



Municipal Heritage Committee Report

Report Number: KLMHC2021-41
Meeting Date: October 7, 2021
Title: Heritage Planning Update
Description: General updates on the Heritage Planning program
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Recommendations:

That Report KLMHC2021-41, **Heritage Planning Update**, be received for information.

Department Head: _____

Financial/Legal/HR/Other: _____

Chief Administrative Officer: _____

Background:

The following is an update on the Heritage Planning program for September 2021.

September 7 Committee of the Whole: At the September 7 Committee of the Whole meeting, Council received and approved the new Heritage Applications policy, a new heritage fees by-law, and amendments to the delegated authority by-law. The decision was ratified at the September 21 Council meeting.

October 5 Committee of the Whole: Three heritage-related reports were presented to the Committee of the Whole on October 5: the repeal and replacement of the designating by-law for 28 Boyd Street, the designation of 1480 Highway 7A, and the listing of properties on the Heritage Register.

National Trust for Canada Conference: Staff attended the National Trust for Canada conference at the end of September. There were many interesting sessions focussing on diversity, climate change and economic recovery and their relationship to heritage.

Designations: There are several ongoing designations. The heritage evaluation brief for 1590 Elm Tree Road has been drafted and is anticipated to be presented to the Committee in November. Research is ongoing for 15 Dodd Street.

Heritage Inventory: Preliminary work has been done on the heritage inventory to test the inventorying software and collect initial data points. Staff are currently developing a heritage inventory framework and strategy which will guide the inventory of heritage properties in the municipality and set priorities for inventory and formal recognition. A draft version of the framework will be presented to the committee by the end of 2021.

Rationale:

This report is intended to provide information to the Municipal Heritage Committee on the general activities of the Heritage Planning program.

Other Alternatives Considered:

There are no recommended alternatives.

Financial/Operation Impacts:

There are no financial or operational impacts as a result of the recommendation of this report.

Consultations:

N/A

Attachments:

N/A

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