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The Brand-New Business of Creating Heritage Conservation Districts

Toronto, April 5, 2004 – Cities are putting increasing emphasis on the preservation of stable residential neighbourhoods as the key to sustaining livability. But many neighbourhoods want development to respect more than just zoning issues. Residents in many areas value the look and feel of their streetscapes. With several successful experiences to build on, community groups are pushing for the creation of heritage conservation districts as a tool to manage change and respond to the challenges of tomorrow. The City of Toronto is meeting this demand by promoting new districts throughout the City. What can heritage conservation districts accomplish? How do they affect property owners and the development industry? The answers await you on April 8.

WHAT: The Canadian Urban Institute's Roundtable Breakfast Series offers informal debates on the leading urban issues of the day.

Full Breakfast details at [Click here](#)

WHO: Presentations, questions and answers - 8:00 am – 9:45 am.

Speakers: **Councillor Kyle Rae**, City of Toronto
Brian Gallagher, Coordinator, Heritage Preservation, City of Toronto.
Don Loucks, Senior Associate, IBI Group

WHEN: **Thursday, April 8, 2004**
7:45 - 9:45 am

WHERE: Metro Hall, 3rd Floor, Room 308-309.
55 John St., Toronto

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