

### **ROTHESAY**

PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA 7:00 p.m.

#### Monday, September 15, 2025 Common Room, Rothesay Town Hall



### PUBLIC HEARING – REZONE (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard (R1B) to Two Family Residential (R2)

1. CALL TO ORDER Instructions

#### 2. PUBLIC HEARING

#### **Documentation**

10 September 2025 Memorandum prepared by Town Clerk Banks (public notices)
18 August 2025 Community Planning Act, Section 111 notice to website/Town Hall
Staff Report to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC)

31 July 2025 Staff Report to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) 5 August 2025 Recommendation from Planning Advisory Committee

DRAFT By-law 2-10-42

#### **Appearances/Presentations:**

Presentation: Mark Reade, P.Eng. MCIP RPP

Director of Planning/Development Services

In attendance: Brady Corbett, property owner

Appearances: n/a

Comments: n/a

#### 3. ADJOURNMENT



TO : Mayor and Council

FROM : Town Clerk Mary Jane Banks

DATE: 10 September 2025

RE : Social media messages for 1 North Street Rezoning

PID 00053736

18 August 2025 Public Hearing Notice posted to the Rothesay website and in

the Town Office, in accordance with the Community Planning

Act

SCHEDULE: Social media messages (8):

August 18, 21, 27, 29 September 3, 10, 12, 15

#### **PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

#### Monday, September 15, 2025 7:00 p.m. Common Room Rothesay Town Hall

#### 18 August 2025

In accordance with Section 111 of the *Community Planning Act*, SNB 2017, c 19 and amendments thereto, PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the town of Rothesay intends to consider an amendment to By-law 2-10, "Rothesay Zoning By-law" to rezone land located at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard (R1B) to Two Family Residential (R2) to legalize the existing two-unit dwelling.

Figure 1 - Subject Lands



The Public Hearing will be held **in-person** on **Monday, September 15, 2025, commencing at 7:00 p.m.** in the Common Room, Rothesay Town Hall, 70 Hampton Road.

Written objections to the proposed amendment will be received by the undersigned until **12 noon on Wednesday, September 10, 2025** and will be provided to Council for the public hearing.

Anyone wishing to speak at the Public Hearing may register with the Clerk's office no later than Wednesday, September 10, 2025 at 12 NOON. Please contact the Clerk's office at (506)848-6600 or Rothesay@rothesay.ca.

The following documentation is available online and can also be reviewed at the Town Office, 70 Hampton Road, Rothesay, NB Monday to Friday 8:15 am - 12 noon and 1:15 - 4:30 pm (closed between 12 noon and 1 pm), exclusive of civic holidays:

4 July 2025 Staff Report to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC)
31 July 2025 Staff Report to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC)
5 August 2025 Recommendation from Planning Advisory Committee
DRAFT By-law 2-10-42

The Agenda package for the September 15<sup>th</sup> public hearing will be available online the day of the hearing: https://www.rothesay.ca/town-hall/agendas/

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Mary Jane E. Banks, BComm Town Clerk – Rothesay



### 2025September 15 PUBLIC HEARING 1 NorthSPheninglAdvisory Committee July 15, 2025

To: Chair and Members of the Rothesay Planning Advisory Committee

From: Mark Reade, P.Eng., RPP, MCIP – Director of Planning and Development Services

Date: Friday July 4, 2025

Subject: Rezoning - Two Family Residential [R2] - 1 North Street (PID 00053736)

Applicant:	James Mosher	Property Owner:	Brady Corbett	
Mailing Address:	1 North Street Rothesay, NB E2E 3L9	Mailing Address:	1 North Street Rothesay, NB E2E 3L9	
Property Location:	1 North Street	PID:	00053736	
Plan Designation:	Low Density Residential	Zone:	Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B]	
<b>Application For:</b>	Rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2]			
Input from Other Sources:	Operations, KVFD			

#### Origin

Rothesay's Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) has received an application from James Mosher to rezone the property at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2]. The rezoning is being requested in conjunction with the sale of the property to legalize a second dwelling unit that exists in the building.

#### **Background**

The property is located at the southeast corner of Parkdale Avenue and North Street and is approximately 1453 square metres in area. The site has frontage on and driveways from both North Street and Parkdale Avenue and is served by municipal water and sanitary sewer. Service New Brunswick data indicates the building was constructed in 1975.

The building contains two dwelling units. One unit, located on the main storey, is accessed by an entrance on the North Street façade with a driveway from North Street providing parking. This dwelling unit has 3 bedrooms along with a kitchen, bathroom, living room, and laundry room. The dwelling unit on the lower level is accessed via an entrance on the Parkdale Avenue façade. A driveway from Parkdale Avenue provides parking for this dwelling unit. Two bedrooms, a den, kitchen, bathroom, living room, and laundry room comprise the lower-level unit.

A rezoning has been requested by the former owner who is selling the property. Discussions with the applicant indicate that the two units existed when they purchased the property in early 2024.

The surrounding neighbourhood, although having a larger portion of the area zoned R-1B, has five lots along North Stret zoned R2 having two-unit dwellings. Another four lots in the immediate area zoned

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R-1B also have two-unit dwellings. In addition to these nine two-unit dwellings, the broader neighbourhood has housing forms and zoning which provide increased density with townhouse and multiple unit dwellings located in areas zone Attached Residential [R3] and Multi-Unit Residential [R4] to the east, north, and west.



Figure 1 – View of Site from North Street

#### **Municipal Plan**

The subject site is designated Low Density Residential in the Municipal Plan. These are predominant areas of single-unit residential dwellings that are typical of lower-density suburban areas. Although generally comprised of single-unit dwellings, the Municipal Plan provides for two-unit dwellings in these areas through policy LDR-2.

Policy LDR-2 Low Density Residential Uses: Allow within the Low Density Residential designation, a range of housing types where the dominant form is single family detached homes and other low-density forms of housing, including secondary suites, two unit semi-detached, secondary units, and duplex dwellings. Other compatible uses may be permitted in the Low Density Residential designation without amendment to the Municipal Plan including but not limited to neighbourhood convenience stores, public utilities, parks, municipal facilities, and where appropriate home occupations.

Plan policy also provides for a zoning framework that includes various R1 zones and the R2 zone within areas designated Low Density Residential.

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The existing two-unit dwelling and proposed R2 zoning align with the Municipal Plan. In addition, the two-unit dwelling and proposed R2 zoning also align with the surrounding neighbourhood context as both R2 zoning and two-unit dwellings are found in the immediate vicinity.

#### **Zoning**

A rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2] is required to legally provide for the existing two-unit dwelling. The building complies with the standards of the R2 zone.

#### **Polling**

Polling letters were sent to nearby residents to inform them of the application and soliciting their comments or feedback. Any written correspondence received from the polling has been provided in the agenda packet.

#### **Summary**

Staff have reviewed the applicant's proposal and note the proposed rezoning aligns with the Municipal Plan and the site development conforms with the R2 zone standards. Given this, Staff recommend that PAC recommend that Rothesay Council schedule a Public Hearing for the rezoning application.

#### **Recommendation:**

It is recommended THAT the Planning Advisory Committee:

A. Recommend that Rothesay Council schedule a public hearing to consider the rezoning of 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2].

#### **Attachments:**

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Map 1 Aerial Photo Location Map

Map 2 Future Land Use Map - Municipal Plan

Map 3 Zoning Map

Report Prepared by: Mark Reade, P.Eng., RPP, MCIP

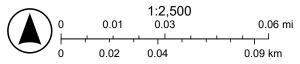
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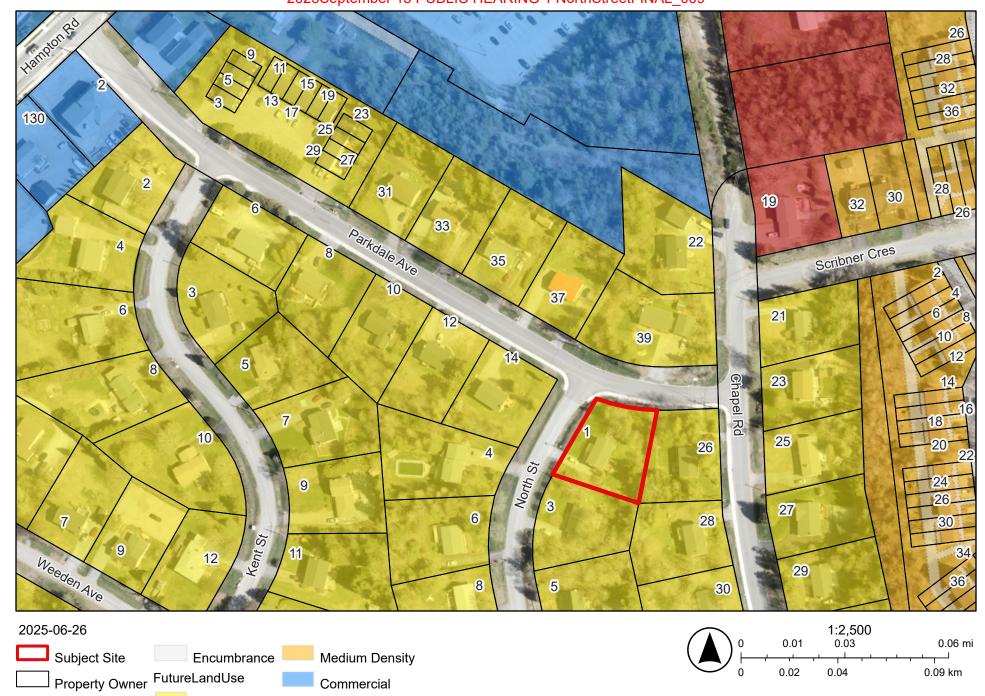


Subject Site

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### 1 North Street Future Land Use 2025September 15 PUBLIC HEARING 1 NorthStreetFINAL 009

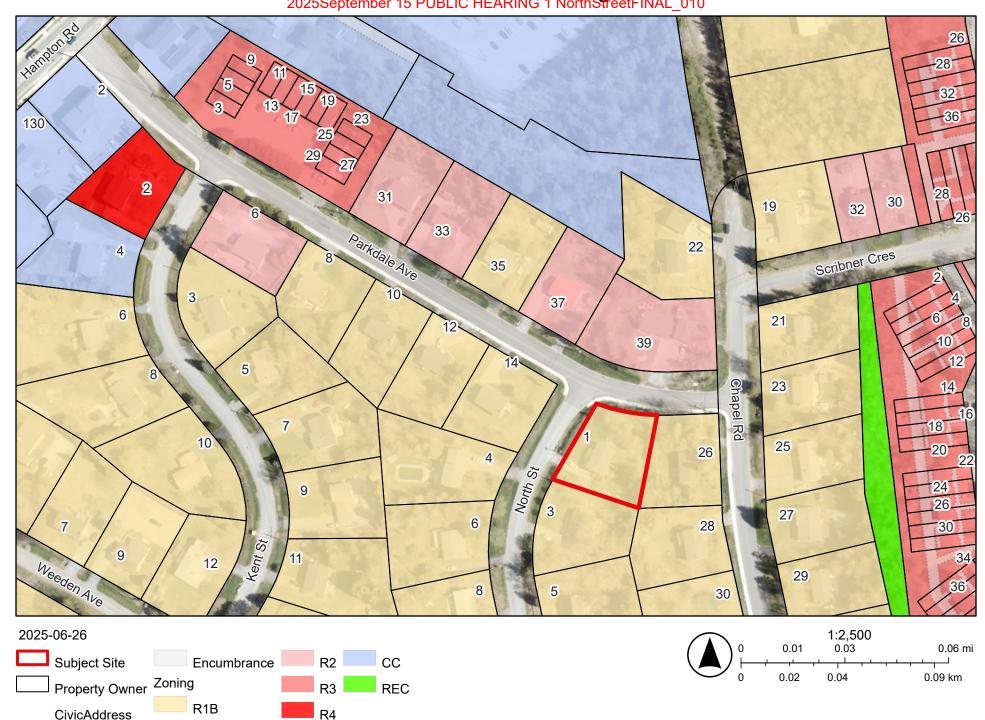


Low Density

**High Density** 

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#### 1 North Street Zoning 2025September 15 PUBLIC HEARING 1 North Street FINAL\_010





To:

### 2025September 15 PUBLIC HEARING 1 NorthSPtenninglAdvisory Committee August 5, 2025

Chair and Members of the Rothesay Planning Advisory Committee

From: Mark Reade, P.Eng., RPP, MCIP – Director of Planning and Development Services

Date: Thursday July 31, 2025

Subject: Rezoning - Two Family Residential [R2] - 1 North Street (PID 00053736)

Applicant:	James Mosher	Property Owner:	Brady Corbett
Mailing Address:	1 North Street Rothesay, NB E2E 3L9	Mailing Address:	1 North Street Rothesay, NB E2E 3L9
Property Location:	1 North Street	PID:	00053736
Plan Designation:	Low Density Residential	Zone:	Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B]
<b>Application For:</b>	Rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2]		
Input from Other Sources:	Operations, KVFD		

#### **Origin**

At the July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025, meeting of the Planning Advisory Committee, the Committee recommended Rothesay Council schedule a public hearing to consider the rezoning of the property at 1 North Street from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2].

Council will discuss setting a Public Hearing at their meeting of August 11, 2025.

#### **Background**

A rezoning has been requested by the former owner who is selling the property. Discussions with the applicant indicate that the two units existed when they purchased the property in early 2024. The rezoning to R2, would legalize the two dwelling units that exist in the building.

The property is located at the southeast corner of Parkdale Avenue and North Street and is approximately 1453 square metres in area. The site has frontage on and driveways from both North Street and Parkdale Avenue and is served by municipal water and sanitary sewer. Service New Brunswick data indicates the building was constructed in 1975.

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The surrounding neighbourhood, although having a larger portion of the area zoned R-1B, has five lots along North Stret zoned R2 having two-unit dwellings. Another four lots in the immediate area zoned R-1B also have two-unit dwellings. In addition to these nine two-unit dwellings, the broader neighbourhood has housing forms and zoning which provide increased density with townhouse and multiple unit dwellings located in areas zone Attached Residential [R3] and Multi-Unit Residential [R4] to the east, north, and west.



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Plan policy also provides for a zoning framework that includes various R1 zones and the R2 zone within areas designated Low Density Residential.

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The existing two-unit dwelling and proposed R2 zoning align with the Municipal Plan. In addition, the two-unit dwelling and proposed R2 zoning align with the surrounding neighbourhood context as both R2 zoning and two-unit dwellings are found in the immediate vicinity.

#### **Zoning**

A rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2] is required to legally provide for the existing two-unit dwelling. The building complies with the standards of the R2 zone.

#### **Polling**

Polling letters were sent to nearby residents in conjunction with the July report to the Planning Advisory Committee. Landowners within 100 metres of the subject site will be provided with written notification of the Public Hearing if Council sets a date for a Public Hearing.

#### **Summary**

Staff have reviewed the applicant's proposal and note the proposed rezoning aligns with the Municipal Plan and the site development conforms with the R2 zone standards. Given this, Staff recommend the site be rezoned to Two Family Residential [R2].

#### **Recommendation:**

It is recommended THAT the Planning Advisory Committee consider the following Motion:

A. PAC HEREBY recommends that Council enact BY-LAW 2-10-42 to rezone land at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2].

#### **Attachments:**

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Attachment 1: Draft By-Law 2-10-42

Report Prepared by: Mark Reade, P.Eng., RPP, MCIP

Date: Thursday, July 31, 2025

TO: Mayor Grant and Council FROM: Planning Advisory Committee

DATE: 7 August 2025

RE: 1 North Street Rezoning (R1B to R2)

#### Background:

The Planning Advisory Committee passed the following motion at its regular meeting of Tuesday, August 5, 2025.

**MOVED** by Counc. Shea and seconded by M. Graham the Planning Advisory Committee hereby recommends that Rothesay Council enact Bylaw 2-10-42 to rezone land at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2].

CARRIED.





#### BY-LAW 2-10-42 A BY-LAW TO AMEND THE ZONING BY-LAW (No.2-10 Rothesay)

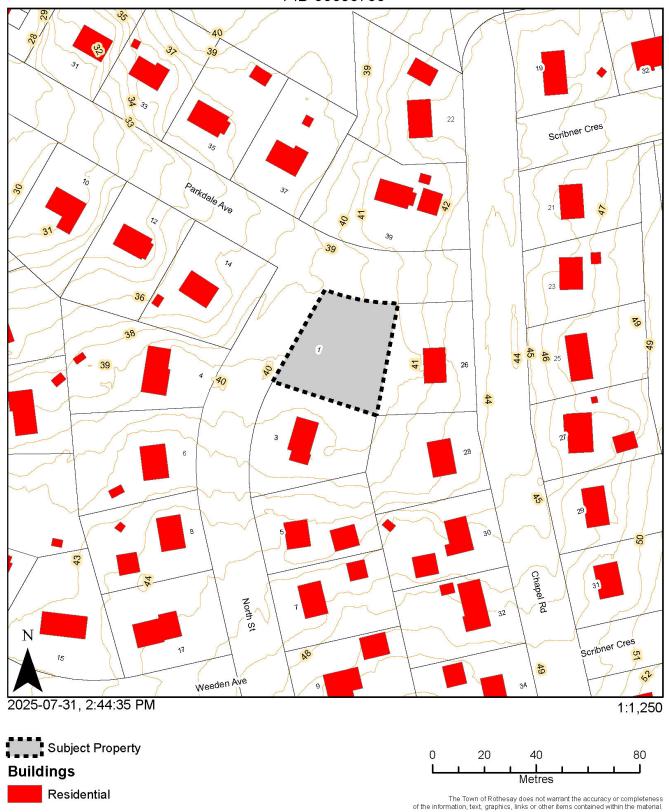
The Council of the town of Rothesay, under authority vested in it by the <u>Community Planning Act</u>, SNB 2017, c.19, and amendments thereto, hereby amends By-Law 2-10 "Rothesay Zoning By-Law" and enacts as follows:

That Schedule A, entitled "Zoning" as attached to By-Law 2-10 "ROTHESAY ZONING BY-LAW" is hereby amended, as identified on the attached sketch identified as "Attachment A – Bylaw 2-10-42".

The purpose of the amendment is to rezone land located at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard (R1B) to Two Family Residential (R2) to legalize the existing two-unit dwelling.

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# **Attachment A - Bylaw 2-10-42** PID 00053736





# Public Hearing Rezoning - 1 North Street R-1B to R2

2025 September 15

Rezoning to R2

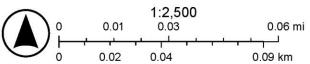
Public Hearing to consider rezoning 1 North Street (PID 00053736)

Rezoning from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2]

Legalize the existing two-unit dwelling



Subject Site



Rezoning

## **Existing Two-Unit Dwelling**

- Up-down duplex
- Upper floor accessed from North Street
- Lower Floor accessed from Parkdale Avenue

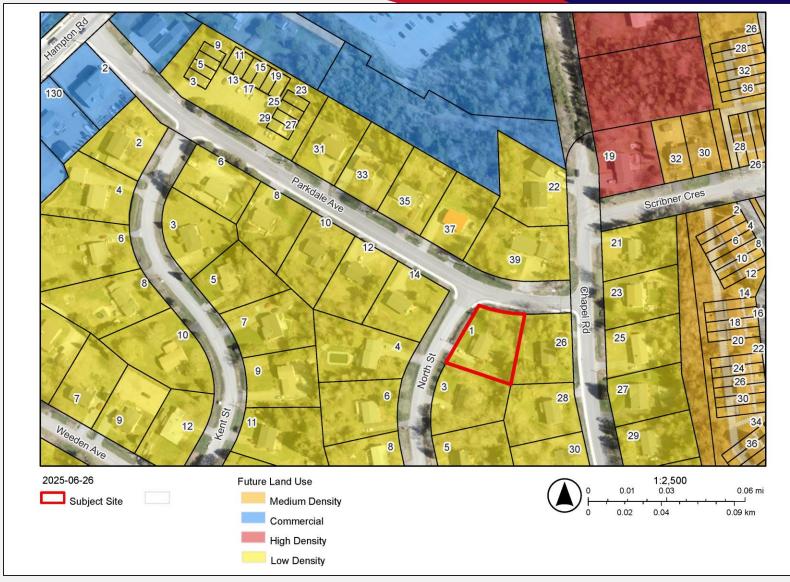
Site Photos





### Municipal Plan

- Site is designated Low Density in the Municipal Plan
- Policy LDR-2 guides development in these areas

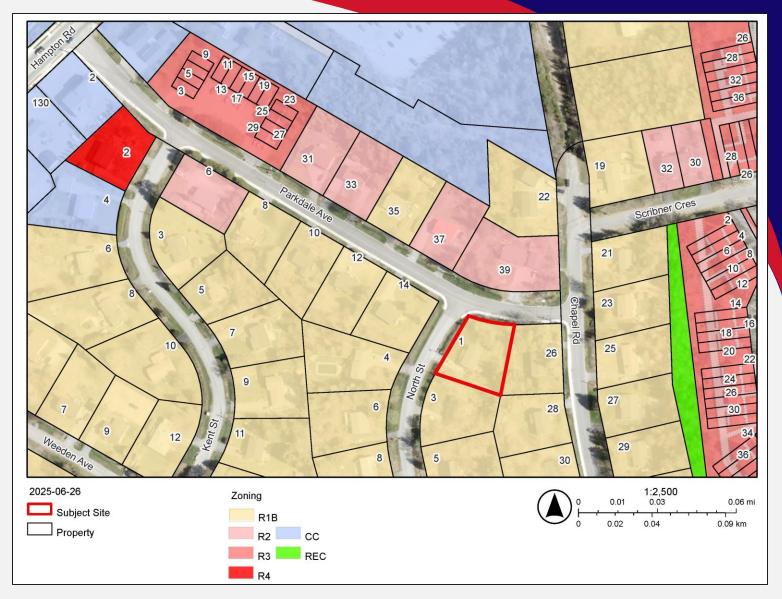


### Municipal Plan

- Policy LDR-2 Low Density Residential Uses:
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- Plan policy also provides for a zoning framework including the various R1 zones and the R2 zone within areas designated Low Density Residential.
- The proposed rezoning and existing two unit dwelling conform to the Municipal Plan

### Zoning

- Site is currently zoned Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B]
- Rezoning to Two Family Residential [R2] is required
- Existing R2 zoning in area provides neighbourhood context
- Existing building meets R2 zone standards





#### BY-LAW 2-10-42 A BY-LAW TO AMEND THE ZONING BY-LAW (No.2-10 Rothesay)

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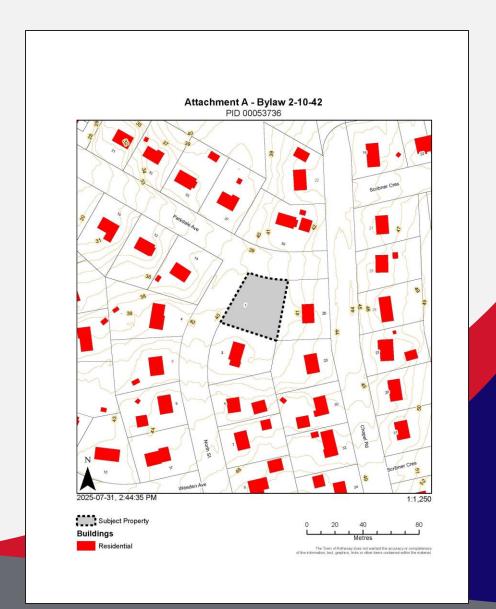
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### Staff and Planning Advisory Committee Recommendation

Recommendation to Rothesay Council

1. PAC HEREBY recommends that Rothesay Council enact By-law 2-10-42 to rezone land at 1 North Street (PID 00053736) from Single Family Residential – Standard [R1B] to Two Family Residential [R2].