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:

Eckardt-Sabiston House 5011 Highway 7 East Markham, ON

The Eckardt-Sabiston House has design and physical value as a locally unique example of a late nineteenth century vernacular farmhouse designed with a blend of stylistic influences. The Eckardt-Sabiston House has historical value for its association with the prominent Eckardt Berczy family and for making legible the contribution of later generations of early European families to the agricultural development of their community. Further, the property has contextual value because it is physically, functionally, visually and historically linked to its surroundings where it has stood since 1891. The Eckardt-Sabiston House is one of a small number of heritage buildings that remain on Highway 7 East between Unionville and Markham Village. It is the only nineteenth century building still standing in this primarily commercial area, and as such is a visual reminder of the rural past of this part of Markham.

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. June 7, 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 8th day of May, 2024 Kimberley Kitteringham, City Clerk