

# Watson to run for mayor's position

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his intent to run for the town's top post on Nov. 10.

Here in Whitchurch-Stouffville, the mayor's race is getting crowded: Watson will challenge incumbent mayor Wayne Emmerson and Musselman's Lake resident Charlene Jones.

While Jones announced plans to go after the mayor's job, the Musselman's Lake resident has yet to file the appropriate papers. Emmerson filed his papers to seek a second term almost six months ago.

Watson said he's running a campaign with an emphasis on "more open" government. "I want to open things up. I

want to lead a council that listens to the people. I want to lead a government where all wards are treated equal and where all people are treated equal."

Public involvement in decision making is critical to the town, said Watson. In the case of whether to build a new town hall or not, Watson said the matter should be put towards the people for a full public review. "Let's ask the people first," said Watson.

Watson, an arborist with a local company, said if elected, he'll quit his job. "You can't do two jobs and do justice to either," said Watson.

Watson and his wife Patricia have lived in Musselman's Lake for 10 years.



**A JOB WELL DONE:** Stanley Noble has gone 43 years on the job without one accident (and no missed days). He received a plaque from his company, Lafarge Aggregates in recognition of this feat. He will be retiring in February.  
Photo by STEVE SOMERVILLE

**CORRECTION NOTICE**

We wish to draw your attention to the following in our current "75 Years Anniversary Sale" Flyer.

Page 10: Varsol, TSP cleaners, thinners, paint and varnish removers, 49-1005x.

Copy reads: Save 11-25%.

Should read: Save up to 24%

We sincerely regret any inconvenience we may have caused you.

Circle 340-97. Zones: all excl. 1.

## York Region

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

#### Class Environmental Assessment for WOODBINE AVENUE (Y.R. 8) FROM 16TH AVENUE (Y.R. 73) TO MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE (Y.R. 25) TOWN OF MARKHAM

The Regional Transportation and Works Department is undertaking a Class Environmental Assessment for Woodbine Avenue from 16th Avenue to Major Mackenzie Drive in the Town of Markham. This project is being carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Class Environmental Assessment Process for Municipal Road Projects.

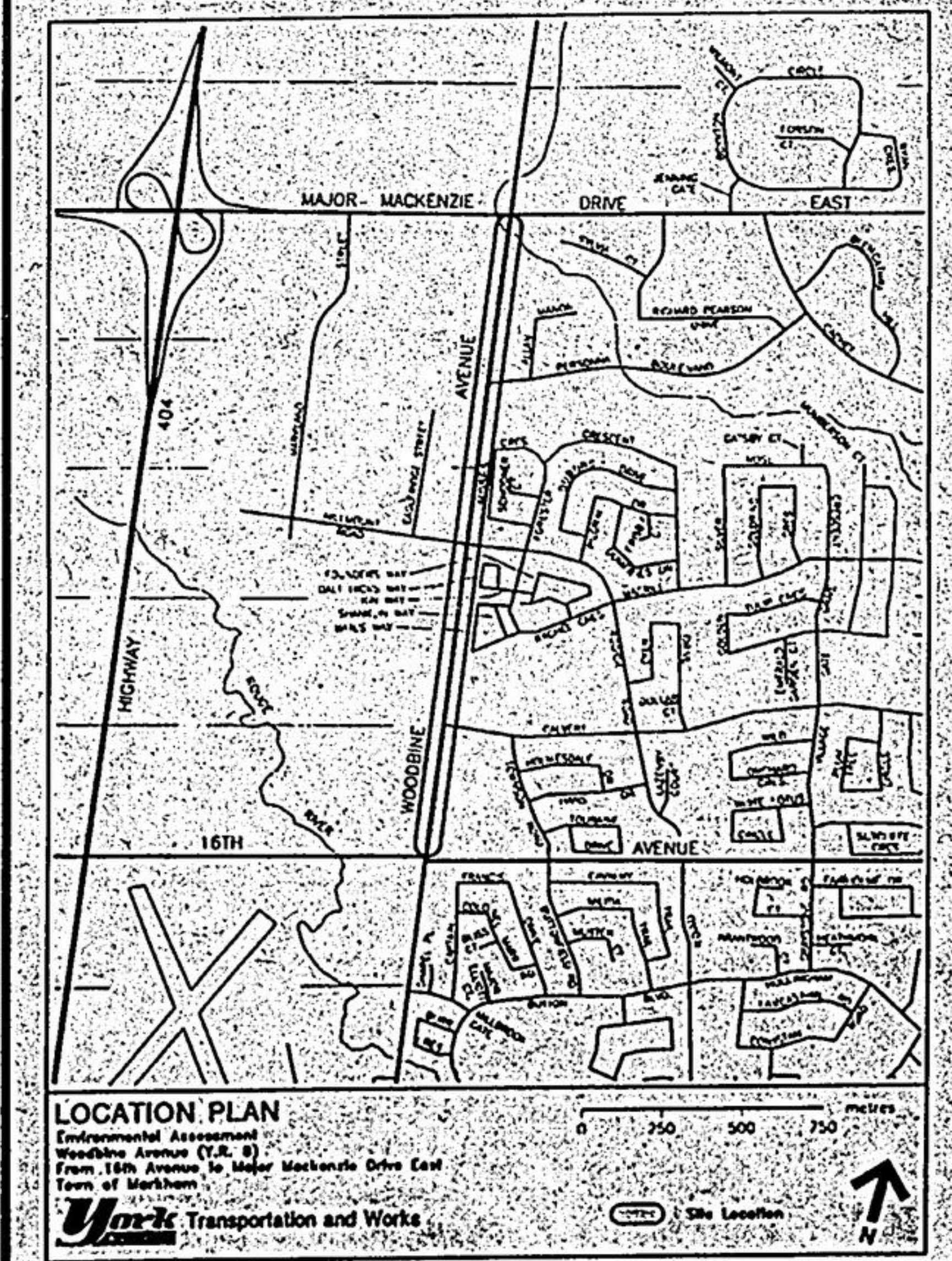
Existing traffic volumes on this section of Woodbine Avenue are approaching the capacity of the roadway and, as a result, traffic operations are congested and delays are lengthy during peak periods. The Regional Transportation and Works Department is currently reviewing options for accommodating both existing traffic and additional traffic related to approved future development in the Town of Markham.

The primary objective of the public information centre is to receive public input on the existing problems and possible alternative solutions for improving the situation. Background information has been assembled and may be reviewed at the Information Centre to be held at the time and location indicated below. Regional staff will be available to answer questions, receive comments and discuss your views on the project.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 7, 1997  
**TIME:** 6:45 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (Presentation begins at 7:00 p.m.)  
**LOCATION:** Buttonville Public School, 141 John Button Boulevard, Markham

If you are unable to attend the Information Centre but wish to provide comments, please write to the address below. In order to maintain our schedule we would like to receive your comments by October 17, 1997.

Mr. Kevin Wilson, P.Eng.  
 The Regional Municipality of York  
 Regional Transportation and Works Department  
 17250 Yonge Street, Box 147  
 Newmarket, Ontario  
 L3Y 6Z1  
 or contact Kevin Wilson at (905) 895-1200, ext. 5047



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**Saturday Oct. 18 and Saturday Oct. 25:** Free wagon rides through our pumpkin fields - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Saturday November 1st:** Season end clearance sale. 9:00 a.m. until sold out!