Development gets go-ahead

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Residential development in south Milton passed another hurdle Tuesday as council granted draft approval of a 710-unit subdivision.

The subdivision — to be built by Mattamy Ltd. and Charlton House Developments — is proposed for a 40.55 hectare property south of Derry Road and east of Third Line.

In addition to the development of 442 single and semi-detached units and 258 townhouse units, the subdivision will dedicate space for an

extended healthcare facility, an elementary school, three village squares, a park, and 8.77 hectares of new road.

Town senior planner Susan O'Brien told councillors the application is in compliance with both the Regional and Town official plans, as well as the Bristol Survey Secondary Plan.

"And staff have received no comments from the public (concerned about the development)," she added.

With no opposition to the pro-

posed development present, council asked staff to bring forward a zoning bylaw amendment needed to proceed with construction. The developers seek to change the current agricultural belt parkway zoning to medium density residential expansion area.

Dan Leeming, representing Mattamy Ltd., was to address council as a delegation, but after hearing the favourable report from staff, offered only one comment: "We concur with the findings of the technical report."

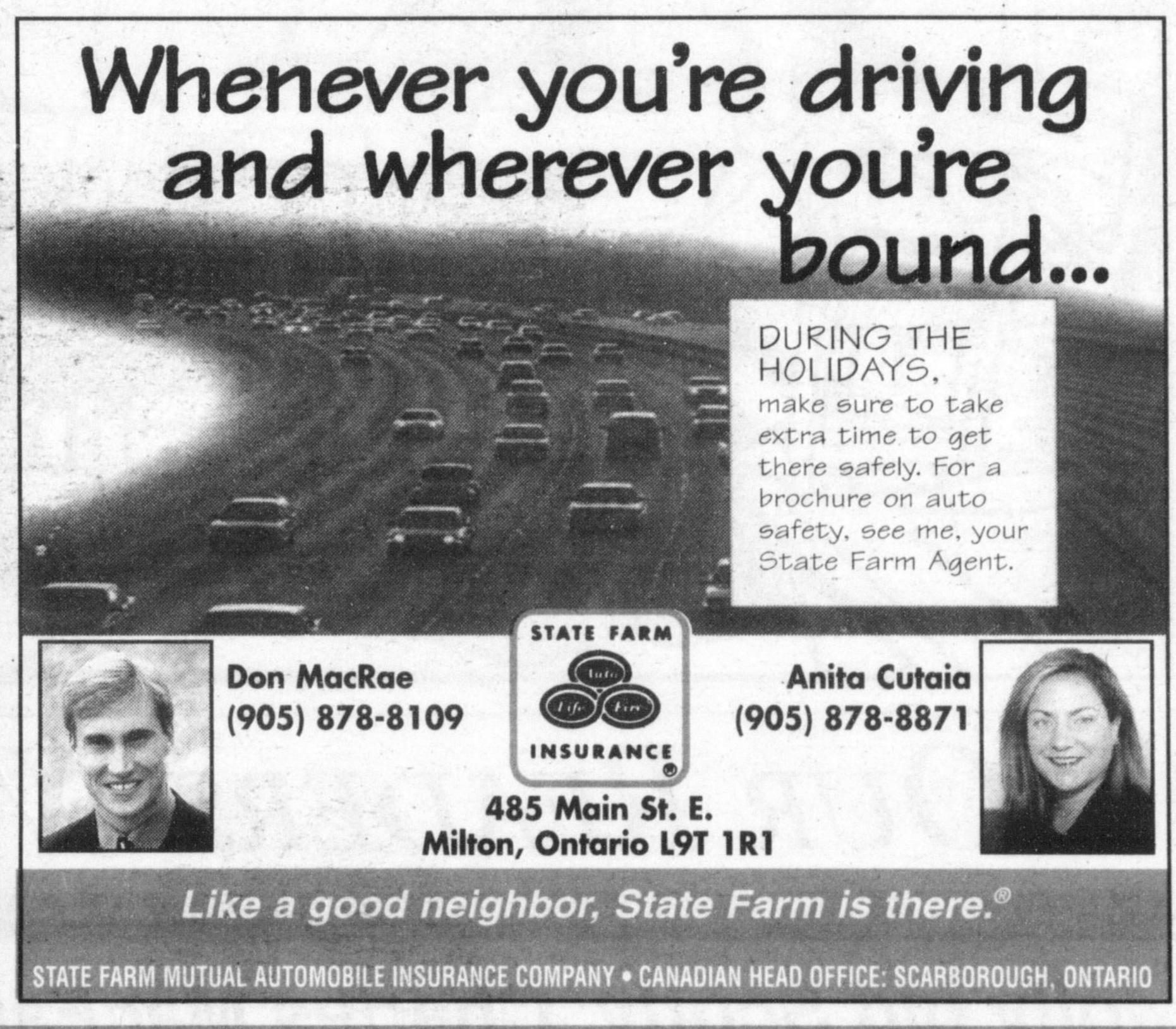


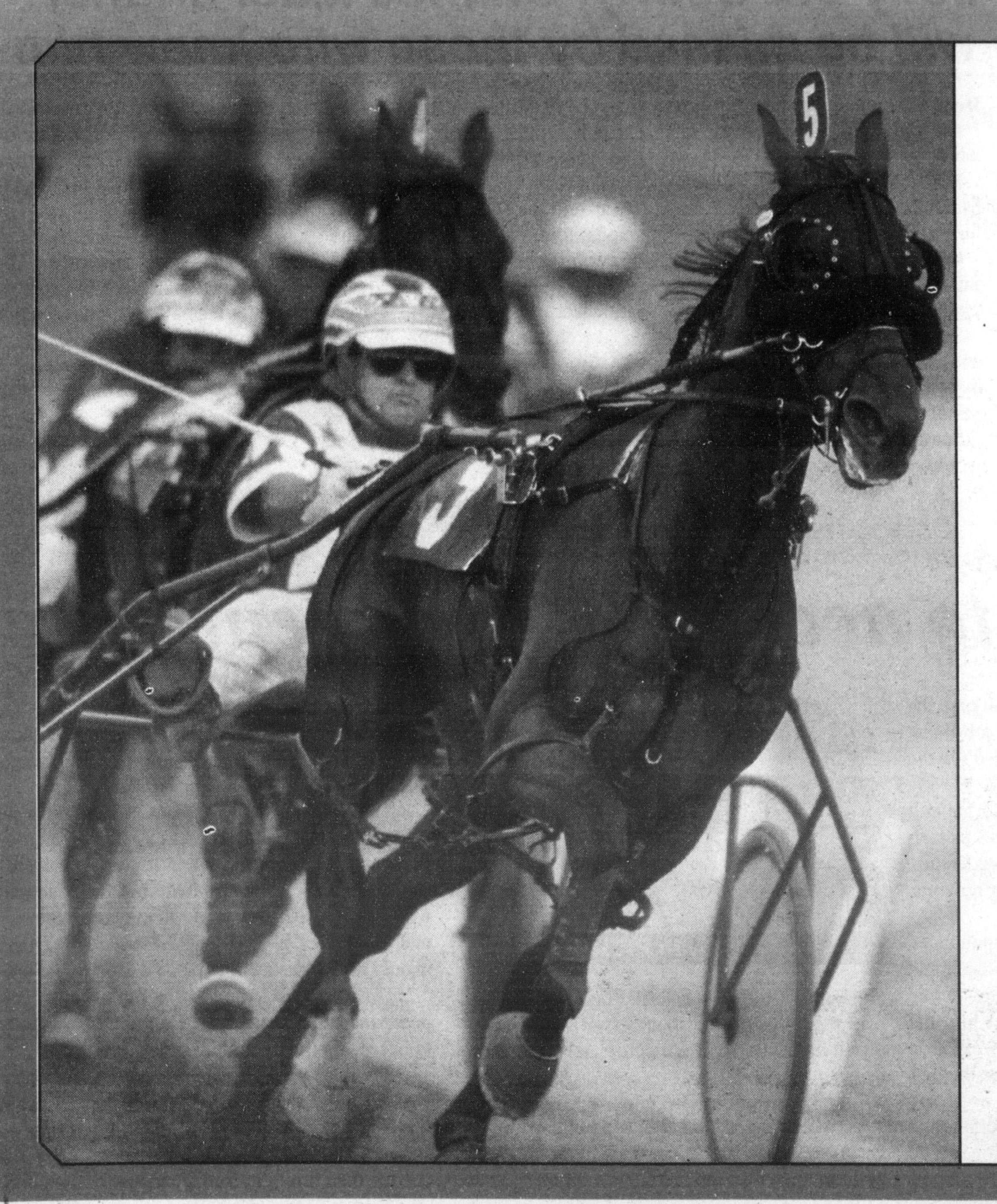
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