

**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:

James and Lydia Scott House  
10579 Highway 48  
Markham, ON

The James and Lydia Scott House has design and physical value as a representative example of a rural tradesman's house. The James and Lydia Scott House has historical value as it is associated with the theme of Industry, Innovation and Economic Development as the long-standing location of Milnesville's blacksmith shop, and for its association with James Scott's business which operated here from c.1891 to well into the twentieth century. Further, the property has contextual value because it is physically, functionally, visually and historically linked to its surroundings where it has stood since c.1891 as the home of the local blacksmith in the historic community of Milnesville, a function that remained until the late 1970s.

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. July 2, 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](mailto: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 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2024  
Kimberley Kitteringham, City Clerk