



**Emerging Leaders
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LONDON ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON HERITAGE (LACH)**

Opportunity Profile

LACH is currently seeking a new Emerging Leaders representative to fill a recent vacancy.

What we do

The London Advisory Committee on Heritage reports to the Municipal Council, through the Planning Committee.

The purpose of the London Advisory Committee on Heritage is to lead London in the conservation of its heritage through planning, education and stewardship, and to advise the City of London on the conservation of heritage resources in the community.

The London Advisory Committee on Heritage is responsible for the following:

- to recommend and to comment on appropriate policies for the conservation of heritage resources within the City of London, including Official Plan policies.
- to recommend and to comment on the designation, under the Ontario Heritage Act, of heritage resources within the City of London.
- to recommend and to comment on the utilization, acquisition and management of heritage resources within the City of London, including those that are municipally owned.
- to review and to comment on the preparation, development and implementation of any plans as may be identified or undertaken by the City of London or its Departments where and when heritage issues may be applicable.
- to comment on legislation, programs and funding of Provincial Ministries and other governmental agencies that impact on the community's heritage resources.
- to assist in developing and maintaining an up-to-date information base on heritage resources, and to assist in the evaluation of the condition, conservation and management of those resources, on an ongoing basis, through the review of documents prepared by the Civic Administration and/or local community groups.
- to promote public awareness of and education on the community's heritage resources and the policies of the Official Plan that relate to them.
- to provide a forum for citizen input and participation on heritage issues in the City of London.
- to serve as a coordinating body for heritage initiatives in the City of London by facilitating the development of partnerships and networks among all stakeholders.

- to work in cooperation with stakeholder groups, municipal departments, other government bodies, agencies, the media, and any organizations or individuals interested in the conservation of the community's heritage resources.
- to appoint such Ad hoc Sub-Committees or Working Groups as deemed necessary to assist in the accomplishment of the Committee's goals, purposes and objectives.

Volunteer representation

Fourteen members consisting of:

Three members at large

One representative from the Emerging Leaders Initiative

One representative of each of the following broad sectors or spheres of interest:

- Built Heritage (London Branch of the Architectural Conservancy of Ontario)
- Local History (London & Middlesex Historical Society)
- Archaeology/Anthropology (Ontario Archaeological Society, London Chapter)
- Natural Heritage (McIlwraith Field Naturalists)
- Movable Heritage - Archives (Archives Association of Ontario)
- Movable Heritage - Museums & Galleries (Museum London or The Royal Canadian Regiment Museum)
- Neighbourhoods (Urban League of London)
- Development Community (London Home Builders Association)
- Urban Design Community (London Urban Design Association)
- Rural/Agricultural Community (Agricultural Advisory Committee)

Non-Voting Resource Group

One representative of each of the following:

- Heritage Planning/City's Planning and Development Department
- Archaeologist/City's Planning and Development Department

Time Commitment

Concurrent with the term of the Municipal Council making the appointment.

Core Competencies/Requisite Experience

The representatives of organizations should have special qualifications, interests and abilities, including the ability and willingness to devote the necessary time to the work of the Committee in preserving our heritage. The members at large should be chosen for their special expertise, experience and ability relating to heritage preservation.

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