



City of Kenora
Application for Plan of Subdivision
or Condominium Description
Section 51 of the Planning Act & Ontario
Regulation 544/06 (as amended)

Fees:

Plan of Subdivision / Condominium	\$4,000 first lot
On second and subsequent lots	\$300/lot
Deposit for legal fees	\$1,100

A plan of subdivision is required when a parcel of land is to be divided into four (4) or more lots. A condominium description divides property so that multiple individuals hold title to individual units and share common elements of the property.

Under By-law 066-2025, Council has delegated authority for the approval of plans of subdivision and condominium descriptions to the Director of Planning and Building Services. The Director has all the powers and rights with respect to the approval of plans of subdivision and condominium in accordance with the Planning Act and Condominium Act, subject to the terms and limitations of the by-law.

At any point in the process, the Director of Planning and Building Services may refer any application to Council for a decision, rather than making the decision under delegated authority. This process ensures appropriate oversight and allows for Council input on complex or significant applications.

General Overview and Guidelines

Pre-Consultation: It is recommended that applicant(s) attend a pre-consultation meeting with the Planning Department prior to formally submitting this application. Please ensure that you call ahead to arrange an appointment with Planning Staff at least one week prior to your preferred meeting date. Applicants should also consult with the Municipal Engineer to review technical requirements for municipal roads and sewer and water requirements, if applicable. Please refer to the appropriate checklist for timelines.

Applicants are also encouraged to consult with neighbours about their application prior to submission.

For further information, or to make an appointment, please contact:
City of Kenora Planning Department – planning@kenora.ca

Proof of Ownership: Proof of ownership (deed) or assessment roll number (tax bill) shall accompany each application.

Fees: The transaction fee for a plan of subdivision/condominium description application is as stipulated in the tariff of fees by-law. The application fee varies depending on the proposal type. Please make cheques payable to the Corporation of the City of Kenora. Payments may be made by cash or cheque only. Payments made at City Hall may be by cash, cheque, debit or credit.

Deposits will also be required, for notice and legal costs that will be incurred by the City of Kenora in processing the subdivision application. Any unused fees will be refunded upon registration of the relevant plans. The required deposits are stipulated in the tariff of fees by-law.

Application:	<p>The City of Kenora requires an original copy of the application and any required supporting documents/reports, together with the application fee or receipt of payment in order for the application to be deemed complete and be processed. All required information must also be submitted electronically.</p> <p>The Planning Act requires that the applicant shall provide all prescribed information contained within this application. Failure to provide this mandatory information shall render the application incomplete and unable to be processed. Please answer all questions in full detail.</p> <p>Applications must be filled out in Blue or Black ink only. Applications completed in pencil or other colours of ink will not be accepted. If submitting photocopies of your application, the original copy must also be filed.</p> <p>If the application is being submitted concurrently with another application (i.e. for rezoning) each application must be complete.</p> <p>Some applications will require clearance letters from the Northwestern Health Unit. Please contact the NWHU at 807-468-3147 for information with respect to private sewage/septic systems.</p> <p>If access to the subject property is via a Provincial Highway, the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) must be consulted. Please call or visit the local office of the MTO for further information.</p> <p>Some developments will be subject to site plan control. Please refer to the City of Kenora Portal for further information about site plan control. Applications shall be signed by the owners(s) or agent in the presence of a Commissioner of Oaths. Applications can be commissioned at City Hall and the Operations Centre. Where an agent or solicitor is authorized to make the application on behalf of the owners(s), their signature shall be witnessed.</p> <p>Required information, which must accompany your application and information regarding the current Official Plan and Zoning Designations of your property may be obtained from the Planning Department online at www.kenora.ca/planning. The Provincial Planning Statement (2024) is available online as well.</p> <p>The Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 (as revised) and Ontario Regulation 544/06, of the Planning Act are available online at: www.e-laws.com</p> <p>All applications will be circulated for review and comment to a number of City Departments (such as Planning, Engineering, Building, Parks, Roads, Fire and Emergency Services, Hydro etc., and legislated outside agencies). All applications will also be circulated to all property owners within a 120-metre radius of the subject property. Notices of the application must be given at least 14 days prior to the public hearing. For Condominium descriptions public consultation is only required for vacant land and common elements applications. Pre-consultation is recommended.</p>
Plans:	A draft plan prepared by an Ontario Land Surveyor is required, per the requirements of Section 51(17) of the Planning Act.
Authorization:	Should an agent or solicitor represent the applicant(s), written authorization from the applicant(s) must accompany the application.

Posting of Signs:	The Planning Act requires that a “notice of hearing” sign be posted on the subject property at least 14 days prior to the public hearing. Failure to comply with this may result in your application being removed from its scheduled Council Meeting. The Planning Department will provide the sign for the applicant.
OLT Cost Recovery:	The applicant acknowledges that if an Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) hearing is required, that they be subject to the OLT cost recovery policy for OLT appeals. An undertaking is provided as part of this application and forms part of a complete application.
Special Studies:	Applicants are advised that special studies may be required as part of the application depending on the nature of the proposal. Such studies may include: Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), Heritage Impact Assessment, Lake Capacity Study, Fishery Assessment, Transportation/Traffic Impact Study, Stormwater Management Study, and Discussion of Species at Risk etc. A full list of potential required studies can be found in section 8.10 of the Official Plan.

Frequently Asked Questions

If someone from the public objects to my application at the hearing is my application automatically refused?

No. The Director of Planning and Building Services or Council must weigh all evidence presented at the public hearing and make a determination on that basis. The decision-making authority will use section 51(24) of the Planning Act, the Provincial Policy Statement (2005), City of Kenora Official Plan (2010) and Zoning By-law No. 160-2010 for basing their decision. Objections will be considered based on evidence presented.

Do I get my application fee refunded if my application is refused?

No. City staff time and costs are incurred regardless of the outcome of the application.

What can I do if my application is refused?

You may file an appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT), in accordance with their requirements.

How long does the application process take?

For plans of subdivisions and condominium descriptions that require public consultation, a decision must be rendered by the Director or Council within 180 days of the application being deemed complete. For condominium descriptions that do not require public consultation, a decision must be made within 130 days of the application being deemed complete. Conditions of draft approval must be fulfilled within three (3) years of receiving draft approval.

Approval is not in effect until the 20-day appeal period following the notice of decision has ended. In cases where an appeal is lodged, the decision is not final until it has been dealt with by the Ontario Land Tribunal.

What are the different types of condominium descriptions?

Leasehold – A form of ownership where a unit is owned by the occupant, while the condominium corporation can lease the land and a third party can retain ownership of the land. Public Consultation is not required.

Vacant Land Condominium – A Plan of Condominium, in which common elements and units are created, but no buildings or structures have been constructed at the time of registration of the condominium plan.

Provides flexibility for unit purchasers to choose their own building design, while still benefiting from common services/facilities. Public Consultation is required.

Common Elements Condominium - A Plan of Condominium where the condominium corporation retains ownership of the common elements portion of the condominium. Owners of freehold properties will have common interests in the common elements. Public Consultation is required.

Standard Condominium – A form of ownership in which title to a unit is held together by share in the rest of the property, which is common to all of the owners. Public Consultation is not required.

Phased Condominium – A form of condominium that can be developed in phases, typically in clusters of townhouses and multiple apartment buildings. New units or common elements can be added without Planning Act or Condominium Act approval. A phased condominium can assist developers with completion of sales of units while other areas of the development are still under construction. Public Consultation is not required.

Conversion from Rental to Condominium Status – An owner of a rental building can apply to convert existing rental units to condominium tenure (status) in order to sell the units as separate entities. Public Consultation is not required.

***Condominiums are only permitted where municipal services are available**

How is my application evaluated?

Subdivisions and Condominium Descriptions are evaluated on Provincial, City and site-specific circumstances. A subdivision application is evaluated based on having regard the Provincial Planning Statement (2024), The City of Kenora Official Plan (2015), Zoning By-law No. 101-2015 as amended and Section 51(24) of the Planning Act.

Section 51 (24) of the Planning Act:

The health, safety, convenience, accessibility for persons with disabilities and welfare of the present and future inhabitants of the municipality and to,

- (a) the effect of development of the proposed subdivision on matters of provincial interest as referred to in section 2,
- (b) whether the proposed subdivision is premature or in the public interest,
- (c) whether the plan conforms to the official plan and adjacent plans of subdivision, if any,
- (d) the suitability of the land for the purposes for which it is to be subdivided,
- (e) the number, width, location and proposed grades and elevations of highways, and the adequacy of them, and the highways linking the highways in the proposed subdivision with the established highway system in the vicinity and the adequacy of them,
- (f) the dimensions and shapes of the proposed lots,
- (g) the restrictions or proposed restrictions, if any, on the land proposed to be subdivided or the buildings and structures proposed to be erected on it and the restrictions, if any, on adjoining land,
- (h) conservation of natural resources and flood control,
- (i) the adequacy of utilities and municipal services,
- (j) the adequacy of school sites,
- (k) the area of land, if any, within the proposed subdivision that, exclusive of highways, is to be conveyed or dedicated for public purposes,
- (l) the extent to which the plan's design optimizes the available supply, means of supplying, efficient use and conservation of energy, and
- (m) the interrelationship between the design of the proposed plan of subdivision and site plan control matters relating to any development on the land, if the land is also located within a site plan control area designated under subsection 41 (2) of this Act or subsection 114 (2) of the City of Toronto Act, 2006. 1994, c. 23, s. 30; 2001, c. 32, s. 31 (2); 2006, c. 23, s. 22 (3, 4).

How can I get involved if I receive notice?

- If you receive notice, or have additional questions, about a subdivision or condominium application that may affect you, you can:
- Contact the City of Kenora Planning Department to find out more information about the application
- Discuss your concerns with Council when attending the statutory public meeting
- Write to Council by the date specified on the notice you received or indicated on the sign located on the subject property

What could affect the outcome of my application?

- Valid objections from neighbours or a third party ("Do not like it because do not like it" is not valid).
- Comments from one or more departments or external agencies

What departments and agencies are circulated?

- The Northwestern Health Unit (N/A for condominium descriptions)
- City Departments such as: Roads Department, Operations, Planning Department, Engineering, Building Department, Parks and Recreation and Provincial Ministries, as required.
- Agencies as required by the Planning Act

Planning Rationale

A Planning Rationale is a document that will provide an overall description, justification and rationale for understanding the proposed development application, and intended to help the applicant organize and provide written support for the application. The document will assist staff and the approval authority, in the assessment and recommendation for the application. A planning rationale is recommended to accompany each application.

What is the purpose of a planning rationale?

A planning rationale is recommended as part of an application in order to:

- a) Provide a clear description and understanding of the proposal,
- b) Provide an opportunity, at the outset, to establish why the proposal should be considered,
- c) To highlight important information specific or particular to the application (i.e. special history, different circumstances, unique site conditions, etc.), and
- d) To enable staff to analyze and prepare recommendations on the application.

It is not intended to be a personal analysis or business case for a proposed development; rather, it should examine the impact of the proposal on the surrounding area and vice versa.

Who can prepare a planning rationale?

Depending on the complexity of the application, the information requirements can be addressed in a letter, or a longer report. The material can be prepared by the owner, an agent, the applicant or by a member of a consulting team, depending on the nature of the application.

For a complex application it is recommended that a planning professional be retained to prepare the planning rationale. The benefits to the applicant, of hiring a planning professional, can be significant in presenting the proposal in its best form, which may result in cost and time savings, as well as making the approval process as efficient as possible.

What, specifically does a planning rationale address?

A Planning Rationale shall address, at a minimum, the points listed below.

- a) Provide a physical description of the site, including descriptions of current land use(s) and surrounding land uses, context and/or built form,
- b) Include a description of the site's planning history, including previous planning approvals and/or agreements (i.e. site plan agreement, site-specific zoning by-laws etc.) and provide copies of the pertinent documents,
- c) Include a description and overview of the proposal, including any major features or attributes (such as use, height, density, parking, architectural design, natural heritage features, etc.),
- d) Describe the suitability of the site, and indicate reasons why the development is appropriate for the site and will function well to meet the needs of the intended future users,
- e) Provide a detailed analysis of the compatibility of the proposed development or land use designation with the existing adjacent developments and land use designations,
- f) Provide justification that the proposal is appropriate land use planning, including any details of measures that are to be used to mitigate negative impacts (such as site plan control),
- g) Describe the impact of the proposed development on the natural environment,
- h) Indicate the availability of other property already designated for the proposed use, if any,

- i) Describe the impact of the proposed development on municipal services (i.e. sewage collection and treatment systems, water distribution and treatment systems, utilities, roads, hydro services, parking, community facilities, parks and open spaces etc.),
- j) Indicate whether there are other planning approvals required, and if those necessary applications have been filed (i.e. Official Plan or Zoning By-law amendment, Site plan Control agreement, site plan approval, minor variance, draft plan of subdivision or condominium etc.),
- k) Indicate how the proposed development is consistent with the Provincial Planning Statement (PPS) - (2020) and provide any other Planning Act considerations that are relevant. If you are not familiar with these documents, please contact the City of Kenora Planning Department or access the City's portal, www.kenora.ca or the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing website at www.mah.gov.on.ca,
- l) Describe how the proposal conforms to the general purpose and intent and goals of the City of Kenora's Official Plan and complies with the City's Zoning By-law,
- m) Describe the way in which relevant Official Plan policies will be addressed, including both general policies and site-specific land use designations and policies, and
- n) Indicate whether the proposal complies with any other relevant City documents and Planning Policies/Secondary Plans etc. (Black Sturgeon Lake Capacity and Management Report, Waterfront Development Guidelines, etc.).

This Application must be Submitted to:

City of Kenora Planning Department – planning@kenora.ca

60 Fourteenth Street North, 2nd Floor
Operations Centre - Kenora, ON P9N 4M9

Prescribed Information

Personal Information within this document will be used to assist City staff to process this application and will be made public. The information prescribed in this application is contained in Ontario Regulation 544/06 (as amended), of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 (as revised).

The undersigned hereby applies to the City of Kenora under Section 51 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 (as revised), for plan of subdivision or condominium description, as described in this application.

This application also sets out other information that will assist the City in their evaluation of the application and Staff review. In the absence of this information, it may not be possible to do a complete review within the legislated timeframe for making a decision. As a result, the application may be refused.

It is the sole responsibility of the authorized agent and/or owner to ensure that this application form is complete and that the information provided is accurate and correct. This application form will not be accepted until all required questions have been answered and all other requirements have been satisfied. Prior to the final approval of a plan of subdivision or condominium description, the subject lands must be appropriately zoned. A zoning amendment can also be a condition of approval for a plan of subdivision or a condominium.



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Deposit for legal fees	\$1100

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Stamp - Date Received:	File Number: _____
	Roll Number: _____
	Date Received: _____
	Application Fee Paid: _____
	Application Deemed Complete (Date): _____

Requirements/Checklist for a Complete Application

Note: If the information below is not received the application cannot be deemed complete.

- Pre-consultation meeting (recommended)
- Completed application form (keep a copy for your own records)
- A draft plan per the requirements of Section 51 (17) of the Planning Act (all units must be in metric)
- A copy of the draft plan on sheet 8^{1/2}" x 11" or 11" x 17" (all units must be in metric)
- The required application fee and deposits as per the schedule of fees by-law
- Planning Rationale (recommended)
- Required studies identified at pre-consultation (see section 8.9 of the Official Plan for full list of studies) – one unbound
- Electronic version of all required information (i.e. reports/studies/planning reports etc.)
- Authorization
- Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) cost recovery undertaking
- Proof of Ownership
- Entrance permit or MTO clearance if fronting a provincial highway

1.0 APPLICANT INFORMATION

Purpose of application: Subdivision Condominium Description

If application is for Condominium, please check the appropriate box indicating the type of Condominium proposal:

Standard Phased Vacant Land Leasehold Common Elements Conversion from Rental

Subject Property Information

Civic Address	Street NO.:	Street Name:	Postal Code:	Unit Num.:
Registered Plan Number	M-			
Legal Description				
Reference Plan Number	23R-			
Lot NO.(s)/Block NO.(s)				
Concession				
Number(s)/PT LOT				
Part Numbers(s)				

Tax Roll Number	6016		
Lot Frontage (Metres)			
Depth (Metres)			
Area (Ha.)			

Owner/Applicant Information

Check Appropriate Box:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Person(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Company
Registered Land Owner	Surname:		First Name:	
Mailing Address	Street NO.:	Street Name:	Postal Code:	Unit Num.:
City				Province
Contact Information	Phone:		Fax:	
Email				
Acquisition Date of Subject Land				

Agent/Solicitor Information

Company or Firm Name				
Name	Surname:		First Name:	
Mailing Address	Street NO.:	Street Name:	Postal Code:	Unit Num.:
City				Province:
Contact Information	Phone:		Fax:	
Email				

Mortgages, Encumbrances, Holders of Charges Etc. of Subject Land

Company				
Contact Person	Surname:		First Name:	
Mailing Address	Street NO.:	Street Name:	Postal Code:	Unit Num.:
Contact Information	Phone:		Fax:	
Email				

2.0 CONCURRENT APPLICATIONS FILED

Please check if you have filed any concurrent applications:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Official Plan Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Plan of Subdivision or Condominium
<input type="checkbox"/>	Site Plan Application	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Please Specify): _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Consent	<input type="checkbox"/>	Zoning By-law Amendment

Please List the Reports and/or Studies that will Accompany this Application

3.0 EASEMENTS

Are there any easements or restrictive covenants affecting the subject lands? YES NO

If Yes, please describe each easement and/or covenant and its effect:

Reference Plan Number	Instrument Number	Purpose of Easement and/or Covenant (e.g. hydro, utility, sewer, etc.)

4.0 OTHER APPLICATIONS UNDER THE PLANNING ACT

Has the subject land ever been the subject of an application for approval of any of the following?

Draft Plan of Subdivision	File No.:	Status:
Condominium Description	File No.:	Status:
Official Plan Amendment	File No.:	Status:
Zoning By-Law Amendment	File No.:	Status:
Minister's Zoning Amendment	File No.:	Status:
Site Plan Application	File No.:	Status:
Consent	File No.:	Status:
Minor Variance	File No.:	Status:
Part Lot Control	File No.:	Status:
Other (please specify)	File No.:	Status:

5.0 DEVELOPMENT LAYOUT

PROPOSED USES	Number of Blocks as Labelled on Plan	Number of Lots as Labelled on Plan	Number of Residential Units Proposed	Net Area (Hectares)	Density Proposed (Units per Hectare)	Number of parking Spaces Provided
RESIDENTIAL USES						
Detached Dwellings						
Semi-Detached Dwellings						
Row, Townhouse or Multiple Attached						
Apartment Residential						
Seasonal Residential						
Mobile Home						
Other Residential Uses						
NON-RESIDENTIAL USES						
Commercial						
Industrial						
Institutional (specify in section 6.0)						
Park or Open Space						
Roads						
Other (please specify)						
TOTAL						

6.0 CONDOMINIUM APPLICATIONS ONLY

Number of parking spaces provided for detached and semi-detached residential use: _____

Has a site plan for the proposed condominium been approved? _____

Has a site plan agreement been entered into? _____

Has a building permit for the proposed condominium been issued? _____

If yes to the above, indicate the date of completion: _____

Is this a conversion of a building containing rental residential units? _____

If yes to the above, indicate the number of units to be converted: _____

7.0 DESCRIBE OTHER PROPOSED USES

What is the land use designation in the City of Kenora Official Plan (2015)?

Does the proposal conform to the City of Kenora Official Plan (2015)? Yes No

Please provide explanation in rationale.

If No, have you made a concurrent application for an Official Plan Amendment?

Yes No File No.: _____ Status: _____

What is the current zoning designation of the subject property? _____

Does the proposal conform to Zoning By-law No. 101 – 2015 as amended? Yes No

If No, have you made a concurrent application for a zoning by-law amendment?

Yes No File No.: _____ Status: _____

What is the existing use of the subject land?

What is the proposed use of the subject land?

What are the uses of the abutting properties?

How long have existing uses been present?

Has there ever been an industrial or commercial use on the subject land or adjacent land? If yes, please explain the uses:

CONTAMINATION	Yes	No	Unknown
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Has the grading of the subject land been changed by adding earth or other material?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Has a commercial, industrial use or a gas station ever been located on the subject land or adjacent land at any time?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Has there been petroleum or other fuel stored on the subject land or adjacent land?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is there any reason to believe the subject land or adjacent land may have been contaminated by former uses (brownfields, industrial waste, etc.)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

What information did you use to determine the answers to the above questions? If an environmental assessment has been performed, please submit it with the application.

*If the answer to any of the above questions from regarding contamination were checked yes or if there was a previous industrial or commercial use, please attach a previous use inventory with this application form showing all former uses of the subject land. A soils investigation study may also be required.

8.0 ACCESS

Municipal Maintained Road Seasonally Maintained Municipal Road Provincial Highway
 Private Road or Laneway Water Other Public Road

*An entrance permit or MTO clearance is required if fronting on a provincial highway

* For municipal roads a detailed road alignment and access will be confirmed when development application is made

*If access by water only please describe the parking and docking facilities to be used and the approximate distance of these facilities from the land and the nearest public road

9.0 WATER SUPPLY

Municipal Water Private Well Communal Well
 Lake Other: _____

If the plan would permit development of more than five lots or units on privately owned and operated individual communal wells, you are required to provide:

- A servicing options report; and
- A hydrogeological report

10.0 SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Municipal Sewer Private Septic System/Field Communal Septic
 Privy Other: _____

If the plan would permit development of more than five lots or units on privately owned and operated individual communal wells, you are required to provide:

- A servicing options report; and
- A hydrogeological report

If the plan would permit development of fewer than five lots or units on privately owned and operated individual septic systems, and more than 4500 litres of effluent would be produced per day as a result of the development being completed, you are required to provide:

- A servicing options report; and

- A hydrogeological report

If the plan would permit development of fewer than five lots or units on privately owned and operated individual septic systems, and 4500 litres of effluent or less would be produced per day as a result of the development being completed, you are required to provide:

- A servicing options report; and
- A hydrogeological report

11.0 ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

Does the subject land contain any areas of archaeological potential? Yes No

If the plan would permit development on lands with known archaeological resources **OR** areas of archaeological potential, you are required to provide:

- An archaeological assessment prepared by a person who holds a license that is effective with respect to the subject land, issued under Part VI (Conservation of Resources Archaeological Value) on the Ontario Heritage Act; and
- A clearance letter from the appropriate ministry indicating that the assessment and any required mitigation plan meets the requirements of the applicable legislation

12.0 SPECIES AT RISK OR NATURAL HERITAGE VALUES

Does the subject land include any areas of natural heritage? Yes No

Does the subject land include any potential habitat for a species at risk? Yes No

*Reporting will be required if the plan would permit development that affects known habitat **OR** areas of potential habitat

13.0 SUBJECT PROPERTY DRAINAGE

Subject Property Site Drainage is provided by: Yes No

Storm Sewers Swales Ditches Other (please explain) _____

*A preliminary stormwater management report is recommended and should be prepared concurrent with any hydrogeological reports for submission with the application. A stormwater management plan is required prior to final approval of a plan of subdivision or as a requirement of site plan approval.

14.0 FOR CONDOMINIUM APPLICATIONS ONLY

Has a site plan agreement for the proposed condominium been approved? Yes No

Has a site plan agreement been entered into? Yes No

Has a building permit for the proposed condominium been approved? Yes No

Is the proposed condominium currently under construction or is completed?

If construction has been completed, what was the date of completion? _____

Is the proposed condominium a conversion of a building containing residential units (adaptive re-use)? Yes No

If yes to the above, please state the number of units to be converted: _____

15.0 SIGNIFICANT FEATURES CHECKLIST

Check through the following list. Indicate YES, NO or UNKNOWN if a listed feature is on-site or within 500 metres. Indicate under YES, NO or UNKNOWN if a listed development circumstance applies. Be advised of the potential information requirements.

FEATURE OR DEVELOPMENT CIRCUMSTANCE	YES	NO	NOT KNOWN	IF YES, PLEASE SPECIFY DISTANCE IN METRES	POTENTIAL INFORMATION NEEDS
Non-farm development near designated urban areas or rural settlement areas					Demonstrate sufficient need within 20 year projections and that proposed development will not hinder efficient expansion of urban areas or rural settlement areas
Class 1 industry ¹					Assess development for residential and other sensitive uses within 70 metres
Class 2 Industry ²					Assess development for residential and other sensitive uses within 300 metres
Class 3 Industry ³					Assess development for residential and other sensitive uses within 1000 metres
Land Fill Site					Address possible leachate, odour, vermin and other impacts
Sewage Treatment Plant					Address the need for a feasibility study for residential and other sensitive land uses
Water Stabilization Pond					Assess the need for a feasibility study for residential and other sensitive land uses
Active Railway Line					Evaluate impacts with 300 metres
Operating Mine Site					Will development hinder continuation or expansion of operations?
Non-Operational Mine Site within 1 km of Subject Land					Have potential impacts been addressed? Has the mine been rehabilitated so there will be no adverse effects?
Airports where noise exposure forecast (NEF) or noise projection (NEP) is 28 or greater					Demonstrate feasibility of development above 28 NEF for sensitive land uses. Above the 35 NEF/NEP contour, development of sensitive land uses is not permitted
Electric Transformer Facility					Determine possible impacts within 200 metres
High Voltage Transmission Lines					Consult the appropriate electric power service
Transportation and Infrastructure Corridors					Will corridor be protected? Noise study prepared?
Agricultural Operations					Development to comply with the Minimum Distance Separation Formulae and Official Plan
Mineral Aggregate Resource Area					Will development hinder access to the resource or the

					establishment of new resource operation?
Mineral Aggregate Operations					Will development hinder continuation of extraction? Noise and dust study completed?
Existing Pits and Quarries					Will development hinder continued operation or expansion? Noise and dust study completed?
Mineral and Petroleum Resources					Will development hinder access to the resource or the establishment of new resource operations?
Significant Wetlands or Potentially Significant Wetlands					Provide Environmental Impact Study (EIS). Must demonstrate that no negative impacts will occur.
Significant Portions of Habitat of Endangered or Threatened Species					Provide Environmental Impact Study (EIS). Must demonstrate that no negative impacts will occur.
Significant Fish Habitat, Wildlife Habitat and Areas of Natural and Scientific Interest					Provide Environmental Impact Study (EIS). Must demonstrate that no negative impacts will occur.
Sensitive Groundwater Recharge Areas, Headwaters and Aquifers					Demonstrate that groundwater recharge areas, headwaters and aquifers will be protected
Significant Built Heritage Resources and Cultural Heritage Landscapes					Development should conserve significant built heritage resources and cultural heritage landscapes
FEATURE OR DEVELOPMENT CIRCUMSTANCE	YES	NO	NOT KNOWN	IF YES, PLEASE SPECIFY DISTANCE IN METRES	POTENTIAL INFORMATION NEEDS
Significant Archaeological Resources					Assess development proposed in areas of medium and high potential for significant archaeological resources. These sources are to be studied and preserved or where appropriate, removed. Catalogued and analyzed prior to development
Lake of the Woods/Winnipeg River: Within defined portions of dynamic beach and 1:100 year flood level along connecting channels					Development not permitted.
Lands Subject to Flooding and/or Erosion					Development may be permitted. Must demonstrate that hazards can be addressed.
Erosion Hazards					Determine feasibility within the 1:100 year erosion limits of

				ravines, river valleys and streams.
Floodplains				Determine limit of development or where a Special Policy Area (SPA) is in effect, development must meet the Official Plan policies.
Hazardous Sites ⁴				Slope Study, Flood Line Study. Demonstrate that hazards can be addressed.
Rehabilitated Mine Sites				Application for approval from Ministry of Northern Development and Mines should be made concurrently
Contaminated and/or Brownfield Sites				Assessment and inventory of previous uses in areas of possible contamination

¹Class 1 Industry – small scale, self-contained plant, no outside storage, low probability of fugitive emissions and daytime operations only

²Class 2 Industry – medium scale processing and manufacturing with outdoor storage, periodic output of emissions, shift operations and daytime truck traffic

³ Class 3 Industry – indicate if within 1000 metres – processing and manufacturing with frequent and intense off-site impacts and a high probability of fugitive emissions

⁴Hazardous sites – property or lands that could be unsafe for development or alteration due to naturally occurring hazards. These hazards may include unstable soils (sensitive marine clays, organic soils) or unstable bedrock (Karst topography)

16.0 Affordable Housing

Unit Type	Number of Units	Unit Size (sq. ft.) and/or Lot Frontage	Estimated Selling Price/Rent
Semi-Attached			
Link/Semi-Attached			
Row Housing or Townhouse			
Apartment Block			
Other			

Please state any additional information regarding this application related to affordable housing:

17.0 IS THE PLAN CONSISTENT WITH POLICY STATEMENTS ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION 3(1) OF THE PLANNING ACT?

Please state how this application is consistent with the 2024 Provincial Planning Statement (PPS).

18.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please provide any additional information that you feel would benefit staff, the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) or any potential external agencies that would be providing comments in evaluating this application.

19.0 SUBSURFACE RIGHTS

Are the subsurface rights and the surface rights to the property held by the same owner? YES NO

If no, who owns the subsurface rights? _____

If no, please have the owner complete the following declaration:

19.1 AUTHORIZATION FROM THE OWNER OF THE SUBSURFACE RIGHTS (If subsurface rights are different from the owner of the land)

I, _____, the Owner of the subsurface rights for the subject property, am aware of this
(please print)
application and consent to it.

(Signature)

(Date)

(Address)

(Telephone number)

(Facsimile number)

20.0 AUTHORIZED AGENT/SOLICITOR

If the applicant is not the owner of the land that is the subject of this application, the written authorization of the owner(s) that the applicant is authorized to make the application must be included with this form or the authorization set out below must be completed.

I/We _____, am/are the owner(s) of the land that is subject of this application for a plan of subdivision or condominium and I/We hereby authorize to make this application on my/our behalf and to provide any of

my personal information that will be included in this application or collected during the processing of the application.

Date

Signature of Owner(s)

21.0 – SWORN DECLARATION OR AFFIDAVIT

I, _____ of the _____ in the province of _____, make oath and say (or solemnly declare) that the information required under Ontario Regulation 544/06 (as amended) and provided in this application is accurate and that the information contained in the documents that accompany this application is accurate.

Commissioner of Oaths

Applicant(s)

22.0 – PRIVACY CONSENT/FREEDOM OF INFORMATION DECLARATION

Consent of Owner(s) to the use and disclosure of personal information and to allow site visits to be conducted by City staff and Council members.

I/We, _____ being the registered owner(s) of the lands subject of this application, and for the purpose of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, hereby authorize and consent to the use by this or the disclosure to any person or public body of any personal information that is collected under the authority of the Planning Act (R.S.O 1990 as amended) for the purposes of processing this application.

I/We also authorize and consent to representatives from the City of Kenora and the persons and public bodies conferred with under the Planning Act (R.S.O. 1990 as amended) entering upon the subject lands of this application for the purpose of conducting any site inspections as may be necessary to assist in the evaluation of the application.

Date

Applicant(s)

PERSONAL INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS FORM IS COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THE MUNICIPAL ACT, AND WILL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROCESSING AND APPROVAL OF THIS APPLICATION AND ASSOCIATED APPLICATIONS. QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS COLLECTION SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PRIVACY COORDINATOR, CITY OF KENORA, ONE MAIN STREET SOUTH, KENORA, ON P9N 3X7 (807) 467-2027.