



Living Temagami

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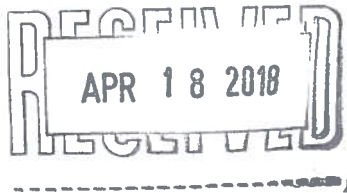
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Dear Mayor & Council,

Living Temagami is starting to plan for the cataloguing and scanning of the historical document and item collection in the library. We are asking Council's permission to access the collection and begin the organizing of the documents. It is our understanding the goal is to eventually have an online database where items can be searched and viewed by the public and the collection archived in an organized and accessible manner and used in displays. Is this in line with Council's vision for the collection and can Living Temagami proceed with this project? If we are successful in being awarded the Ontario Trillium Foundation SEED Grant application that was submitted through the Municipality in collaboration with Living Temagami we will be able to make huge progress in accomplishing this task. The announcement is expected in late June or early July. Living Temagami plans to continue to apply for funding for this project and other Culture and Heritage initiatives.

In the meantime, Living Temagami has secured funding for a summer student to help with this project and our plan is to meet with Judy Gouin to figure out where the organization of the collection left off. We are hoping to arrange for some space in the welcome centre to organize and maybe display some of the collection over the summer, if this is appropriate, and of course the scale and timeline of the cataloging and displays will depend on the SEED Grant outcome. The Contact North office is being turned back over to the town shortly and perhaps this space would be suitable for the summer student to work from with the collection being near that room. The old Chamber space might also be an option and it could still be made available for meetings and other needed uses. Living Temagami would appreciate any assistance or guidance the Municipality can offer.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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Director, Living Temagami ~ Heritage & Culture Centre

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