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Join the Town of Halton Hills for a
Virtual Open House & Statutory Public Meeting
for the final draft of the Glen Williams Secondary Plan

The Scoped Glen Williams Secondary Plan Review project is wrapping up and the Town wants to give residents the opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback prior to the Statutory Public Meeting at a Virtual Open House on the same day.

Virtual Open House - May 25, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Register ahead of time for the Open House on the Glen Williams Secondary Plan project page on letstalkhaltonhills.ca

Statutory Public Meeting - May 25, 6 p.m.

Join the virtual meeting using one of the following methods. A staff member will admit you once the item is being discussed:

- <https://zoom.us/j/92704108055>
- Enter Zoom ID 927 0410 8055 in the Zoom app
- Call: 647-374-4685

If you or someone you know requires alternative consultation materials or options, please call 905-873-2600, Ext. 2900 and alternative arrangements will be made.

Contact us via email at planning@haltonhills.ca or 905-873-2600, Ext. 2900 if you have any questions that you would like to submit in advance or on how to access the event.

COUNCIL

GTA WEST CORRIDOR DESIGNATED FOR FEDERAL REVIEW

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The federal government will step in to assess the impact the GTA West Corridor will have on at-risk species.

In a letter received by the Town of Halton Hills from Jonathan Wilkinson, federal minister of the environment and climate change, Wilkinson indicated adverse effects on critical habitats was the basis for it being designated under the Impact Assessment Act.

"Council for the Town of Halton Hills has consistently expressed its opposition to this proposed highway for many years," Mayor Rick Bonnette said.

"This 400 series highway is old thinking and should not trump environmental concerns that threaten key species and natural habitat."

The province is proposing to construct and maintain a new 400 series highway, the GTA West highway, passing through the municipalities of Vaughan, Caledon, Brampton and Halton Hills.

Under the previous provincial Liberal government, the project was cancelled, but was later resumed by the current Progressive Conservative government.

"Thank you minister Wilkinson for designating the GTA West highway," Bonnette said. "I ask that the impact assessment proceed as quickly as possible so communities can plan with certainty."

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What has changed in Custody and Access cases in court?

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On March 1, 2021 legislation has attempted to move toward a less conflict-based system dealing with Custody and Access cases. The courts now do not award custody and access. These terms are now abandoned because these terms create winners and losers in a custody battle. In matters, sometimes winning became more important to clients than what is best for the children. Now the courts will award parenting time and decision-making responsibility. As an example, now a parent with parenting time every other weekend can have authority to decide education, sports, health and religion. As you can see it would be difficult to establish a winner and loser, which is exactly the intention.

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