



City of
Peterborough

To: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

From: Susan Neale, Museum Director

Meeting Date: April 8, 2021

Subject: Report MAAC21-003
East City School Project - Update

Purpose

A report to advise Committee that the Museum Director will provide an update regarding the East City School Project.

Recommendation

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC21-003, dated April 8, 2021, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the update by the Museum Director, Peterborough Museum & Archives, be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board (KPRDSB) acquired 1.9 acres of Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA) property to accommodate the construction of

a new East City school and associated bus access. Construction commenced in June 2019.

Impact on Facilities and Collection

PMA and KPRDSB staff identified six (6) primary risks to the PMA facilities and collection during the East City School construction project: (1) Museum Drive access; (2) Site vandalism; (3) Power outage; (4) Vibration; (5) Increased dust; and, (6) Increased pest ingress. Refer to MAAC20-002 for details.

PMA and KPRDSB staff are working together to mitigate these risks and the associated impacts on PMA service delivery, collection care, access and safety.

Summary

The Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board (KPRDSB) and the City of Peterborough are united in the goal to develop a positive East City community.

Submitted by,

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