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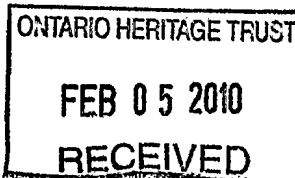


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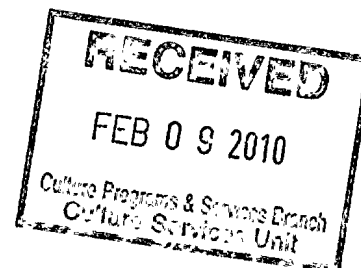
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**The Corporation of the Town of Tillsonburg**

February 2, 2010

Ontario Heritage Trust  
10 Adelaide Street East  
Toronto, Ontario  
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RE: NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To Whom it May Concern:

Please be advised that Council of the Town of Tillsonburg intends to designate the Tillsonburg Cenotaph as indicated in the notice below.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

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Clerk

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, R.S.O. 1990, CHAPTER O.18, AS AMENDED, AND  
IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES KNOWN AS THE TILLSONBURG CENOTAPH IN THE  
TOWN OF TILLSONBURG IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Tillsonburg intends to designate the following property as being of cultural heritage value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter O.18, as amended.

Tillsonburg Cenotaph

Description of the Property

The property is located in front of the current Town Centre Mall and has not moved from where it was originally located in front of the old Town Hall for the Town of Tillsonburg.

First unveiled November 11, 1929

Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest

Given the rather large amount spent on building the cenotaph a statement was made by our ancestors that they never wanted to forget the sacrifice made by the individuals that served in the war. As such the responsibility is handed to us to ensure that the culture of acknowledging the important efforts of our forefathers is not forgotten.

Description of Heritage Attributes

The cenotaph was built in 1929 as a monument to the Great War. Later World War II and Korea were added to the monument. On each side of the Cenotaph are the battles in which Tillsonburg residents participated.

The granite used for the Tillsonburg Cenotaph is the same granite used for the gargoyles on the Peace Tower at the Canadian Parliamentary buildings.

The cenotaph is generally along the lines of the famous cenotaph in Whitehall, London, England.

The cenotaph has been the focal point of all remembrance day ceremonies since its unveiling in 1929.

Despite all the changes in the downtown, the cenotaph has remained the one constant not moving since its construction some 80 years ago.

Objections to the proposed designation must be received by the Clerk of the Town of Tillsonburg by Registered Mail or hand-delivered together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts, not later than 4:00 pm on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2009. Objections will be referred to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing and report.

For more information please contact the undersigned.

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