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Township of Lucan Biddulph  
Applies to all lands within the Township

**NOTICE  
OF THE PASSING OF ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT BY  
THE TOWNSHIP OF LUCAN BIDDULPH**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the council of the corporation of the Township of Lucan Biddulph passed By-law No. 200-2026 on the 17th day of February, 2026 under Section 34 of the *Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, c. P.13*, as amended. Council considered all written and oral submissions received on this application, the effect of which helped Council to make an informed decision.

**AND TAKE NOTICE** that an appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal in respect to all or part of this Zoning By-law may be made by filing a notice of appeal with the Municipal Clerk either via the Ontario Land Tribunal e-file service (first-time users will need to register for a My Ontario Account) at <https://olt.gov.on.ca/e-file-service> by selecting Lucan Biddulph as the Approval Authority or by mail 270 Main Street, Lucan, ON N0M 2J0, no later than 4:30 p.m. on the last date of appeal noted below. The filing of an appeal after 4:30 p.m., in person or electronically, will be deemed to have been received the next business day. The appeal fee can be paid online through e-file or by certified cheque/money order to the Minister of Finance, Province of Ontario. If you wish to appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) or request a fee reduction for an appeal, forms are available from the OLT website at [www.olt.gov.on.ca](http://www.olt.gov.on.ca). If the e-file portal is down, you can submit your appeal to [clerk@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:clerk@lucanbiddulph.on.ca) or in person at 270 Main Street, Lucan, ON N0M 2J0. **The last date of appeal for this amendment will be on the 10th day of March, 2026.**

**PLEASE NOTE** notwithstanding the above, subsection 34(19) of the *Planning Act* defines the parties that are eligible to appeal the decision to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

**ONLY** individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a zoning by-law to the Ontario Land Tribunal. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf.

**NO PERSON OR PUBLIC BODY** shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the by-law was passed, the person or public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the council or, in the opinion of the tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

**AN EXPLANATION** of the purpose and effect of the by-law, describing the lands to which the by-law applies is attached. The complete by-law is available for inspection in my office during regular office hours.

Dated at the Township of Lucan Biddulph this 18th day of February, 2026.

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**PURPOSE AND EFFECT**

**BY-LAW NO. 200-2026**

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The purpose and effect of this By-law is to streamline the development of diverse and sustainable housing options by implementing the following initiatives:

- End exclusionary zoning
- Reduce or eliminate parking standards
- Eliminate restrictions and add flexibility
- Design and implement guidelines for additional residential units (ARUs) in both the urban and agricultural areas

The Township considered the amendment to the Township of Lucan Biddulph's Comprehensive Zoning By-law to address the following:

1. Initiatives within the Housing Accelerator Fund Action Plan aimed at supporting intensification, including permitting 4 units as-of-right in serviced urban areas and simplifying zoning provisions;
2. New permitted building types and permitted used in residential zones to provide a wider range and mix of housing options, subject to limitations such as size and parking;
3. Introducing a framework for Additional Residential Units in both the urban and agricultural areas;
4. New definitions and general provisions to modernize the Zoning By-law; and;
5. Introductions for opportunities to reduce parking standards for affordable and higher density forms of development while opening opportunities for shared offsite parking through agreements.

This By-law is consistent with the Provincial Planning Statement and conforms with the County of Middlesex Official Plan and the Township of Lucan Biddulph Official Plan.