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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF THOROLD

March 22, 1999



Ministry of Citizenship, Culture & Recreation Cultural programs Branch Heritage Properties & Museums Programs Unit 77 Bloor Street West, 2nd Floor Toronto, Ontario M7A 2R9

Attention: Ms. Marylou Evans

Dear Ms. Evans:

Re: Notice of Intention to Designate Ontario Heritage Act War Memorial Monument - Memorial Park

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of a Notice of Intention to Designate the above noted property in accordance with Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter 0.18. This notice has been published in the Thorold News on March 20, 1999.

You have been notified as required under the provisions of Section 29(3) of the Act.

I trust this is in order.

Yours very truly,

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Adele Arbour, M.C.I.P., R.P.P., City Planner

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cc. Heritage Thorold L.A.C.A.C.



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, R.S.O. 1990, CHAPTER 0.18 AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL ADDRESS IN THE CITY OF THOROLD, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Thorold intends to designate the War Memorial, located in Memorial Park at the following municipal address, as a property of historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990 Chapter 0.18, Section 29.

SHORT STATEMENT OF THE REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION:

WAR MEMORIAL MONUMENT Memorial Park 13 Albert Street East Plan 11, Lot 224, NP 898 City of Thorold

The War Memorial Monument known as the Soldiers Monument commemorates The Great War I - 1914-1919, World War II - 1939-1945 and the Korean War.

Thorold's War Memorial located in Memorial Park, was unveiled on Sunday, October 30, 1921 and was erected by the citizens of Thorold to:

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"Honour the Memory of the Men of Thorold, who gave their lives for the cause of freedom in the great war, and in grateful remembrance of those who shared its dangers."

Tribute is paid to Thorold's fallen heroes each year on Decoration Day and Remembrance Day.

The War Memorial is a landmark in our city and an important part of our history. Our whole community, through this memorial, shows their reverence and respect for those citizens who served their country and who made the ultimate sacrifice. Their names live forever on our memorial, and are permanently enshrined in the history of the City.

Designation of this memorial under the Ontario Heritage Act serves to recognize, protect and celebrate this landmark as an important part of our history, and as a dedication to those who fought for freedom.

War Memorials serve to remind all of us of our heritage and those who gave up their lives to protect it. They give us a sense of pride in our communities and are an educational tool for young and old alike.

This designation is for the historical aspects of the monument.

Any person may object to the proposed designation within thirty (30) days after the date of the first publication of the notice of intention by serving on the Clerk of the Corporation of the City of Thorold a notice of objection setting out the reason for the objection and all relevant facts. The last day for filing objections will be <u>Monday</u>, <u>April 19</u>, <u>1999</u>. All objections received within the aforementioned time period will be referred to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing and report.

DATED at the City of Thorold this 20th day of March, 1999.

J.K. Bice, City Clerk Corporation of the City of Thorold P.O. Box 1044, 8 Carleton Street South Thorold, Ontario L2V 4A7