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PUBLIC NOTICE

VETERANS COMMEMORATIVE CROSSWALK PAINTING DAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2026

We are excited to share that, in partnership with the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie, a Veterans Commemorative Crosswalk will be established in Tara at the intersection of Yonge Street and Brook Street. We have also confirmed the date for the painting event.

On Monday, September 14, 2026, the contractor is set to start the work around 9:00 AM, which is expected to take about 5 hours to finish. Since this work will be conducted outdoors, it is significantly influenced by the weather conditions.

We are also planning a short unveiling ceremony for a later date, which will be closer to Veteran's Week in November 2026. We will share the details in a future announcement. The site of the Crosswalk is quite appropriate and will stand as a visible symbol of gratitude, remembrance, and a lasting tribute to those who served our nation, along with the contributions made by Canadian men and women.

The Crosswalk will also play a role in educating future generations about historical conflicts, local veterans residing in the municipality, and many others who have made the ultimate sacrifice. It serves to remind both drivers and pedestrians of the courage and sacrifices of veterans, promoting a sense of national pride and respect.

The Veterans Commemorative Crosswalk holds special significance as the Royal Canadian Legion commemorates its 100th anniversary this year, highlighting a century of service, support, remembrance, and commitment to veterans and our community.

Residents are invited to watch for the announcement of the unveiling, and to check out the site once it's finished to see the commemorative crosswalk, taking a moment to pay tribute to the veterans whose service has shaped the freedoms we cherish today.

Thank you!

