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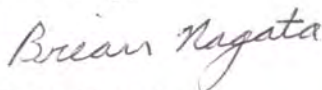
**Re: Registration of Heritage By-laws
Municipality of Chatham-Kent**

At the Council Meeting held March 5, 2012, Chatham-Kent Council passed the following By-laws designating the indicated properties under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act* for their cultural heritage value and interest. The By-laws have been registered on title of the respective properties:

| Municipal Address | Legal Description | By-law Number | Registration Number | Registration Date |
|----------------------|--|---------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 117 Victoria Avenue | LOT 2, BLOCK S, PLAN 3 CHATHAM (CITY) | 36-2012 | CK69824 | 03-Apr-12 |
| 15258 Longwoods Road | PT LT 13 RIVER RANGE S OF LONGWOODS RD ZONE PT 1 2 & 3 24R5858; S/T 134524, 661241, 515398 & 515398; CHATHAM-KENT | 37-2012 | CK69825 | 03-Apr-12 |

Copies of the By-laws are attached for your file.

Sincerely,



Brian Nagata
Junior Planner

C: Municipal Heritage Committee

Attachment(s)

BY-LAW NUMBER 37-2012

OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT

A By-law to designate the property located at **15258 Longwoods Road, Community of Zone**, as being of historical and architectural value or interest.

PASSED the 5th day of March, 2012

WHEREAS the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter 0.18 as amended, provides that the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent may designate a property within the boundaries of the Municipality to be of cultural heritage value or interest;

AND WHEREAS Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent has appointed the Heritage Chatham-Kent Advisory Committee and the said committee has recommended that the Municipality designate the hereinafter described property pursuant to The Ontario Heritage Act;

AND WHEREAS Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent has given Notice of Intention to Designate the hereinafter described property to be of cultural heritage value and interest pursuant to The Ontario Heritage Act;

AND WHEREAS no Notice of Objection to the proposed designation has been received by the Corporation of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent;

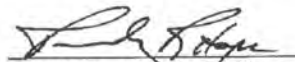
AND WHEREAS the reasons for designation are set out in Schedule "A" annexed hereto;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipality of Chatham-Kent enacts as follows:

1. That the property municipally known as 15258 Longwoods Road, Community of Zone and more particularly described in the attached Schedule "B" be designated to be of cultural heritage value and interest pursuant to The Ontario Heritage Act.
2. The Clerk be authorized to register the by-law against the property described in Schedule "B" hereto in the proper Land Registry Office.
3. The Clerk be directed to cause a copy of this by-law to be served on the owner of the aforesaid property and on the Ontario Heritage Foundation and cause notice of the passing of this by-law to be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the municipality.

THIS By-law shall come into full force and effect upon the final passing thereof.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME this 5th day of March, 2012.


MAYOR – Randy R. Hope


DEPUTY CLERK – Meredith Cadotte

Schedule A



Heritage Chatham-Kent

Municipal Heritage Committee

Bothwell Cemetery - Description of Property

The Bothwell Cemetery is an active, and Municipally Owned Cemetery, located at 15258 Longwoods Road.

The legal description of the property is, PT LT 13 RIVER RANGE S OF LONGWOODS RD ZONE PT 1 2 & 3 24R5858; S/T 134524, 661241, 515398 & 515398; CHATHAM-KENT.

Statement of Cultural Heritage value and interest

Historical/Associative (OHA Reg 9/06)

The Bothwell cemetery is of cultural value, as being the only active public cemetery for the former township of Zone, and the community of Bothwell.

Established in the early 1850's by the Honourable George Brown, as the burial grounds for the newly established town of Bothwell, this cemetery has many of the founding family's of the area interred within its boundaries. The gravesites within the cemetery provide us with a vast amount of insight into the lives of not just the inhabitants of Bothwell, but also the surrounding rural community.

The use of markers and monuments to perpetuate the memory of the individuals interred within its grounds, and its quiet and peaceful surroundings also contribute to the overall culture of its natural landscape.

The Bothwell cemetery is also of value as a good example of a 19th century southwestern Ontario cemetery, with its location being established outside of the town limits. It is characterized by a natural setting to attract and comfort the living, with the creation of a secure space for the deceased.

Description of Heritage Attributes

Key attributes of the Bothwell cemetery that reflect its cultural value as an important link to the History of local area include:

- The original markers and monuments, with their surviving inscriptions.
- The variety of styles, materials, and symbolism represented in the markers and monuments.
- The range of size and sophistication of markers and monuments, from the modest to the elaborate.
- The curved walls that are located at the two driveway entrances of the original section, which were donated by the Women's Institute of Bothwell in 1939, and is constructed of local stone from the Thames River.
- The low to the ground metal pipe framed fences and gates, which surround a few of the family plots within the cemetery.

- The stone gateposts that mark the walking entrance to the original section, which was donated by the Women's Institute of Bothwell in 1939, and is constructed of local stone from the Thames River.
- The simple designed, locally fabricated steel gates, which are located at each of the three driveways and the walkway entrance to the cemetery.

Key attributes of the cemetery that reflect its value as an example of a 19th century rural municipal cemetery design in southwestern Ontario.

- The location, dimensions, and orientation of the cemetery within the surrounding cultural landscape.
- The monuments, sculptures and structures.
- Its park-like setting, including mature trees.
- The original plan and placement of the gravesites, monuments, and markers.



Stone walls and steel gates at the eastern driveway entrance



Stonewalls and steel gates to the second entrance to the east



The stone gateposts and steel gate that mark the walking entrance



The metal gates at the western driveway entrance



Small metal framed fence and gate around a family plot



Small metal fencing and gate around a family plot



Looking north-west from the south-west corner of the original section



Looking north-east from the south-west corner of the original section



Looking north-west of the new section



Looking south-west of the new section

SCHEDULE 'B'

PT LT 13 RIVER RANGE S OF LONGWOODS RD ZONE PT 1 2 & 3 24R5858; S/T
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