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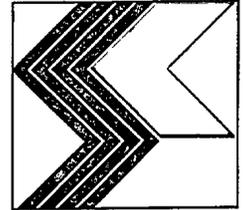
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To Whomever This May Concern,

Re: Intention to Designate the Front (Outer) Range Light
and Rear (Inner) Range Light, Port Dalhousie
Pursuant to Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act
File No. 10.64.158

Please be advised that City Council at its regular meeting February 3, 1997, resolved its intention to designate the above-noted lands under the Ontario Heritage Act.

In giving notice pursuant to the provisions of the Ontario Heritage Act, I am enclosing a copy of a notice which is to be published in the St. Catharines Standard on February 22, 1997.

Subsequent to the 30 day appeal period required by the Ontario Heritage Act, provided no appeals are filed, City Council will enact a by-law designating the property as being of historic and architectural value and interest.

Please contact me at 688-5600, extension 1710, if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Kevin Blozowski

Kevin Blozowski,
Secretary-Treasurer,
St. Catharines Heritage Committee

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c.c. Annette Poulin
Ken Todd

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE THAT The Council of the Corporation of the City of St. Catharines intends to designate property to be of historical and architectural value and interest under the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter 0.18, as follows:

1. FRONT (OUTER) RANGE LIGHT

Located at the northernmost point of the east pier in Port Dalhousie, in the City of St. Catharines in the Regional Municipality of Niagara, formerly in the Township of Grantham, in the County of Lincoln, being Part of Lots 20 and 21, Broken Front Concession in the Township of Grantham, designated as Part 13 on Reference Plan 30R-6842.

The following is a short statement of the reasons for the proposed designation:

The front (outer) range light was built in 1879 for the Department of Marine and Fisheries and is the original structure at this location. Together with the rear (inner) range light located approximately 1500 feet to the south, this light was part of a dual light system, guiding vessels from Lake Ontario to the narrow harbour and Third Welland Canal. It continues to function as a light station.

The light is square in plan, tapering to an octagonal lantern and hip roof. Architectural features include a wooden bracketed lookout with low metal railing.

2. REAR (INNER) RANGE LIGHT

Located at the northernmost end of Lighthouse Road in Port Dalhousie Harbour, in the City of St. Catharines, in the Regional Municipality of Niagara, formerly in the Township of Grantham, in the County of Lincoln, being Part of Lots 20 and 21, Broken Front Concession in the Township of Grantham, designated as Part 11 on Reference Plan 30R-6842.

The following is short statement of the reasons for the proposed designation:

The rear (inner) range light was built in 1898 for the Department of Marine and Fisheries. It replaced two previous lighthouses at this location that were replaced due to obsolescence (1852) and destruction by lightning (1893). Together with the front (outer) range light located approximately 1500 feet to the north, this light was part of a dual light system, guiding vessels from Lake Ontario to the narrow harbour and Third Welland Canal. It ceased to function as a light station in 1988.

The light is a four (4) storey octagonal building that tapers to a thick cornice and small lookout. Two four pane double-hung windows are on the north and south facades. It is currently clad in aluminum but for many years had decorative red and white detailing and shingles.

Notice of Objection to the designations may be served on the Clerk of the City of St. Catharines within thirty days after the date of publication of this notice of intention in a newspaper having general circulation in the municipality.

For further details about the proposed designation, please contact Kevin Blozowski at 688-5600, extension 1710.

Dated at St. Catharines this day of , 1997.

Kenneth R. Todd, City Clerk