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BY-LAW |4| OF 1998 OF THE CITY OF SARNIA

"A By-law to Designate the George Street School Bell located on lands known municipally as 180 College Street North, Sarnia, Ontario as being of Historic or Architectural Value and Interest

WHEREAS Section 29 of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.0.18, as amended, authorizes the Council of a municipality to enact a By-law to designate real property, including all buildings and structures thereon, to be of historic or architectural value or interest;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of Sarnia is the owner of 180 College Street North and has caused to be served on the Ontario Heritage Foundation, notice of intention to designate the aforesaid 180 College Street North and has caused such notice to be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the municipality once;

AND WHEREAS the reasons for designation are set out in Schedule "B" hereto;

AND WHEREAS no notice of objection to the proposed designation has been served on the Clerk of the Municipality;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of Sarnia enacts as follows:

- That the George Street School Bell located on real property more particularly described in Schedule "A" hereto, and known as 180 College Street North, is hereby designated as being of historic or architectural value or interest.
- 2. The City Solicitor is hereby authorized to cause a copy of this By-law to be registered in the proper Land Registry Office against the lands described in Schedule "A" hereto, which are the lands affected by this By-law.
- 3. The City Clerk is hereby authorized to cause a copy of this By-law to be served upon the owners of the aforesaid property and on the Ontario Heritage Foundation and to cause notice of this By-law to be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the City of Sarnia.
- This By-law comes into force and effect upon being finally passed.

FINALLY PASSED THIS 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 1998

Clerk

SCHEDULE "A"

The lands known as 180 College Street North can be more particularly described as follows:

ALL and SINGULAR those certain parcels and tracts of land and premises, situate lying and being in the City of Sarnia, in the County of Lambton and being composed of the following:

FIRSTLY: Lots 194, 195, 214 and 215 on the south side of Lochiel Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia;

SECONDLY: Lots 192, 193, 216 and 217 on the north side of Lochiel Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia;

THIRDLY: Lots 189, 190 and 191 on the east side of College Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia;

FOURTHLY: Lots 185, 186, 187 and 188 on the south side of George Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia;

FIFTHLY: Lots 218, 219 and 220 on the west side of Forsythe Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia;

SIXTHLY: That portion of Lochiel Street, closed by By-Law Number 872 and registered as Instrument Number 30266 for the City of Sarnia, lying between the easterly limit of College Avenue and the westerly limit of Forsytle Street according to Registered Plan Number 14 for the said City of Sarnia.

SCHEDULE "B"

The Bell commemorates the George Street School which was constructed in 1878. It was the oldest school in Sarnia until its demolition in 1938 when it was deemed to expensive to repair. Following the decision to demolish the George Street School, the Management Committee of the School Board deemed the bell to be of historical significance and decided that it should be saved. The bell was placed on a stone cairn and placed inside the school yard adjacent to George Street. A time capsule was placed in the base. It was originally protected by a 42 inch high fence. In 1953, after tornado damage, the bell was placed on a new base and moved to the east end of the school grounds, where it sits today.