

Purpose of Precinct Plans and Study Areas



- Precinct plans are required to be prepared prior to enacting zoning by-laws in the Central Waterfront
- Precinct Plans establish the location, scale and character of:
 - Blocks and streets
 - Type and amount of development
 - Building heights
 - Parks and public spaces; and
 - Community facilities
- Precinct Plans include more detailed urban design guidelines are developed
- Strategies for the provision of affordable housing are also developed
- Precinct Plans are being completed for Cousins Quay and the Film Studio District







Cousins Quay Precinct Plan

Existing Conditions













Cousins Quay Precinct Plan

Cousins Quay Flood Protection Requirements



Flood Protection Requirements

Construct a new bridge across the Keating Channel Remove the existing Keating Channel bridge and abutments

Additional Works to Facilitate Development

Raise and fill the lands Realign and reconstruct Cherry Street Fill Essroc Quay The Cousins Quay Precinct Plan will provide the framework for the development of a new, vibrant, urban neighbourhood in what is now an underutilized industrial area.

The Precinct Plan will be based on the work completed for the Lower Don Lands EA.

The Cousins Quay Precinct Plan will address the following site–specific urban design and planning issues:

- A vision for a neighbourhood that takes advantage of three distinct water frontages;
- An interface of the new neighbourhood with the planned Promontory Park;
- A concept for a catalytic use at the Essroc Pier site and the reuse of the Essroc Silos;
- The character of both Cherry and Commissioners Streets, including streetscape and building frontages;
- o Ground floor use guidelines to ensure animation and urban vibrancy; and
- A conceptual grading plan that supports remediation requirements and a great public realm.















Film Studio Precinct Site & Context

Film Studio District Flood Protection Requirements



Flood Protection Requirements

Construct Greenway

Construct flood protection landform on Unilever site Construct valley wall feature on east side of Don Roadway

Modify Eastern Avenue underpass Construct sediment and debris management area

including lengthening of Lake Shore Boulevard bridge

Additional Works to Facilitate Development Construct Commissioners Street bridge













Film Studio Precinct Precedent Studies







Liberty Village Toronto, CA







Financial District Toronto, CA





Canary Wharf London, UK





Yaletown Vancouver, CA

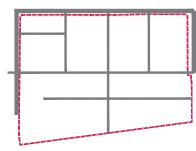
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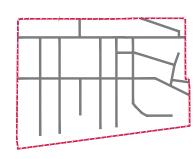




Film Studio Precinct Street & Block Pattern Ideas



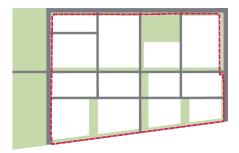
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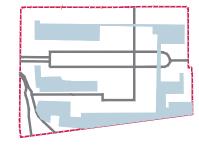
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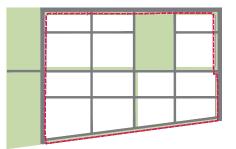
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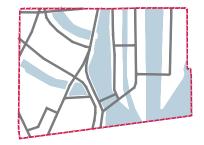
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