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:

Lyon-Schell-Frisby House 3575 Elgin Mills Road East Markham, ON

The Lyon-Schell-Frisby House has design and physical value as a good representative example of a mid-nineteenth century brick farmhouse designed in the vernacular Classic Revival style, and for being a locally rare example of a brick farmhouse with a five-bay facade. The Lyon-Schell-Frisby House has historical and associative value for its association with Robert Lyon, a local builder, and for its association with the Schell and the Frisby families, prominent in Victoria Square and vicinity. Further, the property has historical and associative value as it reveals the progression of the agricultural community past the early settlement phase into a later period of prosperity where more sophisticated residential construction took place. Further, the property has contextual value as the farmhouse that once served the Schell and Frisby farms to the east of the historic crossroads community of Victoria Square. It is historically linked to the former farm property where it has stood since c.1846, and to both the Thomas Frisby Jr. House at 83 Thomas Frisby Jr. Crescent and the Lucy Frisby House at 15 Victoria Street, Victoria Square.

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