



Rideau Lakes

The Township of Rideau Lakes
Request for Proposals

Village of Lombardy
Community Visioning Project
ECD-01-2024

Addendum #1

April 24, 2024

The Township is releasing Addendum #1 to address the following questions:

1. What is the nature of the visioning exercise?

The nature of the visioning process is best explained in the Project Goals section on page 13 of the RFP (excerpt below); to “Develop a draft community vision based on the input received and best practices in community building, community planning and economic development.”

Project Goals

The Township of Rideau Lakes wishes to engage a consultant to work under the mandate of the Economic Development Committee and in concert with the volunteer Community Enhancement Committee and Township to:

- Develop and implement a consultation strategy to ensure an inclusive and holistic process outcome;
- Notice, hold and actively facilitate stakeholder session(s) in the community to gain input, advice, ideas and concerns;
- Develop a draft community vision based on the input received and best practices in community building, community planning and economic development;
- Release the draft vision document for community feedback and itemize feedback and related thoughts/considerations in a separate document;
- Provide a final vision document to Council and the community and a secondary document outlining community feedback noting if, why and how feedback has been incorporated and/or considered.

2. What specifically will stakeholders and survey participants be asked to envision? For example, is it to envision improvements to a specific area of Lombardy such as the village core? To certain municipal lands / assets? Or is it to be much more general?

Examples of previous Village Vision Documents are available online at <https://www.rideaulakes.ca/town-hall/resources/strategic-plans-reports-statistics>