

TO: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

FROM: Susan Neale, Museum Director

MEETING DATE: April 8, 2010

SUBJECT: Report MAAC10-008

Peterborough Museum & Archives: "In the Spotlight"

PURPOSE

A report to advise the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee that the Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA) will make a presentation at the April 8, 2010, Museum & Archives Advisory Committee meeting regarding the Frederick Lewis Roy *fonds*, "In the Spotlight".

RECOMMENDATION

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC10-008 dated April 8, 2010, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the presentation by the Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA) be received for information.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no budget or financial implications associated with the recommendation.

BACKGROUND

The diaries of photographer Frederick Lewis Roy were generously donated to the Peterborough Museum & Archives' in 2007. As proprietor of the Roy Studio, Fred Roy documented his work-related activities from 1904 through 1950. His 44 handwritten volumes provide fascinating insight into the day-to-day operations of the Roy Studio. The Diaries have been designated as Canadian Cultural Property of Outstanding Significance and National Importance.

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