THE CORPORATION CITY OF BARRIE P.O. BOX 400 Barrie, Ontario. L4M 4T5

Attention; Lisa Pearson

ALLAN ZABA (CHAIRMAN)
VETERANS CLUB OF BARRIE
Chairman..
Cenotaph Restoration

Program (NAMES)

Barrie, Ont L4N 4Y3 May 17,2011

Dear Madam;

Reference to our telephone conversation in regards to have the names REPOINTED and the Cenotaphs cleaned that they are readable without maybe the use of a magnify lens.

I wish to make a personal deputation to city council reference to this important project ,so that all citizens of Barrie and area will be able to read the names of those who freely gave their lives for the freedom of our country in all actions of WAR.

There is a one time grant form VETERANS AFFAIRS UP TO FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50.000.00, should any funds be gotten from Veterans Affairs this would have a serious effect on any future funds regarding the MEMORIAL SQUARE.

The town of Innisfil and the Township of Springwater have made a full commitment to each ones share of \$65.00 per name of each veteran who gave the supreme sacrafice.

I as a VETERAN feel that the municipality of the Corporation of the city of Barrie join in the costs as Innisfil and Springwater as per names of those who paid the supreme sacrafice.

Sincerely;

Allan Zaba

A proud Citizen and a Veteran





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April 29, 2011

Veterans Club Barrie Cenotaph Restoration Program Attention: Allan Zabba, Chairman 25 Grand Place Barrie ON L4N 4Y3

Re: Barrie Cenotaph

Dear Mr. Zabba:

Thank you for your letter dated March 7, 2011 regarding the cleaning and restoration of the names engraved on the cenotaph in Barrie.

Your letter was considered by the Springwater Heritage Committee on March 22, 2011 and subsequently reconsidered at their Special Meeting of April 6, 2011. At the Special Meeting of the Springwater Heritage Committee on April 6, 2011 the following recommendation was passed:

THAT the Request for Funding for the Cenotaph Restoration Project be received; and

THAT the cenotaph restoration project be funded.

The Springwater Heritage Committee recognizes the importance of cenotaphs and their significance to our history. On behalf of the Springwater Heritage Committee, we thank you for your commitment to this project and look forward to its completion.

If you should have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours, truly,

Erin Deckert

**Deputy Clerk** 

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Veterans Club of Barrie 25 Grand Place Barrie, ON L4N 4Y3

ATTENTION: ALLAN ZABA, CHAIRMAN

Dear Mr. Zaba:

RE: Request for Financial Support - Town of Innisfil

This letter is in response to your correspondence received on March 10, 2011, wherein you indicated you were seeking a contribution from the Town of Innisfil in the amount of \$2,665.00 for restoration of the cenotaphs in Barrie.

Please be advised that your request for funding was presented to Council at its regular meeting on April 20, 2011 and we are pleased to advise that Council approved a grant in the amount of \$2,665.00 towards restoration costs associated with the cenotaph.

Accordingly, please find enclosed a cheque in the amount of \$2,665.00.

On behalf of Council, I would like to extend our best wishes for a successful restoration process.

Yours very truly,

Jason Reynar

Director of Legal Services/Clerk

Attachment: Cheque

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THE CORPORATION CITY OF BARRIE P.O.BOX 400 BARRIE, ONT LAM 4T5 Attention; THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL.

ALLAY ZABA CHAIRMAN VETERANS CLUB OF BARRIE CENOBAPH RESTORATION PROGRAM (BAPRIE, INNISFIL, SPRINGWATER TOWNSHIPS.

Bullye, ont L4N 4Y3 March 7,2011

RESTORATION OF ALL MEMORIAL MONUMENTS Bunlop Street (MEMORIAL GARDENS)

As you know that the Centaph's and Dear Sirs and Madams. grounds need a upgrade long overdue, so that all the names of those who gave their lives for freedom of our country in the First, Second, World Wars, Korea and Peace Keepers and the present conflict in the world.

I have contacted various monumental firms and have found that SANDERSONS MONUMENT COMPANY FROM ORILLIA have the best qualifications for the job, after viewing numerous Cenotaphs of their work I feel they are most qualified and their work will last for twenty five years or more.

Besides the CENOTAPHS the grounds need uplifting, such as the removal of the Lilac Rush and maybe the Fir Tree that has grown into the light beside to another area of the Garden.

The cost to refurbish the Cenotaph's is around the Ten Thousand Dollar figure ., Prorated and shared with Innistil and Spring water on a basis of numbers of the ones who cave their lives for our freedom., a total of 155 (One Hundred and Fifty Five).

One Hundred and Three from Barrie. . . Forty On > 'rom Innisfil and Eleven from Springwater, Based on the cost per Veteran of Sixty Five Dollars(\$65.00) per Veteran who gave their lives Barrie's cost is \$6,695.00) SIX THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND NINETY FIVE DOLLARS including all taxes.

I am contacting the other municipalities and also have had contact with VETERANS AFFAIRS , and hope that maybe the Citizens of Barrie will also contribute to this worthy cause.

Should there be a excess of funds from the bublic a bank account will be opened to be held in trust by the city of Barrie for future needs, to keep the Memorial area in a excellent condition at all times in the future.

However I feel that the three Municipalities should bear the initial cost, I am prepared to meet with all Council members A.S.P. so the work can and will be completed before November Eleven (REMEMBERANCE DAY) 2011.

Thanking everyone in advance.

Sincerely Allan Zaba (Chairman)

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