



Municipal Heritage Committee Report

Report Number:	KLMHC2024-037
Meeting Date:	June 6, 2024
Title:	Heritage Planning Update
Description:	General Update on the heritage planning program
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Recommendation:

That Report KLMHC2024-037, **Heritage Planning Update**, be received.

Department Head: _____

Financial/Legal/HR/Other:_____

Chief Administrative Officer:_____

Background:

April 30 Council: Council considered and ratified reports recommending the designation of 35 Bolton Street, 97 King Street, 34-36 King Street East, and 49 King Street East at its meeting of April 30. Notices of intention to designate have been issued by staff. There was also correspondence and a deputation on the agenda requesting that 49 King Street East in Bobcaygeon not be designated. By-laws for the designation of 91 William Street North, 37 King Street East, 31-35 King Street East and 13-17 King Street East were passed by Council at this meeting. Additionally, a recommendation was ratified to authorize the City entering into an agreement with the federal government and the National Trust for Young Canada Works funding.

May 21 Council: At its May 21 meeting, Council endorsed the designation of 16-22 King Street East and 24-26 King Street East. Notices of intention to designate will be issued by staff. By-laws were passed designating 317 Kent Street West and 11 Victoria Avenue North.

Rural Zoning By-law: The new consolidated Rural Zoning By-law was adopted by Council at its May 21 meeting. This by-law consolidates Kawartha Lakes' 14 rural zoning by-laws that predate amalgamation into a single zoning by-law for the City's rural areas. The appeal period runs until June 11, 2024.

Heritage Webpages: New Heritage webpages have been created on the City's website to highlight heritage programs and provide better information to the public. These include pages on heritage designation, permitting, outreach and the Heritage Inventory.

Economic Development Strategy Refresh: The City is refreshing its existing Economic Development Strategy to help guide economic growth in Kawartha Lakes over the next five years. Members of the public are invited to provide input to the new strategy through the online survey available on Jump In.

Taking Care of Your Antique Firearms Workshop: The City's Curatorial Services program is offering a workshop on June 18th at the Boyd Heritage Museum in Bobcaygeon regarding taking care of antique firearms in museum collections. The workshop is suitable for museum staff, volunteers and board members with these types of items in their collections. Advanced registration is required.

Rationale:

This report is intended to provide a general update to the Committee on the 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 recommendations of this report.

Consultations:

N/A

Attachments:

N/A

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