



City of
Peterborough

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

From: Ken Doherty, Director of Community Services

Meeting Date: June 19, 2014

Subject: Report ACHAC14-026
Canoe Museum Presentation

Purpose

A report to receive a presentation from the Canadian Canoe Museum regarding the Museum's potential opportunity to relocate to the Parks Canada Lift Lock location.

Recommendation

That the Arts Culture & Heritage Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report ACHAC14-026 dated June 19, 2014 of the Director of Community Services as follows:

That a presentation from Richard M. Tucker, the Executive Director of the Canadian Canoe Museum, relating to the Canoe Museum's opportunity to relocate to the Parks Canada Lift Lock location, be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

There are no direct budget implications in approving this recommendation.

Background

The Canadian Canoe Museum has requested an opportunity to make a presentation to Council meeting as Committee of the Whole at its June 23, 2014 meeting as per Appendix A. Staff felt that this would also be of great interest to the Arts Culture & Heritage Advisory Committee.

Richard M. Tucker is the Museum's recently appointed Executive Director. He will provide an overview of recent developments in negotiations with Parks Canada about the potential for the Canoe Museum to relocate to the site of the Peterborough Lift Lock. He will outline the opportunities and benefits of a combined operation of both attractions at the same location.

Mr. Tucker will also provide Council with details of the Museum's spatial and development needs from the Museum's Feasibility Study released earlier this year. He will discuss how this study could guide the potential development of a new purpose built museum at the Lift Lock site.

Submitted by,

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Appendix A: Correspondence from the Canadian Canoe Museum May 16, 2014