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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To: Ontario Heritage Foundation
77 Bloor Street West
TORONTO, ontario
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TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Town of Prescott intends to designate the properties, including lands and buildings at the following Municipal addresses as properties of Architectural and Historical value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O., Chapter 122.

a) The Albert Whitney House

440 Dibble Street West, Prescott, Plan 19, Block 3, Lots 27 and 28

REASONS FOR AMENDMENT TO DESIGNATION BY-LAW 36-83

The following interior features should be designated as they are excellent examples of Victorian craftsmanship and contribute to the impression of an imposing town house:

1. In the entrance hall: the ten-foot high, six-panelled front door; the wooden mouldings around the door and windows; the moulded cornice where the walls join the ceiling; and the magnificent wooden stair case.
2. In the living room on the west side of the entrance hall: the fireplace and the two elaborate ceiling mouldings from which the chandeliers hang.
3. In the dining room, located behind the living room on the west side of the house: the magnificent wood panelling on the walls and ceiling; the fine interior wooden shutters; and the graceful wooden cupboard set into the east wall.

b) Susannah Jessup's Cottage

543 King Street West, Prescott, Plan 19, Block 3, Part Lot 47

REASONS FOR DESIGNATION

1. The house was built for Susannah Covell Jessup, the wife of Edward Jessup II, and is therefore associated with two of the Loyalist founding families of Prescott.
2. It was built before 1805 and is one of the oldest buildings in the the Town of Prescott.
3. It is a good example of the rubble-stone cottages built in this part of Ontario as the first permanent dwelling place of the pioneer settlers.
4. The house is also associated with Bartholomew White, the first Mayor of Prescott who purchased the property in 1853.

c) Moran and hooker buildings (Toshack Building)

197 Water Street West, Plan 19, Block 2, Part Lots 11 and 12


REASONS FOR DESIGNATION

1. These large stone buildings are the only survivors on Water Street of the kind of warehouse that was so important along Prescott's waterfront in the heyday of the forwarding trade.
2. They were built in 1840 & 1844 when the forwarding trade was at its height and retain their essential character despite alterations that have been made over the years.

3. They have been associated with commercial enterprises important to Prescott such as the making of mints by the Life Saver Company in the 1920's and the production of gloves during the 2nd World War by the Gold Glove Company.

Notice of objection to the proposed designations, together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Clerk of the Town of Prescott before the 1st day of September, 1984.

Dated at Prescott this 1st day of August, 1984.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Rick Roggenboers", is written over a horizontal line.

Clerk