

CULTURE, ARTS & HERITAGE

Preserving and enhancing culture, arts and heritage in communities across the region



Reconciliation

- » Establish Friendship Accords (Policy CH-2)
- » Increase commemoration and representation of Mi'kmaq and Indigenous communities (Policies CH-3, CH-4, CH-29)



Inclusion and Addressing Anti-Black Racism

- » Conduct Community boundary reviews (Policy CH-7)
- » Identify opportunity sites for preservation & interpretation (Policy CH-6)
- » Enable community-led approaches identifying important cultural resources (Policy CH-9)



Heritage Evaluation and Protection

- » Update heritage evaluation criteria to represent more diverse communities, cultures and time periods (Policy CH-17)
- » Identify proposed Heritage Conservation Districts, including in areas outside the Regional Centre (Policy CH-19)
- » Encourage increased preservation and adaptive reuse through planning tools and sensitive development (Policies CH-12, CH-23, CH-36)



New Heritage Tools

- » Encourage or require salvage and reuse of existing materials when a building is demolished (Policies CH-24, CH-25)
- » Support energy efficiency incentives (Policy CH-26)
- » Work towards recognizing cultural landscapes and scenic views (Policies CH-27 to CH-30)

NEXT STEPS

Sharing Our Stories
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Friendship Accords with Mi'kmaq communities and Councils

What important cultural spaces should be protected in your community?

