



City of  
**Peterborough**

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**To:** Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

**From:** Susan Neale, Museum Director

**Meeting Date:** October 14, 2021

**Subject:** Armour Hill Stewardship Group  
MAAC21-010

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## **Purpose**

A report to recommend that the Committee receive a presentation by a delegation from the Armour Hill Stewardship Group.

## **Recommendation**

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC21-010, dated October 14, 2021, of the Museum Director as follows:

That the presentation by a delegation from the Armour Hill Stewardship Group be received for information.

## **Budget and Financial Implications**

There is no budget of financial implications with the recommendation.

## **Background**

Armour Hill, one of seven (7) drumlin formations in the Peterborough area, is named after the land's first settler owner, Samuel Armour. In 1937, the land was purchased and donated to the City of Peterborough by the Women's Patriotic League and named Ashburnham Memorial Park (Park) in honour of those who lost their lives during the WWI.

The Park includes 12 acres, 2 acres of which are dedicated to the PMA facilities and functions. Access to the PMA, to Kaawaate Public School and to the Park is by way of Museum Drive (refer to MAAC Report19-009).

The Armour Hill Stewardship Group is a community-based, fledgling group whose goal is to promote stewardship and respect for the natural and social components of Ashburnham Memorial Park. The Group's goals are to see changes within the Park that would reduce harmful behaviours while advocating for and promoting long term stewardship and respect for the park.

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