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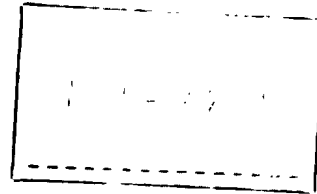


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February 29, 2000

**REGISTERED MAIL**

Richard Moorhouse  
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Toronto, ON M5C 1J3

Dear Mr. Moorhouse:

**Re: Notice of Intention to Designate Stamford Green  
Niagara Falls, Ontario**

The Council of the Corporation of the City of Niagara Falls intends to designate the above-noted land as a property of historic value and interest under the terms of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990. The enclosed notice provides information on the significance of the property and the manner in which objection to the designation may be served. This public notice is being published in the Niagara Falls Review in accordance with the requirements of the Ontario Heritage Act on Saturday, March 4, 2000.

Should you have any questions or require further information, please contact the Planning and Development Department.

Yours truly,

Alex Herlovitch  
Deputy Director of Planning & Development  
Ext. 4231

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Attach.

c: E. C. Wagg, City Clerk

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## **NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Niagara Falls intends to designate the land known as:

Stamford Green

as a property of historic value and interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990.

The property is located at the gore of St. Paul Avenue and Portage Road and is described as Part of Township Lot 56, former Township of Stamford, located in the City of Niagara Falls in the Regional Municipality of Niagara.

### **HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE**

The Green was originally owned by Captain Robert Henry Dee, aide-de-camp to Sir Peregrine Maitland. The three and one-half acre wedge-shaped property fronted the Dee residence and was enjoyed as an open area by all residents. In 1908, the son of Captain Dee, Dr. John Dee, sold the Green for \$1,000 provided that it continued to be used for a public park. To ensure his wishes were carried-out, he established a Board of Trustees to oversee the property. No buildings are to be erected and no trees are to be planted thereon. The Green continues to be a place of civic pride with a long history of public use. The Green is unique in Canada, being the only one of its type.

Notice of Objection to the designation of the above noted property may be served on the City Clerk within 30 days after the date of this notice.

For further information regarding the proposed designation, please contact Alex Herlovitch, Planning and Development Department at 356-7521, ext. 4231.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2000.

E. C. Wagg  
City Clerk