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Northumberland

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, 1980, S.O. Chapter 337

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL ADDRESSES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO:

NOTICE OF PASSING OF BY-LAW

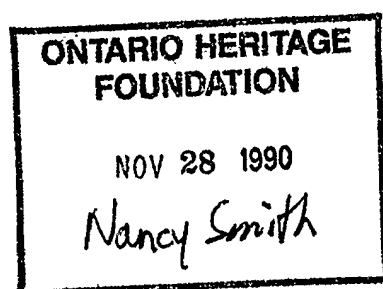
TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hope has passed By-law No. 3317 to designate the following building as being of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1980, s.o. Chapter 337:

Wesleyville Church
Concession One, Part Lot 30,

REASON FOR DESIGNATION: Typical rural public building of the 1840's to 1900's, the Gothic hall church (brick) with low pitched roof with eave returns. The facade is 3 bay, a gothic window on each side of the centre door, also gothic and each bay in the centre of an indentation of the brick facade. The coloured glass is of the 1900 to 1920 period. Wesley Church was built in 1860 on land donated by John Barrowclough for it and a cemetery, from his farm on Lot 30, Concession 1, Hope Township. Brick was made in Port Hope and labour was voluntary. It was heated by two large cast iron stoves marked c.w. 1858, standing in bricked enclosures in opposite corners of the basement. Heat was conducted by pipes to small registers in the pews. This was unsatisfactory so stoves were moved upstairs and served there until 1951. John Barrowclough and James Jacobs were the two remaining trustees from the previous church and newly appointed were Jonathon Brand and, Luke Jakes, I. B. Ostram and Thomas Tyndall. In 1902 the original windows were replaced by those now in the building. Hydro was installed in 1945. At the time of the building, the congregation was on the Canton Circuit and in 1884 became part of the Welcome Circuit at the time of union of Methodist and Bible Christian Churches. In 1925 it became part of the United Church of Canada and in 1960 celebrated its centennial. In 1969 the church was closed by Presbytery and the congregation amalgamated with the new congregation at Welcome. A history of the church was written in 1960 when the W.A. purchased a pulpit and communion table, and Rev. A.W. Harding made an oak choir screen to match.

Dated at Hope Township, Ontario,
this 20th day of November, 1990

Frances Aird,
Clerk-Administrator
Township of Hope,
P.O. Box 85,
PORT HOPE, Ontario,
LIA 3V9



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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE
BY-LAW No. 3317

BEING A BY-LAW TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN PROPERTIES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPE AS BEING OF HISTORIC VALUE OR INTEREST.

WHEREAS Section 29 of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1980, authorizes the Council of the municipality to enact by-laws to designate real property, including all of the buildings and structures thereon, to be of historic or architectural value or interest;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hope deems it desirable to designate the following building:

WESLEYVILLE CHURCH
Concession 1, Part of Lot 30

AND has caused to be served on the owners of the building and premises and upon The Ontario Heritage Foundation, Notices of Intention to Designate the aforesaid real properties and has caused such Notices of Intention to be published in a newspaper having a general circulation in the municipality once a week for each of three consecutive weeks, namely in the Port Hope Evening Guide.

AND WHEREAS the lands of the subject property is more particularly described in Schedule "A" attached hereto and the reasons for designating the property are set out in Schedule "B" attached hereto;

AND WHEREAS notification of objection to the proposed designation was received by the Clerk of the Municipality;

AND WHEREAS a hearing was conducted by the Conservation Board and a recommendation to designate was returned to the Township Council;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hope ENACTS as follows:

1. There is designated as being of historic and/or architectural value or interest, the following real property as an important component of the Township of Hope

WESLEYVILLE CHURCH

Concession 1, Part of Lot 30

being more particularly described in Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this by-law. The reasons for the designation of this property are set out in Schedule "B" attached hereto and forming part of this by-law.

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2. The Clerk and the Solicitor of the Township of Hope are hereby authorized to serve, publish and register copies of the by-law in accordance with The Ontario Heritage Act, 1980.

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME in open Council

This 6 day of November 1990

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Roger Wilson, Reeve

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Frances Aird, Clerk

READ A THIRD TIME in open Council and passed

This 6 day of November 1990

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Roger Wilson, Reeve

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Frances Aird, Clerk

I, Frances M. Aird, Clerk of the Township of Hope do hereby certify this to be a true copy of By-law 3317 passed in open Council the 6th day of November, 1990.

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Frances M. Aird, Clerk

SCHEDULE "A" to By-law No. 3317

Being Part of Lot 30 in the First Concession of the Township of Hope, being now in the County of Northumberland, the boundaries of the said parcel being described as follows:

Premising that all bearings herein are astronomic in origin and are related to the northern limit of the Lakeshore Road and shown as having a chord bearing of North 67 degrees 52 minutes 08 seconds east at the intersection with the road allowance between Lots 30 and 31, on a Reference Plan of Survey deposited in the Port Hope Land Registry Office as Plan 9R-815.

COMMENCING at an iron bar planted, distant 4273.92 feet measured on a bearing of South 19 degrees 39 minutes 12 seconds East from a monument marking the northwestern angle of subject Lot 30 and shown on Plan 9R-994 for the Township of Hope;

THENCE North 14 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West parallel to and perpendicularly distant 5.00 feet measured westerly from the western brick face of the edifice known as the Wesleyville Church, in all a distance of 64.25 feet to an iron bar planted;

THENCE North 75 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds east parallel to and perpendicularly distant 5.00 feet measured northerly from the northern brick face of the one storey brick addition constructed along the northern side of the Wesleyville Church in all a distance of 42.20 feet to a point;

THENCE South 14 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds East parallel to and perpendicularly distant 5.00 feet measured easterly from the main easterly wall of the said Church a distance of 64.25 feet to a point;

THENCE South 75 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds West parallel to and perpendicularly distance 5.00 feet measured southerly from the main southerly wall of the said Church a distance of 42.20 feet to the point of commencement.

The hereinabove described parcel of land containing 0.062 acre and being a portion of the lands described in Instrument No. 6104, Instrument No. 6391 and Instrument No. 2854 for the Township of Hope.

SCHEDULE "B" to By-law No. 3317

REASONS FOR DESIGNATION OF
WESLEYVILLE CHURCH

ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

Typical rural public building of the 1840's to 1900's. Gothic hall church (brick) with low pitched roof with eve returns. 3 Bay gothic windows on each side. The facade is 3 bay, a gothic window on each side of the centre door also gothic. Each bay in the centre of an indentation of the brick facade. Coloured glass of the 1900 to 1920 period.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

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