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**Subject:** Support for Notice of Intention to Designate OPS.25.043 (152-Year-Old Sugar Maple, 10th Line & Georgian Trail)  
**From:** Blue Mountains Historical Society  
**To:** Chair and Members, Committee of the Whole – Planning & Building Services  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 28, 2025

Dear Madam Chair and Committee Members:

The Blue Mountains Historical Society (BMHS) offers its full support for the Town's Notice of Intention to Designate the 152-year-old sugar maple at 10th Line and the Georgian Trail under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act.

This tree is a prominent local landmark and a living record of settlement, agriculture, and trail use in our area. Designation will recognize its cultural value and help ensure appropriate protection during any nearby works.

We wish to express our thanks to Town staff for bringing this recommendation forward and to Tree Trust TBM for its leadership in requesting the designation and stewarding the site.

Sincerely,

Paul Reale  
President, BMHS