

NOTICE
Intention to Designate a Property / Ontario Heritage Act

The Council of the City of Markham intends to designate the following property for reasons of cultural heritage value or interest pursuant to the *Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter O.18, Part IV*:

Christian and Anna Hoover House
11274 Highway 48
Markham, ON

The Christian and Anna Hoover House has design and physical value as a locally rare example of a two-storey, mid-nineteenth century fieldstone farmhouse in the Mennonite Georgian architectural tradition. The Christian and Anna Hoover House has historical value as it makes legible the impactful early nineteenth century immigration of Pennsylvania German Mennonites to Markham Township, and for its association with the nineteenth century trend whereby farmsteads were improved as the agricultural community progressed past the early settlement phase. Further, the property has contextual value as as one of a number of nineteenth century farmhouses located in the general vicinity of the historic rural community of Dickson Hill, and because it is physically, functionally, visually and historically linked to the farm property where it has stood since 1860.

Any person may notify the City of Markham of their objection in writing, which shall include the reasons for their objection and all relevant facts, **on or before 4:30 p.m. January 13, 2024** to be sent by registered mail or dropped off in person to:

Clerk's Department, City of Markham
Attention: Alecia Henningham
101 Town Centre Boulevard
Markham, ON L3R 9W3

Objections can also be submitted via email at: clerkspublic@markham.ca

If a notice of objection is received, the Clerk will refer the matter to Markham Council for reconsideration. Further information regarding the proposed designation is available from the Clerk's Department.

Dated at Markham this 14th day of December, 2023
Kimberley Kitteringham, City Clerk