

Death

Robert FARNAM 1940-2022

Passed away at the Brome-Missisquoi Perkins Hospital in Cowansville, July 13th, 2022,

at the age of 82, resident of Cowansville, husband of Mrs. Deborah Williams, son of the late Carol Farnam and late Alice Hunter. He is also survived by his children: Mike (Sara Ann), J.R., his beloved grandchildren: Alice, Owen, Evan, his sister Doris (Al), his nieces and nephews, and other relatives and dear friends. Bob will be fondly remembered for his love and devotion to his family and was a proud member of many fraternities. Visitation will be held at : BROME-MISSISQUOI Funeral Complex, 402 rue de la Rivière, Cowansville, Qc on July 29th, 2022 from 7:00 to 10 p.m. Please note a Masonic service will be held at the funeral home that evening at 9 p.m. The funeral home will open, Saturday July 30th, 2022 at 9 a.m. followed by the service at 11 a.m. He will be laid to rest at the All Saint's Cemetery in Dunham. In his memory, a donation to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the family. heartandstroke.ca

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The family will receive condolences at LES RÉSIDENCES ET JARDINS FUNÉRAIRES BESSETTE OF WATERLOO, Friday, July 29, 2022, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. The funeral service at the Waterloo United Church will be held on Saturday, July 30, 2022, at 11 a.m.

The interment will follow at the Protestant Cemetery in Mansonville.

We invite you to share memories and condolences on our website: www.famillebessette.com

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Potton receives support for building expansion



THE SCOOP

MABLE HASTINGS

On July 13, the Municipality of the Township of Potton welcomed the Honourable Pascale St-Onge, M.P. Brome Missisquoi to a special ceremony held at the Multifunctional shelter located in the Park Andre Gagnon situated along the Missisquoi River North. Pascale St-Onge announced the contribution of \$750,000 support from Canada Economic Development for Quebec Regions (CED) to allow the expansion and renovation of the service building situated in close proximity to the Multi-functional shelter/skating rink.

The new service building will include: four locker rooms, a community room where dividing curtains will allow for flexibility in the use of the space, a kitchenette, three bathrooms including one for persons with reduced mobility, two showers, a mechanical room for water recirculation for the new water park, a rest room, a space for the park's director, an employee room for the parks department and a garage for maintenance equipment.

"This support from our government will allow the Municipality of the Township of Potton to offer a quality meeting place to its citizens and its many visitors. This assistance demonstrates our government's commitment to supporting economic development in communities of all sizes throughout Quebec. By improving its infrastructure, the Municipality will remain attractive and continue to bring people together, and this will ensure it develops and recovers from the effects

of the pandemic," said the Honourable Pascale St-Onge, Member of Parliament for Brome-Missisquoi, Minister of Sport and Minister responsible for CED.

First, the expansion of the service building will create a space to store the machinery used for the maintenance of the skating rink and the ice trails in the park. This will address the need for a shelter for the ice re-surfacer as well as the need for more space for tools and equipment for the parks department.

In addition, as part of the renovations, the existing service building will be remodeled to provide more services. After the work is completed, there will be more locker rooms and bathrooms, as well as a new community room that can accommodate social events. The use of space will be optimized by the new building dividers.

The expansion and renovation project are also complementary to new developments of the park, such as the addition of water features, children's play modules, trails and covered seating areas.

"Today's announcement of significant support from the Government of Canada is for me recognition that our municipality is moving in the right direction by investing in our community. We are at a turning point in the history of Potton. I feel privileged to witness these infrastructures taking shape. They will allow the development of our territory and the sustainability of our community," said Mayor Bruno Côté.

As a public facility, the Municipality of the Township of Potton wants the building to be inclusive. Accessibility will be improved to accommodate people with disabilities or reduced mobility. An exterior walkway will allow access to the building, while a bathroom and a shower will be available for use in the event of an emergency in the municipality.

The Municipality of the Township of Potton would like to thank CED for making this project possible through the CRFC. Work is expected to begin in the fall of 2022. The architecture was entrusted to BOUM architecture and the engineering plans to the consulting engineering firm EXP.



Previous Potton Mayor, Michael Laplume, council member, Emilie Hebert Larue, council member (pro Mayer), Jason Ball, Member of Parliament Brome Missisquoi, Pascale St-Onge, Present Potton Mayor, Bruno Cote and former council member Eddy Mierzwinski were all present on July 13 at the Multi functional Shelter located in Park Andre Gagnon for the special announcement!

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