



City of
Peterborough

TO: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

FROM: Susan Neale, Museum Director

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2011

SUBJECT: Report MAAC11-002
Peterborough Museum & Archives: "In the Spotlight"

PURPOSE

A report to advise Committee that Peterborough Museum & Archives staff will make a presentation at the February 10, 2011, Museum & Archives Advisory Committee meeting regarding the temporary exhibition "Art from the Archives".

RECOMMENDATION

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC11-002 dated February 10, 2011, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the presentation by Peterborough Museum & Archives staff be received for information.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

BACKGROUND

Peterborough Museum & Archives' (PMA) staff develop an annual temporary exhibition program to showcase the PMA's unique and valuable artifactual and archival collection as well as to present objects on loan from museums and galleries across Canada.

Art from the Archives is an in-house temporary exhibition curated by Mary Charles, PMA Archivist, and will be open to the public from February 12 to March 27, 2011. *Art from the Archives* draws from collections and *fonds* within the Peterborough Museum & Archives, highlighting the work of local artists and/or works which depict local subject matter. The exhibition encompasses both professional and amateur works to illustrate the importance of art in the documentation of the past.

SUMMARY

Art from the Archives is on exhibit in the Heideman Gallery, Peterborough Museum & Archives, from February 12 to March 27, 2011.

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