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# MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT

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## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING SERVICES

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May 28, 2010



Ontario Heritage Trust  
10 Adelaide Street East  
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**Re: Notice of Intent to Designate - Bothwell Cemetery  
15258 Longwoods Road, Community of Zone  
Municipality of Chatham-Kent**

At the Council Meeting held May 10, 2010, Chatham-Kent Council approved the Heritage Chatham-Kent Committee's recommendation for the Intent to Designate the Bothwell Cemetery, located at 15258 Longwoods Road, in the Community of Zone, under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act for its cultural heritage value and interest.

The Notice of Intent to Designate is being advertised in Chatham-Kent Matters on Wednesday, June 2, 2010, with the last day for filing a Notice of Objection being Friday, July 2, 2010, (copy attached).

If no appeals have been received, a By-law to designate the property will be prepared for Council's consideration.

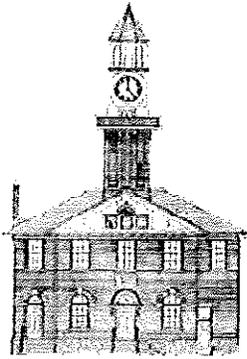
Sincerely,

Ryan Jacques  
Planning Technician

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Enclosure

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# *Heritage Chatham-Kent*

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## *Municipal Heritage Committee*

Municipality of Chatham-Kent

In the Matter of the Ontario Heritage Act  
**Notice of Intent to Designate**

The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O., 1990, Chapter 0.18 as amended, provides that the Municipal Council may pass a by-law designating property within the boundaries of the municipality to be of cultural heritage value and interest.

The Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent hereby gives Notice of Intent to designate the following:

Description:

Bothwell Cemetery is an active and municipally owned cemetery, located at 15258 Longwoods Road, legally described as Part Lot 13 on the River Range, in the Community of Zone, under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, for its cultural heritage value and interest.

Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest:

The property was established in the early 1850's by the Honourable George Brown, as the burial grounds for the newly established Town of Bothwell. The use of markers and monuments perpetuate the memory of the individuals interred within its grounds, as well as provide us with a vast amount of insight into the lives of the inhabitants of Bothwell and the surrounding rural community, while its quiet and peaceful surroundings contribute to the overall culture of its natural landscape. The Bothwell Cemetery is also of value as a good example of a 19<sup>th</sup> century south-western cemetery, with its stone gateposts, which mark the walking entrance to the original section, were donated by the Women's Institute of Bothwell in 1939 and constructed of local stone from the Thames River.

The report on the designation of this property, which was adopted by the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, is available upon request by calling Ryan Jacques, Planning Technician, Planning Services, at 519-360-1998, Ext. 3049 or by e-mail to [ryanj@chatham-kent.ca](mailto:ryanj@chatham-kent.ca), Civic Centre, 315 King Street, West, P.O. Box 640, Chatham, Ontario, N7M 5K8.

Any person may, within 30 days of the date of this Notice, serve on the Clerk, a Notice of Objection in writing, setting out the objection and all relevant facts. The last day for filing a notice of objection shall be Friday, July 2, 2010. Where a Notice of Objection has been served, the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

Dated at the Municipality of Chatham-Kent this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2010.