

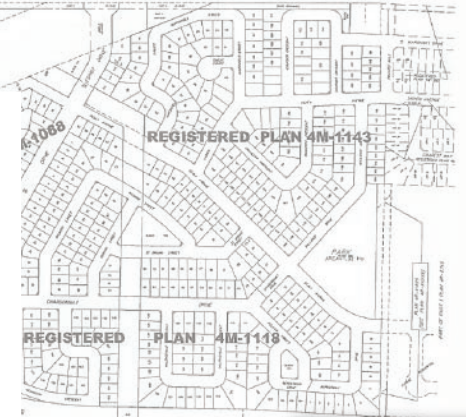
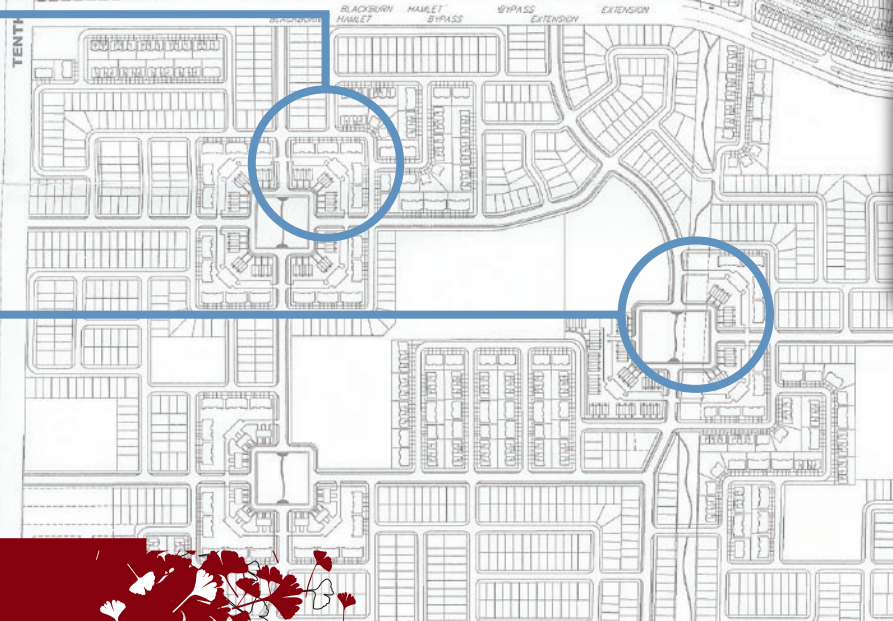
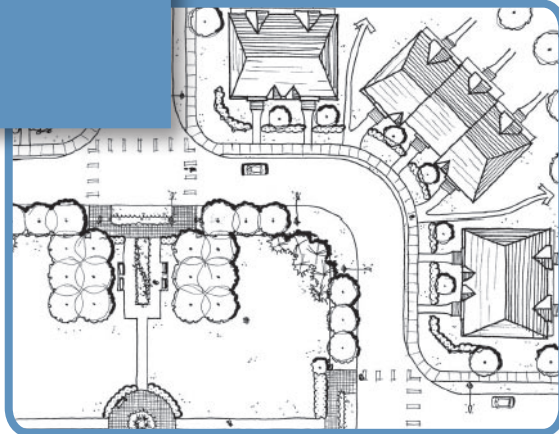
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MINTO DEVELOPMENTS Inc.

PROJECT

AVALON SOUTH CONCEPT

PPAL participated in an award winning submission for the planning and design of the Avalon public square development concept. The 2007 award was sponsored by the City of Ottawa under the category Public Spaces and Civic Spaces. The creation of the Avalon square was based on a master plan design produced by Mr. Paquette during his previous employ as Director of Planning for Minto Developments Inc. The inspiration behind the design of the square came from Savannah, Georgia in conjunction with a desire to intercept intersecting collector roads with a green form being more pedestrian friendly than a traffic circle. The Avalon square marries the advantages of the Savannah square while providing an alternative to a traditional intersection much like the traffic circle does. The result is a highly visible and functional civic space serving as a centre piece to this community. The concept has been well received and Minto has committed to building two other similar squares in this same community.



# Lakeridge Square