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- 1 Shop local gift cards will be hidden around Halton Hills starting October 18, 2021.
- 2 Weekly clues will be posted on the Town's social media.
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- 3 Find the gift card tin and win a \$100 gift card to shop local!

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NEWS

AFFORDABLE HOUSING PLANS SET FOR GEORGETOWN PROPERTY

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Plans are taking shape for the Town's affordable housing project at 17 Guelph St. in Georgetown.

During a public meeting Oct. 4, staff detailed the municipality's proposal for a four-storey, 14-unit affordable housing and assisted living apartment building at the northeast corner of Guelph and Chapel streets.

The property is currently occupied by a former municipal ambulance building, which would be demolished to make way for the new

building.

The Town has made the land available for the development, while Halton Region is providing some capital funding for the project. Official Plan and zoning bylaw amendments are needed to make the building a reality.

The Town and Region plan to issue a joint call for expressions of interest next month to find a third-party affordable housing provider to build, operate and maintain the building in perpetuity.

Halton Hills economic development and special projects co-ordinator Nicole Pal detailed the types of residents who could

benefit from the new apartment building, such as those who work in the town's main employment sectors of manufacturing, retail, education and construction.

"If you're a single income household working in one of our top employment sectors, it's going to be difficult for you to find affordable housing in Halton Hills," she said.

Housing with prices below market rent is required to accommodate these residents, noted Pal.

"That's why for the 17 Guelph Street project, we're targeting a mixed income community," she said.

"That means there will be a range of affordable rents that are accessible to a range of household income and employment levels."

No residents spoke during the public meeting.

For further details visit letstalkhaltonhills.ca/17-guelph-street.

Notice of Road Closure due to Event



Mill Street East/Highway 7 between Main Street and Bower Street/Eastern Avenue, Acton will be closed between noon and 2 p.m. on **Saturday, October 23, 2021** for the following event:



ACTON TRICK OR TREAT

Organized by the Acton BIA.



Enjoy other upcoming activities:

- **Pumpkin Giveaway**
Saturday, October 23, 2021, 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Willow St. North between Mill Street East and Bower Street, Acton.
- **Pumpkin Promenade**
Monday, November 1, 2021, 5 - 9 p.m.
Willow St. North between Mill Street East and Bower Street, Acton.

If you require any additional information regarding this road closure, contact the Recreation & Parks Department at 905-873-2600, ext. 2269.