

February 22, 2025

Mayor & Council
City of Victoria
1 Centennial Square
Victoria, BC V8W1R6

Re Application for Heritage Designation

Mayor Marianne Alto & Council,

In October / November 2024 I applied for Heritage Designation for the Masonic Building at 650 Fisgard St which I understand was favorably received and was to be presented to the Council for its approval. After that submission it was brought to our attention we could apply for Heritage Designation for the unique large Lodge Room on the second floor. This has been very favorably received by our membership, and I now am asking for the consideration of including this large 2nd floor room to our application for Heritage Designation.

I have attached a few current photos of this wonderful room. In one of the photographs I tried to capture a good shot of the ceilings gold stars which exactly represent the Lyra Constellation that was visible in the skies over Jerusalem at the time of the dedication of King Solomon's Temple. This date is important in masonic history.

Thank you very much again for accepting our application in Nov 2024 and appreciate your consideration of adding this interior room to our application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary
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