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Corporation of the

TOWN OF GODERICH

September 27, 1982

The Ontario Heritage Foundation 7th Floor 77 Bloor Street West Toronto, Ontario M7A 2R9 SEP 3 0 1982

ONTARIO HERITAGE
FOUNDATION

Dear Sir:

I forwarded to your attention on September 21st eight notices to designate properties in the Town of Goderich. The required ad was placed on September 22nd in our local newspaper, however, I felt that the ad did not adequately describe some of the properties pursuant to The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980, Part 4. I have therefore revised the ad which will appear in the local paper for three consecutive weeks. The last date for objections has therefore been extended and will be from the 29th day of September, 1982. All the property owners have been so notified and I am enclosing a copy of their notices for your information.

Yours truly,

Larry J. McCabe

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Huren Goderich

In the matter of The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980, Part 4.

And in the matter of the lands and premises known municipally as "The O'Rourke Cottage" in the Town of Goderich in the Province of Ontario.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO:



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Take notice that the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Goderich, on the 20th day of September, 1982 decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as "The O'Rourke Cottage" as a property of architectural and/or historical significance under The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980, Part 4.

REASON FOR PROPOSED DESIGNATION

"The O'Rourke Cottage" is recommended for designation for historical and architectural reasons. It was built around 1862 by Thomas Van Every as a labourer's cottage and rented to Peter O'Rourke, a teamster who kept two horses on the property. O'Rourke bought the house in 1868 and the property remained in the family until 1901. The house is built in the Ontario vernacular version of the Picturesque style, with a rectangular centre hall plan and a central peak. Picturesque elements include the central peak, scalloped wooden trim on the main window headings and the round-headed window in the peak with its polygonal heading. The picket fence surrounding the property helps to frame this delightful and authentic labourer's cottage of the mid nineteenth century.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Town Clerk within thirty days (30) of the 22nd day of September, 1982.

Dated at Goderich, Ontario this 21st day of September, 1982.

Signed

TOWN CLERK