

CARCROSS HERITAGE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Interactive Workshop

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Agenda

- Introduction/Purpose Workshop
- Link to Local Area Plan & Downtown Core Plan
- Definitions of heritage terms
- Examples
- Discussion:
 - Heritage Values
 - Heritage Character
 - Boundaries of physical areas requiring special heritage protection
- Summarize key highlights today's discussions
- Next Steps

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Introduction

Workshop purpose – Identify/discuss your views regarding Carcross’s heritage values and character to set foundation for Heritage Management Plan.

Two (2) questions to be answered today:

- What heritage values are important to you and why?
- To whom is it important?
 - (E.g. residents, visitors, businesses, property owners, others?)

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What is ‘Heritage’?

- *“Heritage is inheritance, both cultural and natural, more significant or less significant, physical and spiritual, tangible and intangible. It includes places, things, objects and activities, and practices such as storytelling, rituals, songs, and domestic practices”.*



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What is.....?

Heritage Values: *something inherited from the past that has aesthetic, historic, scientific and/or social significance, to current and future generations.*

Heritage Significance: *a synthesis of the heritage values.*

Heritage Character: *the features that together reflect the distinctive character of a historic place.*

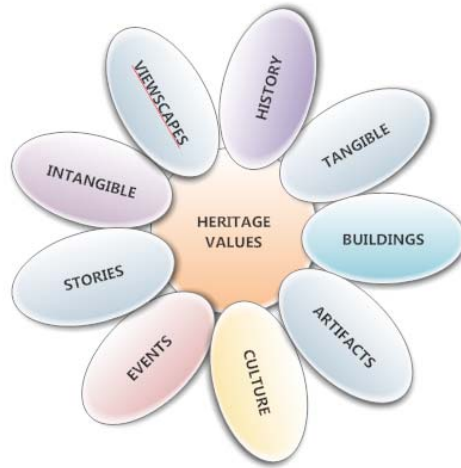
Built Heritage: *Buildings, structures, designed landscapes, and cultural landscapes.*

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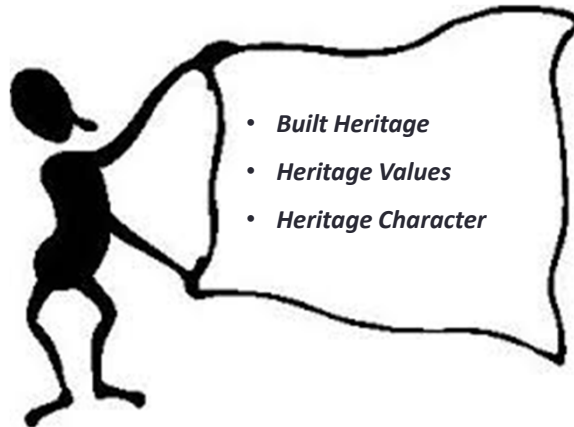
What is....? (continued)

- **Tangible heritage:** *includes things that can be touched such as buildings, monuments, artifacts, landscapes etc.*
- **Intangible heritage:** *includes things that cannot be touched such as culture, traditions, stories, songs, language etc.*
- **Cultural Landscape:** *any geographical area that has been modified, influenced or given special cultural meaning by people.*
- **Vernacular Architecture:** *structures made by using indigenous, ancestral and local traditional design.*

Heritage Components



Some Examples



What is important to you and why?

Example building replacement



The new Carcross fire hall will look similar to the Golden Horn fire hall....

Thoughts?

Heritage Values

List values and important to whom?

- Residents who live here now
- Visitors
- Businesses
- Heritage Property Owners
- Others?



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Themes

- Passing through, between here and there
- Transportation hub
- “Gateway” to Southern Lakes
- Other?



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Heritage Management Plan

- Identifies the heritage characteristics we value
- Sets out how we will fulfill our stewardship responsibilities for heritage and culture



Carcross Local Area Plan Vision Statement

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