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Subject: Request for a Veteran's-Themed Crosswalk

Dear Mayor McGonigle and Council, Members

I am writing to respectfully propose the installation of a **veteran's-themed crosswalk** in our community as a lasting tribute to the men and women who have served our country in uniform.

Such a crosswalk would serve several important purposes:

- **Honoring Service and Sacrifice:** It would provide a visible, daily reminder of the courage and dedication of our veterans, ensuring their contributions are recognized not only on commemorative days but throughout the year.
- **Community Identity and Pride:** A themed crosswalk would strengthen our town's identity as a place that values service, sacrifice, and remembrance. It would also serve as a point of pride for residents and visitors alike.
- **Educational Value:** The crosswalk could spark conversations among younger generations, encouraging them to learn more about the history and importance of military service.
- **Inclusivity and Visibility:** By placing this tribute in a central, high-traffic location, we ensure that the recognition of veterans is woven into the daily life of our community.

I believe this initiative would be a meaningful and cost-effective way to demonstrate our town's gratitude. Other municipalities across Canada and beyond have successfully implemented similar projects, often in collaboration with local veteran organizations, service clubs, and schools.

I would be grateful if Council could consider this proposal and explore potential designs, locations, and partnerships that would make the project both impactful and sustainable. I

would also welcome the opportunity to assist in community outreach or fundraising efforts to support the initiative.

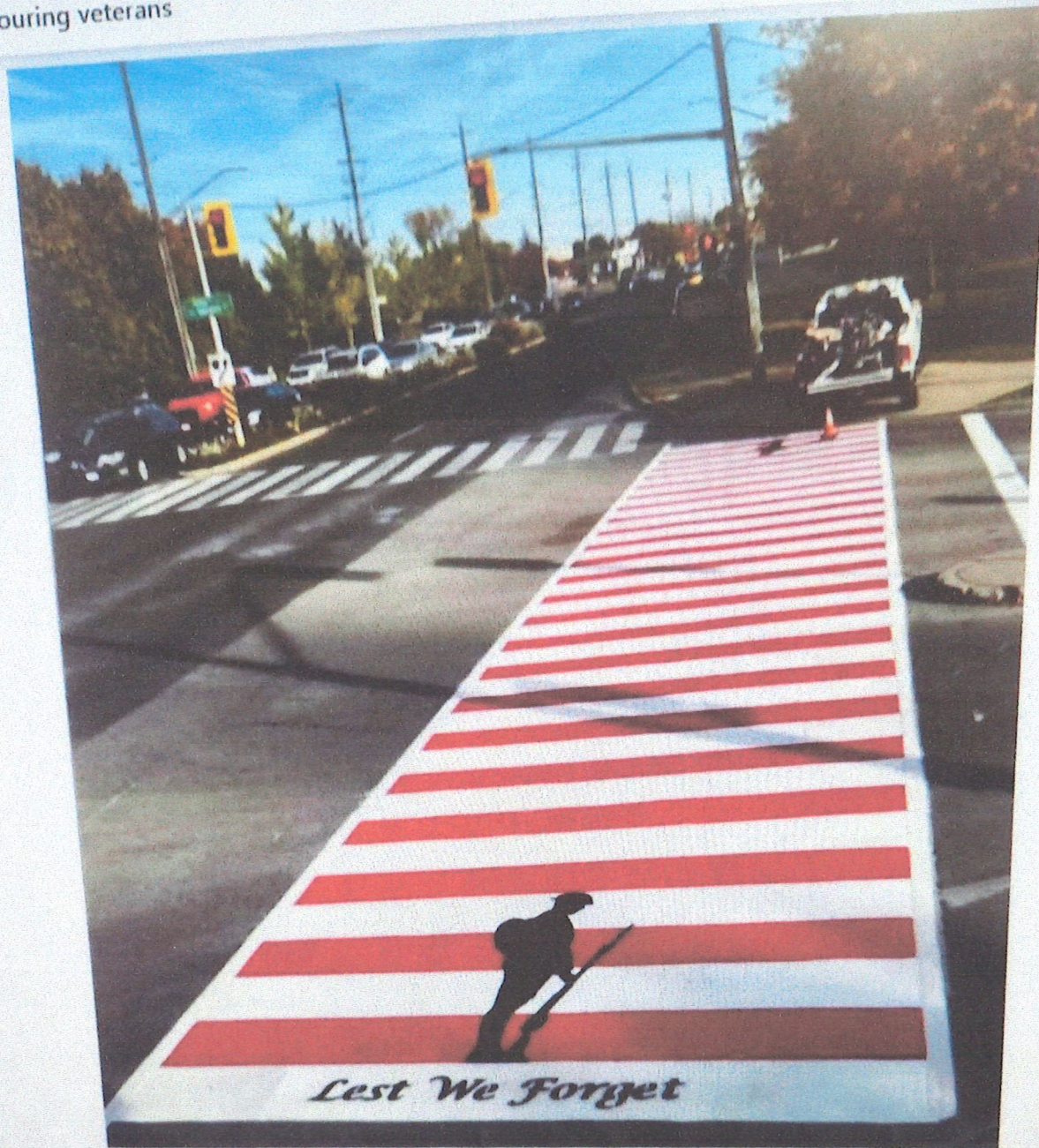
A possible local for this project might be the entrance to Stanley Road at the traffic circle due to its proximity to the cenotaph.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request. I am confident that a veteran's-themed crosswalk would be a powerful symbol of remembrance and respect in our town.



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