

**THE CORPORATION OF HALDIMAND COUNTY
RECOMMENDATION
Council in Committee**

Recommendation

Date: February 28, 2023

Moved By: _____

Seconded By: _____

1. WHEREAS the previous term of Council passed a resolution supporting a Minister's Zoning Order (MZO) for a new community in Nanticoke in March, 2022;
2. AND WHEREAS subsequently a municipal election was held where this matter was one of the main issues under consideration;
3. AND WHEREAS the Province has passed new legislation (Bill 23) that has the potential to adversely impact municipal financing as it relates to growth and development;
4. AND WHEREAS the County has an approved growth strategy, servicing and financial strategies aligned with Provincial requirements to accommodate a population of 77,000 people and 29,000 jobs by 2051;
5. AND WHEREAS the proposed new Nanticoke community represents additional growth beyond that required under Places to Grow legislation;
6. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT staff be directed to organize public consultation on the matter including community meeting(s) to obtain input for Council's consideration to withdraw its current resolution requesting a MZO.

CARRIED

DEFEATED ON A TIED VOTE

DEFEATED