

## Penetanguishene Community Improvement Plan

Public Open House & Workshop Questionnaire | March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020

This questionnaire will help the Town and consulting team record the details of the discussions in the workshop. This questionnaire can also be used by persons who were not able to attend the Open House but wish to provide input.

- Please remember to write down your input in this workbook.
- There are no wrong answers. All input is valuable and will be considered.
- The purpose of the discussions is not to achieve consensus, but to seek all input.

### Question 1 (7:00 pm – 7:20 pm):

**What do you like about Penetanguishene? What can be improved?**

**Instructions:** Write down bullet-points about what you like about Downtown Penetanguishene and what things might be improved. Think about the buildings, aesthetics, accessibility, heritage, housing, and public amenities. Please focus on identifying your top 3 points.

What I like ...	What could be improved...
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.

**Question 2 (7:20 pm – 7:30 pm):**

**What is your vision for Downtown and adjacent neighbourhoods of Penetanguishene? What should it look like in 20 years?**

**In 20 years (2040), Penetanguishene...**

Please jot down bullet points or complete vision statement(s).

### Question 3 (7:30 pm – 7:50 pm):

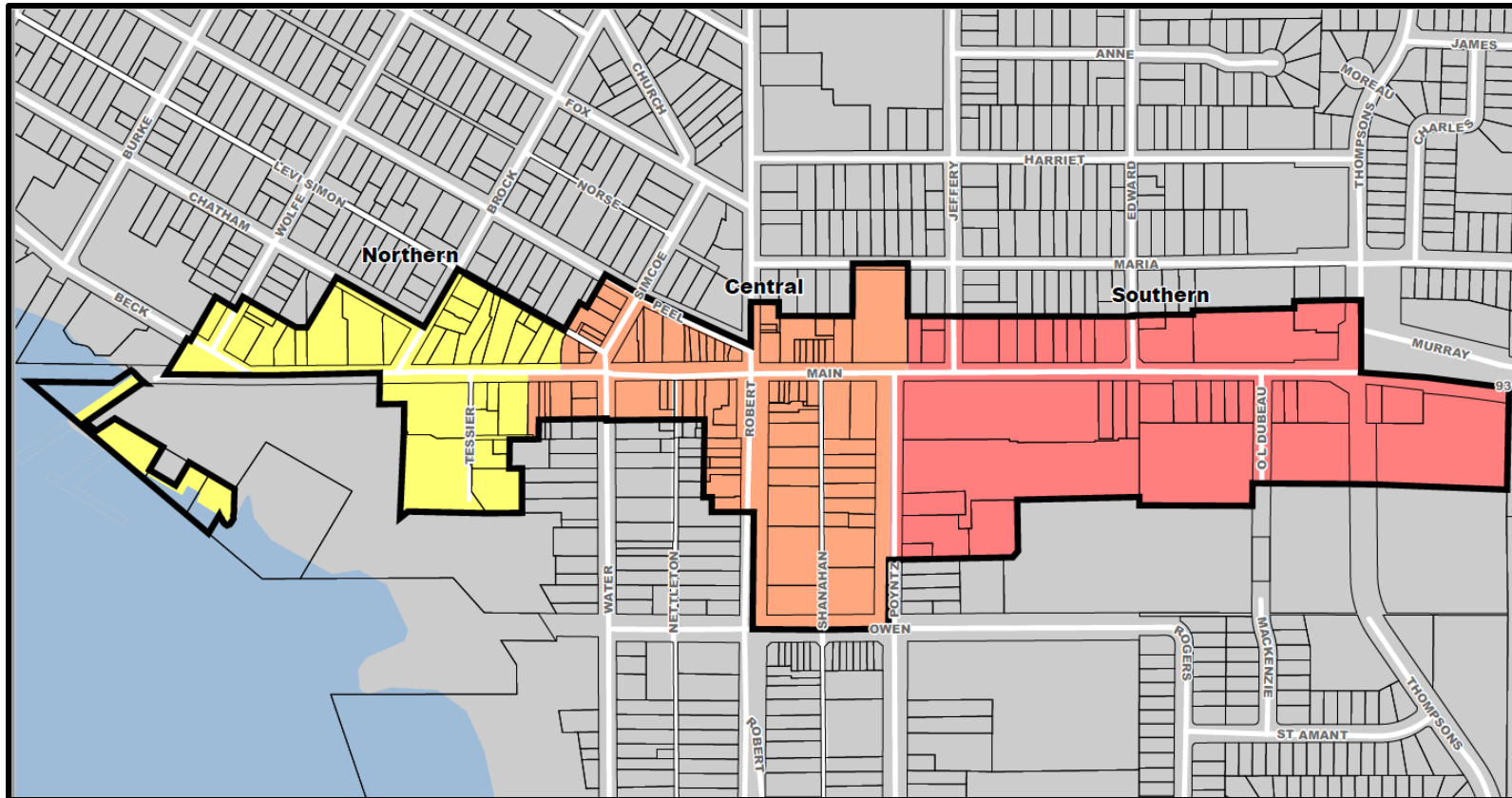
**What are the most important programs that should be included in the CIP?**

**Instructions:** For each proposed program, check off whether it is a very important program, somewhat important program, or not an important program. Please add comments in the space below each program.

PROGRAM NAME	Is this program important? Check <u>one</u> .		
<b>1. Building Façade Improvement Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>2. Signage Improvement Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>3. Building Improvement and Renovation Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>4. Affordable Housing Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>5. Landscaping and Property Improvement Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>6. Tax Increment Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			
<b>7. Planning and Building Fee Rebate Program</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Very important	<input type="checkbox"/> A little important	<input type="checkbox"/> Not important
Comment:			

**Question 4 (7:50 – 8:00):**

**Do you have any comments or feedback on the Community Improvement Project Area or the precincts?**



<p><b>Overall Community Improvement Project Area (Black line)</b></p>	<p>Comments:</p>
<p><b>Northern Precinct</b> (All Incentive Programs are proposed to be available here except the building code/renovation improvement program)</p>	<p>Comments:</p>
<p><b>Central Precinct</b> (All Incentive Programs are proposed to be available here)</p>	<p>Comments:</p>
<p><b>Southern Precinct</b> (Only the Landscaping/Property Improvement Grant; Tax Increment Grant; Planning/Building Fee Rebate programs are available here)</p>	<p>Comments:</p>

**Question 5 (8:00 – 8:10):**

**The Downtown Improvement Committee’s current mandate is to “maintain and increase the commercial/tourism tax base in the Downtown Improvement Area of Penetanguishene”. How do you envision the role of the Downtown Improvement Committee with respect to implementing the Community Improvement Plan? Are there other matters that the Downtown Improvement Committee should be advising Council on?**


**Question 6 (8:10 – 8:20):**

**The Town recently reviewed parking in Downtown and are considering changes to on street parking. These changes include: creation of parking permits or passes for those who need longer parking permissions, perhaps even overnight parking; changes to the Peel Street parking and loading areas that could include redesign or elimination of the loading zone. Do you have any comments to share on parking?**



### **Submission and Contact Information**

Thank you for participating! Please submit your worksheet to staff. Alternatively, if you would like to take the worksheet home to add more comments, you may submit the worksheet to the Town after the meeting. Please submit the form by **March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020**.

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