



April 21, 2020

Toronto and East York Community Council
100 Queen Street West
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Dear Chair and Members,

RE: Request to evaluate the heritage potential of Dovercourt House – 805 Dovercourt Road

BACKGROUND:

It has been brought to my attention by the community and a local historian that this property may have architectural and cultural significance. This property has, for many years, been a gathering place for the local community and in particular a place for dancing to flourish. The organization that had been in the building for many years is now leaving and in order to preserve the existing property as a potential heritage resource, I am requesting that City staff urgently undertake an evaluation for inclusion to the City's Heritage Register.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. It is recommended that Toronto and East York Community Council request that the Senior Manager, Heritage Planning, research and evaluate the property at 805 Dovercourt Road (Dovercourt House) for inclusion on the City's Heritage Register and to report back to the Toronto and East York Community Council with the results of this evaluation.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Ana Bailão
Deputy Mayor
Councillor, Ward 9 – Davenport