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**Subject:** Saugeen Shores Heritage Plaque Information  
**Date:** Tuesday, May 11, 2021 2:49:00 PM  
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Good afternoon everyone,

I am passing along information from Miller Plaques in the email below, as well as the attachments for reference regarding the construction, design, and costs for the plaques completed with the Town of Saugeen Shores.

If you would like to review the information, and think up the type of photos/design you would prefer on the heritage plaques for the Truax Dam and Bridge 11 before the June 7<sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting that would be great.

I will also reach out to Holm Graphics and Cox Signs to obtain new quotations from them regarding this new type of plaque design, since the original quotes from November 2020 were created with the 2015 Centretown Condos plaque design in mind.

It is my understanding from speaking with Mr. Miller, that the design would be created from a separate graphic designer, and if Miller Graphics were approved for the project, they would work with the designer to ensure the design fits with the construction of the plaques. If a local company were contracted to construct the plaques, I would assume we would still require a design to be completed for the plaques and there would likely be collaboration as well.

The Committee would also need to approve final wording for the plaques, whether the Saugeen Shores design, or 2015 Centretown Condos plaque design were chosen. I know that the wording was discussed, but I don't believe it was fully approved at the last meeting. The approximate word count is around 125-140 words in compared to the 2015 Centretown Condos plaque. The word count may be required to be altered if a new design were chosen.

I will include all of this information in the June 7<sup>th</sup> Committee Agenda Package, but wanted to pass along the information ahead of time so you were updated on the status of the project.

Thank you,

**Sarah Johnson, Dipl. M.A., AMP**  
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**From:** Miller Plaques <info@plaques.ca>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 5, 2021 1:55 PM

**To:** Sarah Johnson <SJohnson@brockton.ca>

**Subject:** Re: Plaques Inquiry: Web

Hi Sarah,

Sorry for the delay but I have finally got some information for you.

The plaques that we do for Saugeen Shores are typically modular panels with pedestals. These are normally 24" x 30" x 2" thick. and come with a full pedestal and tamper proof hardware. The current price for these is \$1050.00 + shipping and HST (roughly \$1400.00 including paper proofs). I recommend this type of plaque if it is going to be placed in a "formal" setting such as in a downtown park, municipal building, Victoria Hall etc. If the plaque is going to be placed along a hiking trail or similar environment you might want to consider a different style of plaque like Armollte mounted to a pressure treated 4" x 4" lumber post. These plaques are a high pressure laminate and are typically 1/2" thick and are mounted to the post with a post bracket (photos attached). I can't give you exact pricing today because I just spoke to my supplier and they are reviewing pricing. I have asked for some current prices and will let you know as soon as I hear from them. (Hopefully later this week.)

Hopefully this information will be helpful.

Thanks,

Don

**nt:** Wednesday, May 05, 2021 10:59 AM

**To:** [Miller Plaques](#)

**Subject:** RE: Plaques Inquiry: Web

Good morning Mr. Miller,

I am following up to see if you would be able to email me the associated costs and details of the plaques as per our phone conversation last week. I have had another inquiry from the Heritage Committee regarding this matter, so I would appreciate having the additional details in order to ensure the Committee makes decisions on the plaque content, and obtain updated quotes from our local vendors prior to the end of the month to bring forward for the Committee's consideration on June 7th.

Thank you!

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**From:** Miller Plaques <[info@plaques.ca](mailto:info@plaques.ca)>  
**Sent:** April 29, 2021 11:44 AM  
**To:** Sarah Johnson <[SJohnson@brockton.ca](mailto:SJohnson@brockton.ca)>  
**Subject:** Re: Plaques Inquiry: Web

Hi Sarah,

Thank you for the inquiry. We have been doing plaques for Saugeen Shores, Owen Sound, and numerous other clients for almost 30 years and would like to include you in our network. We also did all of the plaques for the Bruce County Lighthouses a few years ago and did another sign job with the same product for the Municipality of North Bruce Peninsula and a large order for trail signs for Huron-Kinloss.

In order to prepare a quote I will need more information and I will also have some recommendations re artwork. Could you please give me a call at 519-794-4629.

Thanks,

Don

**From:** [Sarah Johnson](mailto:SJohnson@brockton.ca)  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 29, 2021 11:07 AM  
**To:** [info@plaques.ca](mailto:info@plaques.ca)  
**Subject:** Plaques Inquiry: Web

Good morning Mr. Miller,

I work at the Municipality of Brockton and am assisting the Brockton Heritage Committee in obtaining additional information on historical plaques. I inquired with the Township of Saugeen Shores about details related to their historical plaques that our Heritage Committee admired.

Saugeen Shores informed me that you had created the plaque and stand for their larger plaques (Photo attached for reference). Could you please provide me with additional information regarding the design and construction of the plaques?

If you are able to reply back at your earliest convenience that would be appreciated as the Committee will be holding a meeting on June 7th, and I would like to obtain the information and updated quotations prior to the meeting.

Thank you very much!

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