

TO: Members of the Peterborough Architectural Conservation

Advisory Committee (PACAC)

FROM: Erik Hanson, Heritage Resources Coordinator

MEETING DATE: October 9, 2012

SUBJECT: Report PACAC12-039

Heritage Week Activities

PURPOSE

A report to recommend that the PACAC renew its tradition of coordinating Heritage Week activities.

RECOMMENDATION

That the PACAC approve the recommendation outlined in Report PACAC12-039, dated October 9, 2012 of the Heritage Resources Coordinator, as follows:

That the PACAC undertake the coordination of local heritage related activities to be held during Heritage week 2013.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

BACKGROUND

Heritage week will be held from February 17th to the 26th in 2013. In past years the committee coordinated activities including an awards program, a heritage fair and a heritage feature scavenger hunt.

The scavenger hunt was composed of an array of pictures of details on heritage buildings that was published in the Peterborough Examiner. All the buildings were in one neighbourhood and the newspaper included space to record the address of the building. The public was encouraged to submit the completed sheet and those who identified all the buildings correctly won a prize.

The committee has in the past also presented awards to building owners who have undertaken notable restoration work during the preceding year. This program was discontinued when the Historical Society introduced its annual heritage awards.

The activities were designed to raise awareness of the heritage resources of the City and promote preservation activity.

Submitted by,

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