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:

Koch-Wideman House 14 Heritage Corners Lane Markham, ON

> The Koch-Wideman House has design and physical value as a representative example of a Pennsylvania-German Mennonite farmhouse in the Georgian architectural tradition, with Ontario Regency features. The Koch-Wideman House has historical value and associative value as it represents two families of note and the theme of the religious and cultural mosaic of Pennsylvania-German Mennonite early settler families being attracted to Markham Township. The property also has contextual value as one of a pair of houses built side-by-side by the Koch family in the mid-nineteenth century, in an area known locally as Wideman's Corners.

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 19, 2023** 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 19th day of June, 2023

Kimberley Kitteringham, City Clerk