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LEGISLATURE AND  
PLANNING

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Council of The Corporation of the City of Ottawa on the 19th day of January, 1994, established its Intention to Designate the property known municipally as 34 Alexander Street in the City of Ottawa, pursuant to the provisions of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, c. 337.

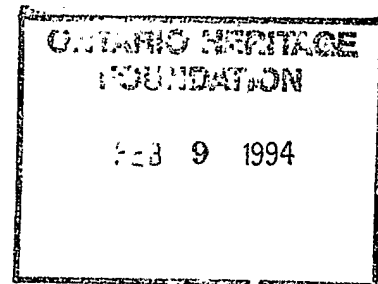
Enclosed herewith is the Notice of Intention to Designate served according to the Act.

Yours truly,

P.G. Pagé  
City Clerk

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Enc.



## IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT

The Corporation of the City of Ottawa on the 19th day of January, 1994, established its intention to designate the following heritage property for its architectural and historical value.

### 34 Alexander Street

#### STATEMENT OF REASON FOR DESIGNATION

The Henderson House, 34 Alexander Street, is recommended for designation as being of historical and architectural interest. The Henderson House was built in 1864-65 for John Henderson, Manager of the MacLaren Lumber Mills. When New Edinburgh was incorporated in 1866, Henderson became the first Treasurer of the Village of New Edinburgh, and also served as Reeve. After New Edinburgh amalgamated with Ottawa in 1887, Henderson became the Clerk for the City of Ottawa. The Hendersons were among the first families to settle in the New Edinburgh area, and Henderson House continued to be occupied by the descendants of John Henderson until 1969.

This 2 1/2 storey clapboard house is an excellent example of the early evolution of architecture in the Village of New Edinburgh, showing the influences of both the Italianate and Second Empire Styles. The bellcast mansard roof, wishbone shaped gables, round-headed window surrounds, elaborate wood detailing, front entrance with transom and sidelights, and veranda all combine to form an eclectic building of distinctive architectural value.

#### OBJECTIONS

Any person wishing to object to this designation may do so by letter, outlining reasons for the objections and other relevant information. These must be received by the Clerk of the City of Ottawa either by registered mail or personally delivered by the 8th day of March, 1994.

DATED at Ottawa this 5th day of February 1994.

P.G. PAGÉ  
City Clerk