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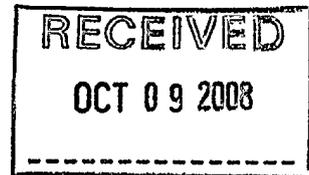
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Heritage Designation - 1335 West River Road, Township of North Dumfries

We are the solicitors for The Corporation of the Township of North Dumfries.

We enclose herewith a copy of a Resolution of North Dumfries Township Council expressing their intent to designate a property within the Municipality together with the Notice of Intention to Designate.

The Notice of Intention to Designate is submitted to you in accordance with Part IV, Section 29(3)(a) of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter O.18.

Yours truly,

WHITE, DUNCAN, LINTON LLP

Per:

Marc P. Kemerer
per c.s.

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Enclosures

c: Rodger Mordue, by e-mail

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUMFRIES

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter O.18.

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 Township of North Dumfries intends to designate the property at the following municipal address as a property of cultural heritage value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter O.18, as amended.

1335 West River Road, R.R. No. 4, Cambridge, Ontario
Part Subdivision Lot 2 Con 8 WGR North Dumfries; Part
Subdivision Lot 3 Con 8 WGR North Dumfries as in WS676015;
Cambridge (PIN: 22678-0174 (LT))

The proposed designation recognizes the cultural heritage value or interest of the subject property.

The subject property is recommended for designation on the grounds of its design value, historical value and contextual value. Designation is to include the original exterior stone walls, as well as the original roof pitch and structure. The fieldstone building, constructed in 1858, is the former Riverside Schoolhouse and is an example of a simple one room stone school house built in the mid 19th century. The house served as a school for almost 100 years and was the site of the first Agricultural School Fair in Canada in 1909, also Andrew Taylor, a noted regional historian and published author, attended this school. The stone school house is considered a landmark because it was the community centre for the settlement area south of Galt. Lastly, the building is historically linked to its surroundings because the location of the school was intended to serve pupils from both sides of the river and led to the construction of the Footbridge.

Further information respecting the proposed designated is available for inspection during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 pm.) Monday to Friday in the office of the Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer, Municipal Offices, Township of North Dumfries, 1171 Greenfield Road, R. R. No. 4, Cambridge, Ontario N1R 5S5.

Any person may, within thirty days of the first publication of this Notice, send by registered mail or deliver to the Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer of the Township of North Dumfries, 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 Township of North Dumfries shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

DATED at the Township of North Dumfries this 15th day of October, 2008.

Rodger Mordue
Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer
Township of North Dumfries
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