

TO: Members of the Peterborough Architectural Conservation

Advisory Committee (PACAC)

FROM: Erik Hanson, Heritage Resources Coordinator

MEETING DATE: February 9, 2010

SUBJECT: Report PACAC10-007

Affordable Housing Consultation

PURPOSE

A report to recommend that the Committee receive a delegation from Cheryl Lyon regarding the City's Housing Strategy report.

RECOMMENDATION

That the PACAC approve the recommendation outlined in Report PACAC10-007, dated February 9, 2010, of the Heritage Resources Coordinator, as follows:

That the Committee receive a Delegation by Cheryl Lyon and provide input for possible recommendations that may be incorporated into the City's Housing Strategy.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

BACKGROUND

Cheryl Lyon is undertaking an update of the City's provincially mandated *Housing Strategy* as part of the review of the City's Official Plan. Given that a number of affordable housing projects in recent years have been completed in heritage buildings, Ms. Lyon would like an opportunity to consult with the PACAC.

The focus of the consultation will be to determine what issues, from the perspective of architectural conservation, should be accounted for when planning for intensification / higher densities and for more affordable housing in the City of Peterborough and the County. Ms. Lyon would like to receive input about what the committee sees as opportunities, now and in the longer term, for municipal action on these issues

Ms. Lyon will provide a short presentation providing background on the study then undertake a 30 minute consultative process to record the Committee's input. The focus question to be addressed is:

What are the issues, from the perspective of architectural conservation, that should be accounted for when planning for intensification/higher densities and for more affordable housing in Peterborough City & County? What are the opportunities, now and in the longer term, for municipal action on these issues?

Submitted by,

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