

To: Members of the Arts, Culture, and Heritage Advisory

Committee

From: Debra Soule, Cultural Planner, Arts, Culture and Heritage

Division

Meeting Date: February 13, 2014

Subject: Report ACHAC14-009

Format Options for Municipal Cultural Plan Report Card

Purpose

A report to recommend the ACHAC provide comments on the format of the first Municipal Cultural Plan (MCP) Report Card.

Recommendation

That the Arts, Culture and Heritage Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report ACHAC14-009, dated February 13, 2014 of the Cultural Planner, as follows:

That the ACHAC provides comments on the format of the first Municipal Cultural Plan Report Card.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The Municipal Cultural Plan (MCP) is the City's master plan to strengthen Peterborough's cultural sector, build a prosperous cultural economy and establish culture as an important pillar of city-building. Accomplishment of the plan's strategic objectives requires collaboration across all City departments, the integration of culture into formal policies, plans and projects and building productive working relationships with key partners throughout the community.

In order to document progress on its strategic objectives, the MCP recommends that a report card be prepared on an annual basis. At the January 2014 meeting, the Cultural Planner gave a presentation to the Arts, Culture and Heritage Advisory Committee on possible formats that could be used for the City's first annual Report Card, drawing upon examples from other municipalities.

Based upon feedback that has been received, a sample document has been prepared presenting several options that were recommended by ACHAC members. Further input is sought from the committee on the final preferred layout and content for the report card.

Submitted by,

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Appendix A: Mock Up MCP Report Card