Synopsis of greenspace protection in City of Ottawa's new Official Plan Compiled by the Greenspace Alliance of Canada's Capital

Type of				Description	Type of Protection	Protection
greenspace				policy		policy
				reference		reference
Rural	Wetland				No net loss from development or site	4.8.1.6
					alteration	
	Woodland				No net loss from development or site	4.8.1.6
					alteration	
	Parks			7.1a	Lot creation prohibited, restrictions on	7.1.3
					disposal	7.1.4e
	Natural Heritage	Not part of Natural		4.8.1.3	Lot creation prohibited, No net negative	7.1.3
	Features	Heritage System			impact from development or site	5.6.4.1.1
					alteration	5.6.4.1.4
			Significant wetland	4.8.1.3a	Lot creation, development and site	7.1.3
				7.1d	alteration prohibited + 120m restricted	7.3.2
					buffer	
			Natural	4.8.1.3h	Lot creation, development and site	7.13,
			Environment Area	7.1c	alteration prohibited + 120m restricted	7.3.3
					buffer	
			Conservation Areas	7.1f	As per enabling legislation, otherwise	7.3.4
					considered a NEA	7.3.5
		Part of Natural		4.8.1.3	Maintain and improve	7.1.3
		Heritage System			Lot creation prohibited, No negative	5.6.4.1.1
					impact from development or site	5.6.4.1.4
					alteration	
			Significant wetland	4.8.1.3a	Lot creation, development and site	7.1.3
				7.1d	alteration prohibited + restricted buffer	7.3.2
			Natural	4.8.1.3h	Lot creation, development and site	7.13
			Environment Area	7.1c	alteration prohibited + restricted buffer	7.3.3
			Conservation Areas	7.1f	As per enabling legislation, otherwise	7.3.4
					considered a NEA	7.3.5

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Urban						
	All				Commitment to protect	4.8.3.1
	Parks			7.1a	Lot creation prohibited, restrictions on disposal	7.1.3 7.1.3.e iii
	Open Spaces			7.1b	Lot creation prohibited	7.1.3
		Hydro and Utility corridor			As per operator policies	
		SWM facilities			As per City infrastructure policies	
		Capital greenspace			As per federal policies	
		Passive open space	Stream bank setbacks		As per Conservation Authority policies	
			Other		Option to purchase	11.6.7
	Natural Heritage Features	Not part of Natural Heritage System		4.8.1.3	Lot creation prohibited, No net negative impact from development or site alteration	7.1.3 5.6.4.1.1 5.6.4.1.4
			Urban Natural Feature	4.8.1.3g 7.1c	Lot creation, development and site alteration prohibited + 30m restricted buffer	7.1.3 7.3.1
			Significant wetland	4.8.1.3a 7.1d	Lot creation, development and site alteration prohibited + 120m restricted buffer	7.1.3 7.3.2
		Part of Natural Heritage System		4.8.1.3	Maintain and improve Lot creation prohibited, No negative impact from development or site alteration	7.1.3 5.6.4.1.1 5.6.4.1.4
			Urban Natural Feature	4.8.1.3g 7.1c	Lot creation, development and site alteration prohibited + 30m restricted buffer	7.1.3 7.3.1
			Significant wetland	4.8.1.3a 7.1d	Lot creation, development and site alteration prohibited + 120m restricted buffer	7.1.3 7.3.2