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

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES  
KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS 731 SECOND STREET WEST  
IN THE CITY OF CORNWALL IN THE PROVINCE OF  
ONTARIO

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To: Ontario Heritage Foundation,  
77 Bloor Street West,  
Toronto, Ontario.  
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TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Cornwall intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings, known municipally as 731 Second Street West as a property of architectural and historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, S.O. Chapter 337.

Reasons for the Proposed Designation

The Wood House, 731 Second Street West, is recommended for designation because it is of historical and architectural importance. An outstanding local example of Classic Revival detailing applied to Loyalist Vernacular form, the Wood House was built circa 1840 by William Wood, a gentleman farmer. Rectangular in plan and rising one and one-half stories, the dwelling has a stone main block and brick rear wing. The dressed cut stone facade, the pair of fluted Doric columns, the ornamental woodwork, the window and door mouldings, the gabled dormer which is topped by a simple iron weathervane, the upper level gallery and the ground level porch are exterior features to be preserved. Today the Wood House is owned by Domtar Fine Papers Limited and operated as the United Counties Museum.

Notice of the objection to the proposed designation, together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Clerk of the City of Cornwall before the 9th day of May, 1984.

Dated at the City of Cornwall this 28th day of March, 1984.



R. Allaire,  
City Clerk.