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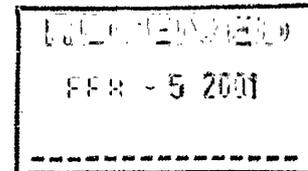
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TOWN OF NEWMARKET

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January 26, 2001

Ontario Heritage Foundation
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Dear Sir/Madam:

**RE: Notice of Intent to Designate
Eagle Street Cemetery, Newmarket
File: 3.7.2**

This is to advise you that the Town of Newmarket is in the process of designating the Eagle Street, located on the north side of Eagle Street, Town of Newmarket. Yonge Street.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the newspaper advertisement, which will be published on January 30, 2001 for the first time, and one subsequent week thereafter.

If you have any questions pertaining to the above matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours truly,

Pam Hillock
Deputy Clerk

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copy: St. Paul's Anglican Church
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Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee

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(TOWN OF NEWMARKET)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, 1990, R.S.O. CHAPTER 18.

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES, known as the Eagle Street Cemetery, located on the north side of Eagle Street, Part of Lot 93 (formerly in the Township of Whitchurch) in the Town of Newmarket, in the Province of Ontario.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket intends to designate the lands and grave markers on the premises located on the north side of Eagle Street, Part of Lot 93, (formerly in the Township of Whitchurch) in the Town of Newmarket in the Province of Ontario.

REASONS FOR PROPOSED DESIGNATION

The Eagle Street Cemetery occupying a slight rise on the north side of Eagle Street, contains the remains of at least 120 of Newmarket's early pioneers, some of whom were prominent in the establishment of our Town. The earliest verifiable burial is that of Eli Beman in 1820. The fact that he was buried on land that he owned at the time, suggests that this began as a family plot. However, within the same decade a number of others from the Church of England were also buried on the site. Thus, it became a public cemetery.

The present parcel was separated from the rest of the original 40 acres in 1863, and was deeded to St. Paul's Anglican Church for the sum of \$1.00. It continued to be used under the direction of St. Paul's, though its use declined after the opening of the Newmarket Cemetery in 1869. It is also possible that the site was becoming filled up. Some burials were made as late as the early 1900's.

By the 1940's, the grounds were overgrown and the grave markets in poor repair. Under the guidance of Canon Rhodes in 1947, the grounds were cleared and new cairns built to support the broken and damaged tombstones.

The file is available for viewing at the Clerk's Division, Corporate Services Department, Municipal Offices, 395 Mulock Drive, Ontario.

Notice of Objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of the first date of this publication.

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