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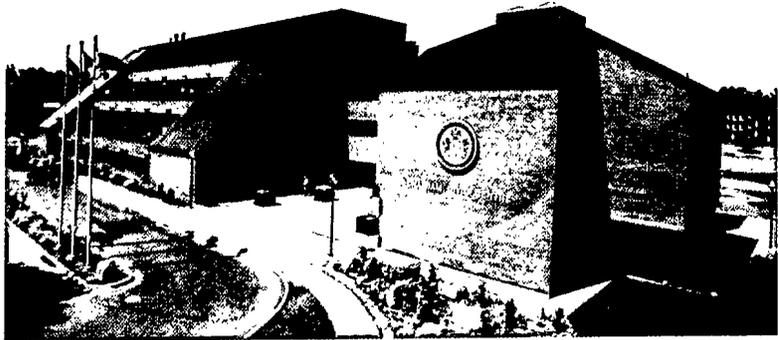
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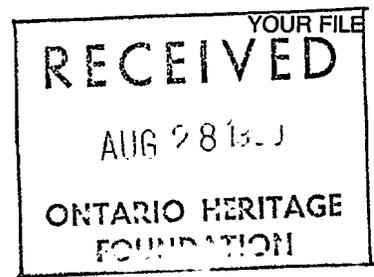
THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM

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P.O. BOX 640  
CHATHAM, ONT., August 23, 1989  
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OUR FILE \_\_\_\_\_

The Ontario Heritage Foundation  
77 Bloor Street West  
Toronto, Ontario  
M7A 2R9



Dear Sirs:

RE: 495 KING STREET WEST, CHATHAM, ONTARIO

I am pleased to report that By-law number 9586 was passed by Chatham City Council on the 8th day of August 1989 designating the property known as 495 King Street West, Chatham as a heritage site. A copy of the by-law registered as Instrument number 478908 has been enclosed for your records.

I trust you will find the above in order.

Yours very truly

Brian W. Knott  
Solicitor/Clerk

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c.c. Mary Angela Tucker, Chair Person

# Document General

Form 4 — Land Registration Reform Act, 1984

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Certificate of Registration  
9:43 Certificat d'enregistrement

AUG 22 1989

*Kay Keenan*  
CHATHAM LAND REGISTRAR

New Property Identifiers

Additional:  
See  
Schedule

Executions

Additional:  
See  
Schedule

(1) Registry  Land Titles  (2) Page 1 of 4 pages

(3) Property Identifier(s) Block 00523 Property 0258 Additional: See Schedule

(4) Nature of Document  
By-law

(5) Consideration  
Dollars \$

(6) Description  
Lot 68, Registered Plan 244, City of Chatham, County of Kent  
  
See Schedule

(7) This Document Contains: (a) Redescription New Easement Plan/Sketch  (b) Schedule for: Description  Additional Parties  Other

(8) This Document provides as follows:  
  
See By-law attached  
  
Continued on Schedule

(9) This Document relates to instrument number(s)

(10) Party(ies) (Set out Status or Interest)  
Name(s) Signature(s) Date of Signature  
THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM  
by its Solicitor/Clerk, Brian W. Knott *[Signature]* 1989 08 21

(11) Address for Service P. O. Box 640, Chatham, Ontario N7M 5K8

(12) Party(ies) (Set out Status or Interest)  
Name(s) Signature(s) Date of Signature

(13) Address for Service

(14) Municipal Address of Property  
495 King Street West  
Chatham, Ontario

(15) Document Prepared by:  
Brian W. Knott  
Solicitor/Clerk  
The Corporation of the City  
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P. O. Box 640  
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Fees and Tax	
Registration Fee	20.00
<b>Total</b>	

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OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM

A By-law to designate the property known municipally as 495 King Street West, Chatham, Ontario as being of historical and architectural value or interest.

FINALLY PASSED the 8th day of August, A.D. 1989.

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WHEREAS The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, Chapter 337 as amended, enables municipalities to enact by-laws to designate property, (which term means real property and includes all buildings and structures thereon) to be of architectural or historical value or interest.

AND WHEREAS Council of The Corporation of the City of Chatham, having appointed a Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee, has consulted with the said Committee prior to giving Notice of its Intention to Designate the hereinafter described property pursuant to Section 29 of the said The Ontario Heritage Act.

AND WHEREAS Council of the Corporation of the City of Chatham has caused Notice of Intention to Designate the hereinafter described property to be of a historical and architectural value or interest pursuant to the said The Ontario Heritage Act and has duly served such Notice of Intention and published the same as required by law.

AND WHEREAS no Notice of Objection to the proposed designation has been received by The Corporation of the City of Chatham.

AND WHEREAS the reasons for designation are set out in Schedule "B" annexed hereto.

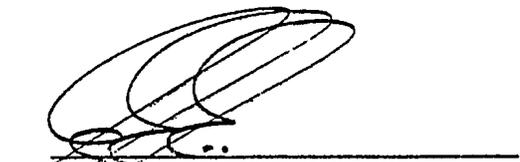
BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of Chatham as follows:

1. That the property more particularly described in Schedule "A" hereto annexed, save and accept the interior of the home located on the property, be and the same is hereby designated to be of historical and architectural value or interest pursuant to the said The Ontario Heritage Act.
2. That the Solicitor/Clerk be authorized to cause a copy of this by-law to be registered against the property described in Schedule "A" hereto in the proper land registry office.
3. That the Solicitor/Clerk be hereby authorized to cause a copy of this by-law to be served on the owner of the aforesaid property and on the Ontario Heritage Foundation and cause notice of the passing of this by-law to be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the municipality once for each of three consecutive weeks.

THIS By-law shall come into full force and effect upon the final passing thereof.

I hereby certify this the foregoing to be a true copy of By-law Number 9586 passed the 8th day of Aug. A.D. 19 89, and the same is now in full force and effect.

  
Clerk, Corporation of the City of Chatham

  
Mayor

  
Clerk

SCHEDULE "A"

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land in premises situate, lying and being in the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent and Province of Ontario and being all of Lot 68 on the north side of King Street according to registered Plan No. 244.

## SCHEDULE "B"

### REASONS FOR DESIGNATION

#### ARCHITECTURAL

Constructed between 1885 and 1887, the stone and shingle residence at 495 King Street West is a unique example locally of the American Shingle Style in the initial phase of its popularity, and it is the last known surviving example of this style from this period in Southwestern Ontario.

The building exhibits a remarkable architectural integrity, remaining over a century after its completion the cohesive structure as originally designed and built. All materials and details are original with the exception of the roof shingles, the enclosure of the west side porch, and the rear stoop (porch); therefore, all exterior elevations in their entirety are included in the designation.

The Carriage House (converted to a double garage) is possibly of a later date than the house, and it is unrelated stylistically to the house. This distinctive red brick masonry construction (in all its elevations) poses an auxiliary focus and complements the overall rusticity of the landscape.

#### HISTORICAL

Henry A. Patterson (later Patteson), the original owner of 495 King Street West, was a locally prominent Lumber Dealer who served as Mayor in 1886-87, and again in 1898. Samuel Orr, Grain Merchant, purchased the property in 1902 and it remained in his family until recently. Historically, the owners of this property have been active in the public sector, helping to shape the political, commercial, agricultural, and cultural development and direction of Chatham and the local area.

#### CONTEXTUAL

The residence enjoys a pleasant setting in the landscape, largely because of the Inshes Avenue allowance along its east boundary, and the bend of the Thames River directly behind it. It is the last house along the river side dating from this later nineteenth residential development, a distinctive architectural entity in the streetscape. While it complements its neighbourhood contemporaries, its unique stylistic qualities, setting, and location enhance its visual prominence and appeal, rendering it an historic landmark in the streetscape, neighbourhood, and the City, a recognized and appreciated component in Chatham's heritage.