

# Intergovernmental Consultation

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## **Proposed implementation of provisions in the Planning Act that provide the Minister enhanced authority to address certain matters as part of a zoning order**

### **Ministry/Department**

Ontario Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing

### **Consultation Deadline**

Saturday, January 30, 2021

### **Summary**

Ontario is holding a consultation related to changes in the Planning Act enacted through Bill 197, the COVID-19 Economic Recovery Act, 2020. These changes focus on Ministerial Zoning Orders and the Minister's authority over site plan control matters.

### **Proposed Form of Input**

Staff will prepare a written letter for the Environmental Registry and for broader advocacy.

### **Rationale**

The City has an interest in influencing planning-related policy to ensure a local say in matters affecting local growth.

### **Lead**

Planning and Building Services with support from Intergovernmental Services.

### **Link to Ministry Website**

<https://ero.ontario.ca/index.php/notice/019-2811>

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