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COMMUNITY MEETINGS – LITTLE LAKE MASTER PLAN

The City of Peterborough is presently undertaking a Master Plan for Little Lake and the surrounding area.

Little Lake is recognized as a distinctive resource found in the heart of the City. It supports a wide variety of uses in the water, parks and open spaces at the water's edge. The Master Plan will create a forward-looking strategy to guide the use of the lake and its adjacent lands. It will also address environmental and shoreline management and consider land acquisition for future parkland for the next 20 years.

The Planning Partnership has been retained by the City to collaborate with stakeholders and the community to prepare the Little Lake Master Plan. The work program for the study is organized in three phases that will be completed through a process that engages the entire community.

The second community workshop series is scheduled for Tuesday, July 7 and Wednesday July 8, 2009 at 6:30 p.m. at the Peterborough Holiday Inn, 150 George Street North. The July 7 workshop will be a design exercise to identify preliminary directions of the master plan. The July 8 workshop will be a presentation of the results and opportunity for public feedback. Everyone is welcome to attend to share his or her ideas and participate in this exciting exercise that will guide the future of the Little Lake area for the next 20 years.

The City's Master Plan is an independent, broader-based study and not affiliated with the site-specific proposal circulated by MP Dean Del Mastro for the potential development of the Trent Severn Waterway headquarters site.

This information is also available on our City of Peterborough website at www.peterborough.ca/masterplanning.

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