

## **Toilets at the Heritage Sites for Seasonal Operations and Special Events**

The heritage sites currently have two accessible public washrooms at the Train Station and Visitor Centre. This number of toilets is insufficient when special events and large tours groups are on site. To remedy the shortfall in amenities and allow food to be served at special events the AHF are proposing two options. Both options include fully serviced units.

### **Option 1 Additional Season Toilets and Portable Toilets for Special Events**

#### **Cost \$14,611**

This would provide three additional toilets that would be located on the River Lots from May to September when the heritage sites are open to the public. This would include an accessible unit and two trailer style washrooms with hand-washing facilities. For special events six additional portable units would be brought onsite.

The advantages of this option are:

- The additional toilets would allow food to be served at special events.
- There would be washrooms (including an accessible unit) for public use on the River Lots from May to September.
- Toilets located on the River Lots would mean visitors would not have to cross a public road to access washrooms.
- This would increase visitor washrooms from two to five when the sites are open to the public.

### **Option 2 Additional Portable Toilets for Special Event Only**

#### **Cost \$7,295**

This option is to bring ten portable washrooms (including one accessible unit) onto the river lots for two special events only.

The advantage of this option is:

- The additional toilets would allow food to be served at special events.
- Lower cost.

This option does not:

- Increase the number of washrooms available to visitors when the sites are open to the public.
- Alleviate River Lot visitors having to cross a public road to access washrooms.

Our preferred option is Option 1 as it provides a better seasonal solution and experience for visitors to the heritage sites.