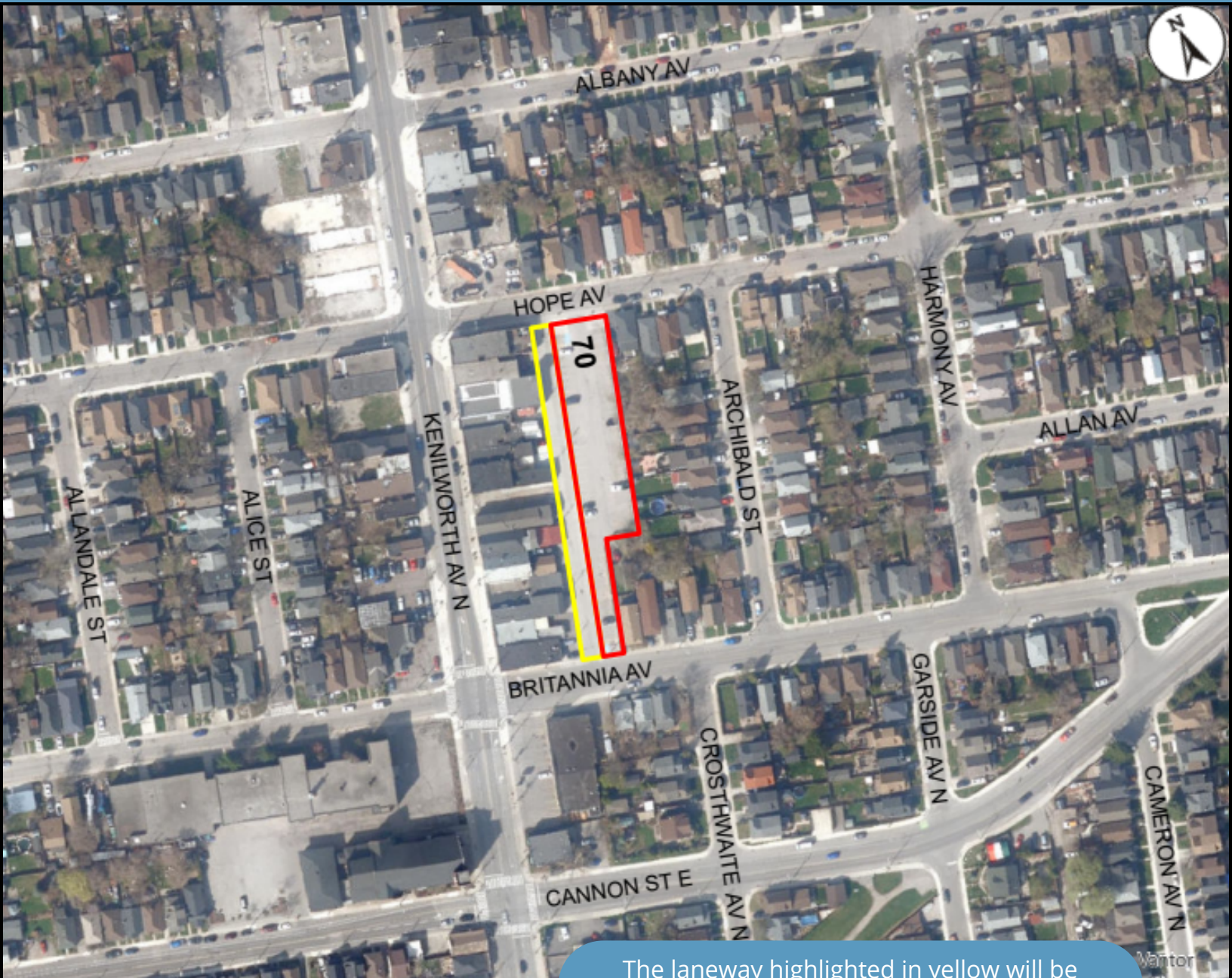


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HOPE AVENUE

Hamilton, ON

CITY OF HAMILTON CORPORATE REAL ESTATE OFFICE



The laneway highlighted in yellow will be preserved to maintain access.

The City of Hamilton is working in partnership with a not-for-profit housing provider for the development and operation of an affordable, mixed-use residential development on municipally owned land located at **70 Hope Avenue, Hamilton**.

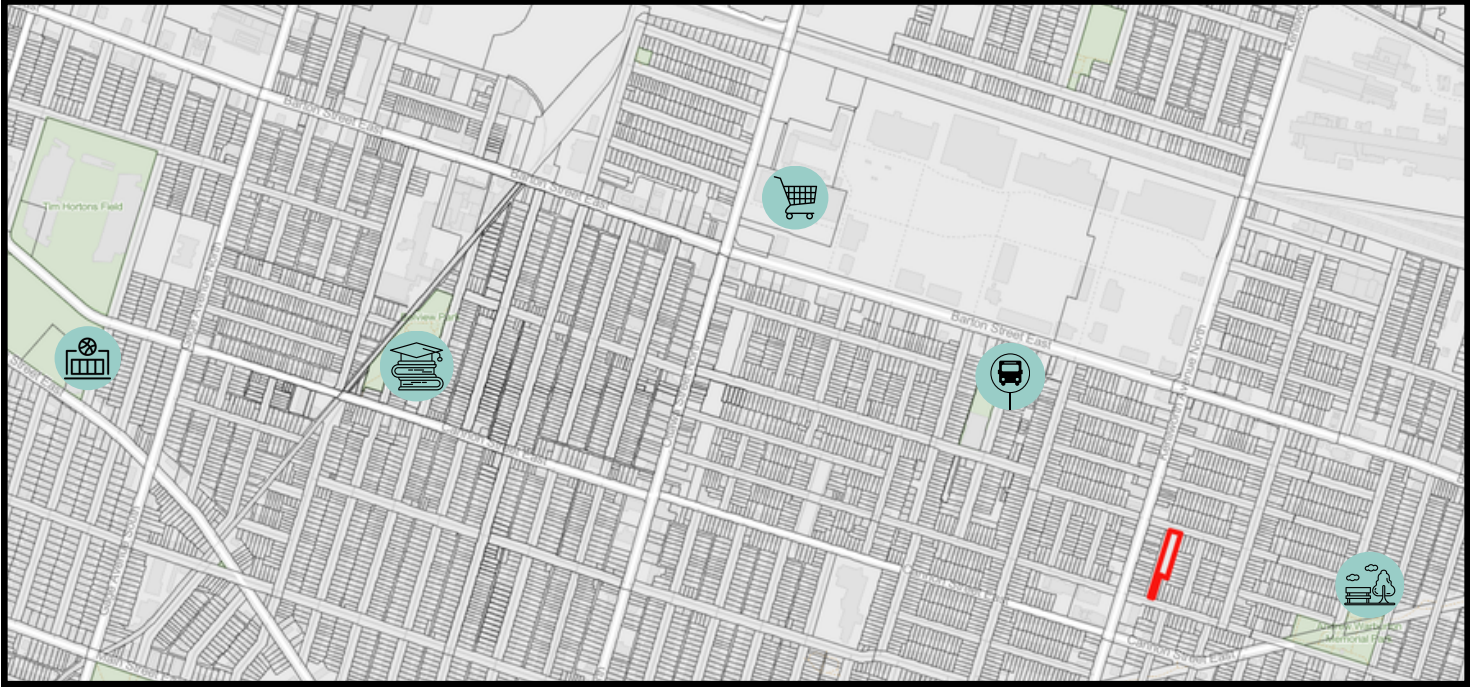
The site is approximately **0.47 acres (1,902 square metres)** and has frontage on Hope Avenue and Britannia Avenue, offering convenient access to public transit, retail amenities, schools, parks, and community centres. Currently functioning as a municipal parking lot and adjacent to a City-owned alleyway, the site presents a strong opportunity to advance development in a well-connected urban setting. Where feasible, additional community or municipal amenities may be incorporated into the development.

The existing laneway will be retained to provide access to properties fronting on Kenilworth Avenue.

A City led rezoning was approved, from **U3 - Parking** to a **Mixed Use Medium Density (C5)** zone, at the Planning Committee on Tuesday January 13, 2026 . The permissions allow for up **4 storeys and a maximum of 50 units**. Located within a proposed Major Transit Station Area, the site is well-suited for intensification.

The submission period for this property is now closed.

Property Attributes	Property Summary
Official Plan	Mixed-Use Medium Density
Neighbourhood Plan	Homeside Neighbourhood
Zoning	C5 - Mixed Use Medium Density
Proposed Development	4 Storeys - 50 Units



70 Hope Avenue

Area Amenities Within 2km



Elementary School



Public Transportation



Bernie Morelli Recreation Centre



Andy Warburton Park



Grocery Store

- The City's Economic Development Action Plan (2021–2025) has an Action to “Prepare a strategy to re-develop City-owned assets to create shovel-ready projects for the purposes of affordable housing.”
- Hamilton City Council committed \$4 million annually for affordable housing and \$10.3 million for supportive housing over three years, as part of the 2024 tax budget.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT PROJECT STREAM

- The City's Affordable Housing Development Project Stream is an annual funding process that provides financial support to non-profit organizations for the creation and retention of affordable and supportive housing for low-to-moderate income households.
- Interested housing providers will have the opportunity to submit an application through the Housing Secretariat's intake process, which will be accessible on the Housing Secretariat's website
- For more information, please visit the [Housing Secretariat website](#).

HOUSING ACCELERATOR FUND (HAF)

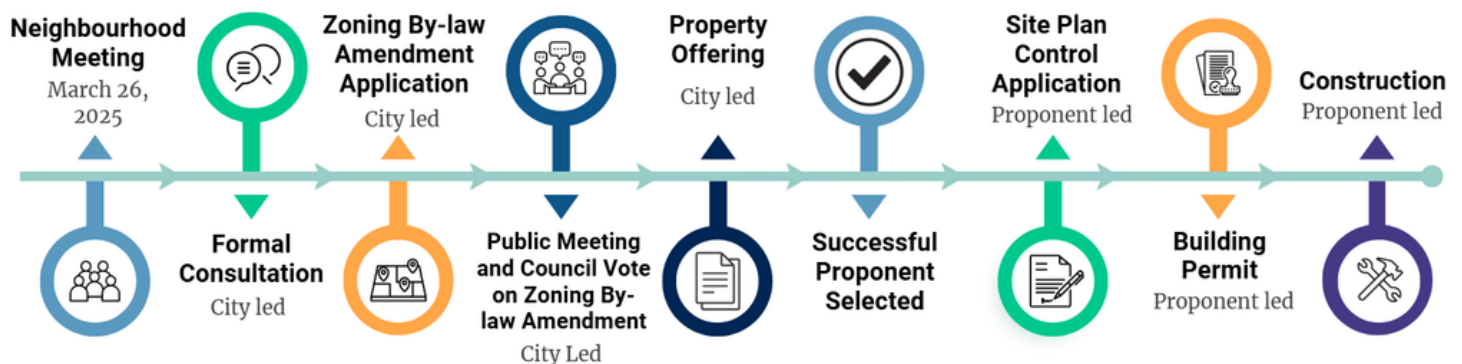
- On October 10, 2023, the City received \$93.5 million from the Housing Accelerator Fund (Federal funding) to support initiatives, including the strategy to re-develop City-owned assets with the objective of creating shovel-ready projects for the purposes of affordable housing.
- Through the Housing Accelerator Fund investment, the City of Hamilton is geared up to surpass its previous records. Aiming high, the City has set a target to add a remarkable 2,675 net new residential units over the next three years.
- For more information, please visit the [Housing Secretariat website](#).

There is no commitment or guarantee of funding from the City or other levels of government as part of the offering process. Any capital or operational funding would be subject to separate applications initiated by the successful proponent.

DEVELOPMENT ROADMAP



The development process for 70 Hope Avenue involves several stages, including community engagement, municipal approvals, and detailed design review. Following the selection of a not-for-profit development partner, the project will proceed through consultation and site plan review before advancing to permitting and construction, subject to all required approvals.



QUESTIONS & INFORMATION

If there are any questions about the housing opportunity, please contact the City of Hamilton Corporate Real Estate Office at the contact details provided.

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