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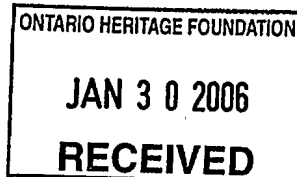
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Office of the Clerk



January 26, 2006

Ontario Heritage Foundation
10 Adelaide St. E.
Toronto, Ontario
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Please take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Centre Wellington intends to designate the properties listed below as a properties of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990 (Ch.O.18, Sec. 29).

Fergus

**190 St. David Street South
680 Tower Street South**

Elora

**24 Henderson Street
176 Smith Street
107 James Street**

Nichol

7722 Sixth Line (Ennotville Library)

Attached is a copy of the notice regarding the intent to designate.

Yours truly,

Marion Morris

Marion Morris, A.M.C.T.
Clerk

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT
R.S.O. 1990 (Ch.O.18, Sec. 29)

And in the matter of the lands and premises at the following municipal addresses
In the Province of Ontario

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Centre Wellington intends to designate the properties at the following municipal addresses as properties of cultural heritage value or interest under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, R.S.O. 1990 (Ch.O.18, Sec. 29)

Fergus

190 St. David Street South (Beatty Swimming Pool Building)

This building is a prominent local landmark, built as it is at a key intersection on the Provincial highway. The building was constructed with great pride and with quality materials by employees from the Beatty Brothers factory, and when completed would have been an unusual luxury in a small town like Fergus. For many years, steam from the factory heated the water, allowing it to be used throughout the winter. That the building has continued to serve its original purpose successfully for 75 years attests both to its being ahead of its time, and to the quality of its original plan and construction.

Constructed with a bold yellow brick, contrasting brown mortar, and a distinctive roof line, its unusual design signals its intended recreational usage. The surrounding brick wall is intended to be included in this designation.

680 Tower Street South (Former Centre Wellington District High School)

This designation proposal involves the original stone exterior of the CWDHS built in 1927, however, excludes the easterly wall. Few other buildings in the entire municipality can be so well known by so many of its residents. It represents a highly significant phase in the development of the community history.

This landmark building, constructed with great civic pride, on the Provincial Highway, is a remarkable example of period architecture, designed and constructed with high quality materials and attention to detail.

Elora

24 Henderson Street (Chalmers Church)

A striking local landmark, this is one of only five classic church buildings in Elora. Built in 1877, the original stone exterior remains largely original except for the loss of the wooden steeple.

176 Smith Street (Kraft House)

This stone cottage was constructed in 1855 for one of Elora's earliest inhabitants. Henderson Street was so named after the first owner of this home. The house was also occupied for more than 65 years by Mrs. Enoch Kraft – a founding member of the Wellington County Historical Society of the Elora Chapter of the Women's Institute and, at one time, the Curator of the Tweedsmuir Diaries.

107 James Street

A fine example of a well-built stone house constructed in 1852 with original windows on the ground floor and one of the very oldest residential buildings in the community.

Nichol

7722 Sixth Line (Ennotville Library)

This stone building was built in the 1850's on land donated by John McLaren to house the library started in 1847 by early settlers to the lower Nichol area. It is now the only self-supporting library in Ontario. The original easterly and westerly one storey side walls and the front gable and single chimney are constructed of fieldstone.

For further information with respect to the proposed designations contact Linda Lonsdale at (519) 846-0265, Ext. 228.

Notice of 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 Township of Centre Wellington before 4:30 p.m., Monday, the 27th day of February 2006.

Dated at the Township of Centre Wellington this 27th day of January 2006.

Marion Morris, A.M.C.T.
Clerk
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