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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE BY-LAW NUMBER 2003-47

A BY-LAW TO DESIGNATE A CERTAIN PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE TO BE OF HISTORIC OR ARCHITECTURAL VALUE OR INTEREST (MEMORIAL ARENA)

WHEREAS Section 29 of the Ontario Heritage Act, 1990 as amended provides that where the council of a municipality has given notice of its intention to designate a property to be of historic or architectural value or interest and where objections to said notice of designation are duly received and duly processed through the Conservation Review Board, the council shall pass a by-law designating the property to be of historic or architectural value or interest;

AND WHEREAS all statutory requirements for giving notice of council's intention to pass a by-law designating the property herein described to be of historic or architectural value have been complied with;

AND WHEREAS no objections to said notice of designation were received;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. THAT the property known as Memorial Arena fronting on the south side of Market Street, and west of Pinnacle Street, and lying east of Front Street, which parcel of land is more particularly described in SCHEDULE "A" attached hereto, be and the same is designated as a property of historic or architectural value or interest, for the reasons stated in SCHEDULE "B" attached hereto as provided for in the Ontario Heritage Act, 1990 as amended.
- 2. THAT nothing in this By-law shall be construed to designate any of the lands described in Schedule "A" attached hereto to be of historic or architectural interest, as provided in the Ontario Heritage Act, 1990 as amended.

THIS BY-LAW SHALL COME INTO FORCE AND TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY ON AND AFTER THE PASSING THEREOF.

Read a first time this 24th day of March, 2003.

Read a second time this 24th day of March, 2003.

Read a third time and finally passed this 24th day of March, 2003.

RGE A. ZEGOLIRAS MAYOR

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SCHEDULE "A" TO BY-LAW NUMBER 2003-47

Memorial Arena

All of Lots 18, 19 and 20, west side of Pinnacle Street, Government Plan, City of Belleville, County of Hastings.

SAVE AND EXCEPT Part of said Lot 18, Government Plan, designated as Part 1, Plan 21R-18312.

SCHEDULE "B" TO BY-LAW NUMBER 2003-47

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND AND REASON FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION

- 1. The Memorial Arena has played a significant role in Belleville's sports history for over 70 years.
- 2. It is situated next to the historic market and was built in 1929 and was to be a smaller version of the well-known Toronto Maple Leaf Gardens but was modified.
- 3. This building was purchased by the City in 1946 and was renamed in 1947 "The Memorial Arena" from the "Hume Arena" as a dedication to those who died in the war.
- 4. Many famous hockey players have played hockey here and was home to the 1958 Allan Cup Senior Hockey League and the 1959 World Champions "The Belleville MacFarlands".
- 5. This building should remain as a visible reminder of the importance of sports in Belleville's growth and history.