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**City of Kitchener**  
EX INDUSTRIA PROSPERITAS



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COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL SERVICES  
AND CITY CLERK

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August 24, 1983

Ontario Heritage Foundation  
77 Bloor Street West  
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Toronto, Ontario  
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Attention: Mr. R. Rogers

Dear Mr. Rogers:

Re: 38 Shirk Place, Kitchener

I am enclosing herewith a Notice of Intention to Designate the above mentioned property to be of historic and architectural value within the meaning of The Ontario Heritage Act.

Yours very truly,

R.W. Pritchard  
Commissioner of General Services  
and City Clerk

RWP:mlw  
Encl.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, R.S.O. 1980, CHAPTER 337  
AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL  
ADDRESS IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kitchener intends to designate the property at the following municipal address as a property of historic and architectural value under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, Chapter 337.

The subject property is located at 38 Shirk Place and is owned by [REDACTED]. It is intended that in particular, the exterior of the building be designated.

The designation described herein is recommended due to the historic and architectural significance of this property. The house was constructed in 1840 as the residence of Jacob Shoemaker, one of the founders of the village of Bridgeport. In terms of architecture, the Shoemaker house exhibits several significant details including some "12 over 12" and "8 over 12" paned windows, a transomed second storey doorway, cornice moldings and a six bay Georgian principal facade as well as secondary facades that are triple brick laid in Flemish bond and covered lightly by a red stucco wash which is carefully lined to emphasize the brickwork. This house is a rare example of a substantial merchant's dwelling of 1840.

Any person may, within thirty days of the first publication of this notice, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the City of Kitchener notice of his or her objection to the proposed designation together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts. If such a Notice of Objection is received, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kitchener shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

DATED at Kitchener  
this 27th day of August, 1983.

Mr. R.W. Pritchard  
Commissioner of General Services  
& City Clerk  
City Hall, P.O. Box 1118  
22 Frederick Street  
Kitchener, Ontario N2G 4G7

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