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THIS MEMORIAL IS ERECTED IN LOVING
MEMORY TO THE 12 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
MURDERED BY THE IRA AND IN RECOGNITION
TO THE SCORES OF INNOCENT CIVILIANS
INJURED ON REMEMBRANCE DAY,
SUNDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 1987



The Ely Centre is a Registered Charity specialising in the provision of multi-disciplinary support services for civilians, security force personnel and their families, who have experienced bereavement and injury as a result of the "Troubles" in Fermanagh and Tyrone.

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The Enniskillen Memorial Project

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BACKGROUND

November 8th 1987 will be remembered as one of the darkest days in Northern Ireland's history. As the community gathered at the cenotaph in Enniskillen for the annual Remembrance Day ceremony, a bomb planted by the IRA exploded causing death and destruction on a devastating scale.

The attack murdered a total of 12 people and injured countless others, both physically and mentally. Many of those affected still live with these scars everyday of their lives.

THE PROJECT

Since that fateful day victims, families and friends have been involved in a 29-year campaign to see a permanent memorial erected in memory of those who were killed and injured.

In 2014 The Ely Centre commissioned a feasibility study, undertaken by MacAulay Associates, to ascertain the consensual views, opinions and thoughts of a broad range of stakeholders in relation to the construction of a new memorial to remember the Poppy Day bomb attack of 1987. The findings of this study shaped the proposal details which follow.

LOCATION

"People should know what happened here"

The memorial will be located as close as possible to where the bomb exploded, planning permission permitting.

The photos printed on this leaflet show an illustrated image of the proposed memorial and do not represent a finalised design or location.

TERMINOLOGY

"This memorial is erected in loving memory to the 12 innocent civilians murdered by the IRA and in recognition to the scores of innocent civilians injured on Remembrance Day, Sunday 8th November 1987"

To ensure that the inhumanity and brutality of the violence of the Troubles is not discarded and 'airbrushed from the annals of history', proper recognition should be given to the suffering of innocent victims.

The names of the 12 murdered will be engraved upon the memorial and it will be a source of recognition of those who have been left injured as a result of the Troubles.

DESIGN

The memorial will be of traditional design, low maintenance and self-sustaining. The design will endeavor to have maximum impact from black polished marble with grey or white lettering. Depending on cost, it may or may not be enclosed.

S. McConnell & Sons have been appointed to construct the Memorial

The memorial will be privately funded, with an estimated price of £15,000.-£20,000

OTHER INFORMATION

If you have any queries please contact our memorial fundraising team on 028 66320977 or at 52 Forthill Street, Enniskillen, Co Fermanagh, BT74 6AJ . We are here to journey with you to make your contribution as personal and rewarding as possible and will endeavour to keep you updated on the work you're investing in.

DONATIONS

If you wish to donate towards the memorial you can do so by any of the methods below:

Bank Transfer

Account Number: 17532078

Account Sortcode: 93-80-76

Cheque

Please make cheques out to 'Enniskillen Memorial Fund' and send them or leave them in to the Ely Centre at 52 Forthill Street, Enniskillen, BT74 6AJ.

Online

Visit www.mydonate.bt.com/charities/theelycentre to donate online using a debit or credit card.

Text Message

Text MEMO12 followed by the amount you wish to donate (up to £10) to 70070. For example, to donate £10 text MEMO12 £10 to 70070. If you wish to donate more than £10 you can send more than one text.

