

Introduction to the revised Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe

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Planning for Growth

A Global Challenge



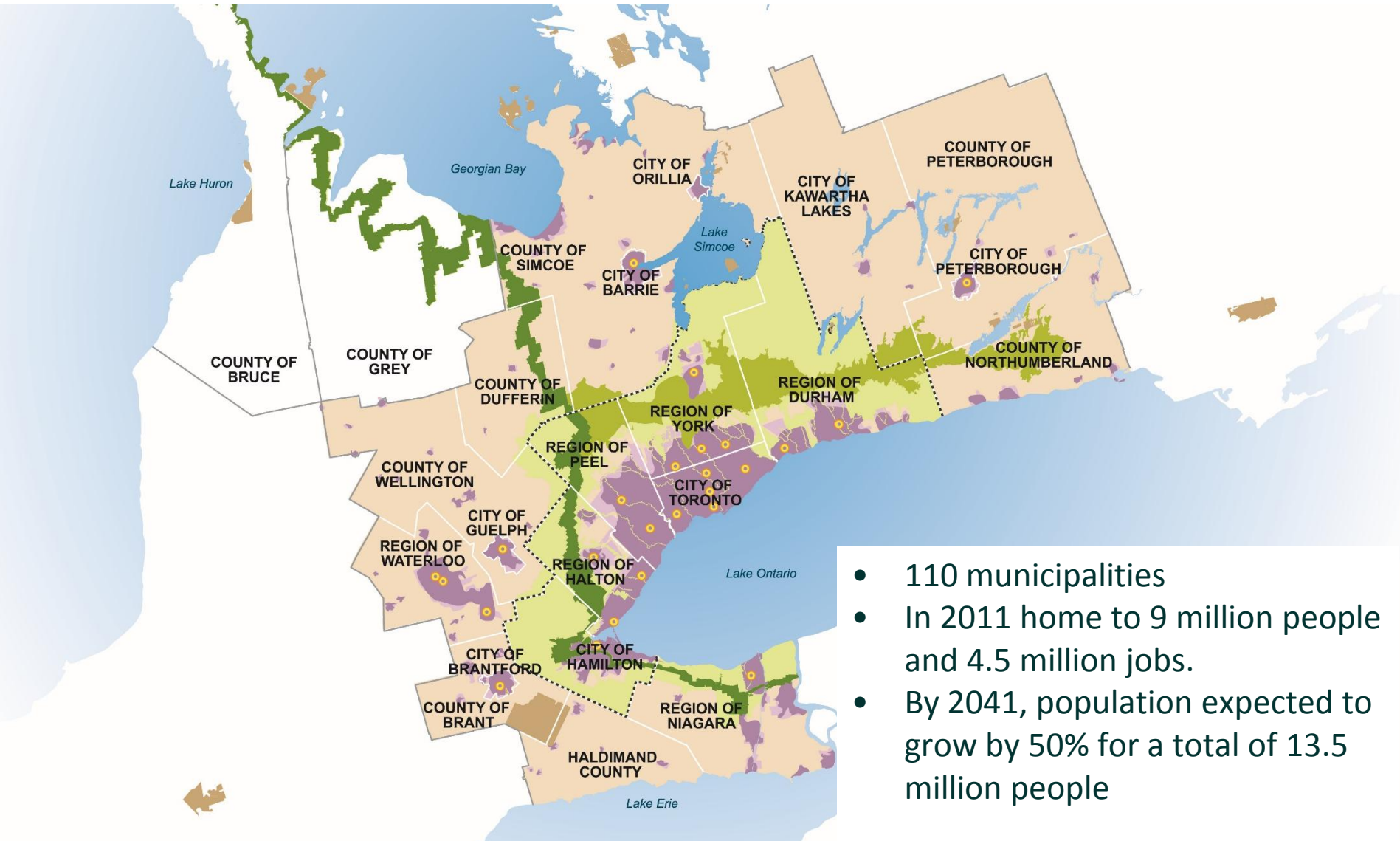
The Growth Plan

An Integrated Vision for the Region



The Greater Golden Horseshoe

A Growing and Diverse Region



- 110 municipalities
- In 2011 home to 9 million people and 4.5 million jobs.
- By 2041, population expected to grow by 50% for a total of 13.5 million people

Why Growth Matters for People

Key Questions



Where are
we going to
work?



How will we get
to where we
need to be?



Where are
we going to
live?



What will
we eat?



How will we
protect what
sustains us?

These are challenges that impact our quality of life.

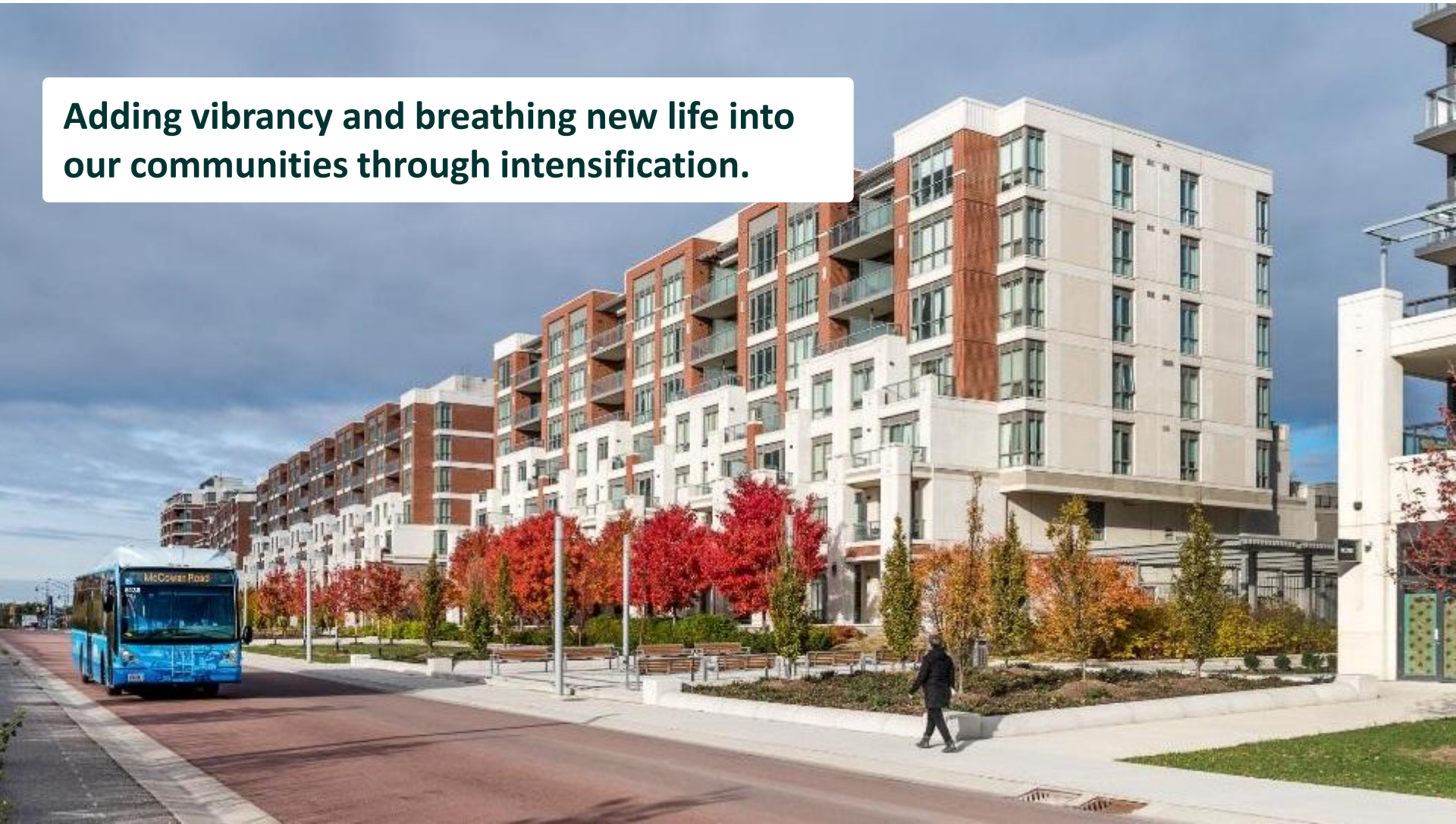
Where to Grow:

**How does the revised Growth
Plan direct urban
development?**

Where will people live and work?

Making Better Use of Land and Infrastructure

Adding vibrancy and breathing new life into our communities through intensification.



Where will people live and work?

Directing Development to Strategic Growth Areas



**Building compact and efficient communities
by encouraging density**

How will we move around?

Transit-Supportive Development

Prioritizing the ability to take transit, bike and walk to destinations.



How to Grow:

**Developing Complete
Communities and Protecting
What Sustains Us**

A Guiding Principle

Supporting Complete Communities

Shaping municipalities to be more complete and livable.



What will we eat?

Supporting Agriculture

Sustaining the viability of
Ontario's agri-food industry.



What sustains us?

Protecting the Environment

Protecting and conserving our
vital natural resources.



How to get there:

**Partnerships and Growth Plan
Implementation**

Implementation

Working with Municipalities



Building Support Education and Partnerships



System Wide Changes Promoting Integrated Planning



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