

TO: Members of the Peterborough Architectural Conservation

Advisory Committee

FROM: Erik Hanson, Heritage Resources Coordinator

MEETING DATE: June 19, 2013

SUBJECT: Report PACAC13-019

Heritage Tree Book Update

PURPOSE

A report to introduce a presentation by Sheryl Loucks, Editor, for the Heritage Tree Book Project.

RECOMMENDATION

That the PACAC approve the recommendation outlined in Report PACAC13-019, dated June 19, 2013 of the Heritage Resources Coordinator as follows:

That the presentation by the Sheryl Loucks be received for information.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no direct budget or financial implications resulting from this report.

BACKGROUND

The creation of a book highlighting the value of heritage trees in the community is part of a multi-year urban forest program being undertaken by GreenUp, in partnership with the City of Peterborough and the PACAC. The book will present stories about notable trees in the City to encourage the preservation of these living landmarks. It will include trees that are connected to historical events that shaped Peterborough as well as those that reflect the cultural practices of its residents. The book will also look at the place of urban forests in the health of the community. The book is scheduled for a December launch.

Sheryl Loucks, the project editor will provide the PACAC with an update on the project.

Submitted by,

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