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## The Town of Markham

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE  
ACT, 1974, R.S.O. CHAPTER 122

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND  
PREMISES KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS 266 Main  
Street, North, Markham, IN THE TOWN OF  
MARKHAM IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO: Norman and Thelma MacLeod,  
266 Main Street, North,  
Markham, Ontario.

Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Markham on the 14th day of February, 1978, passed a motion of intention to designate the property, including lands and buildings, known municipally as 266 Main Street, North, Markham, Ontario, as a property of architectural and/or historical interest or value under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, R.S.O. Chapter 122.


### Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

Originally called the Mount Joy General Store, the building now known locally as MacLeod's Antiques located at 266 Main Street, North, Markham, Ontario, is recommended for designation for architectural reasons. It is a fine, well preserved example of retail construction around the turn of the 19th century. Built in 1892 for Aretus Urmy, of frame members, it incorporates three major roof styles: gable, shed and salt box. Square pilasters flank the store windows in the boomtown front facade. The eastward facing front section of the building is clad in tight horizontal planking and decorated in shallow relief, while the rest of the building is clad with vertical planking.

The building is virtually unchanged since its construction 85 years ago, save the removal of the bell tower which now rests in the Markham Museum. It is a fine illustration of how a structure may be utilized in accordance with its original intent.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty (30) days of the 8th day of March, 1978.

Dated at Markham this 8th day of March, 1978.

  
Diane E. Smith, (Mrs),  
Town Clerk.