

### **2023 Economic Update**

Greater Vernon Chamber of Commerce | September 15, 2023

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- Local Indicators
- Development & Real Estate Activity
- Development Previews & Highlights





### **Local Indicators**



|                                | <u>2016</u> | 2021   | New Population |     |
|--------------------------------|-------------|--------|----------------|-----|
| City of Vernon                 | 40,116      | 44,519 | 4,403          | 11% |
| Spallumcheen                   | 5,103       | 5,307  | 204            | 4%  |
| Coldstream                     | 10,648      | 11,171 | 523            | 5%  |
| North Okanagan B               | 3,203       | 3,274  | 71             | 2%  |
| North Okanagan C               | 3,870       | 4,511  | 641            | 17% |
| North Okanagan D               | 2,672       | 2,909  | 237            | 9%  |
| North Okanagan E               | 1,010       | 1,092  | 82             | 8%  |
| North Okanagan F               | 4,000       | 4,362  | 362            | 9%  |
|                                |             |        |                |     |
| North Okanagan Census Division | 84,344      | 91,610 | 7,266          | 9%  |
|                                |             |        |                |     |

Source: Statistics Canada



| 2016 Dwelling | 2021 Dwellings  | <b>New Dwellings</b>  |   |
|---------------|---|---|---|
| 19,170        | 21,287  | 2,117   | 11%   |
| 2,089         | 2,099   | 10  | 0%  |
| 4,159         | 4,341   | 182   | 4%  |
| 1,533         | 1,480   | 53  | -3%   |
| 2,245         | 2,317   | 72  | 3%  |
| 1,236         | 1,264   | 28  | 2%  |
| 461           | 508   | 47  | 10%   |
| 2,301         | 2,325   | 24  | 1%  |
|               |   |   |   |
| 39,970        | 42,722  | 2,752   | 7%  |
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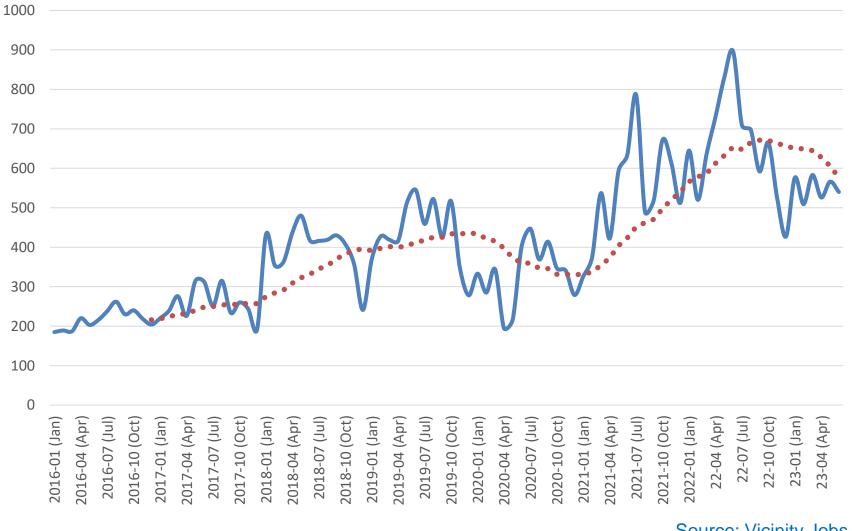
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Total Business
Licenses

807
Resident
Located

2608 Commercial / Industrial Located

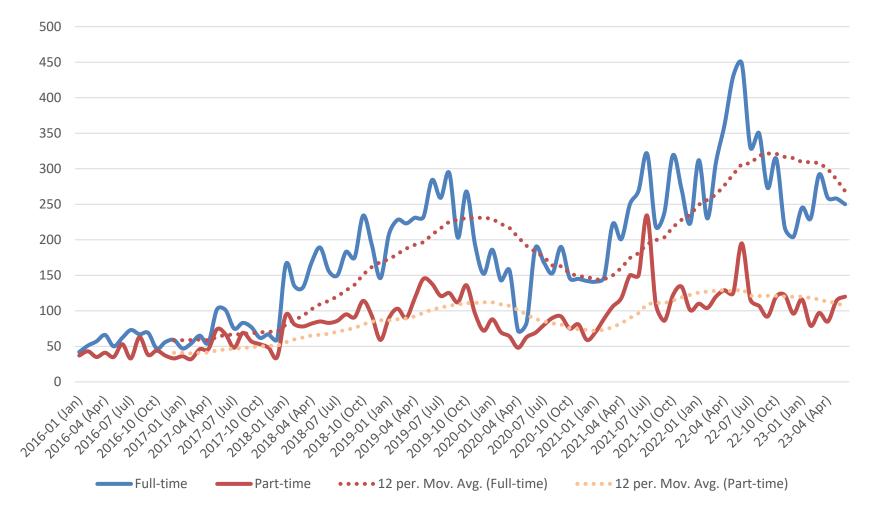
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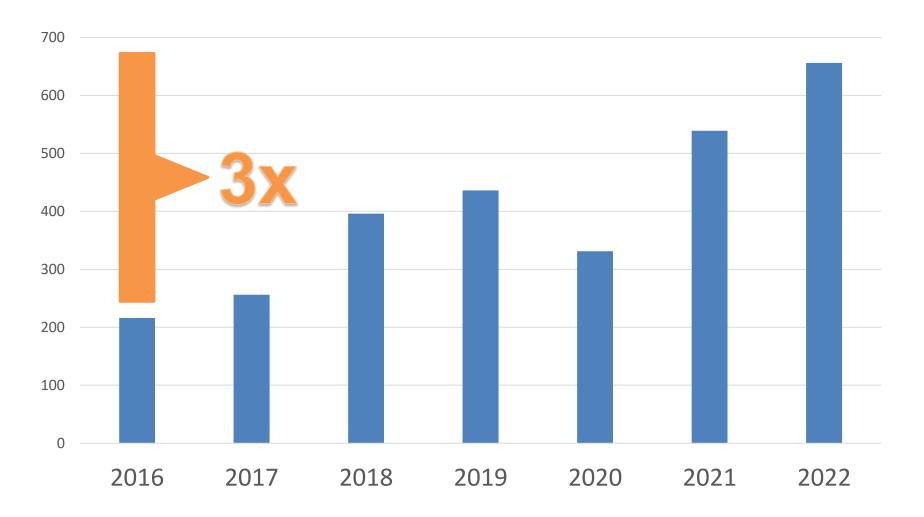
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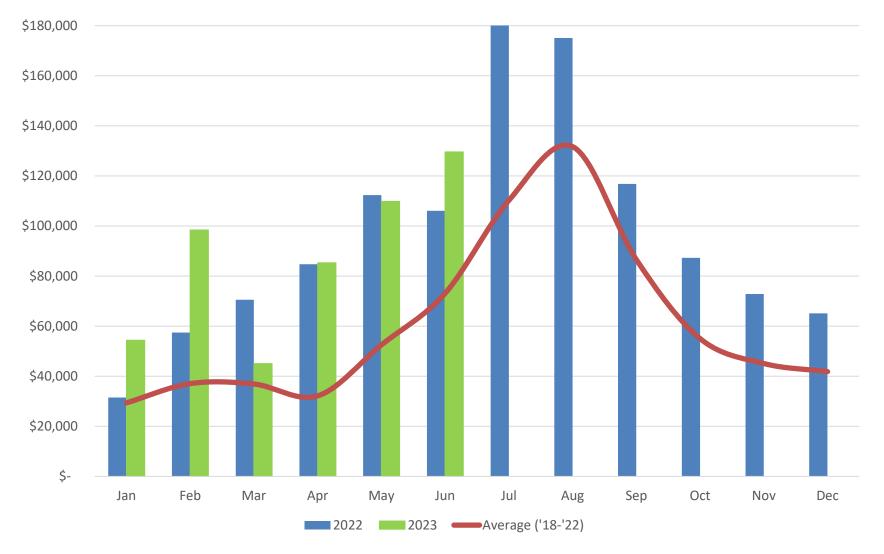
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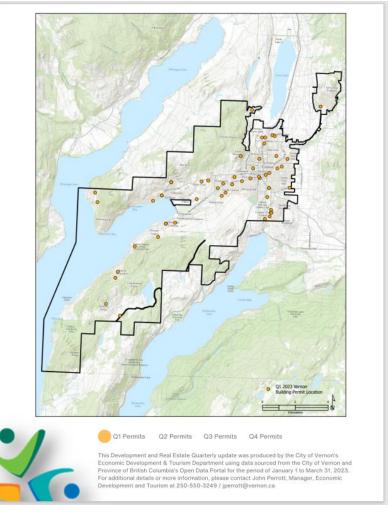
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# **Development & Real Estate Activity**









**Community Development Planning** 

**New Format** 



Single Family Home
33 Permits



Single Family Home w/Suite
7 Permits



Multi-Family Home
10 Permits



new residential units approved for construction this quarter / year







92 vs 108

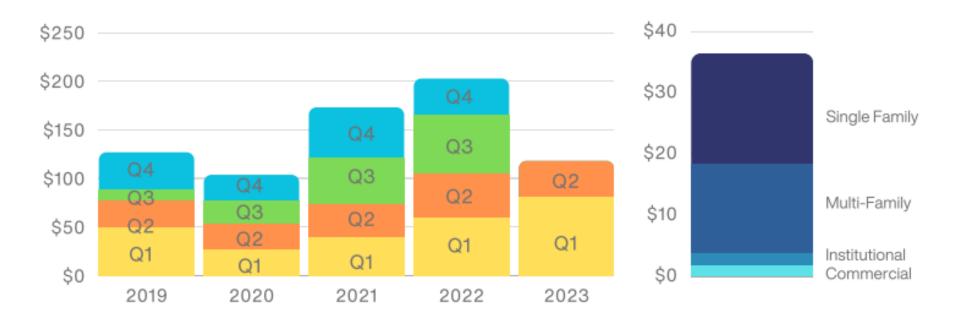
total number of Building Permits issued in Q2 2023 vs Q1 2023

Source: City of Vernon



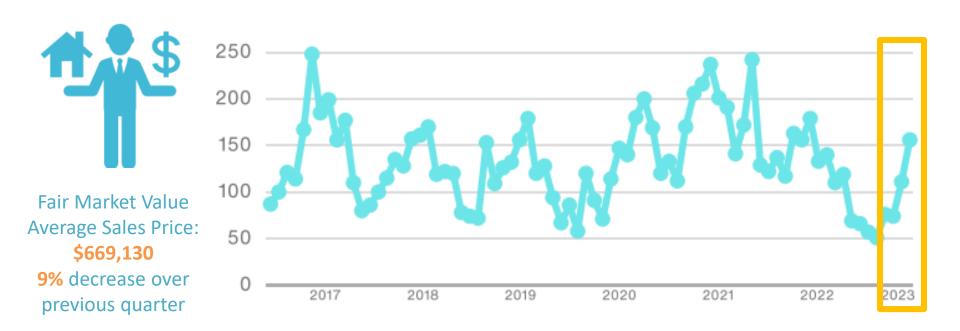
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**Building Permit Volumes:** Q1 + Q2 2023



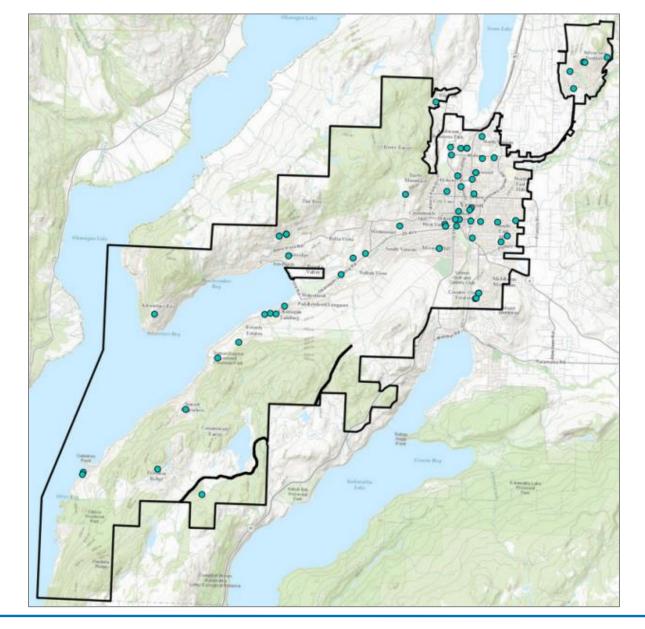
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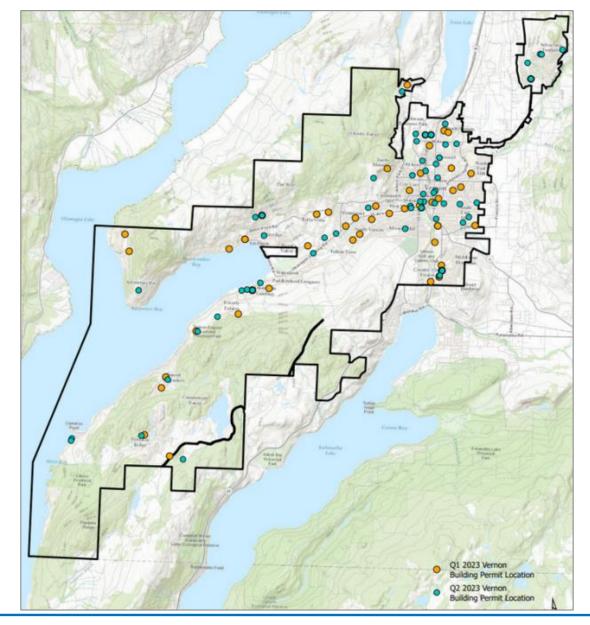
Source: DataBC







# **Q2 Development Map**





### **Building Permits**

Typically proccessed within 4 weeks



# Why / When to change the colours?

#### **Development Permits**

Typically processed within 3 months



# Processing times exceed internal targets due to:

- Increase in application volumes
- Complexity of applications
- Staffing levels / processing capacity

### Development Varience Permit / Rezoning Applications

Typically processed within 6 months



Source: City of Vernon



**Community Development Planning** 

**Q2 Processing Times Indicators** 

## **Development Previews & Highlights**









- Former Legion site redevelopment
- Mixed-use site with commercial & rental units
- 7,887 sq feet Commercial
- 75 One-bedroom units
- 20 Two-bedroom units
- 15 units are CHMC
   Accessible / Adaptable









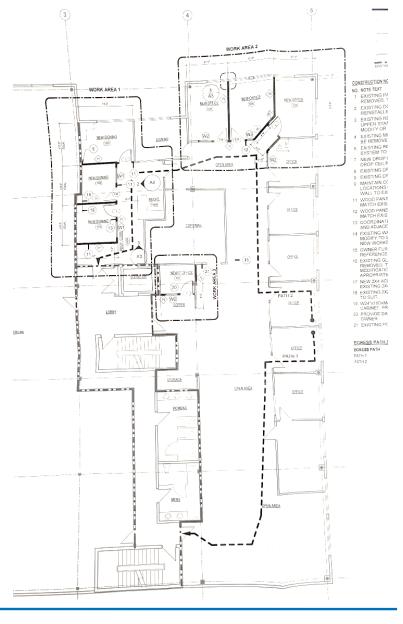


- Redevelopment of existing Residential Property to new Mixed Use Building
- 5406 Square Foot Footprint
- 1700 Square Feet of Office Space
- 13 Stall Onsite Parking Garage
- 14 Residential Units
- Expect construction to start later this year



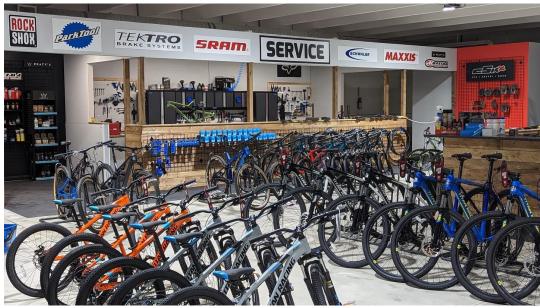


- Downtown Core Nixon Wenger Building
- Renovations on second floor for new office space
- 4300 sq ft 44 Staff Members
- BP Issued: January 19, 2023
- BP Value: \$250,000









- Interior & exterior Lease-hold improvements for new bike shop
- First PNP Entrepreneur Stream –
   Satoca Bike & Moto
- 6000 sq ft
- BP Issued: February 03, 2023
- BP Value: \$50,000









- 52 Unit residential unit supportive housing, "The Willows"
- Operated by Turning Points
- 30,052 sq ft / Modular Consutruction
- BP Issued: February 24, 2023
- BP Value: \$12 M







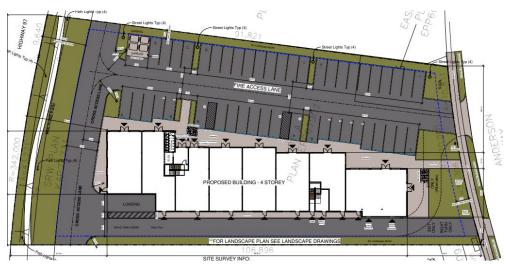
- Vista Condiminums at Predator
- 56 unit multi-family residential building = 70,814 sq ft
- Mix of 1, 2, 2 + Den units
- BP Issued: March 29, 2023
- BP Value: \$40 M







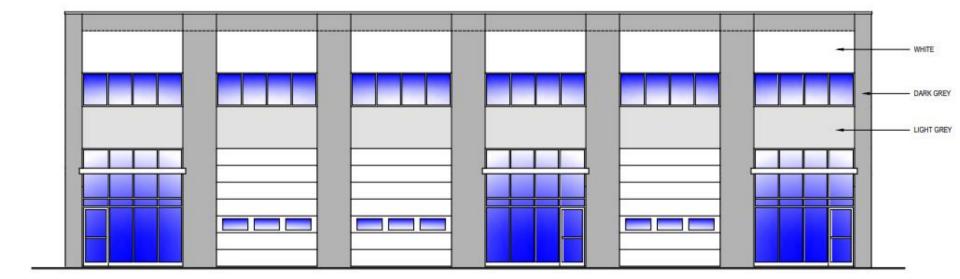




- 4 Story Mixed Use Building
- 26,700 square feet total space
  - 8 Commercial Units including drive through & 68 seat restaurant
  - 16 Residential Units mix of 1 and 2 bedroom units
- Issue DP in early fall 2023



### 5460 Anderson Way



#### SOUTH ELEVATION

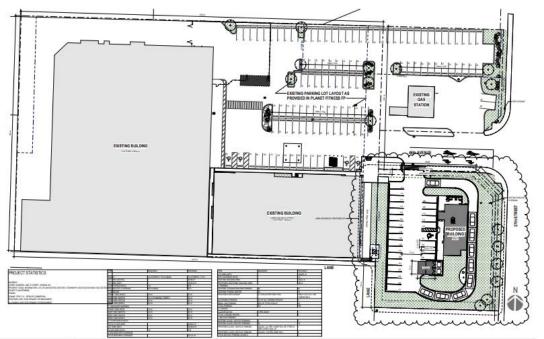


- Former Gymnastics Club Site
- Redevelopment using existing foot print
- Light Industrial Building 3 Units
- 7,700 square feet
- I1 Zone provides opportunity for wide range of light industrial & commercial uses



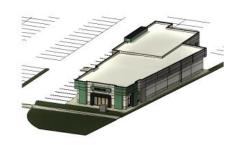






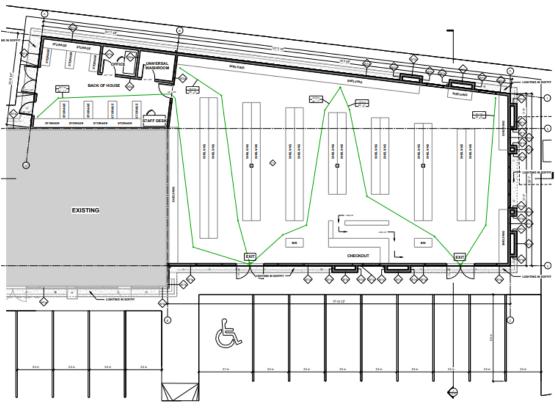
- Second building as part of the form Canadian Tire site
- Adjacent new Planet Fitness Gym
- Taco Bell QSR with Drive Thru
- 20 Seat Dining Room
- Construction anticipated later this year





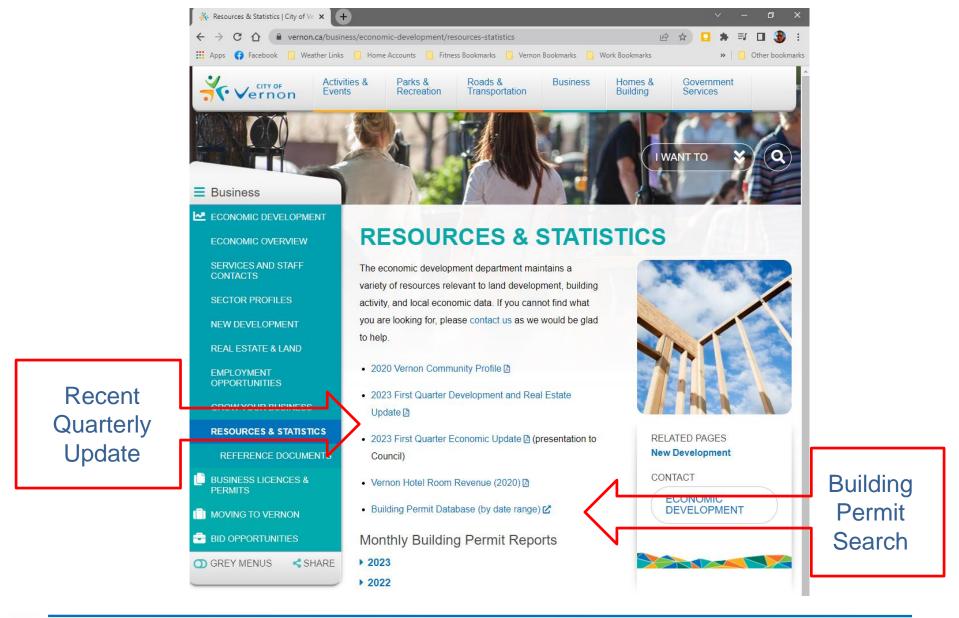






- Expansion of commercial space at Okanagan Landing Plaza
- 4000 square feet of new commercial retail space
- Expect construction later this year







### Website Resources



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# **Community Development Planning**