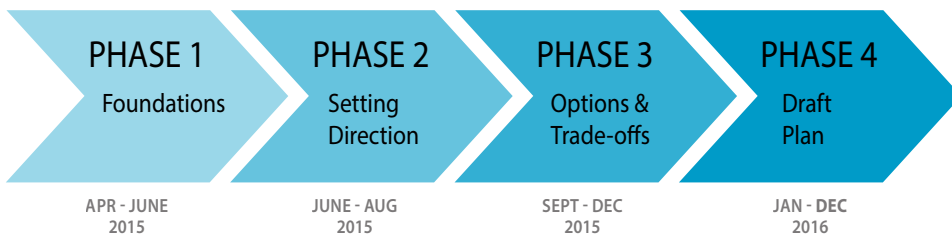




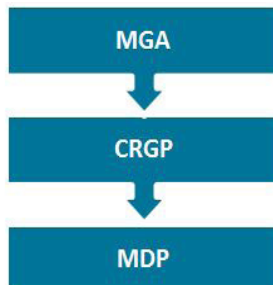
Project Update

The last project update as part of Newsletter #7 advertised an open house on June 15th at Millennium Place to review the draft Municipal Development Plan (MDP) and share your comments. Please note that this open house has been postponed. The timeline to complete a draft plan for public consideration has now been revised to the fall of 2016.

The project schedule has been extended from October to December 2016.



The revisions made to the timeline are due to the concurrent *Municipal Government Act* (MGA) review and the update to the Capital Region Growth Plan (CRGP). The MDP must be in compliance with the MGA and policies of the CRGP.



Given the potential changes to these documents and the impact that they have on the MDP, a more complete and consistent MDP will be prepared and presented to the public and Council once the drafts of these documents have been prepared.

The revised timeline will also allow additional time for research regarding the land use options for the Rural Urban Transition Policy Area (Colchester). On March 22, 2016 following Council's endorsement of the Urban Reserve (Bremner) as its next area for urban development, Council directed administration to include consideration of land use options for the Colchester area in the MDP update.

Coming this fall

Have your final say on the updated MDP this fall. The draft plan will be available for public review and comment online in the Engagement HUB and at the final Open House.

Stay tuned for event details.

Stay Up to Date

Stay up to date on the project by signing up to our project mailing list at www.strathcona.ca/MDP.

You can also visit this website and the online engagement hub to learn more about the MDP update, view the results of our youth photo contest, find out about upcoming engagement activities, and view input as it is gathered.