



Essex Municipal Heritage Committee (EMHC)

Minutes

Thursday, February 17 2022 - 5:00 PM

Location: Electronic Zoom Meeting

Accessible formats or communication supports are available upon request. Please contact the Planning Department at essexplanning@essex.ca or 519-776-7336 extension 1128

"The EMHC is the resource base for information and knowledge for Council, administration and the community on all matters of heritage"

Present: Laurie Brett, Chair
Anthony Paniccia, Vice-Chair
Richard Kokovai, Committee Member
Councillor Steve Bjorkman, Committee Member
Laurie Kowtiuk, Committee Member
Perry Basden, Committee Member
Phil Pocock, Committee Member
Jaqueline Baldwin, Committee Member

Also Present: Rita Jabbour, Staff Liaison, Manager Planning Services
Lori Chadwick, Director Development Services

Regrets: Sarah Aubin, Recording Secretary / Planning Assistant

Absent: Joe Lucas, Committee Member

1. Call to Order

2. Declarations of Conflict of Interest

3. Adoption of Published Agenda

3.1 Essex Municipal Heritage Committee Agenda for February 17 2022

EMHC22-02-07

Moved by Member Basden

Seconded by Vice Chair Paniccia

That the published agenda for the February 17 2022 Essex Municipal Heritage Committee Regular Meeting, be adopted as presented.

Carried

4. Adoption of Minutes

4.1 Essex Municipal Heritage Committee Minutes for January 27 2022

EMHC22-02-08

Moved by Member Kokovai

Seconded by Member Basden

That the minutes of the Thursday January 27 2022 Essex Municipal Heritage Committee Regular Meeting, be adopted as circulated.

Carried

5. New Business

5.1 Community & Youth Heritage Preservation Award Winners
Committee to pick the Community & Youth Heritage Preservation Award
Winners

EMHC22-02-09

Moved by: Member Kokovai

Seconded by: Member Basden

That Tony Boudreau be the award winner for the 2022 Community Heritage
Preservation Award.

Carried

6. Public Presentations

7. Unfinished Business

7.1 Greater Marketing and Public Education about Heritage– Ongoing

7.2 Cemeteries –ongoing

7.3 Listing and Designating Properties and Heritage Districts –ongoing

7.4 Heritage Designation and Interpretive Plaque Program – ongoing

7.5 Reports to Council – on going

7.6 Studies and Master Plans- on going

7.7 Heritage Week 2022 – on going

Rita Jabbour, Staff Liaison reported that there were no received submissions for Stories of the Past but that she had reached out to Essex and Community Historical Research Society (ECHRS) and (Harrow Early Immigration HEIRS, both of whom have transcribed interviews from residents.

She stated that administration would prepare some Facebook posts based on those interviews.

Member Baldwin stated that Heritage Colchester had put out a call and she was expecting to receive stories related to the Colchester schoolhouse.

7.8 Charles Maedel Commemoration Project –ongoing

7.9 Heritage Walking Tour and Digital Component – ongoing

7.10 Batten Schoolhouse and Iler Schoolhouse – ongoing

7.11 Cultural Master Plan – Ongoing

7.12 Historically Significant Name Registry – Ongoing

7.13 Century Farms – Ongoing

7.14 Cultural Heritage; Indigenous History – Ongoing

8. Reports from Administration

9. Correspondence

10. Notices of Motion

11. Adjournment

EMHC22-02-10

Moved by: Member Kokovai

Seconded by: Member Basden

That the meeting be adjourned at 5:30 PM

12. Future Meetings

March 31 2022 at 5:00 pm Location: Electronic Meeting via Zoom