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NEWS RELEASE

The Settler's Dream to be Reprinted

Picton ON – Council, at its meeting of June 9, 2009 accepted a recommendation of the Prince Edward Heritage Advisory Committee to reprint the book, *The Settler's Dream*, commemorating 225 years since United Empire Loyalists first settled the area.

This popular publication depicting historical buildings of architectural interest in the County has been out of stock for the last five years. The reprinting of *The Settler's Dream* will satisfy considerable demand and once again make this valuable cultural heritage resource available to interested purchasers both in the County and outside.

"It is particularly pleasing to have the opportunity to make *The Settler's Dream* again available during 2009 when we are celebrating the 225th anniversary of the Loyalist Landing" said Mayor Leo P. Finnegan. "Congratulations to the Heritage Advisory Committee and the Working Group that spear-headed this initiative."

1200 copies will be printed, with each book having a special 225th anniversary seal.

Businesses and individuals who wish to support this important project will have their names listed for posterity on the inside front page. Contributions are as follows:

Businesses - \$500
Individuals - \$250

Contributors should make their cheque in the appropriate amount payable to "The County of Prince Edward – *The Settler's Dream* Project" and forward to the County office at 332 Main Street in Picton. Tax receipts will be issued. Contributions must be received by July 15, 2009 in order to meet press deadlines and ensure that all names are included in the book.

The project will be self-sustaining, with sales expected to cover costs of reprinting.

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