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## Mississauga Growth Forecast Adjustment of Municipal Forecast

July 2010

Population and employment forecasts are prepared by municipalities to plan for growth and are included in the municipalities' official plan as the guiding regulatory document for land use.

Mississauga's Official Plan includes population and employment projections as follows:

City of Mississauga Population and Employment Projections				
Year	Population	Employment		
2009	730,000	453,000		
2011	738,000	455,000		
2021	768,000	500,000		
2031	805,000	510,000		

These projections are required to conform to the population and employment forecasts in the Region of Peel Official Plan which are, in turn, is required to conform to the forecasts in Places to Grow: the Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe (Growth Plan).

The Growth Plan anticipates the Region of Peel would grow to 1,640,000 persons and 870,000 jobs by 2031. The municipal population and employment forecasts undertaken by the three municipalities in Peel (Mississauga, Brampton and Caledon) exceeded the forecasts in the Growth Plan.

In order to conform to Provincial forecasts, the allocation of population and employment growth of each municipality was reduced.

Mississauga's population forecasts have been reduced by 7,000 from the forecasts adopted by Mississauga City Council for 2021 and 2031. Mississauga's employment forecast is 9,000 less than the forecasts adopted by Mississauga City Council for 2031. The table below summarizes the adjustments.

City of Mississauga Adjustment of Municipal Forecasts					
Year		<b>Municipal Forecasts</b>	Regional Allocations	Adjustment	
	Population	738,000	738,000	0	
2011	Employment	455,000	455,000	0	
	Population	775,000	768,000	-7,000	
2021	Employment	500,000	500,000	0	
	Population	812,000	805,000	-7,000	
2031	Employment	519,000	510,000	-9,000	

Please Note: While the population and employment numbers have been adjusted at the city wide geographic level, custom data requests for smaller geographic areas such as planning districts will be based on the Council adopted Growth Forecast of March 10, 2009.

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