

Three people say they didn't receive furniture as fraud trial continues

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The Champion

Three more people testified Tuesday they didn't receive the furniture they purchased from the Village Pine Shoppe in Campbellville

In the ongoing fraud trial of Charles Currie, 43, of Milton, Nancy Dickie told Ontario Court (provincial division) in Burlington that she visited the furniture shop in November, 1999 and purchased a bedroom set including a king-sized bed, two night stands, an armoire and a dresser for \$3,000.

"I dealt with Charles," she said. "He said he would need a deposit of \$1,500. I thought it was a bit high but I paid by cheque. He told me delivery would take two months and the remaining (balance) would be paid when the furniture was

delivered."

When Ms Dickie hadn't received the furniture by February, 2000, she phoned Mr. Currie, only to learn there was confusion with her order and it would take an additional two months to be ready.

By July, she was ready to ask for her deposit back.

"Charles called me at the end of August and said he didn't have enough money to pick up the order and if I wanted the furniture he would need the remainder of the balance. I didn't trust him at this point so I said no."

Ms Dickie said Mr. Currie contacted her in September and said if she wrote out a cheque for the balance, she could hold other pieces of furniture "hostage" until her items arrived.

"I took a corner unit and two night stands. I didn't really want them but I thought it was the only way I would get

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Please forward your application by, November 13, 2001 in confidence to

Coordinator, Human Resources, Town of Milton
43 Brown Street, Milton, Ontario L9T 5H2
Or by fax to (905) 878-4231

An Information Session for all applicants will be held at:

Central Fire Station
405 Steeles Avenue

Wednesday, November 14, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

Please Note: You will be required to register for the written entrance test (to be held November 17, 2001) at the above noted Information Session.

We would like to thank all applicants who apply for this position, but we must advise that only the applicants chosen for the hiring competition will be contacted. In accordance with the Freedom of Information and Privacy legislation, applicant information is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act and will be used strictly for candidate selection.



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NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING REGARDING A REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO ESTABLISH A CREMATORIUM IN THE TOWN OF MILTON

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Council of the Milton will hold a Public Meeting on:

Date: Monday, November 12, 2001.

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Place: Council Chambers, Town Hall, 43 Brown Street, Milton

to receive information and public input on a request for approval to establish a crematorium pursuant to Section 4 of the Cemeteries Act (Revised). A municipality that receives a request for an approval required by the Cemeteries Act (Revised) may hold public hearings to determine if the approval is in the public interest.

The property affected by request is known municipally as 200 Ontario Street South and is legally described as Part of Lot 12 and 13, Concession 2, (geographic Township of Trafalgar) Town of Milton.

The applicant has requested Town of Milton approval to establish a crematorium on lands within an Open Space Cemetery (OSG) Zone. The Town of Milton Zoning By-law 61-85, as amended, permits a crematorium use within the OSG Zone.

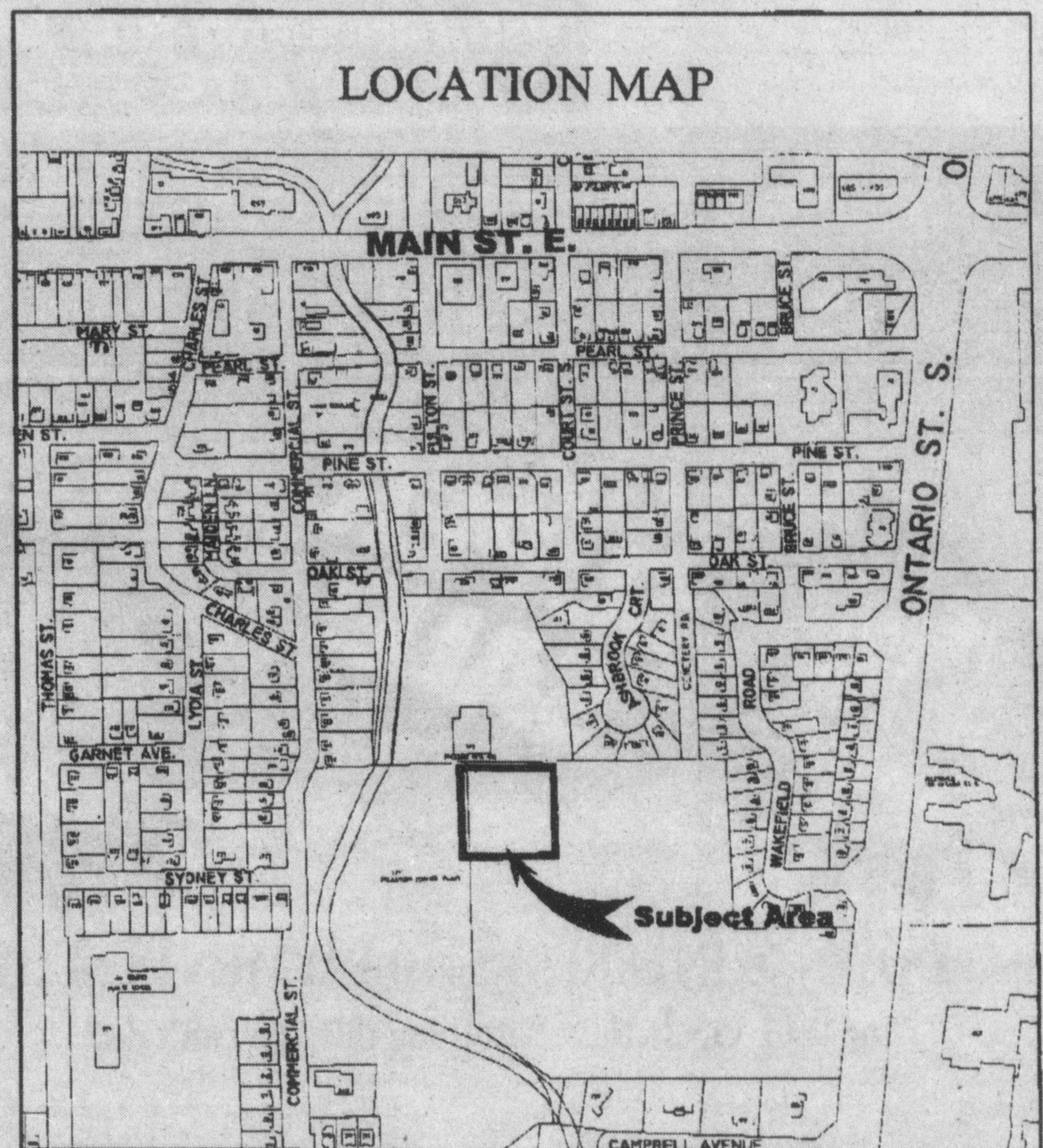
A key map illustrating the area affected by this application is attached to this notice.

This property is currently the subject of a site plan application pursuant to the Planning Act.

Any interested person may make a written submission, prior to the public meeting, and should direct the submission to the Director of Planning and Development.

ANY PERSON MAY attend the public meeting to obtain information and make a verbal presentation and/or written submission, to identify issues of concern and/or express views in support of, or in opposition to, the proposed crematorium. A copy of an Information Report prepared by the Planning and Development Department, outlining the application in more detail and any other background information will be available on the Friday immediately prior to the public meeting, a copy of which may be reviewed or obtained by contacting the Planning and Development Department, Town Hall, 43 Brown Street.

The public meeting is an information meeting and staff will not be making a recommendation on whether to approve or refuse the application at this Public Meeting. Decision on the application will be made at a future date when a full review of the application is completed by the Town's Planning and Development Department. At that time, a Report with recommendations will be brought forward for consideration and decision by Milton Council.



Persons who sign the register at the public meeting, or who request to be notified in writing to the Town of Milton Planning and Development Department, will receive notification of when the matter is to come before Council for final consideration.



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