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Notice of Intention to Designate

81 Main Street East, Markdale as Heritage Property

as outlined in the Ontario Heritage Act

Take note that the Municipality of Grey Highlands intends to pass a by-law to designate 81 Main Street East, Markdale to be of Cultural Heritage Value and Interest on the Municipal Register of Properties and to designate the subject property as Heritage Property under the *Ontario Heritage Act*.

Description of Heritage Attributes - The property is known as the former Haskett House and F.T. Hill Candy Factory. Haskett House has contextual value because the property contributes to maintaining and supporting the character of Main Street East, a streetscape that includes several other homes of prominent early settlers including the home of George Walker, one of Markdale's first settlers. The historical and associative value of Haskett House lies with the Haskett brothers, George and William, who built the house c. 1895 and whose tinsmith business, founded mid-1860's and hardware store, opened early 1870's, contributed to the early economic development of the community. Although the building is once again a private residence, it is a locally valued landmark still known as "The Candy House".

Written notice of objection to the designation must be received by the Municipality within 30 days after the publication date as noted below. If no objections are received, Council will proceed with the passing of the by-law.

Written objections are to be forwarded to:

Council & Legislative Services

Attn: Debbie Robertson, Clerk/Director of Council & Legislative Services

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Dated this 13th day of May 2015

The Municipality of Grey Highlands

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