## THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SURREY

## BY-LAW NO. 12009

A by-law to designate certain land as a Municipal heritage site for the purpose of preserving evidence of the Municipality's history, culture and heritage for the education and enjoyment of present and future generations.

WHEREAS the "Heritage Conservation Act" being Chapter 165 R.S.B.C., 1979, provides that the Council may, by By-law, designate a building, structure or land, in whole or in part, as a Municipal heritage site;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the historic trees lying on Portions of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Block 5, Plan 614 and Portions of Road (96 Avenue and 190 Street) all lying in Section 33, Township 8, New Westminster District be preserved and that the said land be designated by the Council as a Municipal heritage site for such purpose for the education and enjoyment of present and future generations.

THEREFORE, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Surrey, in open meeting assembled, and in pursuance of the authority of Section 11 (11) Subsection One (1) of the "Heritage Conservation Act" ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "Surrey Municipal Heritage Site Designation By-law, 1993, No. 12009".
- 2. The following described parcel of land is hereby designated as a Municipal Heritage Site for the purpose of preserving evidence of the Municipality's history, culture and heritage for the education and enjoyment of present and future generations, namely:

## St. Oswald's Trees

Portions of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Block 5, Plan 614 and Portions of Road (96 Avenue and 190 Street) all lying in Section 33, Township 8, New

Westminster District, being along the south side of 96 Avenue between 190 Street and 192 Street, and along the east side of 190 Street between 96 Avenue and 95A Avenue, adjacent to the designated heritage site known as St. Oswald's Church, as indicated in bold on Schedule "A" which is attached hereto and forms part of this by-law.

The 4 Douglas Firs and the Western Red Cedar are all first growth timber and were left on the site when the property was cleared in 1910 in order to construct St. Oswald's Church. The Douglas Firs marked the entrance to the original church hall and acted as "The Guardians". The Red Oak was transported from England in 1935 by Mr. Charles Preedy. Mr. Preedy, together with Mr. Albert Lumb, planted the Red Oak to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of St. Oswald's Church.

These 6 trees are described as follows:

Red Oak (74 centimeters in diameter); Douglas Fir (143 centimeters in diameter); Western Red Cedar (115 centimeters in diameter); Douglas Fir (134 centimeters in diameter); Douglas Fir (114 centimeters in diameter); and Douglas Fir (120 centimeters in diameter).

and all provisions of the "Heritage Conservation Act" being Chapter 165 R.S.B.C., 1979, shall apply to the said parcel of land from the date of the final adoption of this By-law.

PASSED THREE READINGS by the Municipal Council on the 30th day of August, 1993.

ADVERTISED in the Surrey-North Delta Now newspaper on the 4th day of September, 1993, and on the 8th day of September, 1993.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the 13th day of September, 1993.

MAYOR

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