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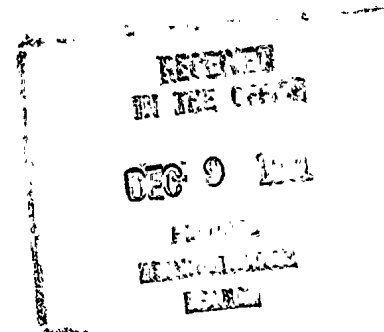
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The Corporation Of The City Of Brampton

Administration and Finance Department

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Ontario Heritage Foundation
c/o Ministry of Culture and Recreation
Heritage Administration Branch
77 Bloor Street West
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 2R9



Attention: L. Ste.Croix
Heritage Conservation Officer

Dear Sir:

Re: Carnegie Library

In accordance with the provisions of the Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, enclosed for your information is a copy of a Notice of Intention by The Corporation of the City of Brampton to designate the Carnegie Library located at 55 Queen Street East in Brampton, as a property of historic or architectural value.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. A. Everett", written over a horizontal line.

R. A. Everett
City Clerk

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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BRAMPTON

PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Council of The Corporation of the City of Brampton proposes to designate, as a property of historical or architectural value or interest, pursuant to Section 29 of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, the property known as the Carnegie Library, at 55 Queen Street East in Brampton, on the southeast corner of the intersection of Queen Street East and Chapel Street, and more particularly described as follows:

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Brampton in the Regional Municipality of Peel, containing an area of 0.17 acres more or less and being composed of those parts of Lots 7 and 8, Registered Plan BR-2 (being a subdivision of part of the West Half of Lot 5, Concession 1, East of Hurontario Street) in the said City described as follows:

Premising that the bearings herein are astronomic, referred to the Southeasterly limit of Queen Street East as being North 37 degrees 46' East in accordance with a Plan of Survey deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Peel (No. 43) as Instrument Number 260728 V.S.

COMMENCING at the intersection of the Northeasterly limit of Chapel Street with the Southeasterly limit of Queen Street East, being also the Westerly angle of said Lot 7;

THENCE North 37 degrees 46' East along said Southeasterly limit of Queen Street East, a distance of 120.12 feet;

THENCE South 51 degrees 30' East parallel to the said Northeasterly limit of Chapel Street, a distance of 62.5 feet;

THENCE South 37 degrees 46' West parallel to the said Southeasterly limit of Queen Street East, a distance of 120.12 feet to the aforesaid Northeasterly limit of Chapel Street;

THENCE North 51 degrees 30' West along the last mentioned limit, a distance of 62.5 feet to the point of commencement.

The hereinbefore described parcel of land being the lands described in Registered Instrument Number 200040 V.S. and shown on a Plan of Survey dated April 9, 1951 signed by Frank Kitts, O.L.S. and attached to Registered Instrument Number 25421.

Reasons for the Proposed Designation

The Carnegie Library

Built in 1906, this building was constructed in the Beaux Arts style, similar to its sibling in Toronto. This style exhibits classical features such as a rusticated basement level, constructed of large stone. A main living storey which is constructed of bricks is divided above by a running frieze, creating the appearance of a third level, or attic. These three divisions are traditional and it is intriguing to see the practice carried out on a small scale. The most interesting feature is the main entrance which illustrates the architectural plasticity of the Beaux Arts style. Brick simulated pilasters create a porch-like entrance area. It is topped with a circular arch, that branches from the running frieze. But ironically it recedes back instead of projecting forward as most pediments do. Large windows framed with "basket-handle" arches adequately light the reading areas. The slanting Mansard roof is of a French origin. The old Carnegie Library is a rare example of the short lived Beaux Art Style in Brampton.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION MAY BE
SERVED ON THE CLERK WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE 9TH DAY OF
DECEMBER, 1981.

This notice is given in accordance with Section 29(3) of The Ontario
Heritage Act, 1974.

DATED at the City of Brampton this 9th day of December, 1981.

R. A. Everett, City Clerk
City of Brampton
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Brampton, Ontario
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