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September 30, 2015

Ontario Heritage Trust
10 Adelaide Street East
Toronto, ON
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RE: Serving Notice of Intention to Designate

To Whom it May Concern,

Enclosed is the Notice of Intention to Designate under the Ontario Heritage Act. The property is the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 175 Stone Street South Gananoque, Ontario. Council made a motion to proceed with the designation of this property on the meeting of September 8, 2015. If you have any questions or require further information please don't hesitate to call Shelley Hirstwood, Economic Development Manager at 613-372-2149 ext 1127 or shirstwood@gananoque.ca.

Sincerely,



Shelley Hirstwood
Economic Development Manager



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE UNDER THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF the lands in

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 175 STONE STREET SOUTH, GANANOQUE, ONTARIO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Gananoque intends to designate St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 175 Stone Street South, under Section 29(1), Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter 0.8.

Description of the Property:

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 175 Stone Street South is proposed for designation under the Ontario Heritage Act for historical, structural and contextual criteria.

Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest:

The central section of the church and tower were built between the years 1851-55 to a design attributed to nationally significant Kingston-based architect William Coverdale, but the existing form dates largely from 1871-87 with the addition of the initial part of the Parish Hall/Sunday School in 1871 (now called Gracey Hall), the spire in 1875, and the chancel and south and north wings/transepts of the sanctuary in 1886- 87 designed by architect Robert Gage, Kingston. The middle section of the Sydenham Street elevation, capped by the central of three gables, was built in 1955 in highly integrated style and materials.

Constructed with local sandstone and granite detailing, with a wood roof structure, the soaring spire is the tallest in Gananoque and prominent from vantage points in town. Additionally, the building is in keeping with the scale and elaboration of the surrounding buildings mostly other churches or single family homes from the 19th century.

Description of Heritage Attributes

- Sandstone and granite detailing exterior
- Tower bell of 1897 (by McNeely Co., West Troy, NY)
- 19th and early 20th century church windows

Information:

Further information respecting the proposed designation is available for viewing at the Town Hall, 30 King Street East during regular business hours. Any person may by **November 9, 2015 at 12:00pm**, (within 30 days after the date of the publication of this notice) serve written notice of objection to the proposed designation submitted to the Clerks Department, together with a statement for the objection and all relevant facts.

Dated at the Town of Gananoque this 8 day of October, 2015

Bonnie Dingwall, Director of Corporate Services, 30 King Street East, Gananoque, ON K7G 2T6