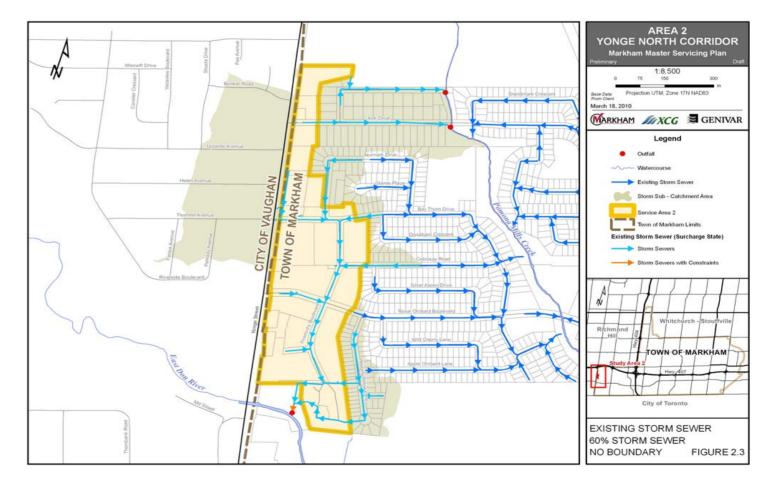
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Area 2 Sanitary 52 - 60% / NBE



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Area 2 Stormwater Existing/52-60%/NBE



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Preliminary Infrastructure Capital Costs⁽¹⁾

- Funded by Development Charges
- Operation and Maintenance costs included in Finance Department's Financial Evaluation

		52-60% Growth Option DC Cost	No Urban Boundary Expansion Growth Option DC Cost
Water		\$ 9.3 million	\$ 2.8 million
Sanitary		\$ 30.4 million ⁽²⁾	\$ 26.7 million ⁽²⁾
Stormwater		\$ 38.0 million ⁽²⁾	\$ 33.0 million ⁽²⁾
	Total	\$ 77.7 million	\$ 62.5 million

⁽¹⁾ Local servicing costs funded by developers and Regional servicing (sanitary & water) costs not included

⁽²⁾ Growth and Non-growth costs not defined

* Costs may change after completion of detailed assessment

Conclusions

- The 52-60% and the No Urban Boundary Expansion options can be serviced with appropriate infrastructure upgrades
- 52-60% option will result in existing system upgrades in the proposed intensification areas and new infrastructure in the expansion lands north of Major Mackenzie Drive
- No Urban Boundary Expansion option will result in additional infrastructure beyond the 52-60% option to reinforce the servicing systems in existing communities
- Capital cost and municipal operational and maintenance costs are generally lower for No Urban Boundary Expansion option.
- Cost to service both options to be funded by developments (local services or Development Charges)
- Costs for both options were submitted to the Finance Department for the financial evaluation
- Servicing cost is only one component in the overall Growth Management Strategy to develop a sustainable growth option for the Town.

Next Steps

- Finalize the study based on Council's endorsed Growth Management option
- Presentation of the study to Development Services Committee – May 25, 2010
- Provide final cost evaluation to Finance June 2010
- Staff Report to Council Fall 2010

Comments / Questions





