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## CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF KINGSVILLE

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August 2, 2005



Ontario Heritage Foundation  
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Dear Sirs:

**RE: Ontario Heritage Act—Notice of Intention to Designate  
Negro Cemetery, Town of Kingsville**

Enclosed please find Notice of Intention to Designate, which is being served upon you pursuant to Section 29(3) of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.O.18.

Please be advised that this Notice was published in the July 26, 2005 edition of The Kingsville Reporter, a newspaper having general circulation in the municipality of Kingsville.

Yours truly,

Linda Burling, Clerk  
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Encl.

**BY REGISTERED MAIL**

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# **CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF KINGSVILLE**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, R.S.O. 1990, c. O. 18, AS  
AMENDED,  
AND IN THE MATTER OF THE PROPERTY LEGALLY DESCRIBED AS PART OF LOT L,  
CONCESSION 3, WESTERN DIVISION, GEOGRAPHIC TOWNSHIP OF GOSFIELD  
SOUTH, NOW IN THE TOWN OF KINGSVILLE IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.**

## **NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE**

**TAKE NOTICE THAT** the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Kingsville intends to designate, under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, the property legally described as: Part of Lot L, Concession 3, Western Division, Geographic Township of Gosfield South, now in the Town of Kingsville, County of Essex, Ontario and designated as Part 1 on Plan 12R-22076 received and deposited under the Land Titles Act on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005.

### **REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION:**

This physical remnant of the early Black community is the only known African-Canadian Cemetery in the Town of Kingsville. Associated with the defunct Shiloh Baptist Church on Concession 3 West of Division Road North, this cemetery has historical significance internationally in that it was associated with the underground railroad that brought fugitive slaves from the southern United States to freedom in Canada.

Any person may, within thirty days of the publication of this notice, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Town of Kingsville notice of his or her objection to the proposed designation together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts.

**DATED** at Kingsville, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005.

Linda Burling, Clerk  
The Corporation of the Town of Kingsville  
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