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### **MORE THAN 20 SITES PROPOSED FOR NEW WINDSOR HOSPITAL** *Site Selection Subcommittee to shortlist potential properties*

The process of selecting a home for the new regional hospital is moving forward. Yesterday, the Request For Proposals (RFP) stage closed with more than 20 parcels of land in Windsor/Essex been submitted for consideration.

Now it is up to a Site Selection Subcommittee –11 volunteer members from Windsor and Essex County - to review those submissions in accordance with process outlined in the RFP documents and create a short list of potential sites. Owners of the short-listed properties will then be invited to move on to the next stage in the site selection process, where they will be asked to provide more detailed information about the land.

[Click here](#), for more information about the site selection process.

Windsor Regional Hospital CEO David Musyj, who co-chairs the Steering Committee overseeing planning for the new hospital, is pleased with the number of submissions. “It shows the benefit of having such an open, unique, inclusive and transparent process,” Musyj says.

Due to the high number of sites now being considered and the detailed examination required for each site, the Site Selection Subcommittee is not expected to have a short list of sites ready until early next year.

The locations of the properties being considered will not be made public during this stage in the process.

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