

Municipal Heritage Committee Report

Report Number: KLMHC2022-006

Meeting Date: January 13, 2022

Title: Heritage Planning Update

Description: General updates on the heritage planning program

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Recommendation(s):

That Report KLMHC2022-006, **Heritage Planning Update**, be received for information.

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Chief Administrative Officer:	

Background:

The following is an update on the Heritage Planning program for November and December 2021, as well as important information for the Committee coming into 2022.

December 14 Council Meeting: Council passed the designation by-law for 1480 Highway 7A, Bethany (the Old Bethany Post Office) and the replacement designation by-law for 28 Boyd Street, Bobcaygeon (Case Manor dry stone wall). An administrative amendment was also made to By-law 2021-154 (the Heritage Fees by-law) to make a correction to the recitals.

January 11 Committee of the Whole: The Committee of the Whole receives the amendments to the heritage delegated authority by-law (By-law 2019-154) at their meeting of January 11. These changes were reviewed and approved by the Committee in December.

Listing Properties: Staff are in the process of researching and photographing properties for listing in 2022 and the Committee is encouraged to provide suggestions.

Doors Open: Staff have informed the Ontario Heritage Trust that the City will be participating in Doors Open 2022. The provincial theme for the year is design. The fees for participation have been waived by the Trust for 2022 due to corporate sponsorship.

Municipal Elections and Committee Tenure: 2022 is a municipal election year and the voting period will take place between October 14 and October 24, 2022, with the new Council meeting for the first time in November. The terms of all members of the Committee expire at the end of 2022 to correspond with the term of Council. Committee members will remain in their positions until a new Committee is appointed in early 2023. Staff will provide more information on the reapplication process for the next term of Council in the second half of the year.

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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