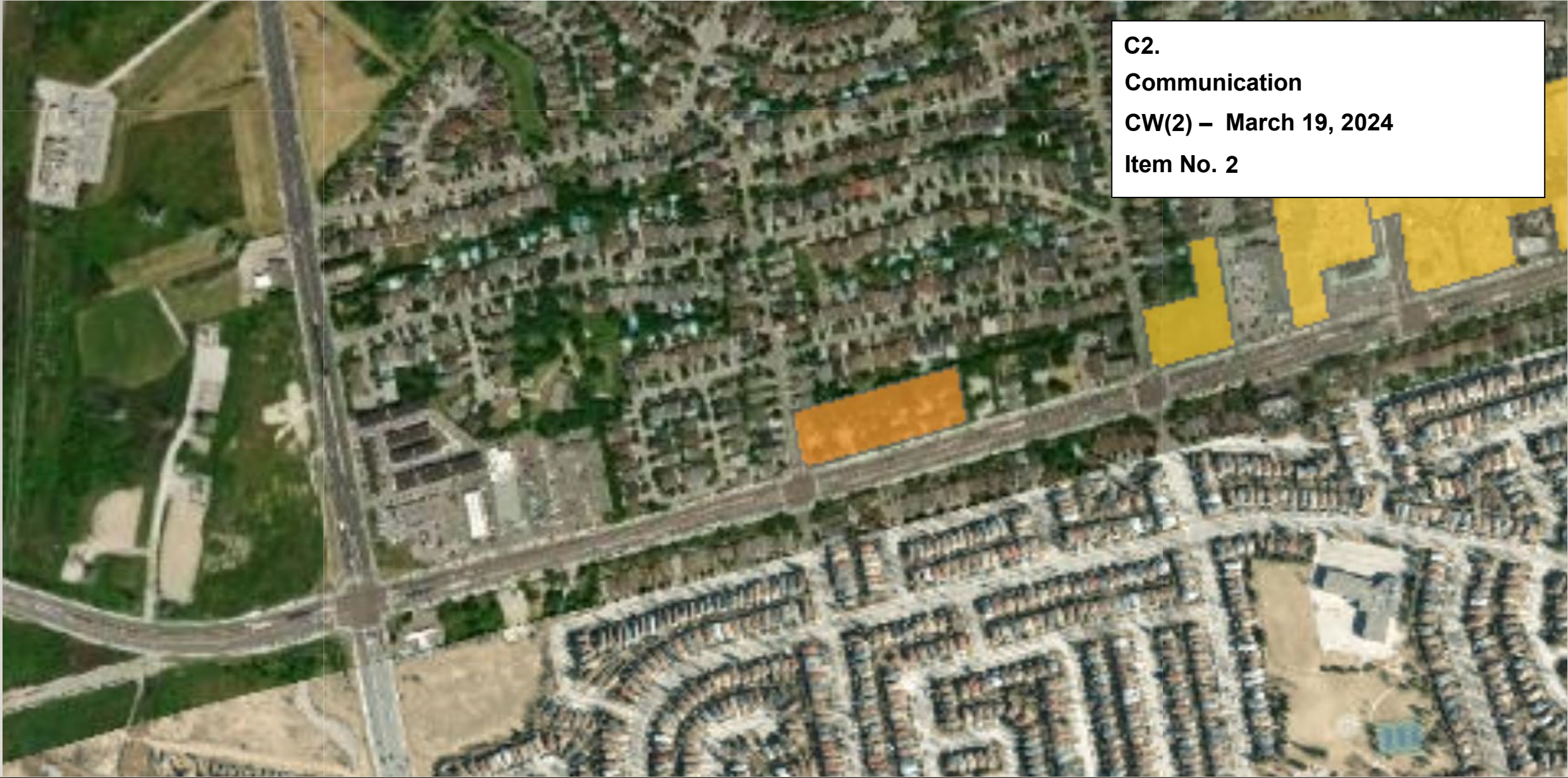


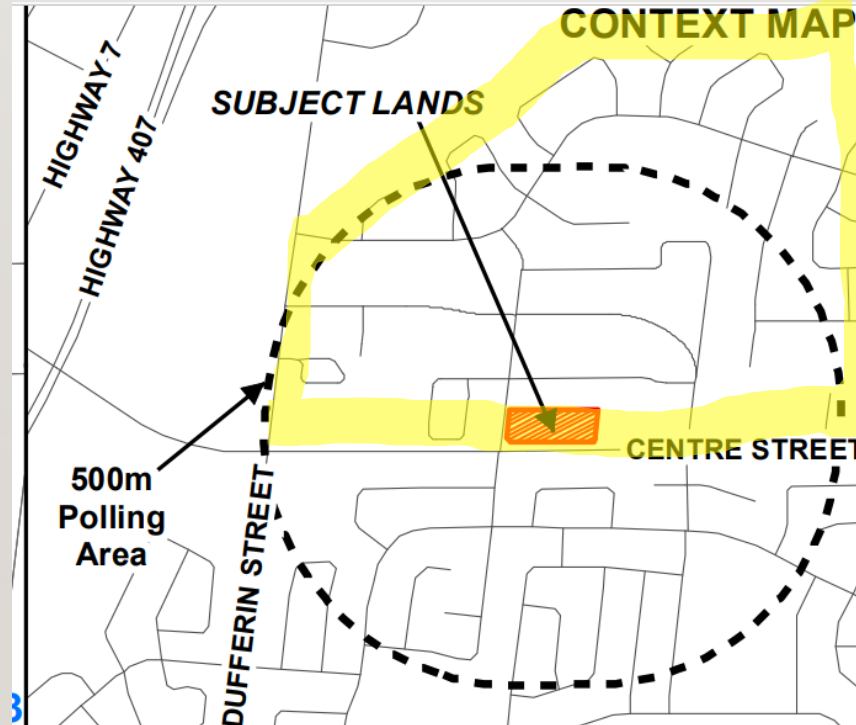
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BACKGROUND

- **As a Resident for over 32 years, I have seen a lot of development**
- Member of the Beverly Glen Ratepayers Association (BGRA)
- Executive in BGRA for over 25 year - currently the Vice President.
- BGRA's boundaries are within the area of Dufferin St., HWY 407 (South of the Hydro Powerlines), New Westminster Dr., Centre St.
- Representing 1,860 homes and townhomes. **(approx. 4,500+ residences)**

BACKGROUND



THE PURPOSE OF TODAY REPRESENTING BGRA RESIDENTS

- Concerns: for the residents
 - Traffic Present and Future
 - Parking and Mess during Construction
 - Problems from past Developments that still effect the residents today

CURRENT TRAFFIC ISSUES

- **VIVA Rapid Transit – What a mess!!!**
 - Traffic Volume on Beverley Glen, Concord Road has increased
 - Beverley Glen Before VIVA had under 4,000 vehicles, today over 9,500 daily
 - Traffic Volume still has not been reduced to before VIVA levels – 5 years later
 - Nonresidents are still using Beverley Glen to bypass Centre Street (Dufferin and Bathurst)
 - WHY?
 - Centre Street has 6 Stoplights with 45 to 60 second wait cycles
 - Beverly Glen has 4 stop streets and one crosswalk for the school (a lot faster)
 - Removal of Bus lane at the Bus Stop on Concord + Centre Street
 - Additional congestion for buses if the right lane is closed / reduced during construction

TRAFFIC PARKING FOR WORKERS

- 2 Beverley Glen Blvd – Daniels – Baif Project (DBP) 4 years one lane of Beverly Glen CLOSED since March 2020
- Blocking of lanes and sidewalks during construction - WHY
- Parking on community streets (pictures shown May 30, 2023, to council) – Still happening
- Council stated that they would enforce the parking rules - Still not happening or working

TRAFFIC – ISSUES WITH NEW PROJECTS

- Will History be repeated with:
- 1150 Centre street & Vaughan (Sorbara Group)
- 1260, 1272, 1282, 1294, 1304, and 1314 Centre Street (AKA Concen)

What is the city going to do?

SOLUTIONS - SUGGESTIONS

- **Parking for Construction Workers**
- Enforcement of parking bylaws in the area – Not a repeat of 2 Beverley Glen (4+ Years)
- Concen & Sorbara Group to supply offsite parking with Bus shuttle to and from the site
- Parking outside of the area – Promenade – Next door vacant lots
- Supply equipment lockers and trailers on site for the workers to store tools - equipment
- Split the start date of the two developments
- Have these been considered?

SOLUTIONS - SUGGESTIONS

Traffic

- Introduce New Traffic Calming measures in the area
- Lane closers for only days (weekend) not years for Centre Street or Concord Road
- Reinstate the Centre Street Bus lane at Concord
- Reinstate Right Hand turn lane on Concord South to Centre Street
- For both developments, No entrances or Exits to Concord or Vaughan Roads
- Additional VIVA Stop between the two developments (Concord or Vaughan)

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- Let's all work together on these issues
 - Create Policies for these issues to be used in the City of Vaughan
 - Thank you