

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS: COMMEMORATIVE PUBLIC WORK OF ART

BACKGROUND DOCUMENT

Context

In 2017, the City of Pointe-Claire will celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Canadian Confederation and is inviting residents to participate in the festivities. The City is planning to implement an exceptional program of activities, of which the Stewart Hall Cultural Centre will be the architect. The program is centred on the concept of identity and has three main components: cultural identity, the land, and community.

An outdoor exhibition will be organized in Stewart Park, from June to October 2017, on the theme of Canadian territorial diversity and geography. As part of the celebrations, this outdoor exhibition will be paired with an exhibition on the theme of cultural diversity and multiculturalism presented at the Art Gallery. In addition, from September 2016 to September 2017, cultural mediation activities will be held to encourage residents to discuss Canadian identity and produce group works together.

The public work of art will be part of the visitor route of the exhibition held in Stewart Park.

For more information on the City of Pointe-Claire:

www.pointe-claire.ca

For more information on Stewart Park:

patrimoine.ville.montreal.qc.ca/inventaire/fiche_zone.php?id=1237

For more information on Canadian Confederation:

thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/confederation/?sessionId=

www.bac-lac.gc.ca/eng/discover/politics-government/canadian-confederation/Pages/canadian-confederation.aspx

Location of the work

The work will be set up in front of Stewart Hall Cultural Centre, on the east side of the building. The space allocated to it is 3 metres long and 2.5 metres wide. Two benches have been installed there, and the site is surrounded by trees. The chosen location is near a new access for people with reduced mobility.

Plan for the location of the work



Photos of the location

