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Welland Canal Fallen Workers Memorial Task Force
hosting community open houses

January 20, 2016 - The Welland Canal Fallen Workers Memorial Task Force is continuing its work to design, build and finance a memorial to honour 137 men whose lives were lost during construction of the canal.

On Monday February 8, 2016 the community is invited to get a closer look at the plans for the memorial, meet designers from Dereck Revington Studio Inc. and members of the Task Force at two Niagara open houses:

South Niagara:
Monday, Feb. 8
3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.,
in the Council Chambers at
Port Colborne City Hall, Council Chambers
66 Charlotte St, Port Colborne.

North Niagara:
Monday, Feb. 8
6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.
St. Catharines Museum and Welland Canals Centre, Lock View Lounge

The Task Force is continuing to seek support from the marine and business community, community partners, and members of the public. Once fundraising is complete, the memorial will be built in 2017. For more information about the memorial, to view the design or to make a contribution, please visit
www.stcatharines.ca/CanalWorkersMemorial

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