

TO: Members of the Arts, Culture & Heritage Advisory Committee

(ACHAC)

FROM: Becky Rogers, Manager of Arts, Culture & Heritage

MEETING DATE: November 10, 2011

SUBJECT: Report ACHAC11-023

Invitation to Downtown Square Workshop

PURPOSE

A report to advise the Committee on an upcoming workshop on the proposed downtown square.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Arts, Culture & Heritage Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report ACHAC11-023 dated November 10, 2011 of the Manager of Arts, Culture & Heritage as follows:

That report ACHAC11-023 be received for information.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no budgetary or financial implications at this time as a result of approving the recommendation in report ACHAC11-023.

BACKGROUND

The City of Peterborough is proposing to construct a central, multi-use programmable space in the central area of the City. The creation of such a space was one of the recommendations of the Central Area Master Plan. The Plan was adopted by Council in 2010. Bruce Cudmore of EDA Collaborative, Inc. has been retained as the planning consultant for the downtown square design study. Mr. Cudmore will be in Peterborough on November 23rd and will be holding a workshop for members of the ACHAC, the Peterborough Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee and the Arenas, Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee. Members of the Library Board have been invited to attend as well. The purpose of the workshop is to receive input form the City's advisory committees about the design of the square. It will be held from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at the new Lawn Bowling Club located at 577 McDonnel Street.

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