|                |      | AGENDA<br>Township of North Dundas<br>636 St. Lawrence Street Winchester ON<br>Tuesday, July 13, 2021<br>Regular Meeting wil follow the Public Meeting<br>that starts at 6:30 PM   | Page    |
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| £.             | a)   | Additions, Deletions or Amendments<br>All matters listed under Consent Agenda, are considered to<br>be routine and will be enacted by one motion. Should a<br>Council member wish an alternative action from the<br>proposed recommendation, the Council member shall<br>request that this matter be moved to the appropriate section<br>at this time. |         |
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### TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

### PUBLIC MEETING TO CONSIDER TWO ZONING AMENDMENTS

### June 22, 2021

A Public Meeting of Council, under Section 34 of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990*, as amended was held to consider two proposed zoning amendments; one to the former Township of Winchester Zoning By-law No. 12-93 and one to the former Township of Mountain Zoning By-law 79-6. The meeting was held virtually and broadcast on the Township's You-Tube channel. Pre-registration was offered to members of the public who wished to address Council during the public meeting.

### Roll Call:

| Mayor Fraser           | Present |
|------------------------|---------|
| Deputy Mayor Armstrong | Present |
| Councillor Annable     | Present |
| Councillor Hoy         | Present |
| Councillor Thompson    | Present |

Township of North Dundas Staff present included CAO, Angela Rutley; Township Planner, Calvin Pol, Deputy Clerk Nancy Johnston and Clerk, Jo-Anne McCaslin who recorded the minutes.

Chairperson Fraser called for a motion to open the public meeting.

Moved by Councillor Thompson and seconded by Councillor Hoy that the Public Meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas to consider two Zoning By-law Amendments be hereby called to order at 6:31 pm (Martin Reichert & Marc Bisson/Maurice Lafortune Investments.) CARRIED.

The Chairperson confirmed that in accordance with Section 34 of the Planning Act and Ontario Regulation 545/06, Public Notices were mailed out, emailed and signs posted on June 2, 2021.

The Chairperson declared the meeting properly constituted as per the requirements of the *Planning Act* and called the meeting to order.

Detailed planning reports and draft by-laws prepared by Township Planner; Calvin Pol were previously circulated to Council and posted on the Township Website. The Chairperson then turned the meeting over to Mr. Pol who then made a power point presentation outlining the proposed amendments.

It was pointed out by the Planner that if a person or public body does not make oral submissions at this public meeting or make written submissions to North Dundas Township before the by-law is passed, the person or public body may not be entitled to appeal the decision of the Council of North Dundas to the Ontario Land Tribunal.

Planner Calvin Pol explained the Marc Brisson Amendment

The Township of North Dundas has received an application to amend the former Township of Mountain Zoning By-law No. 79-6 to rezone two blocks to Estate Residential – Exception Three (ER-3) to allow the construction of single detached residential dwellings in accordance with the approved plan of subdivision.

The property/land to which the proposed Zoning By-law amendment applies is the subject of a plan of subdivision.

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The applicant has applied to amend the former Township of Mountain Zoning By-law No. 79-6, on behalf of Falcon Home Construction Inc. to rezone the two blocks from Rural (RU) to Estate Residential – Exception Three (ER-3) to facilitate the development of the parcels in accordance with the plan of subdivision and the zoning will be consistent with the rest of Country Lane.

The County Official Plan designation is Rural Settlement Area, which allows for rural subdivisions and low-density residential development.

In closing, Mr. Pol commented the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment constitutes good planning and is consistent with the 2020 Provincial Policy Statement and the County Official Plan.

Comments received under Section 34(15) of the Planning Act:

### Ministries & Public Bodies:

No comments have been received to date.

Comments from the Public: None.

The Chairperson asked Members of Council if they had any questions or concerns and then opened the Public Meeting to questions and comments.

There were no questions from Council. The Applicant was not present and there were no members of the public present.

Planner Calvin Pol explained the Martin Reichert Amendment

The Township of North Dundas has received an application to amend the former Township of Winchester Zoning By-law No. 12-93 to rezone a property to Light Industrial – Exception One (ML-1) to allow a custom workshop.

The lands affected by this amendment are described as Part of Lot 18, Concession 11, Part 1 on Registered Plan 8R-4740, former Township of Winchester, now the Township of North Dundas.

If the proposed by-law amendment is adopted, the subject land will be rezoned to Light Industrial – Exception One (ML-1) to allow a custom workshop, specifically for woodworking and drying and selling of garlic crops.

The property/land to which the proposed Zoning By-law amendment applies is not the subject of another application under the *Planning Act.* 

Comments received under Section 34(15) of the Planning Act:

Ministries & Public Bodies:

No comments have been received to date.

### Public Meeting Comments:

A neighbour spoke with Planning Technician, Paul Clarke during a site visit. The neighbour expressed support for the business.

The Clerk also received a written letter from a neighbour expressing their support for the proposed zoning amendment.

The Chairperson asked Members of Council if they had any questions or concerns and then opened the Public Meeting to questions and comments.

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There were no questions from Council. The Applicant was not present and there were no members of the public present.

Chairperson Fraser stated the by-laws would be considered during the regular meeting of Council.

Moved by Councillor Thompson and seconded by Councillor Hoy that the Public Meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township Dundas to consider two Zoning By-law Amendments be hereby adjourned at 6:45 pm. (Martin Reichert & Marc Bisson/Maurice Lafortune Investments.) CARRIED.

Tony Fraser, CHAIRPERSON

Jo-Anne McCaslin, CLERK

### THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS MINUTES

### June 22, 2021

A meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas was held in Council Chambers in Winchester Village on June 22, 2021 with Mayor Fraser in the Chair. The meeting was held virtually and broadcast on the Township's YouTube Channel.

ROLL CALL: Mayor: Tony Fraser Deputy Mayor: Allan Armstrong Councillors: Gary Annable, Tyler Hoy, John Thompson CAO: Angela Rutley Director of Planning, Building & Enforcement: Calvin Pol Deputy Clerk: Nancy Johnston Clerk: Jo-Anne McCaslin

- Call Meeting to Order by Resolution Resolution No. 01 THAT the meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas be hereby called to order at 6:48 pm. CARRIED
- 2. Adoption of Agenda Resolution No. 02 Moved by Councillor Thompson Seconded by Deputy Mayor Armstrong

THAT Council approve the agenda as presented. CARRIED

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof - NIL

- 4. Adoption of Minutes
  - a) Public Meeting June 9, 2021 Resolution No. 03

Moved by Councillor Thompson Seconded by Councillor Hoy

THAT the minutes of the Public Meeting of the Council of the Township of North Dundas, held June 9th, 2021 be adopted as presented. CARRIED

b) Regular Meeting June 9, 2021 Resolution No. 04

Moved by Deputy Mayor Armstrong Seconded by Councillor Thompson

THAT the minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the Township of North Dundas, held June 9, 2021 be adopted as presented. CARRIED

- 5. Delegations
  - a) Eric Duncan MP, Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry MP Duncan highlighted six topics of interest being considered by the Federal Government that directly impact North Dundas. Items included: Constituency Office Update, Cell & Internet Services (EORN), Via Rail, 9-8-8 National Suicide Line, Affordable Housing/Rental Income and Infrastructure Funding Programs.

Resolution No. 05 THAT Council acknowledges the presentation provided by Eric Duncan, MP Stormont-Dundas-Glengarry this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2021. CARRIED

6. Closed Session

Resolution No. 06

Moved by Councillor Annable Seconded by Councillor Hoy

THAT Council proceed in Camera at 7:33 pm pursuant to Section 239 (2) of The Municipal Act S.O. 2001 (c) a proposed or pending acquisition or disposition of land by the Municipality or local

board. CARRIED 7. Open Session Resolution No. 07

Moved by Deputy Mayor Armstrong Seconded by Councillor Annable

THAT Council move to Open Session at 7:50 pm. CARRIED

Resolution No.08

Moved by Councillor Thompson Seconded by Councillor Hoy

THAT Council authorizes Staff to proceed as directed on property matters as discussed in Closed Session. CARRIED

- 8. Action Requests
  - a) Finance NIL
  - b) Economic Development and Communications NIL
  - c) Public Works NIL
  - d) Waste Management NIL
  - e) Planning Building and Enforcement
    - Accept Zoning Amendment Application from Dario Laliberte Resolution No. 09 Moved by Deputy Mayor Armstrong Seconded by Councillor Annable THAT Council hereby accepts the zoning amendment application from Dario Laliberte as complete and directs that the public meeting be held on July 13th, 2021 at 6:30 pm. CARRIED
  - f) Recreation and Culture NIL
  - g) Fire NIL
  - h) CAO
    - i) Pandemic Staff Accommodation Policy Resolution No. 10

Moved by Councillor Thompson

Seconded by Councillor Hoy

THAT Council approves policy #88-2020, a COVID-19 Staff Accommodation Policy, as amended to extend the effective date from June 30th to September 30th, 2021. CARRIED

- i) Clerk NIL
- 9. Tenders and Quotations NIL
- 10. By-laws
  - a) By-law No. 2021-43 Country Lane Zoning By-law Amendment Resolution No. 11
     Moved by Councillor Annable Seconded by Deputy Mayor Armstrong THAT By-law No. 2021-43, being a By-law to amend the former Township of Mountain Zoning By-law No. 79-6, as amended, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 22nd day of June, 2021. CARRIED

 b) By-law No. 2021-44 Martin Reichert Zoning By-law Amendment Resolution No. 12
 Moved by Deputy Mayor Armstrong Seconded by Councillor Thompson THAT By-law No. 2021-44, being a By-law to amend the former Township of Winchester Zoning By-law No. 12-93, as amended, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 22nd day of June, 2021. CARRIED

 c) By-law No. 2021-45 Establish Certain Fees and Charges Resolution No. 13 Moved by Councillor Hoy Seconded by Councillor Annable THAT By-law No. 2021-45, being a By-law to Establish Fees for certain Licences, Permits, Certificates and various services be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 22nd day of June, 2021. CARRIED

### 11. Key Information

a) Clerk- Flag Protocol Policy – Clerk McCaslin presented a draft policy outlining protocol relating to displaying flags and flying flags at half mast to mark a period of mourning and to commemorate special observances on properties owned and operated by the Township of North Dundas. Mayor Fraser requested the policy be amended to include flying the Pride flag at the municipal office during the month of June.

Resolution No. 14 Moved by Deputy Mayor Armstrong Seconded by Councillor Thompson THAT Council approves policy #90-2021, a Flag Protocol Policy, as amended, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2021. CARRIED 12. Consent Agenda Resolution No. 15

Moved by Councillor Annable Seconded by Councillor Hoy

Support for 988 Crisis Line

WHEREAS the Federal government has passed a motion to adopt 988, a National three-digit suicide and crisis hotline;

AND WHEREAS the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has increased the demand for suicide prevention services by 200 per cent;

AND WHEREAS existing suicide prevention hotlines require the user to remember a 10-digit number and go through directories or be placed on hold;

AND WHEREAS in 2022 the United States will have in place a national 988 crisis hotline;

AND WHEREAS the Township of North Dundas Council recognizes that it is a significant and important initiative to ensure critical barriers are removed to those in a crisis and seeking help;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Township of North Dundas Council endorses this 988-crisis line initiative;

and that Staff be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to MP Eric Duncan, to indicate our support. CARRIED.

### 13. Boards and Committees

a) County Council: Mayor Fraser congratulated Deputy Mayor Armstrong on being elected Warden of the United Counties of SDG.

Mayor Fraser advised the Counties have agreed to revise the speed limits on County Rd 1 in Hallville. Using landmarks, travelling north on County Rd 1, the 50 km zone will be extended about 200 metres north of the existing sign, putting it south of the new road into the Wylie Creek subdivision. A new transitional 60 km zone will be extended about 250 metres north at the Hallville Fire Station and will end at the village limits.

- b) Art on the Waterfront: A social event is in the works in conjunction with the Chesterville and District Agricultural Society. More details to follow.
- c) Canada Day: Mayor Fraser –Unfortunately, no celebrations this year.

- d) Chesterville & District Historical Society: Councillor Thompson No report.
- e) Chesterville Carnival: Councillor Thompson No report.
- f) Dairyfest: Councillor Hoy No report.
- g) Display of Lights: Mayor Fraser No report.
- h) Fire Steering Committee: Fire Commissioner Armstrong Hoping to schedule an in-person meeting in the near future in a suitably sized building.
- i) Winchester Downtown Revitalization: Councillor Annable Flags have been repaired and erected on poles in the downtown core.
- 14. Motions and Notices of Motions NIL
- 15.Petitions NIL
- 16.Council Comments and Concerns:
  - a) Gypsy Lane

Mayor Fraser advised it has come to his attention that the east portion of what is commonly called "Gypsy Lane" has not been officially named. With a new business proposed in this area, he feels this is an appropriate time to properly name the road.

b) August meeting:

Mayor Fraser advised the date for the regular meeting has been changed from August 10<sup>th</sup> to August 17<sup>th</sup>.

c) Public Swimming:

Public swimming will be available this weekend, preregistration is required. Please contact the Township for details.

- 17.Miscellaneous/Unfinished Business NIL
- 18.Ratification By-law Resolution No.16

Moved by Councillor Hoy Seconded by Councillor Thompson onfirm and ratify matters dealt with by resolution, signed and sealed this 22nd day of June, 2021.

THAT By-law No. 2021-46 to adopt, confirm and ratify matters dealt with by resolution, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 22nd day of June, 2021. CARRIED

### 19.Adjournment by Resolution Resolution No. 17

Moved by Councillor Thompson Seconded by Councillor Annable

THAT Council adjourn at 8:30 pm to the call of the Chair.

MAYOR

CLERK

Presentation of 2020 Draft Financial Statements



## TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS AUDIT FINAL REPORT TO THE COUNCIL

July 13, 2021



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### SUMMARY

Our audit and therefore this report will not necessarily identify all matters that may be of interest to the Council in fulfilling its responsibilities. This report has been prepared solely for the use of the Council and should not be distributed without our prior consent. Consequently, we accept no responsibility to a third party that uses this communication.



#### Status of the Audit

As of the date of this report, we have substantially completed our audit of the 2020 financial statements, pending completion of the following items:

- Receipt of signed management representation letter
- Subsequent events review through to financial statement approval date
- Approval of financial statements by the Council

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. The objective of our audit was to obtain reasonable, not absolute, assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

The scope of the work performed was substantially the same as that described in our Planning Report to the Council dated February 9, 2021.

### Internal Control Matters

We are required to report to you in writing, any significant deficiencies in internal control that we have identified. The specifics of this communication are included in our report below. No control deficiencies were noted that, in our opinion, are of significant importance to discuss with those charged with governance.

## Materiality

As communicated to you in our Planning Report to the Council, preliminary materiality was \$350,000. Final materiality remained consistent with what was planned.

## Audit Findings

Our audit focused on the risks specific to your business and key accounts. Our discussion points below focus on areas of significant risks of material misstatement, or the following items:

- ► Revenue recognition
- Liability for contaminated sites
- Management override of controls

## Independence

Our annual letter confirming our independence was previously provided to you. We know of no circumstances that would cause us to amend the previously provided letter.





#### Adjusted and unadjusted Differences

We have disclosed all significant adjusted and unadjusted differences identified through the course of our audit engagement. Each of these items has been discussed with management.

Management has determined that the unadjusted differences are immaterial both individually and in aggregate to the financial statements taken as a whole. Should the Council agree with this assessment, we do not propose further adjustments.

For purposes of our discussion, a summary of adjusted and unadjusted differences omissions has been presented in Appendix A.



Through our planning process, and current and prior years' audits, we have developed an understanding of your oversight processes. We are not currently aware of any fraud affecting the Township.

If you are aware of changes to processes or are aware of any instances of actual, suspected or alleged fraud affecting the Township since our discussions held at planning, we request that you provide us with this information. Please refer to the Auditor's Responsibilities for Detecting Fraud in the Planning Report to the Council.

## Management Representations

During the course of our audit, management made certain representations to us. These representations were verbal or written and therefore explicit, or they were implied through the financial statements. Management provided representations in response to specific queries from us, as well as unsolicited representations. Such representations were part of the evidence gathered by us to be able to draw reasonable conclusions on which to base our audit opinion. These representations were documented by including in the audit working papers memoranda of discussions with management and written representations received from management.

### AUDIT FINDINGS

As part of our ongoing communications with you, we are required to have a discussion on our views about significant qualitative aspects of the Township's accounting practices, including accounting policies, accounting estimates and financial statement disclosures. In order to have a frank and open discussion, these matters will be discussed verbally with you. A summary of the key discussion points are as follows:

| SIGNIFICANT RISKS OF<br>MATERIAL<br>MISSTATEMENT | RISKS NOTED   | AUDIT FINDINGS   |
|--|---|--|
| Revenue recognition                              | Canadian Auditing Standards require the<br>audits to include a significant risk with<br>regards to revenue recognition. | We reviewed the taxes receivable listing and assessed the reasonability of the allowance for doubtful accounts. We concluded that the allowance recorded was reasonable.<br>In addition, we sent confirmations to residents to ensure the existence of outstanding balances. Based on the confirmations, we concluded that the outstanding balances existed since no discrepancies were noted. |
| Liability for contaminated sites                 | There are significant estimates used to determine the liability for contaminated sites.                                 | We reviewed the analysis performed by management to identify the sites that are affected by this Standard. Based on our testing, we concur with management's conclusions.  |
| Management override of controls                  | Management override of controls is a standard risk in all audits.   | We reviewed the journal entries recorded during the year and performed audit work to evaluate the risk of fraud. No issues were encountered in our testing.  |

### **OTHER RISKS AND PLANNED RESPONSE**

| AREAS OF FOCUS                        | RISKS NOTED  | AUDIT FINDINGS  |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Estimates on the landfill obligations | Risk related to the nature of the estimate.  | We reviewed the analysis performed by management to identify the sites that are affected by this Standard. Based on our testing, we concur with management's conclusions. |
| WSIB liability                        | Risk there are any claims from<br>emergency respondents of the Township<br>for health claims.  | As in prior years, we include the estimate of the liability on our summary of unadjusted misstatements.   |
| Potential lawsuits                    | Risk of potential lawsuits against the township.   | We reviewed the legal expenses and received legal confirmations. No issue noted.  |
| Recognition of grant revenue          | Risk that grants are not recorded in the proper period.  | We reviewed a sample of grant agreements.<br>No issues noted in our testing.  |
| COVID-19                              | The impact of COVID-19 is far reaching<br>and continuously evolving. The virus<br>could have an impact on the Township<br>in the future (i.e. realization of assets<br>and revenue streams). | We discussed the impact of COVID-19 with management, and considered the impact in each financial statement area. Adapted testing for area deemed touch by COVID-19        |
| Accounting of<br>Subdivisions project | Risk of capital assets transferred to the<br>Township as part of subdivision projects<br>are missing in the financial statement.   | We reviewed all subdivision agreement and correct the financial statement upon finding some missing assets.   |

### INTERNAL CONTROL MATTERS

During the course of our audit, we performed the following procedures with respect to the Township's internal control environment:

- Documented operating systems to assess the design and implementation of control activities that were relevant to the audit.
- Discussed and considered potential audit risks with management.

The results of these procedures were considered in determining the extent and nature of substantive audit testing required.

We are required to report to you in writing, significant deficiencies in internal control that we have identified during the audit. A significant deficiency is defined as a deficiency or combination of deficiencies in internal control that, in the auditor's professional judgment, is of sufficient importance to merit the attention of those charged with governance.

As the purpose of the audit is for us to express an opinion on the Township's financial statements, our audit cannot be expected to disclose all matters that may be of interest to you. As part of our work, we considered internal control relevant to the preparation of the financial statements such that we were able to design appropriate audit procedures. This work was not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control.

Although no control deficiencies were noted that, in our opinion, are of significant importance to discuss with those charged with governance, we have issued a management letter which can be found in Appendix B.

### OTHER REQUIRED COMMUNICATIONS

Potential effect on the financial statements of any material risks and exposures, such as pending litigation, that are required to be disclosed in the financial statements.

•BDO Response: There are instances of claims but it is too early to determine the outcome as such no liability has been recorded in the financial statements.

Material uncertainties related to events and conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity's ability to continue as a going concern.

•BDO Response: None noted

Disagreements with management about matters that, individually or in the aggregate, could be significant to the entity's financial statements or our audit report.

•BDO Response: None noted

Matters involving non-compliance with laws and regulations.

•BDO Response: None noted

Significant related party transactions that are not in the normal course of operations and which involve significant judgments made by management concerning measurement or disclosure.

•BDO Response: None noted

Management consultation with other accountants about significant auditing and accounting matters.

•BDO Response: None noted

Other Matters

BDO Response: None noted

Professional standards require independent auditors to communicate with those charged with governance certain matters in relation to an audit. In addition to the points communicated within this letter, the attached table summarizes these additional required communications.

### **APPENDICES**

- Appendix A: Adjusted and unadjusted differences
- Appendix B: Management letter
- Appendix C: BDO resources

## APPENDIX A: ADJUSTED AND UNADJUSTED DIFFERENCES

### **Township of North Dundas**

| Year | End: | December | 31, | 2020 |  |
|------|------|----------|-----|------|--|
|      |      |          |     |      |  |

Journal Entries Date: 01/01/2020 To 12/31/2020

|               |            |                | 0           |
|---------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| Prepared by   | Detail Rev | Gen Rev        | Quality Rev |
|               |            | AJB 05/31/2021 |             |
| 4th Level Rev | Tax Rev    | IS Audit Rev   | Other Rev   |

Presentation of 2020 Draft Financial Statements

| Number | Date       | Name  | Account No                     | Reference            | Debit                  | Credit                   | Recurrence | Misstatement |
|--------|------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------|
| 1      | 12/31/2020 | Capital Expenditures reclassified in Cap Assets   | 9999                           | U.03                 |                        | 3,886,377.45             |            |              |
| 1      | 12/31/2020 | Investment in Tangible Capital Assets   | 1-6-9900-9900                  | U.03                 | 3,886,377.45           |                          |            |              |
|        |            | To reclassify the adjustment to   |                                |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
|        |            | the capital expenditures from an equity account   | to a contract account          |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
| 2      | 12/31/2020 | Cap Exp - Materials - Administration  | 4000                           | U.03                 | 866.07                 |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Materials - Protection  | 4005                           | U.03                 | 5,924.28               |                          |            |              |
| 2<br>2 |            | Cap Exp - Cont. Services - Protection<br>Cap Exp - Materials -Environmental                   | 4006<br>4010                   | U.03<br>U.03         | 6,816.14<br>184,300.48 |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Cont. Services - Environmental  | 4010                           | U.03                 | 220,658.75             |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Materials -Parks and recreation   | 4015                           | U.03                 | 7,416.00               |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Cont. Services - Parks and Recreatio  |                                | U.03                 | 17,364.45              |                          |            |              |
| 2      | 12/31/2020 | Cap Exp - Materials - Planning & Development  | 4020                           | U.03                 | 2,517.60               |                          |            |              |
| 2      | 12/31/2020 | Cap Exp - Cont. Services - Planning & Developm  | 4021                           | U.03                 | 694.51                 |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Materials - Transportation  | 4025                           | U.03                 | 10,053.82              |                          |            |              |
| 2      |            | Cap Exp - Cont. Services - Transportation   | 4026                           | U.03                 | 85.00                  | 044 070 05               |            |              |
| 2<br>2 |            | Cap Expenditures reclassified in Materials<br>Cap Expenditures reclassified in Cont. Services | 9997                           | U.03<br>U.03         |                        | 211,078.25<br>245,618.85 |            |              |
| 2      | 12/31/2020 | Cap Experiations reclassified in Cont. Services   | 9990                           | 0.03                 |                        | 245,018.85               |            |              |
|        |            | To reclassify capital expenditures  |                                |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
|        |            | to materials and contributed services   |                                |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Road Base   | 1-6-3101-3000                  | U.08. 1              | 561,771.67             |                          |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Acc. Amort Road Base  | 1-6-3101-3050                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 85,959.29                |            |              |
| 5      |            | Road Surface  | 1-6-3101-3100                  | U.08. 1              | 299,533.33             |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Road Surface   | 1-6-3101-3150                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 47,950.00                |            |              |
| 5      |            | Storm Linear  | 1-6-3101-3900                  | U.08. 1              | 92,000.00              | 40.000.07                |            |              |
| 5<br>5 | 12/31/2020 | Acc. Amort Storm Linear   | 1-6-3101-3950<br>1-6-3800-3600 | U.08. 1<br>U.08. 1   | 800.00                 | 12,266.67                |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Illumination   | 1-6-3800-3650                  | U.08. 1              | 000.00                 | 293.33                   |            |              |
| 5      |            | Land Improvements   | 1-6-7260-1100                  | U.08. 1              | 20,490.00              | 200100                   |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Land Improvements  | 1-6-7260-1150                  | U.08. 1              | -,                     | 683.00                   |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Water Linear  | 1-6-9000-6100                  | U.08. 1              | 19,133.33              |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Water Linear   | 1-6-9000-6150                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 2,296.00                 |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 |   | 1-6-9000-6600                  | U.08. 1              | 18,133.33              |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Valves   | 1-6-9000-6650                  | U.08. 1              | 57 000 00              | 4,352.00                 |            |              |
| 5      |            | Water Linear  | 1-6-9010-6100<br>1-6-9010-6150 | U.08. 1              | 57,000.00              | E 700 00                 |            |              |
| 5<br>5 | 12/31/2020 | Acc. Amort Water Linear<br>Valves   | 1-6-9010-6600                  | U.08. 1<br>U.08. 1   | 36,000.00              | 5,700.00                 |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Valves   | 1-6-9010-6650                  | U.08. 1              | 00,000.00              | 7,200.00                 |            |              |
| 5      |            | Sanitary Linear   | 1-6-9020-6200                  | U.08. 1              | 65,200.00              | ,                        |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Acc. Amort Snaitary Linear  | 1-6-9020-6250                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 7,824.00                 |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Sanitary Linear   | 1-6-9030-6200                  | U.08. 1              | 56,000.00              |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Acc. Amort Sanitary Linear  | 1-6-9030-6250                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 5,600.00                 |            |              |
| 5      |            | Investment in Tangible Capital Assets   | 1-6-9900-9900                  | U.08. 1              |                        | 621,211.22               |            |              |
| 5<br>F |            | Road Base - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-3101-5300                  | U.08. 1              | 16,772.07              |                          |            |              |
| 5<br>5 |            | Parking Lots - Amortization<br>Storm Linear - Amortization Expense                            | 1-7-3101-5350<br>1-7-3101-5390 | U.08. 1<br>U.08. 1   | 10,204.44<br>1,226.67  |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Illumination - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-3800-5370                  | U.08. 1              | 26.67                  |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Land Improvements - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-7260-5110                  | U.08. 1              | 683.00                 |                          |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Water Linear - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9000-5610                  | U.08. 1              | 191.33                 |                          |            |              |
| 5      | 12/31/2020 | Valves - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9000-5660                  | U.08. 1              | 362.67                 |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Water Linear - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9010-5610                  | U.08. 1              | 570.00                 |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Valves - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9010-5660                  | U.08. 1              | 720.00                 |                          |            |              |
| 5      |            | Sanitary Linear - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-9020-5620                  | U.08. 1              | 652.00                 |                          |            |              |
| 5<br>5 |            | Sanitary Linear - Amortization Expense<br>Developers asset contributions                      | 1-7-9030-5620<br>1-7-9900-8005 | U.08. 1<br>U.08. 1   | 560.00                 | 456,695.00               |            |              |
|        | 12/01/2020 |   |                                | 0.00. 1              |                        | 400,000.00               |            |              |
|        |            | To book contributed asset in 2020, and the amortization of previously transfered cor          | tributed assets.               |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
| 6      | 12/31/2020 | Transfer - Interest on Reserve and Reserve Fun  | 2900                           | UU1.03               | 21,610.03              |                          |            |              |
| 6      | 12/31/2020 | Interest on Reserve and Reserve Fund  | 5500                           | UU1.03               |                        | 21,610.03                |            |              |
|        |            | To record the interest income on the reserve and reserve funds.                               |                                |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
|        |            |   |                                |                      | F0 007 77              |                          |            |              |
| 7      |            | Landfill Closure And Post Closure Costs   | 1-1-1450-1200<br>1-2-1400-1202 | HH_PS.03<br>HH_PS.03 | 52,833.00              | 52,833.00                |            |              |
| 7      | 12/21/2020 |   |                                |                      |                        |                          |            |              |
| 7<br>7 |            | Landfill Closure & Post-Closure Costs<br>Landfill Obligations                                 | 1-5-4020-7811                  | HH_PS.03             | 52,833.00              | 52,055.00                |            |              |

| Township of North Dundas                       |               |            |                           | 0.10-1      |
|--|---------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Year End: December 31, 2020<br>Journal Entries | Prepared by   | Detail Rev | Gen Rev<br>AJB 05/31/2021 | Quality Rev |
| Date: 01/01/2020 To 12/31/2020                 | 4th Level Rev | Tax Rev    | IS Audit Rev              | Other Rev   |
|  |               |            |                           |             |

| Number | Date       | Name   | Account No    | Reference | Debit      | Credit       | Recurrence | Misstatement |
|--------|------------|--|---------------|-----------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| 7      | 12/31/2020 | Landfill Closure/Expansion                                   | 1-5-4020-8002 | HH_PS.03  |            | 52,833.00    |            |              |
|        |            | To record the additional estimated andfill remediation costs |               |           |            |              |            |              |
|        |            |  |               | 5,7       | 728,381.09 | 5,728,381.09 |            |              |

Net Income (Loss)

1,074,897.33

| Township of North Dundas<br>Year End: December 31, 2020 |             |   | Prepared by Detail Rev         |               |         | Gei            | Rev       | 0.11<br>Quality Rev | 1          |              |
|---|-------------|---|--------------------------------|---------------|---------|----------------|-----------|---------------------|------------|--------------|
| Journal Entries   |             | _   |                                |               |         | AJB 05/31/2021 |           | -                   |            |              |
| Date: 01  | /01/2020 To | 12/31/2020  |                                | 4th Level Rev |         | Tax Rev        | IS Au     | dit Rev             | Other Rev  |              |
| Number  | Date        | Name  | Account No                     |               | Refe    | rence          | Debit     | Credit              | Recurrence | Misstatement |
| R1  | 12/31/2020  | Accounts Receivable - BookKing  | 1-1-1100-1142                  |               | KK.06   |                |           | 57,810.75           |            |              |
| R1  | 12/31/2020  | Deferred Revenue - BookKing   | 1-2-1100-3707                  |               | KK.06   |                | 57,810.75 |                     |            |              |
|   |             | To reclassify Bookking deferred<br>revenue also included in Bookking accounts rec     | eivable.                       |               |         |                |           |                     |            |              |
| R2  | 12/31/2020  | Donations & Transfers to Others   | 1-5-1200-2700                  |               | TB.06   |                |           | 50,000.00           |            |              |
| R2  | 12/31/2020  | Transfer to Reserves – Dundas Manor   | 1-5-1200-9002                  |               | TB.06   |                | 50,000.00 |                     |            |              |
| R2  | 12/31/2020  | Proceeds on Disposal of Capital Assets  | 1-7-3254-7000                  |               | TB.06   |                | 36,655.47 |                     |            |              |
| R2  | 12/31/2020  | Gain/Loss on Disposal of Capital Assets   | 1-7-3254-8000                  |               | TB.06   |                |           | 36,655.47           |            |              |
|   |             | PBC entry   |                                |               |         |                |           |                     |            |              |
|   | 10/01/0000  | Amortization Expanse Transportation   | 5002                           |               |         |                | 21.069.95 |                     |            |              |
| R4  |             | Amortization Expense - Transportation   | 5002                           |               |         |                | 31,968.85 | 16,772.07           |            |              |
| R4  |             | Road Base - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-3101-5300                  |               |         |                |           | 10,204.44           |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Road Surface - Amortization Expense<br>Storm Linear - Amortization Expense            | 1-7-3101-5310<br>1-7-3101-5390 |               |         |                |           | 1,226.67            |            |              |
|   |             | Illumination - Amortization Expense   |                                |               |         |                |           | 26.67               |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Land Improvements - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-3800-5370<br>1-7-7260-5110 |               |         |                |           | 683.00              |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Water Linear - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9000-5610                  |               |         |                |           | 191.33              |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | ·   |                                |               |         |                |           | 362.67              |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Valves - Amortization Expense<br>Water Linear - Amortization Expense                  | 1-7-9000-5660<br>1-7-9010-5610 |               |         |                |           | 570.00              |            |              |
| R4  |             | Valves - Amortization Expense   | 1-7-9010-5660                  |               |         |                |           | 720.00              |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Sanitary Linear - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-9020-5620                  |               |         |                |           | 652.00              |            |              |
| R4<br>R4  |             | Sanitary Linear - Amortization Expense  | 1-7-9020-5620                  |               |         |                |           | 560.00              |            |              |
|   |             | To reclassify subdivision addition<br>amortization to roads                           |                                |               |         |                |           |                     |            |              |
| <br>R5  | 12/31/2020  | Amortization Expense - Administration   | 5000                           |               | U.04. 1 |                | 80,550.82 |                     |            |              |
| R5  |             | Amortization Expense - Protection   | 5001                           |               | U.04. 1 | 1              | 74,232.37 |                     |            |              |
| R5  |             | Amortization Expense - Transportation   | 5002                           |               | U.04. 1 |                | 75,109.57 |                     |            |              |
| R5  | 12/31/2020  | Amortization Expense - Environmental  | 5003                           |               | U.04. 1 | 7              | 32,606.93 |                     |            |              |
| R5  | 12/31/2020  | Amortization Expense - Parks and Recreation   | 5004                           |               | U.04. 1 | 3              | 47,300.48 |                     |            |              |
| R5  | 12/31/2020  | Amortization Expense - Planning & development   | 5005                           |               | U.04. 1 |                |           |                     |            |              |
| R5  | 12/31/2020  | BDO Amortization reclassification   | 5006                           |               | U.04. 1 |                |           | 2,709,800.17        |            |              |
|   |             | To reclassify amortization expense<br>for financial purposes - to update with final # |                                |               |         |                |           |                     |            |              |
| R6  | 12/31/2020  | T/F Reserves Chesterville Fire  | 1-4-2040-9000                  |               | PBC     |                |           | 500.00              |            |              |
| R6  | 12/31/2020  | Donation & Transfer to Others   | 1-5-2040-2700                  |               | PBC     |                | 500.00    |                     |            |              |
|   |             | Proposed by client entry, correct<br>funds transfer out of reserves                   |                                |               |         |                |           |                     |            |              |
|   |             |   |                                |               |         |                | 86,735.24 | 2,886,735.24        |            |              |

Net Income (Loss) 1,074,897.33

### SUMMARY OF UNADJUSTED DIFFERENCES

The following is a summary of uncorrected misstatements noted during the course of our audit engagement:

#### Township of North Dundas Summary of Unadjusted Misstatements Thursday, December 31, 2020

|   |                             | Projections of<br>Identified<br>Misstatements | Estimates | Proposed Adjustments |                       |                       |               |  |
|---|-----------------------------|---|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|
| Description of Misstatement                     | Identified<br>Misstatements |   |           | Assets Dr(Cr)        | Liabilities<br>Dr(Cr) | Opening R/E<br>Dr(Cr) | Income Dr(Cr) |  |
| Understatement of WSIB liability                | 126,809                     |   | 126,809   |                      | (126,809)             | 126,809               |               |  |
|   |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
|   |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
|   |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
|   |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
|   | 7                           |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
|   |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
| Likely Aggregate Misstatements Before Effect of |                             |   |           |                      |                       |                       |               |  |
| Previous Year's Errors and Estimates            | 126,809                     |   | 126,809   | 8 <del></del> :      | (126,809)             | 126,809               | -             |  |
| Effect of Previous Year's Errors                |                             |   |           |                      | -                     | 198                   | -             |  |
| Likely Aggregate Misstatements                  |                             |   |           |                      | (126,809)             | 126,809               | -             |  |

Details of why no adjustment has been made to the financial statements for the above items:

Amounts are not significant and only estimate and would not sway the opinion of the financial statement users

### APPENDIX B: MANAGEMENT LETTER



July 13, 2021

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Township of North Dundas

Attention: Mr. Gareau 636 St. Lawrence Street P.O Box 489 Winchester, ON KOC 2K0

Dear Mr. Gareau, CPA, CA, AMCT

During the course of our audit of the financial statements of Township of North Dundas for the year ended December 31, 2020, we identified matters which may be of interest to management. The objective of an audit is to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of any material misstatement and it is not designed to identify matters that may be of interest to management in discharging its responsibilities. Accordingly an audit would not usually identify all such matters.

The responsibility for producing financial statements and ensuring adequate internal controls and sound business practices is the responsibility of the Board of Directors through management and is a part of management's overall responsibility for the ongoing activities of the township. Policies and procedures developed by the township to safeguard its assets and to provide reasonable assurance that errors and irregularities or illegal acts are promptly identified, must be properly monitored to ensure that all staff are complying with the guidelines provided. Where we determined, from our testing, that there exists a need for improvement in existing systems of internal control or if we detected that the township's staff are not complying with the critical accounting policies and procedures provided by management, we increased our year-end testing of account balances to ensure that audit risk was kept to an appropriately low level.

The comments and concerns expressed herein did not have a material effect on the township's financial statements and, as such, our opinion thereon was without reservation. However, in order for the township to ensure the safeguarding of its assets and the accuracy of its records, we believe our comments and concerns should be taken into consideration by management. Our comments are not intended to reflect upon the honesty or competence of the township's employees.

The matters we have identified are discussed in Appendix 1.

This communication is prepared solely for the information of management and is not intended for any other purposes. We accept no responsibility to a third party who uses this communication.

We shall be pleased to discuss with you further any matters mentioned in this report at your convenience.



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Yours truly,

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### Appendix 1

#### Subdivisions

During the course of the audit, we noticed the Township hadn't been accounting for transferred tangible capital assets (roads, sewer and water infrastructure, etc.) when a subdivision ends and the Township takes ownerships of these assets. The Township must account for all it's assets. We recommend that the Finance team and the Planning, Building and Enforcement team perform a yearly review of the on-going subdivision project, and ensure to account for the asset when they are transferred to the Township.

### Points from the information systems auditors

A) BDO noted that a terminated user that exited on October 30, 2020 was still active on the Vadim Application as at March 17, 2021 when the list of users was generated. The account of terminated staff may be used to gain unauthorized access to the application.

BDO recommends that user access to all applications should be disabled when they exit the organization. A formal user access review should be performed to ascertain that only current and active staff have access to the application

B) BDO noted that there was no evidence of periodic user access review for all in-scope applications.

The lack of user access review could result in the following:

1. Segregation of duties issues if an employee moves to a new department, but retains system privileges from the previous department;

2. Misuse of dormant administrative accounts that are still active

3. System compromise using vendor passwords that never expire

BDO recommends that the organization performs a formal user access review and formalizes the process through documentation of the result of the user access review.

C) BDO noted Segregation of Duties conflicts between users with business admin function and technical admin function on the BookKing application where some members of the Finance Department have privileged access on the application. There exists a risk that privileged accounts could potentially be used to modify system setting or provisioned access, which could result in unauthorized changes being made to system settings, user permissions or could lead to such accounts being used to perform unauthorized transactions. BDO recommends that the organization (1) only assign the power user role to those with the technical need to have it in order to perform their job function and (2) implement a business review control with a set frequency that will ensure that no business transaction is performed using the power user assigned to technical employee.



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D) BDO noted approvals for creation of users on the RBC and BMO online banking portals were verbal and informal. There were no emails, tickets, or forms as evidence of approvals used to create users hence there are no proper documentations of approval and access level to be provisioned for new users on the RBC and BMO online banking portal. Unauthorized users may be created on the online banking application. These unauthorized users may be granted excessive access privileges and they may be used to process erroneous financial transactions.

BDO recommends that a formal process be established for the creation of users on the RBC and BMO banking portals, such that access level is defined for the new users are defined and documented for reference purposes.

### Point carry-over from 2020: Stalled project in deferred revenue account

During the course of the audit, we noticed there are amounts in deferred revenue for contracts which haven't moved for some years. Per discussion with the Director of Planning, Building and Enforcement, it's unclear if some of those contracts will be completed at all.

We recommend an overall analysis of the stalled project by the Township and that the ones who won't be complete be written off.

### Point carry-over from 2017: Whistle blower policy

There are a number of ethical and legal reasons for an organization to have a strong whistle blower policy. Having a clearly defined policy not only encourages whistle blowing, but the guidelines outlined in the policy protect both the employee and the employer should a situation arise.

We recommend that the Township adopt a whistle blower policy in order to strengthen its control environment surrounding potential fraud or illegal acts. If any employee reasonably believes that some policy, practice or activity of the Township is in violation of law, they would be protected when reporting such activity. We consider this to be best-practice for larger organizations.

### APPENDIX C: BDO RESOURCES

BDO is a leading provider of professional services to clients of all sizes in virtually all business sectors. Our team delivers a comprehensive range of assurance, accounting, tax, and advisory services, complemented by a deep industry knowledge gained from nearly 100 years of working within local communities. As part of the global BDO network, we are able to provide seamless and consistent cross-border services to clients with global needs. Commitment to knowledge and best practice sharing ensures that expertise is easily shared across our global network and common methodologies and information technology ensures efficient and effective service delivery to our clients.

Outlined below is a summary of certain BDO resources, which may be of interest to the Council.

#### PSAS PUBLICATIONS

BDO's national department issues a number of publications on PSAS.

- Public Sector Accounting Standards Annual Update
- A Guide to Financial Instruments in the Public Sector
- PSAB at a Glance Series of Publications

For additional information, please refer to the following link:

 https://www.bdo.ca/en-ca/services/assurance-and-accounting/a-aknowledge-centre/psas/

#### **COVID-19 RESOURCES**

As global reactions and responses to coronavirus (COIVD-19) continue to evolve and change, BDO has issued a number of publications on the financial reporting and tax implications resulting from the outbreak to assist organizations in navigating these challenging times. This includes publications on the accounting implications arising from changing economic conditions, understanding available government assistance, crisis management and responding to liquidity changes.

For additional information on the impact of COVID-19 can have on all aspects of an organization's operations, refer to the following link: <u>COVID-19 Resources | BDO Canada</u>

### EVENTS

BDO also hosts a number of live and web-based events throughout the year. Many of our events are eligible for professional development hours (MyPDR) for individuals with a financial professional designation.

A comprehensive list of events is available at:

https://www.bdo.ca/events/

### Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Financial Statements For the year ended December 31, 2020

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### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The accompanying financial statements are prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

The financial statements are the responsibility of management and have been approved by the municipal council.

To assess certain facts and operations, management has made estimates based on its best judgement of the situation and by taking into account materiality.

Management is responsible for maintaining appropriate internal control and accounting systems that provide reasonable assurance that the Township's policies are adopted, that its operations are carried out in accordance with the appropriate laws and authorizations, that its assets are adequately safeguarded, and that the financial statements are based on reliable accounting records.

The Township's power and responsibilities are exercised by the municipal council.

The responsibilities of the municipal council include overseeing financial reporting and presentation procedures, which includes reviewing and approving the financial statements.

The independent auditor, BDO Canada LLP, has audited the financial statements and presented the following report.

Angela Rutley Chief Administrative Officer John Gareau, CPA, CA Treasurer

Winchester, Ontario Report date

Independent Auditor's Report

To the members of council, inhabitants and ratepayers of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas ("the Township"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 2020, and the statements of operations, changes in net financial assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Township as at 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Township in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Emphasis of Matter - Restated Comparative Information

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial statements, which explains that certain comparative information for the year ended December 31, 2019 has been restated. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Township's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Township or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Township's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Township's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Township to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Ottawa, Ontario Report date

| December 31   | 2020 2010<br>Restated   |   |
|---|---|---|
| Financial assets<br>Cash<br>Investments (Note 2)<br>Taxes receivable<br>Accounts receivable<br>Long-term receivables (Note 3)   | \$ 8,511,058 \$ 10,876,142<br>5,161,406 2,235,625<br>2,150,641 2,135,359<br>1,272,548 1,147,654<br>141,949 205,003<br>17,237,602 16,599,783 |   |
| Liabilities<br>Accounts payable and accrued liabilities<br>Other current liabilities<br>Landfill closure and post-closure (Note 4)<br>Deferred revenue (Note 5)<br>Net long-term liabilities (Note 6) | 1,189,215 1,183,312<br>706,947 565,499<br>1,833,845 1,773,658<br>1,993,450 1,662,623<br>913,445 1,069,513<br>6,636,902 6,254,605            |   |
| Net financial assets  | 10,600,700 10,345,178   | _ |
| Non-financial assets<br>Tangible capital assets (Note 7)<br>Prepaid expenses<br>Inventory   | 55,746,173 54,766,969<br>24,550 68,524<br>48,236 71,976   |   |
|   | 55,818,959 54,907,469   | _ |
| Accumulated surplus (Note 12)   | \$66,419,659 \$ 65,252,647  |   |
| Commitments (Note 14)<br>Contingency (Note 15)<br>On behalf of the council:   |   |   |
| Mayor   | Deputy<br>Mayor   |   |

# Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Statement of Financial Position

# Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Statement of Operations

| For the year ended December 31                  |    | 2020<br>Budget<br>(Note 13) | 2020<br>Actual         | 2019<br>Actual<br>Restated |
|---|----|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Revenues  |    |                             |                        |                            |
| Taxation  | \$ | 6,871,092                   | \$ 6,884,254           | \$<br>6,324,754            |
| User charges                                    | •  | 4,099,552                   | 3,910,716              | 3,918,011                  |
| Government transfers                            |    |                             |                        |                            |
| Government of Canada                            |    | 476,364                     | 548,434                | 681,722                    |
| Province of Ontario                             |    | 1,298,180                   | 1,582,213              | 1,883,025                  |
| Other municipalities<br>Other revenues (Note 8) |    | 409,440<br>555,120          | 385,340<br>912,792     | 147,267<br>606,573         |
| Other revenues (Note 6)                         |    | 555,120                     | 712,172                | <br>000,373                |
|   |    | 13,709,748                  | 14,223,749             | 13,561,352                 |
|   |    |                             |                        |                            |
| Expenses (Note 9)                               |    | 1 700 004                   | 1 (70.050              | 1 554 770                  |
| General government<br>Environmental services    |    | 1,729,294 2,899,336         | 1,673,858<br>3,440,871 | 1,554,779<br>2,610,716     |
| Planning and development                        |    | 2,099,330                   | 492,091                | 492,344                    |
| Protection services                             |    | 1,367,249                   | 1,318,143              | 1,296,891                  |
| Recreation and cultural services                |    | 2,184,232                   | 1,960,639              | 2,031,151                  |
| Transportation services                         |    | 3,868,156                   | 4,223,260              | 3,603,974                  |
|   |    |                             |                        |                            |
|   |    | 12,795,638                  | 13,108,862             | 11,589,855                 |
| Other   |    |                             |                        |                            |
| Obligatory reserve funds revenue                |    |                             |                        |                            |
| recognized (Note 5)                             |    | 115,451                     | 52,125                 | 3,952                      |
|   |    |                             |                        |                            |
|   |    |                             |                        |                            |
| Annual surplus                                  |    | 1,029,561                   | 1,167,012              | 1,975,449                  |
| Accumulated surplus, beginning of the year      |    | 65,252,647                  | 65,252,647             | 63,277,198                 |
| Accumulated surplus, end of the year            | \$ | 66,282,208                  | \$66,419,659           | \$<br>65,252,647           |

| For the year ended December 31   |    | 2020<br>Budget<br>(Note 13) | 2020<br>Actual           | 2019<br>Actual<br>Restated |
|--|----|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |    |                             |                          |                            |
| Annual surplus   | \$ | 1,029,561                   | \$ 1,167,012             | \$<br>1,975,449            |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets<br>Amortization of tangible capital assets<br>Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital |    | (5,843,852)<br>2,741,768    | (4,736,739)<br>2,741,768 | (3,245,685)<br>2,569,909   |
| assets<br>Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets  |    | -<br>77,165                 | 558,888<br>456,879       | (599,364)<br>651,615       |
|  | _  | (1,995,358)                 | 187,808                  | 1,351,924                  |
| Decrease (increase) in inventory<br>Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses  |    | -                           | 23,740<br>43,974         | (9,873)<br>(22,334)        |
|  | _  | -                           | 67,714                   | (32,207)                   |
| Net change in net financial assets   |    | (1,995,358)                 | 255,522                  | 1,319,717                  |
| Net financial assets, beginning of the year  | _  | 10,345,178                  | 10,345,178               | 9,025,461                  |
| Net financial assets, end of the year  | \$ | 8,349,820                   | \$10,600,700             | \$<br>10,345,178           |

# Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Statement of Changes in Net Financial Assets

# Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Statement of Cash Flows

| For the year ended December 31                       | 2020          | 2019<br>Restated |
|--|---------------|------------------|
| Operating transactions                               |               |                  |
| Annual surplus                                       | \$ 1,167,012  | \$ 1,975,449     |
| Items not affecting cash:                            |               |                  |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets              | 2,741,768     | 2,569,909        |
| Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets   | 558,888       | (599,364)        |
|  | 4,467,668     | 3,945,994        |
| Changes in non-cash operating balances:              | 4,407,000     | 3,743,774        |
| Increase in taxes receivable                         | (15,282)      | (146,952)        |
| Increase in accounts receivable                      | (124,894)     | (53,875)         |
| Decrease in long-term receivables                    | 63,054        | 21,918           |
| Increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 5,903         | 113,046          |
| Increase in other current liabilities                | 141,448       | 97,820           |
| Increase in landfill closure and post-closure        | 60,187        | 9,779            |
| Increase in deferred revenue                         | 330,827       | 396,398          |
| Decrease (increase) in inventory                     | 23,740        | (9,873)          |
| Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses              | 43,974        | (22,334)         |
|  | 4,996,625     | 4,351,921        |
|  |               |                  |
| Capital transactions                                 | (1, 70(, 700) |                  |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets               | (4,736,739)   | (3,245,685)      |
| Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets      | 456,879       | 651,615          |
|  | (4,279,860)   | (2,594,070)      |
| Investing transactions                               |               |                  |
| Investing transactions<br>Change in investments      | (2 025 701)   | (25, 222)        |
| Change in investments                                | (2,925,781)   | (35,223)         |
| Financing transactions                               |               |                  |
| Repayment of long-term liabilities                   | (156,068)     | (128,262)        |
|  | (********     | (1==1===)        |
|  |               |                  |
| Net (decrease) increase in cash                      | (2,365,084)   | 1,594,366        |
| Cash, beginning of the year                          | 10,876,142    | 9,281,776        |
| Cash, end of the year                                | \$ 8,511,058  | \$ 10,876,142    |
|  |               |                  |

## Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

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- Nature and Purpose of the Entity The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas (the "Township") was created through provincial legislation and commenced operations on January 1, 1998. The Township is responsible for providing municipal services such as community services, emergency and protective services including police and fire and public works including roads, sewers and wastewater, drinking water, garbage and recycling.
- Basis of Accounting The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.
- Use of Estimates The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the statement of financial position, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting year. The amounts that include estimates are those relating to tangible capital assets as well as those relating to the landfill closure and post-closure.
- Revenue Recognition Taxes are recorded at estimated amounts when they meet the definition of an asset, have been authorized and the taxable event occured. For property taxes, the taxable event is the year for which the tax is levied. Taxes receivable are recognized net of an allowance for anticipated uncollectable amounts.

Government transfers are recognized as revenue in the financial statements when the transfer is authorized and all eligibility criteria are met, except to the extent that transfer stipulations give rise to an obligation that meets the definition of a liability. Transfers are recognized as deferred revenue when transfer stipulations give rise to a liability. Transfer revenue is recognized in the statement of operations as the stipulation liabilities are settled.

Charges for sewer and water usage are recorded as user charges. Connection fee revenues are recognized when the connection has been established.

Interest income earned on available funds, other than obligatory reserve funds, are reported as revenue in the year earned. Investment income earned on obligatory reserve funds is added back to the reserve fund balance and forms part of the deferred revenue balance.

Sales of services, included in user charges, are recognized on an accrual basis, as the services are rendered.

# Corporation of the Township of North Dundas Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

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| Landfill                      | The estimated costs to close and maintain the<br>based on estimated future expenses in or<br>discounted, adjusted for estimated inflation, and<br>and charged to expense as the landfill site's capac   | current dollars,<br>d are recognized  |
|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Counties and School<br>Boards | The Township collects taxation revenue on beha<br>boards and the United Counties of Stormor<br>Glengarry. The taxation, other revenue, exper<br>liabilities with respect to the operations of the so<br>the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and G<br>reflected in these financial statements.   | nt, Dundas and<br>uses, assets and<br>chool boards and  |
| Deferred Revenue              | Revenues restricted by legislation, regulation or<br>not available for general municipal purposes<br>deferred revenue on the statement of financia<br>revenue is recognized on the statement of opera<br>in which it is used for the specified purpose.   | are reported as al position. The  |
| Inventory                     | Inventory of goods not held for resale is measured determined on a first in, first out basis.   | d at cost. Cost is  |
| Tangible Capital Assets       | Tangible capital assets are stated at cost le<br>amortization. Cost includes all costs directly<br>acquisition or construction of the tangible capital<br>transportation costs, installation costs, design<br>fees, legal fees and site preparation costs. Cont<br>capital assets are recorded at fair value at t<br>donation, with a corresponding amount record<br>Amortization is provided on the basis of their u<br>the straight-line method as follows: | attributable to<br>a asset including<br>and engineering<br>tributed tangible<br>he time of the<br>ded as revenue.         |
|                               | Land improvements<br>Buildings<br>Roads, sidewalks and bridges<br>Equipment, furniture and machinery<br>Water infrastructure<br>Sewer infrastructure<br>Vehicles  | 15 to 75 years<br>15 to 50 years<br>7 to 75 years<br>3 to 30 years<br>20 to 100 years<br>75 to 100 years<br>7 to 20 years |
|                               | Landfill sites are amortized using the units of probased upon capacity used during the year.  | oduction method   |

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### 1. Prior Period Correction

During the year-end audit, the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas's management realized there was a significant amount of capital assets missing, due to the fact the tangible capital assets transfered as part of subdivision agreement had never been accounted for. The work performed led to the addition of significants capital assets that should have been accounted for between 2009 and 2015. These assets were accounted for at the fair market value depending on the date it was actually transfered to the Township and amortized over the estimated useful life of the asset. The balance affected opening 2019 accumulated surplus. The impact of this correction of error was as follows:

|   |                                  | <br>2019                          |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Statement of Financial Position   |                                  |                                   |
| Increase in non-financial assets  |                                  | \$<br>620,413                     |
| Increase in accumulated surplus   |                                  | \$<br>620,413                     |
| Statement of Operations   |                                  |                                   |
| Decrease in annual surplus  |                                  | \$<br>18,691                      |
| Increase in opening accumulated surplus   |                                  | \$<br>639,104                     |
|   |                                  |                                   |
| . Investments   | 2020                             | 2010                              |
|   | <br>2020                         | <br>2019                          |
| Guaranteed investment certificates, 2.15% to 3.47%,<br>maturing no later than December 2023.<br>Mutual funds  | \$<br>5,161,406<br>-             | \$<br>130,173<br>2,105,452        |
|   | \$<br>5,161,406                  | \$<br>2,235,625                   |
| . Long-Term Receivables   |                                  |                                   |
|   | <br>2020                         | 2019                              |
| Mortgage receivable, 3.5%, due July 2021, receivable by<br>annual instalments of \$29,926, principal and interest<br>Municipal drain debentures<br>Loan receivable, Community improvement plans | \$<br>28,905<br>82,815<br>30,229 | \$<br>56,825<br>105,570<br>42,608 |
|   | \$<br>141,949                    | \$<br>205,003                     |
|   |                                  |                                   |

The payments receivable for the mortgage receivable for the next two years amount to: 2021, \$27,920; 2022, \$28,905.

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### 4. Landfill Closure and Post-Closure

The Environmental Protection Act sets out the regulatory requirements to properly close and maintain all active and inactive landfill sites. Under environmental law, there is a requirement for closure and post-closure care of solid waste landfill sites. This requirement is to be provided for over the estimated remaining life of the landfill site based on usage.

Landfill closure and post-closure care requirements have been defined in accordance with industry standards and include final covering and landscaping of the landfill, pumping of groundwater and leachates from the site, ongoing environmental monitoring, site inspection and maintenance and reporting to the Ministry. The reported liability is based on estimates and assumptions with respect to events extending over a 30 year period using the best information available to management. Future events may result in significant changes to the estimated total expenses, capacity used or total capacity and the estimated liability, and would be recognized prospectively, as a change in estimate, when applicable.

|   | 2020<br>Total  | 2019             |
|---|--|------------------|
|   | estimated Accrued Acc                                    | crued<br>ilities |
| Boyne landfill site<br>Mountain landfill site | 5 1,487,693 \$ 1,487,693 \$ 1,429<br>346,152 346,152 344 | 9,559<br>1,099   |
|   | 5 1,833,845 \$ 1,833,845 \$ 1,773                        | 3,658            |

The estimated remaining capacity of the landfill sites, being a percentage of the total estimated capacity and the estimated remaining life of the sites are indicated below. The estimated number of years for post-closure care is also indicated.

|                                 | % of<br>remaining<br>capacity | Remaining<br>life | Post-closure<br>period |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| andfill site<br>n landfill site | -                             | -                 | 25<br>25               |

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| Deferred Revenue                             | 2020         | 2019            |  |
|--|--------------|-----------------|--|
|  | 2020         | <br>2017        |  |
| Obligatory Reserve Funds                     |              |                 |  |
| Development charges                          | \$ 1,296,801 | \$<br>968,380   |  |
| Recreational land                            | 282,063      | 244,218         |  |
| Federal Gas Tax                              |              | 110,187         |  |
| Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) | 2,803        | 2,038           |  |
| Other  |              |                 |  |
| Building code act                            | 326,497      | 278,137         |  |
| Deposits                                     | 85,286       | 59,663          |  |
|  |              |                 |  |
|  | \$ 1,993,450 | \$<br>1,662,623 |  |

The net change during the year in the restricted deferred revenue balance is made up of the following:

| 5   | Development<br>charges | Recreational<br>land | Federal Gas<br>Tax | OCIF           |
|---|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Deferred revenue,<br>beginning of the year<br>Restricted funds received | \$ 968,380             | \$ 244,218           | \$ 110,187         | \$ 2,038       |
| during the year<br>Interest earned                                      | 368,305<br>12,241      | 34,550<br>3,295      | 342,132<br>2,875   | 274,880<br>765 |
| Revenue recognized during the year                                      | (52,125)               | -                    | (455,194)          | (274,880)      |
|   | \$ 1,296,801           | \$ 282,063           | \$-                | \$ 2,803       |

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| 6. | Net Long-Term Liabilities   |      | 2020           | 2019            | 9  |
|----|---|------|----------------|-----------------|----|
|    | Loan, 1.52%, due April 2022, payable by monthly instalments of \$4,309, principal plus interest (LED street light conversion).  | \$   | 68,938         | \$ 120,641      | -  |
|    | Loan, 2.24%, due April 2030, payable by monthly instalments of \$3,475, principal plus interest (Winchester arena slab).  |      | 389,186        | 430,885         |    |
|    | Loan, 2.24%, due April 2030, payable by monthly instalments of \$3,326, principal plus interest (Chesterville arena upgrades).  |      | 372,506        | 412,417         |    |
|    | Tile drainage loans bear interest at 6% and are repayable<br>in annual instalments. The loans are due between 2020<br>and 2029 and are recoverable from benefiting landowners |      | 82,815         | 105,570         | _  |
|    |   | \$   | 913,445        | \$ 1,069,513    | -  |
|    | The principal payments for the next five years amount to: 2   | 2021 | . \$156.068; 2 | 2022, \$156,71; | 3: |

The principal payments for the next five years amount to: 2021, \$156,068; 2022, \$156,713; 2023, \$116,203; 2024, \$98,366; 2025, \$90,255.

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## 7. Tangible Capital Assets

|   |    |              |  |            |                                    | 2020                                     |
|---|----|--------------|--|------------|------------------------------------|--|
|   |    | ir<br>Land   | Land<br>mprovements<br>and landfill<br>sites | Buildings  | Roads,<br>sidewalks and<br>bridges | Equipment,<br>furniture and<br>machinery |
| Cost, beginning of year   | \$ | 2,365,567 \$ | 9,920,917 \$                                 | 9,726,151  | \$ 39,641,827                      | \$ 5,366,603                             |
| Acquisitions of tangible<br>capital assets                                  |    | 47,717       | 285,498                                      | 433,837    | 2,396,731                          | 245,788                                  |
| Disposals of tangible capital<br>assets                                     |    | (20,096)     | (145,758)                                    | (126,505)  | (1,514,862)                        | (451,992)                                |
| Cost, end of year   |    | 2,393,188    | 10,060,657                                   | 10,033,483 | 40,523,696                         | 5,160,399                                |
| Accumulated amortization, beginning of year                                 |    | -            | 3,170,575                                    | 4,171,100  | 19,081,030                         | 3,274,551                                |
| Amortization of tangible<br>capital assets<br>Disposals of tangible capital |    |              | 188,434                                      | 289,510    | 1,215,466                          | 289,866                                  |
| assets  |    |              | (110,012)                                    | (43,017)   | (944,386)                          | (364,883)                                |
| Accumulated amortization, end of year                                       | _  | -            | 3,248,997                                    | 4,417,593  | 19,352,110                         | 3,199,534                                |
| Net carrying amount, end of year  | \$ | 2,393,188 \$ | 6,811,660 \$                                 | 5,615,890  | \$ 21,171,586                      | \$ 1,960,865                             |

|  |    | Water                             |    | Sewer                             |   |  |
|--|----|-----------------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|---|--|
|  | i  | nfrastructure                     | in | frastructure                      | Vehicles                                  | Total  |
| Cost, beginning of year<br>Acquisitions of tangible capital assets<br>Disposals of tangible capital assets | \$ | 14,721,339<br>166,822<br>(77,848) | \$ | 8,821,281<br>131,986<br>(158,515) | \$<br>4,359,000<br>1,028,360<br>(199,671) | \$<br>94,922,685<br>4,736,739<br>(2,695,247) |
| Cost, end of year  |    | 14,810,313                        |    | 8,794,752                         | 5,187,689                                 | <br>96,964,177                               |
| Accumulated amortization, beginning of   |    |                                   |    |                                   |   |  |
| year   |    | 4,917,076                         |    | 3,002,811                         | 2,538,573                                 | 40,155,716                                   |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets  |    | 314,770                           |    | 139,040                           | 304,682                                   | 2,741,768                                    |
| Disposals of tangible capital assets   | _  | (21,742)                          |    | -                                 | (195,440)                                 | (1,679,480)                                  |
| Accumulated amortization, end of year  | _  | 5,210,104                         |    | 3,141,851                         | 2,647,815                                 | 41,218,004                                   |
| Net carrying amount, end of year   | \$ | 9,600,209                         | \$ | 5,652,901                         | \$<br>2,539,874                           | \$<br>55,746,173                             |
|  |    |                                   |    |                                   |   |  |

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## 7. Tangible Capital Assets (continued)

|   |      |           |    |   |    |                           |    |                                   |    | 2019                                    |
|---|------|-----------|----|---|----|---------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|----|---|
|   |      | Land      | in | Land<br>provements<br>and landfill<br>sites |    | Buildings                 | s  | Roads,<br>idewalks and<br>bridges | fı | Equipment,<br>urniture and<br>machinery |
| Cost, beginning of year   | \$   | 2,367,186 | \$ | 9,735,092                                   | \$ | 9,122,513                 | \$ | 38,963,716                        | \$ | 4,554,355                               |
| Acquisitions of tangible<br>capital assets  |      | -         |    | 203,572                                     |    | 603,638                   |    | 1,373,233                         |    | 863,145                                 |
| Disposals of tangible capital<br>assets   |      | (1,619)   |    | (17,747)                                    |    |                           |    | (695,122)                         |    | (50,897)                                |
| Cost, end of year   |      | 2,365,567 |    | 9,920,917                                   |    | 9,726,151                 |    | 39,641,827                        |    | 5,366,603                               |
| Accumulated amortization,<br>beginning of year<br>Amortization of tangible                              |      | -         |    | 2,943,998                                   |    | 3,926,447                 |    | 18,587,175                        |    | 3,022,155                               |
| capital assets  |      | -         |    | 240,065                                     |    | 244,653                   |    | 1,188,977                         |    | 268,209                                 |
| Disposals of tangible capital<br>assets   |      | -         |    | (13,488)                                    |    | -                         |    | (695,122)                         |    | (15,813)                                |
| Accumulated amortization, end of year   |      | -         |    | 3,170,575                                   |    | 4,171,100                 |    | 19,081,030                        |    | 3,274,551                               |
| Net carrying amount, end of year  | \$   | 2,365,567 | \$ | 6,750,342                                   | \$ | 5,555,051                 | \$ | 20,560,797                        | \$ | 2,092,052                               |
|   |      |           | in | Water<br>frastructure                       | ir | Sewer<br>Ifrastructure    |    | Vehicles                          |    | Total                                   |
| Cost, beginning of year<br>Acquisitions of tangible capit<br>Disposals of tangible capital a            |      |           | \$ | 14,689,309<br>38,946<br>(6,916)             | \$ | 8,710,079<br>111,202<br>- | \$ | 4,505,072<br>51,949<br>(198,021)  | \$ | 92,647,322<br>3,245,685<br>(970,322)    |
| Cost, end of year   |      |           | _  | 14,721,339                                  |    | 8,821,281                 |    | 4,359,000                         |    | 94,922,685                              |
| Accumulated amortization, b<br>year<br>Amortization of tangible capi<br>Disposals of tangible capital a | tal  | assets    |    | 4,605,209<br>315,250<br>(3,383)             |    | 2,856,745<br>146,066<br>- |    | 2,562,149<br>166,689<br>(190,265) |    | 38,503,878<br>2,569,909<br>(918,071)    |
| Accumulated amortization, e   | nd ( | of year   |    | 4,917,076                                   |    | 3,002,811                 |    | 2,538,573                         |    | 40,155,716                              |
| Net carrying amount, end of   | yea  | r         | \$ | 9,804,263                                   | \$ | 5,818,470                 | \$ | 1,820,427                         | \$ | 54,766,969                              |
|   |      |           |    |   |    |                           |    |                                   |    |   |

The book value of tangible capital assets not being amortized because they are under construction is \$961,399 (2019 - \$800,002).

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| 8. Other Revenues   | 2020<br>Budget                        | 2020<br>Actual                   | 2019<br>Actual               |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Donations<br>Interest and penalties on taxes<br>Interest income | \$<br>61,854 \$<br>330,000<br>163,266 | 554,693 \$<br>254,481<br>103,618 | 55,260<br>320,273<br>231,040 |
|   | \$<br>555,120 \$                      | 912,792 \$                       | 606,573                      |

## 9. Expenses by Object

Total expenses for the year reported on the statement of operations are as follows:

|  | 2020                      | 2019<br>Restated          |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Amortization of tangible conital access                        | ¢ 0 7 / 1 7 / 0           | ¢ ) E40 000               |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets<br>Contracted services | \$ 2,741,768<br>2,248,728 | \$ 2,569,909<br>2,175,719 |
| Contributions to other organizations                           | 197,543                   | 234,027                   |
| Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets             | 558,888                   | (599,364)                 |
| Materials  | 2,764,065                 | 2,768,746                 |
| Rents and financial expenses<br>Salaries, wages and benefits   | 55,262<br>4,542,608       | 46,627<br>4,394,191       |
| Sulaires, wages and benefits                                   | 4,042,000                 | 4,074,171                 |
|  | \$13,108,862              | \$ 11,589,855             |

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#### 10. Pension Agreement

The Township is an employer member of the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System (OMERS), which is a multi-employer, defined benefit pension plan. The Board of Trustees, representing plan members and employers, is responsible for overseeing the management of the pension plan, including investment of the assets and administration of the benefits. The Township has adopted defined contribution plan accounting principles for this Plan because insufficient information is available to apply defined benefit plan accounting principles. The Township records as pension expense the current service cost, amortization of past service costs and interest costs related to the future employer contributions to the Plan for past employee service.

OMERS provides pension services to almost 500,000 active and retired members and approximately 1,000 employers. Each year an independent actuary determines the funding status of the OMERS Primary Pension Plan (the Plan) by comparing the fair market value of the invested assets to the estimated present value of all pension benefits that members have earned to date. The most recent actuarial valuation of the Plan was conducted at December 31, 2020. The results of this valuation disclosed total actuarial liabilities of \$113,055 million in respect of benefits accrued for service with fair market assets at that date of \$109,844 million indicating an actuarial deficit of \$3,211 million. Because OMERS is a multi-employer plan, any pension plan surpluses or deficits are a joint responsibility of Ontario municipal organizations and their employees. As a result, the Township does not recognize any share of the OMERS pension surplus or deficit. The amount contributed to OMERS by the Township for 2020 was \$266,877 (2019 - \$248,836).

11. Operations of School Boards and the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry

During the year, the following taxation revenues were raised and remitted to the school boards and the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry:

|   | 2020            | 2019      |
|---|-----------------|-----------|
| School boards                                     | \$ 3,974,555 \$ | 3,945,934 |
|   |                 |           |
| United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry | \$ 9,784,723 \$ | 9,189,278 |

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| 12. Accumulated Surplus   | 2020   | 2019   |
|---|--|--|
| Reserves<br>Working fund<br>Fire<br>Recreation and culture<br>Roads<br>Sewer and water<br>Waste management<br>Other | \$ 2,332,308<br>840,570<br>254,403<br>1,141,243<br>4,887,251<br>382,036<br>210,064<br>10,047,875 | \$ 2,140,408<br>740,193<br>347,103<br>1,454,404<br>4,309,827<br>414,662<br>177,090 |
| Reserve funds   | 117,195  | 82,087   |
| Association and events  | 2,185,931  | 2,185,931  |
| Infrastructure  | 37,803   | 53,900   |
| Recreation and culture  | -  | 20,220   |
| Roads   | 869,155  | 565,869  |
| Sewer and Water   | 17,996   | 18,176   |
| South Mountain Union Cemetery   | 532,297  | 1,132,830  |
| Waste management  | 3,760,377  | 4,059,013  |
| Investment in tangible capital assets   | 55,746,173   | 54,766,969   |
| Invested in tangible capital assets   | (470,291)  | (419,421)  |
| Unfinanced tangible capital assets  | (830,630)  | (963,943)  |
| Related net long-term liabilities   | 54,445,252   | 53,383,605   |
| Unfinanced landfill closure and post-closure  | (1,833,845)  | (1,773,658)  |
| Accumulated surplus   | \$66,419,659 \$  | 65,252,647   |

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#### 13. Budget

The Financial Plan (Budget) By-Law adopted by Council was not prepared on a basis consistent with that used to report actual results (Canadian public sector accounting standards). The budget was prepared on a modified accrual basis while Canadian public sector accounting standards requires a full accrual basis. In addition, the budget expenses all tangible capital assets rather than including amortization of tangible capital assets expense. As a result, the budget figures presented in the statements of operations and changes in net financial assets represents the Financial Plan adopted by Council with adjustments as follows:

|   | 2020                                   |
|---|--|
| Budget for the year   | \$ -                                   |
| Add:<br>Acquisition of tangible capital assets  | 5,843,852                              |
| Less:<br>Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets<br>Transfers from accumulated surplus<br>Amortization of tangible capital assets | (77,165)<br>(1,995,358)<br>(2,741,768) |
| Budgeted surplus per statement of operations  | <u>\$ 1,029,561</u>                    |

#### 14. Commitments

The Township has signed a non-expiring contract for fire services. The amount agreed upon for those services is \$39,053 per year.

The Township has signed a three year contract for an environmental assessement for a landfill which expires in December 2021. The amount agreed upon for those services is \$60,747 for 2021.

The total minimum annual payments over the next five years are as follows:

| 2021 | \$<br>329,634 |  |
|------|---------------|--|
| 2022 | \$<br>99,800  |  |
| 2023 | \$<br>39,053  |  |
| 2024 | \$<br>39,053  |  |
| 2025 | \$<br>39,053  |  |
|      |               |  |

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### 15. Contingency

During 2014, the Government of Ontario expanded regulations to include six additional cancers presumed to be work-related for firefighters under the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act. This change is retroactive to January 1, 1960. During the years 1997 to 2010, the Township was a Schedule 2 employer for WSIB, meaning that the Township self-insured for WSIB benefits. This change in regulations may give rise to liabilities of the Township for work-related cancers incurred by firefighters during that period. The Township is assessing the impact of this change and is unable to determine whether a liability exists at year end. Consequently, no provision has been made in these financial statements for any liability that may result.

#### 16. Uncertainty due to COVID-19

The global pandemic linked to the COVID-19 virus continues to disrupt economic activities. It has also impacted the Township's operations and, in particular, its ability to provide services to its citizens as normal; this includes temporary closures of municipal sites, the reduction of services offered and more reliance on online services. Although the operational disruption resulting from the virus is expected to be temporary, given the dynamic nature of these circumstances and the duration of the disruption, the financial impacts cannot be reasonably estimated at the date of this report. The Township's ability to pay for its operating costs depends on its ability to continue to maintain liquidity and collect payments from taxation and user charges.

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#### 17. Segmented Information

The Township is a diversified municipal government institution that provides a wide range of services to its citizens such as police, fire, water and sewer, transportation and recreational. Distinguishable functional segments have been separately disclosed in the segmented information. The nature of the segments and the activities they encompass are as follows:

#### Environmental

Environmental services consists of providing the Township's drinking water, waste disposal as well as garbage and recycling collection to citizens, processing and cleaning sewage and ensuring the water and sewer system meet all Provincial standards.

#### Planning and Development

This department provides a number of services including city planning and review of all property development plans through its application process. It also provides maintenance of municipal drains, which ensures proper drainage for agricultural properties and tile drainage, whereas the Township acts an intermediate between the landowners and the province.

#### Protection

Protection is comprised of police services, fire protection, conservation authority, protective inspection, control and emergency measures and enforcement of building and construction codes. The police services work to ensure the safety and protection of the citizens and their property. The fire department is responsible to provide fire suppression service, fire prevention programs, training and education. The inspection and control department includes building inspection, by-law enforcement and dog control services.

#### **Recreation and Cultural**

Recreation and cultural consists of providing services that contribute to neighbourhood development and sustainability through the provision of recreation and leisure programs and facilities including community halls, libraries, parks, recreation fields and arenas.

#### Transportation

Transportation is responsible for providing the winter and summer maintenance, the repair and construction of the Township's roads system including bridges, sidewalks and culverts.

#### General Government

This item relates to the revenues and expenses from operations of the Township itself and cannot be directly attributed to a specific segment.

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### 17. Segmented Information (continued)

| For the year ended December 31             | Environr | nental         | Planning and<br>Development | Protection        | Re | ecreation and<br>Cultural | ٦T | ansportation      | General<br>Government | 2020<br>total      |
|--|----------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----|---------------------------|----|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Revenues                                   |          |                |                             |                   |    |                           |    |                   |                       |                    |
| Taxation                                   | \$       | - 9            | \$-                         | \$<br>-           | \$ | -                         | \$ | -                 | \$<br>6,884,254       | \$<br>6,884,254    |
| User charges                               | 2,87     | 4,447          | 147,219                     | 190,229           |    | 301,644                   |    | 3,575             | 393,602               | 3,910,716          |
| Government transfers - Federal             |          | -              | -                           | -                 |    | 63,840                    |    | 478,714           | 5,880                 | 548,434            |
| Government transfers - Provincial          |          | -              | 16,483                      | 2,287             |    | -                         |    | 363,807           | 1,199,636             | 1,582,213          |
| Government transfers - Other               |          | 4 5 4 2        | 21.024                      | 1/ 007            |    | 27, 120                   |    | 105 070           | 100.045               | 205 240            |
| municipalities<br>Other revenues (Note 8)  |          | 4,542<br>0,810 | 21,034<br>456,695           | 16,807<br>28,329  |    | 36,139<br>70,427          |    | 125,973<br>25,000 | 180,845<br>281,531    | 385,340<br>912,792 |
| Obligatory reserve funds revenue           | 0        | 0,810          | 450,095                     | 20,329            |    | 10,421                    |    | 25,000            | 201,001               | 712,172            |
| (Note 5)                                   |          | 61             | -                           | 5,451             |    | -                         |    | 46,613            | -                     | 52,125             |
|  | 2,92     | 9,860          | 641,431                     | 243,103           |    | 472,050                   |    | 1,043,682         | 8,945,748             | 14,275,874         |
|  |          |                |                             |                   |    |                           |    |                   |                       |                    |
| Expenses                                   |          |                |                             |                   |    |                           |    |                   |                       |                    |
| Amortization of tangible capital<br>assets | 70       | 2,607          |                             | 174,232           |    | 347,300                   |    | 1,407,078         | 80,551                | 2,741,768          |
| Contracted services                        |          | 4,664          | 128,319                     | 119,472           |    | 87,810                    |    | 451,491           | 166,972               | 2,248,728          |
| Contributions to other organizations       | 1,27     | -              | 50,472                      | 91,937            |    | 31,134                    |    |                   | 24,000                | 197,543            |
| Loss on disposal of tangible capital       |          |                |                             | ,                 |    |                           |    |                   | ,                     | ,                  |
| assets                                     | 9        | 0,096          | 3,826                       | 13,973            |    | 43,277                    |    | 359,477           | 48,239                | 558,888            |
| Materials                                  | 58       | 3,414          | 45,030                      | 233,737           |    | 565,607                   |    | 940,537           | 395,740               | 2,764,065          |
| Rents and financial expenses               |          | 652            | 596                         | 571               |    | 20,001                    |    | 24,102            | 9,340                 | 55,262             |
| Salaries, wages and benefits               | 73       | 9,438          | 263,848                     | <br>684,221       |    | 865,510                   |    | 1,040,575         | 949,016               | 4,542,608          |
|  | 3,44     | 0,871          | 492,091                     | 1,318,143         |    | 1,960,639                 |    | 4,223,260         | 1,673,858             | 13,108,862         |
| Annual surplus (deficit)                   | \$ (51   | 1,011)         | \$ 149,340                  | \$<br>(1,075,040) | \$ | (1,488,589)               | \$ | (3,179,578)       | \$<br>7,271,890       | \$<br>1,167,012    |

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### 17. Segmented Information (continued)

| For the year ended December 31  | Environmental | Planning and<br>Development | Protection     | Recreation and<br>Cultural | Transportation | General<br>Government | 2019         |
|---|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Revenues  |               |                             |                |                            |                |                       |              |
| Taxation  | \$-           | \$ -                        | \$ -           | \$ -                       | \$ - 9         | \$ 6,324,754          | \$ 6,324,754 |
| User charges  | 2,527,280     | 115,640                     | 198,842        | 663,074                    | 12,000         | 391,148               | 3,907,984    |
| Government transfers - Federal  | 35,651        | -                           |                | 37,240                     | 608,831        | -                     | 681,722      |
| Government transfers - Provincial<br>Government transfers - Other           | 614,769       | 30,010                      | 23,172         | 9,357                      | 299,017        | 906,700               | 1,883,025    |
| municipalities  | 45,357        | 19,734                      | 11,604         | 36,689                     | 11,140         | 32,770                | 157,294      |
| Other revenues (Note 8)   | 50,810        |                             | 28,329         | 23,987                     | -              | 503,447               | 606,573      |
| Obligatory reserve funds revenue  | 50,010        |                             | 20,327         | 23,707                     |                | 505,447               | 000,070      |
| (Note 5)  |               | -                           | -              | -                          | -              | 3,952                 | 3,952        |
|   | 3,273,867     | 165,384                     | 261,947        | 770,347                    | 930,988        | 8,162,771             | 13,565,304   |
|   |               |                             |                |                            |                |                       |              |
| Expenses  |               |                             |                |                            |                |                       |              |
| Amortization of tangible capital  | (             |                             |                |                            |                |                       |              |
| assets  | 632,432       | 30,686                      | 187,535        | 315,504                    | 1,327,385      | 76,367                | 2,569,909    |
| Contracted services   | 1,296,310     | 93,654                      | 135,320        | 111,113                    | 337,045        | 202,277               | 2,175,719    |
| Contributions to other organizations<br>(Gain) loss on disposal of tangible | -             | 41,413                      | 86,792         | 96,822                     | -              | 9,000                 | 234,027      |
| capital assets  | (591,248)     | _                           | (1,429)        | (13,558)                   | 6,871          | -                     | (599,364)    |
| Materials   | 573,317       | 55,693                      | 266,596        | 583,353                    | 920,299        | 369,488               | 2,768,746    |
| Rents and financial expenses  | -             | 655                         | 625            | 19,879                     | 14,898         | 10,570                | 46,627       |
| Salaries, wages and benefits  | 699,905       | 270,243                     | 621,452        | 918,038                    | 997,476        | 887,077               | 4,394,191    |
|   | 2,610,716     | 492,344                     | 1,296,891      | 2,031,151                  | 3,603,974      | 1,554,779             | 11,589,855   |
| Annual surplus (deficit)  | \$ 663,151    | \$ (326,960)                | \$ (1,034,944) | \$ (1,260,804)             | \$ (2,672,986) | \$ 6,607,992          | \$ 1,975,449 |

July 13, 2021

To: North Dundas Council Members

From: Bill Smirle

Re: South Nation Conservation Authority Update

| Mayor To      | ny Fraser;    | Deputy Mayor A    | Deputy Mayor Al Armstrong; |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Councilors:   | Gary Annable; | Tyler Hoy;        | John Thompson              |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAO: Angela C | Coleman       | Deputy CAO/Clerk: | Jo-Anne McCaslin           |  |  |  |  |  |

Sirs and Madames:

I am pleased to bring you this update from my Meetings at the South Nation Conservation Authority.

As well, I have oral comments in a few other areas that I believe will be of interest to you and with your permission, I will at the end of my SNCA Report, give you very brief updates on: ALUS (Alternative Land Use Services); The Dundas Manor Project; The Morewood Cenotaph Project:

## **SNCA Report:**

- 1) Two day "Fish Camps" will be scheduled with four in English and one in French, although students can be accommodated at all. Staff has adapted all procedures to follow the strict health rules necessitated by Covid:
  - Cass Bridge Conservation Area, Winchester (July 07 & 08);
  - High Falls CA, Casselman (July 14 & 15);
  - Jessup's Falls CA, Plantagenet (July 21 & 22
  - High Falls CA, Casselman (August 04 & 05)
  - Cass Bridge CA, Winchester (August 11 & 12)

2) Ongoing Conservation Area Restoration:

Ash Tree Management at Cass Bridge – the Park was closed June 07 & 08
Site clean-up, dead tree removal at Oschmann Forest CA – Park closed June 15-18, (And the firewood was donated to Lazarus House)
Several other sites around the Watershed have also received "clean-ups"

- 3) With grants requested and received SNCA has hired a few very well qualified students to work with us during the summer
- 4) At the May Meeting the Board endorsed three key actions developed by the Conservation Ontario Governance Accountability and Transparency Initiative to: i) Update Administrative Bylaws; ii) report proactivity on Priorities; iii) promote/demonstrate results; As well, staff will assist Conservation Ontario to identify additional improvements and best management practices
- 5) We have received a number of grants (from 50 100% of costs) and staff is continuing to review/look for available grants that would assist us - and to make requests
- 6) The Natural Heritage System Project (a joint venture with SD&G and P&R a first in Ontario) has been very successfully completed
- 7) June was a very busy month for our committees. Two met June 01 Fish &Wildlife and Forestry (and note that over a quarter million trees were planted in our watershed this spring); June 02 - Joint Occupational Health & *Planning Act;* Joint Occupational Health and Safety Committee; June 07 – Clean Water; June 11 – Leitrim Wetland Advisory; June 16 – Communications. All of these Reports were approved at our June 17, Meeting.

On June 30 the Low Water Review Committee met to confirm that we remain in Level #1 re Low Water.

8) I would recommend that you consider reviewing these four Reports posted on the SNCA website from the Agenda of the June 2021 Meeting. They are: i) "Update: Conservation Authority Programmes: Current SNCA Partnerships" (pages 44-46); ii) Update: Programme and Service Agreements" (pages 47-49); iii) "Update; Requirement for Community Advisory Boards" (page 50); iv) Update on the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing's use of Minister Zoning Orders under the Planning Act". (page 51)

I believe that you will find them of interest and will note that our Authority is – and has been - following the new Ministry guidelines.

- 9) Permits issued and Planning Activity in both of May and June really exceed those of similar months in recent years.
- 10) SNCA Continues to add more property to its holdings through gifts and purchases or combinations of these. Most are forested, partial wetlands with a few grassland areas for "at risk species".
- 11) It has been a busy couple of months!

Thanks for the opportunity to present.

If you have questions or comments, I will be pleased to answer them at the meeting or feel free to contact me. (H - 613 448 1636; C - 613 806 3169)

Respectively submitted,

Bill Smirle



| ACTION REQUEST – Finance         |                          |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| To: Mayor and Members of Council |                          |  |  |  |  |
| Date of Meeting:                 | July 13, 2021            |  |  |  |  |
| Subject:                         | Excluded Expenses Report |  |  |  |  |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council adopt the attached 2021 Excluded Expenses Report, dated July 13th, 2021, regarding additional financial disclosure requirements for the 2021 budget year pursuant to Ontario Regulation 284/09.

## BACKGROUND:

Ontario Regulation 284/09 (O. Reg. 284/09) permits a municipality to exclude from their annual budget, three specific expenses. They are:

- 1. Amortization expenses;
- 2. Post-employment benefits expenses; and
- 3. Solid waste landfill closure and post-closure expenses.

The intent of O. Reg. 284/09 is to encourage municipalities to plan and budget for the three types of expenses listed above.

If these expenses are excluded, the municipality shall prepare a report on the impact and adopt the report by resolution

Since 2009, Section 3150 of the Public Sector Accounting Board Handbook (PSAB), has required municipalities to record the cost of tangible capital assets and related amortization expense in their annual financial statements. However, these accounting standards do not require that budgets be prepared on the same basis. Property tax rates are determined on a cash basis and exclude costs for non-cash transactions such as amortization. This is common practice with the majority of municipal budgets in Ontario and most continue to prepare budgets on this "modified cash basis".

### Amortization Expenses:

The Township's budget excludes amortization (a non-cash expense) but includes transfers to reserves and reserve funds as well as estimated amounts to acquire capital assets. These transfers are held in reserve to fund future asset replacements as needed.

The 2021 budget includes transfers to reserves in the amount of \$217,600, acquisition of capital assets in the amount of \$6,620,757, financing of unfinanced

capital in the amount of \$104,500 and budgeted drawdown of reserves in the amount of \$2,288,511. For 2021, amortization is estimated to be \$2,741,769.

### Post-employment Benefits Expenses

The Township has no post-employment benefits expenses and as such this section of the O. Reg. 284/09 requirement is not applicable.

## Solid Waste Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Expenses

The PSAB adjustment made to landfill closure and post-closure costs for the 2020 fiscal year-end was an increase in the estimated liability by an amount of \$60,187. The estimate for the 2021 fiscal year is unknown at this time.

## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Approve the following 2021 Excluded Expenses Report recommended: Approval of this Report is in compliance with legislation and would result in these transactions being included in the Township of North Dundas' 2021 audited Financial Statements.
- 2. Do not approve the 2021 Excluded Expenses Report. This option is not recommended; non-approval would result in non-compliance with Ontario Regulation 284/09. Without an Excluded Expenses Report, the 2021 approved budget would require an amendment to include these costs.

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The 2021 Excluded Expenses Report has no direct financial impact on the Township since it is simply providing information on non-cash related transactions. The Township's budget is cash based and non-cash transactions such as amortization expenses, post-employment benefits expenses and solid waste landfill closure and post-closure costs have not been included. The Excluded Expenses Report is the reconciliation between the two reporting methods and this information will be included in the Township's 2021 audited Financial Statements.

## OTHERS CONSULTED:

CAO Deputy-Treasurer Auditors

## ATTACHMENTS:

Excluded Expenses Report, Appendix # 1 Ontario Regulation 284/09, Appendix # 2 Reconciliation of 2020 Surplus to Audited FS, App # 3

## **PREPARED BY:**

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John Gareau, CPA, CA, AMCT Treasurer, Director of Finance **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

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Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

### TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS 2021 EXCLUDED EXPENSES REPORT, DATED JULY 13<sup>TH</sup> 2021 O. REG 284/09

| <u>Summary of Excluded Expenses</u><br>Amortization Expense<br>Landfill Closure and Post-Closure<br>Post-Employment Benefits | \$2,741,769<br>60,187<br><u>Nil</u> |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Net Adjustment to amounts recorded in Audited FS   | <u>\$2,801,956</u>                  |

Allocation of Estimated Amortization Expense by Asset Class:

| Bridges (including guide rails)   | \$ 111,063   |
|---|--------------|
| Buildings   | 286,762      |
| Equipment   | 269,692      |
| Land Improvements   | 105,568      |
| Transportation Network (roads, parking lots, sidewalks, traffic signal) | 1,127,197    |
| Vehicles  | 266,365      |
| Water and Sewer   | 575,122      |
| Total   | \$ 2,741,769 |

Allocation of Estimated Amortization Expense by Department:

| General Government                 | \$ 72,291    |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Protection to Persons and Property | 182,492      |
| Transportation Services            | 1,406,086    |
| Waste Management                   | 128,914      |
| Recreation                         | 347,300      |
| Planning and Development           | 29,564       |
| Water and Sewer                    | 575,122      |
| Total                              | \$ 2,741,769 |

Appendix # 1

### Municipal Act, 2001 ONTARIO REGULATION 284/09 BUDGET MATTERS — EXPENSES

### **Exclusion**

1. In preparing the budget for a year, a municipality or local board may exclude from the estimated expenses described in paragraph 3 of subsection 289 (2) and in paragraph 3 of subsection 290 (2) of the Act all or a portion of the following:

- 1. Amortization expenses.
- 2. Post-employment benefits expenses.
- 3. Solid waste landfill closure and post-closure expenses. O. Reg. 284/09, s. 1.

### Report

2. (1) For 2011 and subsequent years, the municipality or local board shall, before adopting a budget for the year that excludes any of the expenses listed in section 1,

- (a) prepare a report about the excluded expenses; and
- (b) adopt the report by resolution. O. Reg. 284/09, s. 2 (1).

(2) If a municipality or local board plans to adopt or has adopted a budget for 2010 that excludes any of the expenses listed in section 1, the municipality or local board shall, within 60 days after receiving its audited financial statements for 2009,

- (a) prepare a report about the excluded expenses; and
- (b) adopt the report by resolution. O. Reg. 284/09, s. 2 (2).

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- 3. A report under section 2 shall contain at least the following:
- 1. An estimate of the change in the accumulated surplus of the municipality or local board to the end of the year resulting from the exclusion of any of the expenses listed in section 1.
- 2. An analysis of the estimated impact of the exclusion of any of the expenses listed in section 1 on the future tangible capital asset funding requirements of the municipality or local board. O. Reg. 284/09, s. 3.

### Review

**4.** The Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing shall initiate a review of this Regulation on or before December 31, 2012. O. Reg. 284/09, s. 4.

### Commencement

5. This Regulation is deemed to have come into force on January 1, 2009.

| Reconciliation of Surplus per books to Au  | dited Financial St | tatements    |
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|  |                    |              |
| Surplus as per Budget records  |                    | \$ 341,301.9 |
| Adjustments:   |                    |              |
| Add: Tangible Capital Assets (Expensed for budget - capitalized for financial statement)         | 4,736,739.00       |              |
| Deduct: Depreciation taken on capital assets for<br>financial statements                         | (2,741,768.00)     |              |
| Deduct: Loss on disposal of capital assets for PSAB purposes                                     | (960,772.00)       | 1,034,199.0  |
| Miscellaneous Amounts  |                    | (76,648.     |
| Transfers to Reserves and Reserve Funds  | 1,658,530.69       |              |
| Transfers from Reserves and Reserve Funds  | (1,863,242.21)     |              |
| Net Transfers In (out) Reserves/Res Funds  | -                  | (204,711.    |
| PSAB Landfill adjustment to increase LTD   |                    | (60,187.0    |
| To record interest income earned on Reserve Funds  |                    | 50,615.2     |
| Principal Payments made on Long-term Debt  |                    | 133,312.9    |
| Add: Development fees - shown as income for<br>Financial Statements                              |                    | -            |
| Add: Unfinanced Capital financed during the year, not recorded for Financial Statements          |                    | 57,519.0     |
| Less: Unfinanced Capital to be financed in future<br>years, not recorded on Financial Statements |                    | (108,388.8   |
| Adjusted Surplus on a PSAB basis   |                    | 1,167,012.0  |
| Surplus as per Financial Statements  |                    | 1,167,012.0  |
| Variance   |                    | <u>\$</u> -  |
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| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works |                               |  |  |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| То:                           | Mayor and Members of Council  |  |  |
| Date of Meeting:              | July 13, 2021                 |  |  |
| Subject:                      | Pedestrian Crossing Locations |  |  |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council authorize Public Works to replace the existing pedestrian crossovers located at Main Street at Christie Lane in Winchester, and Main Street at Church Street in Chesterville, with level 2, Type C crossovers; AND THAT Council approves budget amendment #2021-12 in the amount of \$5,000.

## BACKGROUND:

The Township of North Dundas currently has two mid-block controlled pedestrian crossing locations, as follows:

- 1. St. Lawrence Street and Clarence Street, Traffic Signals, 50km/hr.
- 2. St. Lawrence Street and Wintonia Drive, Pedestrian crossover, level 2, Type C, 50km/hour.

In 2020, staff received requests for additional controlled pedestrian crossings within the Township, specifically at Christie Lane in Winchester and Church Street in Chesterville. A pedestrian crossing assessment was completed with the following results:

- 1. Pedestrian volume is greater than 100 during 8-hours (during school times)
- 8-hour vehicle volume is greater than 750 vehicles (SDG 3 / Main Street Winchester – 8,700 vpd (vehicles per day) and SDG 7 / Main Street, Chesterville – 2500 vpd)
- 3. 200m minimum distance is maintained with the next crossing
- 4. AADT is less than 35,000

Hence, this report recommends the following:

Convert the existing Pedestrian crossover level 2, Type D with level 2, Type C (flashing lights on top of signs) at:

- 1. Main Street at Christie Lane, Winchester
- 2. Main Street at Church Street, Chesterville

These crossings will be similar to the crossing at St. Lawrence Street and Wintonia Drive in Winchester. This type of crossing will also create consistency across SDG on Counties Road for pedestrian crossings.

## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Allow the replacement of pedestrian crossovers recommended.
- 2. Do not allow the replacement of pedestrian crossovers not recommended.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

There is no impact to tax rate. The pedestrian crossing lights and poles were purchased as part of the 2020 budget. The installation work will be completed inhouse at the cost of approximately \$5000 (equipment rentals, materials, etc.) through sidewalk reserve funds as per budget amendment 2021-12, see attached.

## OTHERS CONSULTED:

ATTACHMENTS: Budget Amendment # 2021-12

## PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works

## **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:**

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

## **APPENDIX #1**

# Township of North Dundas Addendum to Budget Resolution - July 13, 2021

## Budget Amendment - 2021-12 - Transportation Services

| Project   | Account No.   | 2021 Revised<br>Original Budget |       | II Revised A<br>Budget A |        |    | Budget<br>Amend-<br>ment |  |  |
|---|---------------|---------------------------------|-------|--------------------------|--------|----|--------------------------|--|--|
| Costs   |               |                                 |       |                          |        |    |                          |  |  |
| Sidewalks - Installation of Level 2, Type<br>C Crosswalks | 1-5-3035-8000 | 3                               | 0,000 |                          | 35,000 |    | 5,000                    |  |  |
|   |               | \$3                             | 0,000 | \$                       | 35,000 | \$ | 5,000                    |  |  |
| Financing   |               |                                 |       |                          |        |    |                          |  |  |

| Transfer from Reserve - Sidewalks (1-3-2000-8111) | 1-4-3035-9000 | 28,898       | 33,898       | 5,000       |
|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
|   |               | \$<br>28,898 | \$<br>33,898 | \$<br>5,000 |



| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works       |   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| To:<br>Date of Meeting:<br>Subject: | Mayor and Members of Council<br>July 13, 2021<br>2021 Road Improvements and Budget<br>Amendment |  |  |  |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council receives the 2021 Road Improvements and Budget Update; AND THAT Council approves budget amendment No. 2021-11 in the amount of \$150,000 incl. HST.

## BACKGROUND:

Council, on May 12, 2021, approved the award of asphalt paving of various roads to A. L. Blair in the amount of \$2,984,471.91 including HST.

As there was variance between the approved budget and the award amount, it was committed that during construction, staff would work with the contractor to find efficiencies, through the provisional items, to reduce the overall project cost by approximately \$170,000. Furthermore, should a budget amendment be required at a future date, it would be brought forward to Council for approval.

A. L. Blair, in working with the staff, identified potential cost savings in the amount of \$220,000. These savings will be utilized to keep the asphalt paving of various roads within the existing budget and will also be applied towards other projects such as the gravel maintenance contract, performance of ditching work along Silver Fox Crescent, etc.

Following is brief update on the project:

### Schedule:

Overall, the project is on schedule for completion by October 2021. Paving of St. John Street, Christina Street, Levere Road and Kerrs Ridge Road are completed and deficiencies identified to the contractor for rectification. It is anticipated that the project will be completed within budget.

## Cost and Scope – Additional Projects:

As part of this project update, staff would like to seek Council's direction on four road additional public works projects:

## 1. Levere Road from Development Road to Crowder Road:

As per the 2021 approved budget and the tender, the section of Levere Road from Crowder Road to CR 3 is planned for removal of existing surface treatment and placement of asphalt. However, the existing gravel section of Levere Road from Development Road to Crowder Road was not identified for paving. It is recommended by the contractor to convert the gravel section of the Levere Road from Development Road to Crowder Road to a paved section, similar to the rest of Levere Road. A. L. Blair has submitted a cost estimate of approximately \$125,000 for this work. The section of Levere Road from CR3 to the dead end will remain as gravel.

## 2. Catch Basin Repairs on Clark Road:

The Clark Road catch basins need parging as well replacement of the frame and grates. The cost to do this additional work is around \$5500. The work is recommended as it will ensure proper drainage on the roadway as well enhance the life of the pavement.

## 3. Sidewalk Raise on Clark Road:

Further, as part of another project, the sidewalk on Clark Road is planned for replacement by D-Squared Construction. However, in discussion with the A. L. Blair (road contractor), it is recommended to raise the sidewalk to improve the grades on the roadway and to eliminate existing ponding areas on the pavement. There is a potential cost associated with raising the sidewalk as additional granular material are required.

The raised sidewalk will create a safety buffer for pedestrians. The sidewalk will be lowered at the driveways to match existing grades. At a few areas, a swale will be required behind the sidewalk to direct water flows towards the low point to cross the sidewalk and move towards the roadway.

Estimated cost to raise the sidewalk will be approximately \$10,000.

## 4. Material Testing:

The Township has hired St. Lawrence testing to undertake material and compaction testing of granular and asphalt placement for approximately \$5,000.

## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Council approves the four additional public works projects and approves Budget Amendment No. 2021-11 recommended.
- 2. Council approves some of the four additional public works projects not recommended.
- 3. Council approves none of the additional public works projects not recommended.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The budget amendment will be funded through gas tax reserves/revenue.

## **OTHERS CONSULTED:**

ATTACHMENTS: Budget Amendment 2021-11

## PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

# **APPENDIX #1**

# Township of North Dundas Addendum to Budget Resolution - July 13, 2021

# Budget Amendment - 2021-11 - Transportation Services

| Project<br>Costs  | Account No.             | 2021<br>Original<br>Budget | Revised<br>Budget | Budget<br>Amend-<br>ment |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Levere Road extending construction to include section from Development Road to Crowder Road | 1-5-3101-8002<br>LEVERE | 300,000                    | 428,000           | 128,000                  |
| Clark Road - Catch Basin replacement and raising sidewalks                                  | 1-5-3101-8002<br>CLARK  | 160,000                    | 177,000           | 17,000                   |
| St. Lawrence Testing  | 1-5-3101-8002           | -                          | 5,000             | 5,000                    |
|   | -                       | \$ 460,000                 | \$ 610,000        | \$150,000                |

# Financing

| Transfer from Reserve Funds - Gas Tax Revenue (3-3-2000-9115) | 1-4-1600-9000 | 357,864       | 507,864       | 150,000   |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|
|   |               | \$<br>357,864 | \$<br>507,864 | \$150,000 |



| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works    |                               |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| To: Mayor and Members of Council |                               |  |  |  |
| Date of Meeting:                 | July 13, 2021                 |  |  |  |
| Subject:                         | Sandy Row - Road Design Award |  |  |  |

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council approves the single source award of the road design for Sandy Row to CIMA Canada Inc. in the amount of \$15,942.50 +HST and authorizes the Director of Public Works to sign the agreement.

# BACKGROUND:

The 0.8 km long gravel section of Sandy Row east of Kirkwood to west of Pemberton Road is in a flood plain. The road profile needs to be raised for "Safe Access" for expansion at the Sevita International property. At the November 17, 2020 council meeting, Council agreed to fund this road improvement provided Sevita International committed \$100K towards the road improvements, which they did. The proposed improvements include placement of granular materials, signs/markers and culvert installation.

The project is part of 2021 budget. Earlier this year, the tender for placement of gravel on the Sandy Row was awarded to A. L. Blair and ditching on Sandy Row was completed by Fawcett Brothers.

CIMA Canada Inc. has been providing engineering peer review services to the Township on various development applications including Wellings of Winchester. This section of the road is identified as part of a condition to the site plan agreement for the expansion of Sevita International Property. The project will provide safe access to the development once completed.

CIMA Canada Inc. has submitted a fee estimate to undertake geometric detailed design including survey, ditching, culvert twining, etc. See attached fees proposal for additional details. CIMA Canada Inc. has scheduled the survey work for July 6 and 7 and plan to complete the design within three weeks of the topographical survey. Given that CIMA Canada Inc. has been extensively involved in development reviews for the Township, their local knowledge and delivery schedule, it is prudent to single source the award of the detailed design.

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Award the road design to CIMA Canada Inc. recommended.
- 2. Do not award the road design to CIMA Canada Inc. not recommended.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

2021 Budget - \$200,000 Supply and Placement of granular Materials - \$73,640 Ditching on Sandy Row - \$13,000 Detailed Design Fees - \$15,942.50

Available funds to be used for supply and installation of markers / signs, equipment rentals, culvert extension, hydro seed, etc.

**OTHERS CONSULTED:** Planning

CAO

# ATTACHMENTS:

Engineering Fee Proposal – Sandy Row Grade Raise (Step 1) O/Ref: A000831I (001)

PREPARED BY:

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works



June 25, 2021

Mr. Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works, Township of North Dundas 636 St. Lawrence Street, P.O. Box 489 Winchester, ON K0C 2K0

## Subject: Engineering Fee Proposal – Sandy Row Grade Raise (Step 1) Sandy Row, North Dundas, ON O/Ref: A000831I (001)

Dear Mr. Tunio,

As per your request, we submit the following proposal to provide engineering services for the grade raise of Sandy Row over 800m as described in the following documents provided:

- Safe Access Letter prepared by SNCA, October 26, 2020; and,
- Action Request prepared by North Dundas Public Works, November 3, 2020.

In summary, the work will generally consist in raising the existing road profile of Sandy Row up to the 100-year flood elevation to provide safe access to the Sevita International property located at 11791 Sandy Row. The grade raise is to provide safe access will be completed in a two-step approach:

- The initial step (Step 1) raises the road to an elevation no more than 300 mm below the 100-year flood elevation;
- The second step (Step 2) is to pursue opportunities to further raise the road, using a factor of safety as appropriate based on site conditions.

Although this assignment is to complete Step 1, CIMA+ will have to consider additional possible grade raises (Step 2) in their initial design (Step 1).

The scope of work for this assignment includes the following:

- Schedule and facilitate Start-Up Meeting, including preparation of meeting minutes;
- Gather, compile and review available information provided by North Dundas;
- Perform a site visit, including visual inspection of existing culvert (1);
- Perform topographical survey (edge of gravel, ditches, culverts, private approaches, large tress, etc.) and prepare Topographical Survey Plan;

- Prepare a sketch of the proposed road profile and a revised spreadsheet that clarifies the elevations for the first road elevation increase (Step 1) for review by SNCA;
- Prepare Engineering Drawings:
  - o Road Profile, Drainage and Grading Plan, including ditches and culvert;
  - Details Plan and Cross-Sections (50m intervals);
  - General Notes (technical specifications).
- Submissions:
  - Detailed Design (75%) for review and approval;
  - Final Design (100%), for construction;

We propose a fixed fee of **\$15,942.50 (excl. HST)** including disbursements for the abovenoted scope of work and with the noted exclusions and with a planned level-of-effort breakdown in the following 'Task' table:

| TASK   |                            |                    |                    |                          | Role                       |                 |         |                | COST B     | COST BREAKDOWN |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------|------------|----------------|--|--|
|  | Level of effort<br>(hours) | Principal/Director | PM/Senior Engineer | Intermediate<br>Engineer | Interme diate<br>De signer | Junior Engineer | CAD     | Admin. Support | Expenses   | Total          |  |  |
| Start-Up Activities  | 6                          | 1,0                | 2,0                |                          |                            | 2,0             |         | 1,0            |            | \$775,00       |  |  |
| Gather, compile and review available<br>information provided by North Dundas | 3                          |                    | 1,0                |                          |                            | 1,0             |         | 1,0            |            | \$325,00       |  |  |
| Coordination with North Dundas   | 5                          |                    | 4,0                |                          |                            |                 |         | 1,0            |            | \$675,00       |  |  |
| Coordination with Conservation<br>Authority                                  | O                          |                    | 0,0                |                          |                            |                 |         | 0,0            |            | \$0,00         |  |  |
| Site Review, including one site visit and<br>visual insepction of culvert    | 7                          |                    | 6,0                |                          |                            |                 |         | 0,5            | \$500,00   | \$937,50       |  |  |
| Topographical Survey Plan  | 10                         |                    | 2,0                |                          |                            |                 | 8,0     |                | \$2 500,00 | \$980,00       |  |  |
| Preliminary Design Drawings  | 0                          | 0,0                | 0,0                |                          |                            | 0,0             | 0,0     |                |            | \$0,00         |  |  |
| Detailed Design Drawings   | 74                         | 4,0                | 14,0               |                          |                            | 28,0            | 28,0    |                |            | \$8 080,00     |  |  |
| Final Design Drawings  | 9                          | 1,0                | 4,0                |                          |                            | 2,0             | 2,0     |                |            | \$1170,00      |  |  |
| Cost Estimate (Class B)  | 0                          |                    | 0,0                |                          |                            | 0,0             |         |                |            | \$0,00         |  |  |
| Total – Level of Effort (hours)  | 114                        | 6                  | 33                 | 0                        | 0                          | 33              | 38      | 4              | \$3 000,00 | \$12 942,50    |  |  |
| Hourly Rates   |                            | \$200,00           | \$150,00           | \$125,00                 | \$110,00                   | \$100,00        | \$85,00 | \$75,00        |            |                |  |  |
| Total - Level of Effort Budget   |                            | \$1200             | \$4 950            | \$0                      | \$0                        | \$3300          | \$3230  | \$263          | \$3 000,00 | \$15 942,50    |  |  |



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Fees for additional services based upon per diem rates (2021):

| .1 | Principal:             | \$200.00/hour |
|----|------------------------|---------------|
| .2 | PM/Senior Engineer:    | \$150.00/hour |
| .4 | Intermediate Engineer: | \$125.00/hour |
| .4 | Intermediate Designer: | \$110.00/hour |
| .5 | Junior Engineer        | \$100.00/hour |
|    | CAD Operator           | \$ 85.00/hour |
| .7 | Administrative Staff:  | \$ 75.00/hour |

#### Assumptions

- 1. The grade raises proposed along Sandy Row will have an impact on the overall flooding of the watershed. We have assumed that this impact was already considered by SNCA when agreeing with the Township on the preferred approach.
- 2. We have assumed that the project is pre-approved under MCEA Schedule A, and that CIMA+ is requested to provide engineering services for Phase 5 "Implementation" of the MCEA.
- 3. We have assumed that no geotechnical investigation report would be required for the proposed grade raise. Should it be of concern, a geotechnical investigation report would be required to determine the impact of this grade raise on existing underlying subgrade soils.
- 4. We have assumed that no further studies would be required.
- 5. We have assumed that all work would remain within the existing ROW limit.
- 6. We have assumed the existing culvert would have to be extended.
- 7. We have assumed that the existing ditches can be relocated with in the ROW limit.
- 8. We have assumed that determining the exact location of existing underground utilities and municipal services would not be required during the design phase and that this would be confirmed by the awarded Contractor before construction start. We expect drawings will simply be circulated to utilities during the design process to see if they have any plant that may be impacted by ditch relocation. The Municipality will follow-up with the Utilities.
- 9. We have assumed that this project will be completed in a maximum of three (3) weeks after completion of the topographical survey. Additional fees will be required if project requires more time to complete.

#### **Excluded Services**

- .1 Geotechnical Investigation.
- .2 Environmental Studies, including Tree Survey and Phase 1 ESA.
- .3 Management of Contaminated Soils.
- .4 SUE and locates (utilities and municipal services).



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- .5 Legal Plan (to be provided by Owner).
- .6 Site Servicing (sewers and watermain).
- .7 Site Lighting.
- .8 Landscaping (except for reinstatements).
- .9 SWM modeling.
- .10 Consent-to-enter and work on neighboring properties.
- .11 Permit and Approvals.
- .12 Tendering process.
- .13 Construction administration (CA) and Site Inspection (SI)
- .14 All services not specifically mentioned.

### Documents to be provided

.1 Legal Plan (ROW).

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to call the undersigned.

Yours truly,

# CIMA Canada Inc. (CIMA+)

Hugues Bisson, P. Eng., MBA Partner, Senior Director Email: Hugues.bisson@cima.ca Tel: (613) 860-2462 ext. 6660

By signing this proposal, the Client authorizes CIMA Canada Inc. to deliver professional services in accordance with the terms and conditions specified above.

|                          | Khurram Tunio, M.Eng. P.Eng. |            |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|
| Township of North Dundas | Name of authorized signatory | Date       |
| Authorized signature     |                              |            |
| July .                   |                              |            |
| NIA                      | Hugues Bisson, P.Eng. MBA    | 2021-06-25 |
| CIMA Canada Inc.         | Name of authorized signatory | Date       |



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## TERMS OF PAYMENT AND GENERAL CONDITIONS

#### PAYMENT

All invoices shall be paid in full within thirty (30) days following submission of an invoice. Any amount that is overdue shall bear interest at the rate of one and a half percent (1 1/2%) per month, or eighteen percent (18%) per annum, commencing thirty-one (31) days following the billing date.

#### **INTERRUPTION OR MODIFICATIONS**

If the project is suspended for a period exceeding thirty (30) days or halted indefinitely for any reason, our fees will be invoiced on an hourly basis for the completed portion of the contract, based on actual services rendered under the project, and will become due within fifteen (15) days of invoicing, in addition to costs incurred.

If changes are made, the resulting modification of our documents will be subject to an additional charge, based on our hourly rates. The same applies to any additional work requested by the Client.

Information provided to the Engineer by the Client, the Client's authorized representative or a public department for the preparation of documents is deemed to be accurate. Therefore, the Engineer may not be held responsible for any damages resulting from inaccuracy or error in the aforementioned documents. In such cases, the Engineer is authorized to make the necessary changes to the documents and the work at the Client's expense where necessary.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH ACTS, CODES AND REGULATIONS**

The Engineer-Consultant shall interpret the codes and

regulations for their application to the project. However, the Client acknowledges that the interpretation of such codes and regulations by the authorities having jurisdiction may be different that those of the Engineer-Consultant that they could not have reasonably foreseen. In such cases, the Engineer may not be held responsible for any damages and is authorized to make the necessary changes to documents at the Client's expense.

If codes, standards or regulations are amended during or after preparation of the plans and specifications, the Engineer shall be remunerated at the aforementioned hourly rates for any changes required to these documents.

The financial liability of CIMA Canada Inc. is limited to the amount of fees under this agreement, regardless of the case in litigation. All claims under this contract shall be submitted to CIMA Canada Inc. Under no circumstances will its employees, directors or administrators be held personally liable for any damages incurred by the Client.

# PROPRIETARY RIGHTS AND CONFIDENTIALITY OF DOCUMENTS

The Client may not use documents prepared by the Engineer for the purposes of this contract or allow third parties to use them in whole or in part for other construction work or additional work under the project without obtaining the written consent of the Engineer in advance and providing compensation to the Engineer in accordance with the fees in effect at the time that aforementioned documents are reused.





| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works                                |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| To:Mayor and Members of CouncilDate of Meeting:July 13, 2021 |  |  |  |  |
| Subject:   | Wincrest Industrial Avenue - Design and Construction |  |  |  |

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council approves the single source award of Wincrest Industrial Avenue design to CIMA Canada Inc. at a cost not to exceed \$21,937.50 plus HST; AND THAT subject to the signing of a cost sharing agreement with adjacent developers to secure the budgeted funds, Council approves the award of construction of Wincrest Industrial Avenue to A. L. Blair in the amount of \$246,445 plus HST; AND THAT Council authorizes the Director of Public Works to sign the agreements.

# BACKGROUND:

2021 budget includes the budget for the extension of Wincrest Industrial Avenue. The road will be a brand new 2-lane with rural cross-section and culvert crossing to maintain the drainage. The project will be funded by the Township and adjacent developers. Negotiations and a draft agreement are currently underway.

CIMA Canada Inc. has been providing engineering peer review services to the Township on various development applications including Wellings of Winchester. This section of the road is identified as part of the condition to the subdivision/site plan agreement for the ultimate development of Wellings of Winchester and other developments. The project will provide construction access on an interim basis and alternate access to the development once completed.

CIMA Canada Inc. has submitted a fee proposal in the amount of \$21,937 plus HST to undertake geometric detailed design including survey, phase 1 ESA, sediment and erosion control plans, ditching, culvert, etc. See attached fees proposal for additional details. CIMA Canada Inc. has scheduled the survey work for July 6th and 7<sup>th</sup>, and plan to complete the design within three weeks of the topographical survey. Given that CIMA Canada Inc. has been extensively involved in development reviews for the Township, their local knowledge and delivery schedule, it is prudent to single source the award of the detailed design.

As the lowest bidder on the road construction tender, A. L. Blair was awarded the tender and are currently working on construction of various roads in the Township. A. L. Blair is willing to honor the unit rates in the original tender for road construction for the construction of Wincrest road. Based on estimated quantities, A. L. Blair

has submitted the price of \$245,445 plus HST to complete the Wincrest road construction.

Given that A. L. Blair has provided the lowest price for the construction of various roads in the Township in 2021, are familiar with the Wincrest road site, has done foundations / site services for adjacent development, it is recommended to award the project to A. L. Blair in the amount of \$245,445 plus HST contingent on finalization and Council's acceptance of a cost sharing agreement with applicable developers.

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- **1.** Approve the recommendation recommended.
- 2. Do not approve the recommendation not recommended.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

Total Budgeted expense - \$300,000 Detailed Design - \$21,937.50 plus HST Construction Costs - \$245,445 plus HST

Additional funds may be required for unanticipated scope change / impact, additional field investigations and/or material testing.

Financing of the project included:

\$125,000 from Township reserves/development charges

\$125,000 anticipated from Wellings of Winchester, no agreement in place yet. \$50,000 from another adjacent developer, invoices issued, \$25,000 was received and is being held in trust by our lawyer pending signing of an agreement.

Without a signed agreement(s), the funding is not in place to complete the road construction portion of the project at this time. Township funds are currently in place to complete the design work. Construction can be approved once a funding agreement secures the remaining \$175,000.

## ATTACHMENTS: Engineering Fee Proposal – Wincrest Industrial Avenue O/Ref: A000831J (001)

PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO



June 22, 2021

Mr. Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works, Township of North Dundas 636 St. Lawrence Street, P.O. Box 489 Winchester, ON K0C 2K0

## Subject: Engineering Fee Proposal – Wincrest Industrial Avenue Wincrest Industrial Avenue, North Dundas, ON <u>O/Ref: A000831J (001)</u>

Dear Mr. Tunio,

As per your request, we submit the following proposal to provide engineering services for the preparation of engineering drawings and specifications for the construction of a new road (7m wide and 300m in length) on un-opened road allowance to provide for construction access and to accommodate growth. Refer to the attached sketch showing approximate work limit.

The proposed improvement includes excavation, placement of granular A and B road base, paving two-lifts, ditching, culvert and shouldering, as described in your email dated June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

It must be noted that the cost estimate provided for this work appears to be quite low, with some unit prices much lower than the ones recently observed in the industry. Furthermore, some of the amounts shown in the copy of the Capital Justification – 2021 Budget document appears to be erroneous.

It is our understanding that this new road falls under item 23 of *Appendix I – Project Schedule* of the Municipal Class EA, whereby the "construction of local roads which are required as condition of approval on a site plan, consent, plan of subdivision or plan of condominium which will come into affect under the Planning Act prior to the construction of the road" falls under Schedule A of the Municipal Class EA and is therefore considered to be pre-approved.

The scope of work for this assignment includes the following:

- Schedule and facilitate Start-Up Meeting, including preparation of meeting minutes;
- Gather, compile and review available information provided by North Dundas;
- Perform a site visit;
- Perform topographical survey and prepare Topographical Survey Plan;

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• Prepare Engineering Drawings:

Road Layout Plan.

- o Road Profile, Drainage and Grading Plan, including ditches and culvert;
- Sediment and Erosion Control Plan;
- Cross-Sections (20m intervals);
- o Details Plan;
- General Notes (technical specifications).
- Prepare Class B Cost Estimate.
- Submissions:
  - Preliminary Design (75%) for review and approval;
  - Detailed Design (90%) for tender;
  - Final Design (100%), for construction;

We propose a fixed fee of **\$21,937.50 (excl. HST)** including disbursements for the abovenoted scope of work and with the noted exclusions and with a planned level-of-effort breakdown in the following 'Task' table:

| TASK   |                            |                    |                    |                           | Role                       |                 |         |                | COST BF    | COST BREAKDOWN |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------|------------|----------------|--|--|
|  | Level of effort<br>(hours) | Principal/Director | PM/Senior Engineer | Interme diate<br>Engineer | Interme diate<br>De signer | Junior Engineer | CAD     | Admin. Support | Expenses   | Total          |  |  |
| Start-Up Activities  | 6                          | 1,0                | 2,0                |                           |                            | 2,0             |         | 1,0            |            | \$775,00       |  |  |
| Gather, compile and review available<br>information provided by North Dundas | 3                          |                    | 1,0                |                           |                            | 1,0             |         | 1,0            |            | \$325,00       |  |  |
| Coordination with North Dundas   | 5                          |                    | 4,0                |                           |                            |                 |         | 1,0            |            | \$675,00       |  |  |
| Coordination with Conservation<br>Authority                                  | 9                          |                    | 8,0                |                           |                            |                 |         | 1,0            |            | \$1275,00      |  |  |
| Site Review, including one site visit and<br>visual insepction of culvert    | 7                          |                    | 6,0                |                           |                            |                 |         | 0,5            | \$500,00   | \$937,50       |  |  |
| Topographical Survey Plan  | 10                         |                    | 2,0                |                           |                            |                 | 8,0     |                | \$2 500,00 | \$980,00       |  |  |
| Preliminary Design Drawings  | 66                         | 2,0                | 16,0               |                           |                            | 24,0            | 24,0    |                |            | \$7 240,00     |  |  |
| Detailed Design Drawings   | 34                         | 2,0                | 8,0                |                           |                            | 12,0            | 12,0    |                |            | \$3 820,00     |  |  |
| Final Design Drawings  | 17                         | 1,0                | 4,0                |                           |                            | 6,0             | 6,0     |                |            | \$1910,00      |  |  |
| Cost Estimate (Class B)  | 8                          |                    | 4,0                |                           |                            | 4,0             |         |                |            | \$1000,00      |  |  |
| Total – Level of Effort (hours)  | 165                        | 6                  | 55                 | 0                         | 0                          | 49              | 50      | 5              | \$3 000,00 | \$18 937,50    |  |  |
| Hourly Rates   |                            | \$200,00           | \$150,00           | \$125,00                  | \$110,00                   | \$100,00        | \$85,00 | \$75,00        |            |                |  |  |
| Total – Level of Effort Budget   |                            | \$1200             | \$8 250            | \$0                       | \$0                        | \$4 900         | \$4 250 | \$338          | \$3 000,00 | \$21 937,50    |  |  |



Fees for additional services based upon per diem rates (2021):

.1Principal:\$200.00/hour.2PM/Senior Engineer:\$150.00/hour.4Intermediate Engineer:\$125.00/hour.4Intermediate Designer:\$110.00/hour.5Junior Engineer\$100.00/hour.6CAD Operator\$85.00/hour.7Administrative Staff:\$75.00/hour

### Assumptions

- 1. We have assumed that the project is pre-approved under MCEA Schedule A, and that CIMA+ is requested to provide engineering services for Phase 5 "Implementation" of the MCEA.
- 2. We have assumed that no work would be required in the existing intersection.
- 3. We have assumed that the culvert sizing would be based on a desktop assessment of the watershed mapping provided by the municipality.
- 4. We have assumed that no soil improvements would be required (removal/replacement of native subgrade soils, dewatering, dynamic compaction, etc.).
- 5. We have assumed that no special environmental mitigation measures would be required.
- 6. We have assumed that no special removals would be required, except for the removal of a few shrubs and topsoil.
- 7. We have assumed that no further studies would be required.
- 8. We have assumed that there would be no drainage issues and that only one new culvert would be required.
- 9. We have assumed that determining the exact location of existing underground utilities and municipal services would not be required during the design phase and that this would be confirmed by the awarded Contractor before construction start.

### Excluded Services

- .1 Geotechnical Investigation, including asphalt pavement road design.
- .2 Environmental Studies, including Tree Survey and Phase 1 ESA.
- .3 Management of Contaminated Soils.
- .4 SUE and locates (utilities and municipal services).
- .5 Legal Plan (to be provided by Owner).
- .6 Site Servicing (sewers and watermain).
- .7 Private approaches (by others, except for two along existing road section).



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- .8 Site Lighting.
- .9 Landscaping (except for reinstatements).
- .10 SWM modeling.
- .11 Consent-to-enter and work on neighboring properties.
- .12 Permit and Approvals.
- .13 Tendering process.
- .14 Construction administration (CA) and Site Inspection (SI)
- .15 All services not specifically mentioned.

### Documents to be provided

- .1 Legal Plan (existing ROW).
- .2 Plan of subdivision (future ROW).
- .3 Geotechnical Report, including asphalt pavement road design.
- .4 Environmental Studies.
- .5 Traffic Study.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to call the undersigned.

Yours truly,

# CIMA Canada Inc. (CIMA+)

Hugues Bisson, P. Eng., MBA Partner, Senior Director Email: Hugues.bisson@cima.ca Tel: (613) 860-2462 ext. 6660

By signing this proposal, the Client authorizes CIMA Canada Inc. to deliver professional services in accordance with the terms and conditions specified above.

|                          | Khurram Tunio, M.Eng. P.Eng. |            |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|
| Township of North Dundas | Name of authorized signatory | Date       |
| Authorized signature     |                              |            |
| Jh. h.                   |                              |            |
| NAR                      | Hugues Bisson, P.Eng. MBA    | 2021-06-22 |
| CIMA Canada Inc.         | Name of authorized signatory | Date       |



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## TERMS OF PAYMENT AND GENERAL CONDITIONS

#### PAYMENT

All invoices shall be paid in full within thirty (30) days following submission of an invoice. Any amount that is overdue shall bear interest at the rate of one and a half percent (1 1/2%) per month, or eighteen percent (18%) per annum, commencing thirty-one (31) days following the billing date.

#### **INTERRUPTION OR MODIFICATIONS**

If the project is suspended for a period exceeding thirty (30) days or halted indefinitely for any reason, our fees will be invoiced on an hourly basis for the completed portion of the contract, based on actual services rendered under the project, and will become due within fifteen (15) days of invoicing, in addition to costs incurred.

If changes are made, the resulting modification of our documents will be subject to an additional charge, based on our hourly rates. The same applies to any additional work requested by the Client.

Information provided to the Engineer by the Client, the Client's authorized representative or a public department for the preparation of documents is deemed to be accurate. Therefore, the Engineer may not be held responsible for any damages resulting from inaccuracy or error in the aforementioned documents. In such cases, the Engineer is authorized to make the necessary changes to the documents and the work at the Client's expense where necessary.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH ACTS, CODES AND REGULATIONS**

The Engineer-Consultant shall interpret the codes and

regulations for their application to the project. However, the Client acknowledges that the interpretation of such codes and regulations by the authorities having jurisdiction may be different that those of the Engineer-Consultant that they could not have reasonably foreseen. In such cases, the Engineer may not be held responsible for any damages and is authorized to make the necessary changes to documents at the Client's expense.

If codes, standards or regulations are amended during or after preparation of the plans and specifications, the Engineer shall be remunerated at the aforementioned hourly rates for any changes required to these documents.

The financial liability of CIMA Canada Inc. is limited to the amount of fees under this agreement, regardless of the case in litigation. All claims under this contract shall be submitted to CIMA Canada Inc. Under no circumstances will its employees, directors or administrators be held personally liable for any damages incurred by the Client.

# PROPRIETARY RIGHTS AND CONFIDENTIALITY OF DOCUMENTS

The Client may not use documents prepared by the Engineer for the purposes of this contract or allow third parties to use them in whole or in part for other construction work or additional work under the project without obtaining the written consent of the Engineer in advance and providing compensation to the Engineer in accordance with the fees in effect at the time that aforementioned documents are reused.



# PROPOSED WORK AREA



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| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works    |               |  |  |  |  |  |
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| To: Mayor and Members of Council |               |  |  |  |  |  |
| Date of Meeting:                 | July 13, 2021 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Subject:                         |               |  |  |  |  |  |

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council allocates 2 water units and 2 sewer units for two (2) semidetached units at a vacant lot identified by PIN 661500155, Albert Street, Winchester, application submitted by Chesterville Property Holdings Inc.

## BACKGROUND:

On June 4, 2021, Chesterville Property Holdings Inc. submitted an application for water and sewer allocations for a total of 2 residential units comprised of semidetached units. These 2 residential units will require an equivalent of 2 units of water and 2 units of sewers as per the By-Law No. 2020-23.

The request in the application is consistent with the water capacity analysis presented to the Council on December 15, 2020, which allows for a total of 4 in-fill residential units within the Village of Winchester. This request will exceed the planned allocation for the area, but it will still be within the overall available allocation.

Please refer to attached for summary of water unit allocated and balance available.

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- **1.** Approve the recommendation recommended.
- **2.** Do not approve the recommendation not recommended.

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

\$200 application fees received.

### **OTHERS CONSULTED:**

Planning CAO

# ATTACHMENTS:

Summary of Water Allocation

PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

|           | SUMMARY OF MUNICIPAL WATER UNITS AVAILABLE AS OF MARCH 2021 AND ALLOCATION |   |              |                                     |                    |           |           |           |  |
|-----------|--|---|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| Date      | Description  | Address                                 | Village      | Applicant                           | Construction Type  | Available | Requested | Approved  |  |
| 2020      | Wellings - 11a   | 12046 County Road 3                     | Winchester   | Wellings of Winchester Inc.         | 69 senior unit     | 350       | 33.8      | 28-May-19 |  |
| 23-Dec-20 | Infill   | lot 94, Mary Street                     | Chesterville | Madison Mulder Enterprise           | Semi Detached      | 316.2     | 2         | 19-Jan-21 |  |
| 06-Jan-21 | Win Meadows #22A & 22B   | Arora Crescent, RPlan8M12-BR-5193       | Winchester   | Winchester Meadows Inc.             | Towns              | 314.2     | 48        | 19-Jan-21 |  |
| 19-Jan-21 | Infill   | Lot 51 & 52 BLK A S/S Nation River      | Chesterville | Knowledge Hub Online Inc            | Fourplex           | 266.2     | 4         | 09-Feb-21 |  |
| 25-Jan-21 | Winch, daycare   | 547 Louise St., Winchester              | Winchester   | Upper Canada District School        | Daycare            | 262.2     | 5         | 09-Feb-21 |  |
| 01-Feb-21 | Infill   | Plan 35, 051101 90046 0706              | Chesterville | Derks Holdings Inc                  | single             | 257.2     | 1         | 23-Feb-21 |  |
| 17-Feb-21 | Infill   | 80 Tabitha Crescent                     | Chesterville | John Brugmans                       | single             | 256.2     | 1         | 23-Feb-21 |  |
| 17-Feb-21 | Infill   | 72 Erin Avenue                          | Chesterville | John Brugmans                       | single             | 255.2     | 1         | 23-Feb-21 |  |
| 2020      | Maverick   | Winchester                              | Winchester   | 12005 County Road 3                 | Restaurant         | 254.2     | 13.5      | 30-Jan-20 |  |
| 2020      | Win Meadows 21b  | Lancaster lane (BUILT)                  | Winchester   | Moderna Homes                       | singles / semis    | 240.7     | 36        | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 2020      | Guy Racine 20  | Clarence Street (BUILT)                 | Winchester   | Allan Racine                        | singles            | 204.7     | 5         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 2020      | Davidson   | James Street (BUILT)                    | Winchester   | Vriend                              | single             | 199.7     | 1         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 2020      | Winfields  | Bailey & Winfield (BUILT)               | Winchester   | Wayne Robinson                      | singles            | 198.7     | 4         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 04-Feb-21 | Wellings - phase 2   | 12046 County Road 3                     | Winchester   | Wellings of Winchester Inc.         | 76 senior unit     | 194.7     | 37.2      | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 04-Feb-21 | Wellings - phase 3   | 12046 County Road 3                     | Winchester   | Wellings of Winchester Inc.         | 80 senior unit     | 157.5     | 39.2      | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 05-Feb-21 | Infill   | 109 James & May Streets                 | Winchester   | Vriend Construction                 | singles / semis    | 118.3     | 3         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 10-Feb-21 | Infill   | Lot 1-6 Queen Street                    | Chesterville | Movestment Inc.                     | singles / semis    | 115.3     | 11        | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 19-Feb-21 | Infill   | 2 Winfield Avenue                       | Winchester   | Steven & Renee Robinson             | Duplex             | 104.3     | 2         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 17-Feb-21 | Infill   | 24,40,68,72 and 85 Tabitha Cres         | Chesterville | Brian & Catharina Shane             | 1 single, 8 semis  | 102.3     | 9         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 17-Feb-21 | Infill - Clarence St.  | Pt lots 39&40, pt blk 127, lots 54 & 55 | Winchester   | Allan Racine                        | singles            | 93.3      | 4         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| Feb. 2021 | Infill   | 138 Elizabeth Drive                     | Chesterville | Andrew & Emma Harbers               | single             | 89.3      | 1         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| Feb. 2021 | Infill   | 142 Elizabeth Drive                     | Chesterville | Henry and Bonnie Brunveld           | single             | 88.3      | 1         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| Feb. 2021 | Infill   | 146, 150 & 154 Elizabeth Drive          | Chesterville | Michael Aube                        | single             | 87.3      | 3         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 26-Feb-21 | Esper Lane   | Dream Haven subdivision                 | Winchester   | Terry Sloane/990984 Ontario Ltd     | Towns              | 84.3      | 51        | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 12-Feb-21 | Gypsy Lane   | 430 Gypsy Lane, Winchester              | Winchester   | Fortier Stark Industrial Inc.       | Project            | 33.3      | 1         | 09-Mar-21 |  |
| 03-Mar-21 | Infill   | 68 Erin Avenue                          | Chesterville | Pierre Geneau                       | Single             | 32.3      | 1         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 12-Mar-21 | Infill   | 56 Tabitha Crescent                     | Chesterville | Sean & Trudy Donovan                | Single             | 31.3      | 1         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 26-Mar-21 | Infill   | 522 Church Street                       | Winchester   | Courtney Thompson                   | Single             | 30.3      | 1         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 30-Mar-21 | Infill   | 1 Lori Lane                             | Chesterville | Mark and Bonnie Thompson            | 2 duplex           | 29.3      | 4         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 31-Mar-21 | Infill   | 64 Erin Avenue                          | Chesterville | Matthew Thompson                    | Single             | 25.3      | 1         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 31-Mar-21 | Dundas Manor   | 533 Clarence Street West                | Winchester   | Winchester District Hospital        | Long-term facility | 24.3      | 9.5       | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 06-Apr-21 | Infill   | 216 North Street, Winchester            | Winchester   | Elsayed Ali and Azza Jabakhanji     | townhomes          | 14.8      | 3         | 13-Apr-21 |  |
| 16-Apr-21 | Infill   | 29/31 Main Street                       | Chesterville | Charbel Bouroufail                  | Single             | 11.8      | 1         | 12-May-21 |  |
| 21-Jun-21 | Infill   | Albert Street, Roll#051101800183600     | Winchester   | Chesterville Property Holdings Inc. | Semi Detached      | 10.8      | 2         | ,         |  |
|           |  |   | 1            |                                     |                    | 8.8       |           |           |  |
|           |  |   |              |                                     |                    |           |           |           |  |
|           |  |   |              |                                     |                    |           |           |           |  |
|           |  |   |              |                                     | Summary            | 8.8       | 341.2     |           |  |



| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| То:                           | Mayor and Members of Council           |  |  |  |
| Date of Meeting:              | July 13, 2021                          |  |  |  |
| Subject:                      | bject: Water Supply Initiatives Update |  |  |  |

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council receives the Water Supply Initiatives Update and approves the change in scope of work of the EA Study as per the attached Scope Change 3 – Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative to advance the option of water supply from South Dundas.

# BACKGROUND:

The Township of North Dundas has retained J. L. Richards & Associates to undertake a Schedule "C" Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) for the Township water capacity expansion to address and evaluate potable water supply needs for the 20-year planning horizon.

As part of Phase 2 of the EA Study, following list of potential alternatives are being considered:

- 1. Do nothing
- 2. Expanding the groundwater supply system additional new well(s)
- 3. Connecting to other water system South Dundas
- 4. A new surface water treatment plant
- 5. Combination of alternative 2 and 3.

Further to the Council direction at the December 15, 2020 meeting, for option 2, staff held negotiations with potential property owners for the option to purchase land(s) for pumping test(s). Also, for option 3, staff also held discussions with the Township of South Dundas for the supply of surface water.

Following is the brief update with regards to the above two options:

# Additional Wells:

Five sites within Morewood Esker and Maple Ridge Esker, were shortlisted for negotiation with the property owners. The Township is working toward securing an option to purchase agreement, subject to a successful pumping test. The intent is to perform the pumping test in August. The Ministry of Environment has issued the permit for the pumping test that includes all sites, subject to an agreement with the property owner. It is anticipated that cost of drilling one new production well, pump house, land purchase, hydro/generator and watermain extension will be approximately \$3M to \$4M, but varies greatly depending on the proximity of the well site to our existing watermains and hydro lines.

# Connecting to Other Water System – South Dundas:

J. L. Richards has reviewed the existing South Dundas water supply system as well as their projected growth over the next 20-year period. Based on the review, J. L. Richards has confirmed that South Dundas has the capacity to supply additional water to fulfill North Dundas' 20-year water supply deficit of 39.7 L/S (3,429m3/day) as well as provides for long-term flexibility to supply water beyond a 20-year planning initiative.

In order to further assess this alternative, J. L. Richards has proposed a revision to the scope of work of the original EA Study. (Please see attached Scope Change 3 – Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative.) The cost to undertake these works have been offset by deletion of certain tasks within phases 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the original study fees proposal. There is no impact to the overall EA Study from the scope change.

The revised scope of work will allow for additional desktop environmental and field investigations to assess the extension of watermain alignment from South Dundas and will assist in confirming the cost associated the alternative along with the potential benefits.

The Township currently has eight active wells with a total combined rated capacity of 102.75 L/S. However, through years of operations and proven yield, the total combined current operation rated capacity is 59.5 L/S. The addition of one or two new wells is an interim solution, as the planned growth demand is at a minimum of 39.7 L/S. The Township is experiencing significant growth and this demand may be realized within 5 to 10 years versus over the 20-years based on current growth trends. Further, based on past experience, the well(s) rated capacity reduced significantly over the years. For the Township to continue to accommodate the growth and provide for water security as well as quality for existing and new residents, it is highly recommended to secure alternate sources of water i.e., surface water from South Dundas.

# Next Steps:

- 1. Finalize option to purchase agreement with the property owner.
- 2. Conduct drill for test well to allow for pumping test.
- 3. Conduct environmental and field investigations related to watermain extension from South Dundas.
- 4. Conduct Public Information Centre in fall 2021.
- 5. Present the study findings and public input to the Council.
- 6. Finalize the EA Study in late 2021 / early 2022.

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- **1.** Approve the recommendation recommended.
- 2. Do not approve the recommendations not recommended.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

There are no financial impacts. 2021 Budget carries funding to complete the EA Study and to initiate the detailed design of the preferred option, subject to completion of the environmental assessment study.

# **OTHERS CONSULTED:**

# ATTACHMENTS:

J. L. Richards: Township of North Dundas Water Supply Capacity Expansion Class Environmental Assessment: Scope Change No. 3 - Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative

# PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng.

**Director of Public Works** 

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

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June 21, 2021 Our File No.: 28855-000

VIA: E-MAIL

Mr. Dave Markell Project Manager Ontario Clean Water Agency 5 Industrial Drive Chesterville, ON K0C 1H0

Dear Mr. Markell:

## Re: Township of North Dundas Water Supply Capacity Expansion Class Environmental Assessment: Scope Change No. 3 - Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative

J.L. Richards & Associates Limited (JLR) and Golder Associates (Golder) have been retained by the Township of North Dundas (Township) to conduct a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment to expand the Township's water supply. One of the alternative solutions being evaluated is connecting to the water treatment plant at Morrisburg, in the Township of South Dundas. For this alternative, the treated surface water from South Dundas would be transported to Winchester by a transmission watermain and booster pumping station(s) to supplement water supply from the Township's existing groundwater system. Additional studies are required for this alternative in order to identify risks and challenges, support the Class EA findings for potential future funding opportunities and refine cost assumptions for a more fulsome evaluation. For the purposes of the evaluation of the alternative, the assumed route for the transmission watermain from Morrisburg to Winchester will be along County Road 31 within the road corridor that connects to the existing water distribution system at St. Lawrence Street and Gypsy Lane in Winchester.

# Background

Our original financial proposal included provisional items for a Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment and Desktop Natural Environmental Screening associated with development of a new Well Site to increase communal water supply. At the project initiation, the Township/OCWA advised that these two studies were removed from the project scope. It was anticipated that a new redundant well with a slight increase in water supply at an existing well site would be required. However, following Phase 1, the high growth projections developed in consultation with the Township resulted in a 20-year water supply deficit of 3,429 m<sup>3</sup>/d (39.7 L/s). While proven groundwater supply is known to exist in the Morewood Esker (Well Field 7) and Maple Ride Esker (Chesterville Wells No. 5 and 6), the Township is interested in securing an alterative water supply that can provide long-term operational flexibility beyond the 20-year planning timeline.



I.L.Richards

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Mr. Dave Markell, Ontario Clean Water Agency

# Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment

Golder will conduct a Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment, to identify the potential for archaeological resources in the vicinity of the watermain route. The current MEA Class EA classifies a watermain extension in an established right-of-way as a Schedule A (pre-approved) undertaking; however, the 25 km transmission watermain length and associated booster pumping station (Schedule B undertaking) represents an increased potential impact to archaeological resources particularly in the vicinity of the South Nation River. The Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment will be required to proactively respond to regulatory and First Nation feedback to complete the Class EA evaluation. The Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment will also be needed when applying for potential future funding opportunities, should this alternative be identified as the preferred servicing solution. Refer to Attachment No. 2 for Golder's scope of work for this task.

### Desktop Species at Risk (SAR) Assessment

Golder will conduct a Desktop Species at Risk (SAR) Assessment along the proposed route. The background review would identify potential SAR habitats and gather historical information on the natural environment. Similar to the Archaeological Assessment, the Desktop SAR will proactively address regulatory feedback in the evaluation of this alternative and increase the success of potential future funding opportunities. As a minimum, the SAR will identify areas of concern along the proposed transmission watermain route that may require additional mitigation measures to be included as part the detailed design process. Refer to Attachment No. 3 for Golder's scope of work for this task.

### **Blended Water Operations Review**

The Blended Water Operations Review will outline potential risks to be considered in the Class EA when blending treated water from surface water and groundwater sources. Completely switching the Township's existing water supply system from groundwater to surface water supply is not considered a readily available option; however, supplementing water supply from the Township of South Dundas has been identified as a potential servicing alternative. This supplemental water system will likely involve new operational hurdles that would be unique to any communal water supply systems in Eastern Ontario. Typically, blended water systems are operated in southern Ontario with much larger service populations and water demands than communities in Eastern Ontario. While the challenges of operating a blended water system are expected to be mitigated through operations, it is warranted the Class EA identify these challenges as part of the evaluation. The information will allow the project team to make an informed decision during evaluation, provide improved cost curtailing opportunities when comparing to alternative solutions, and facilitate proactive responses to potential regulatory comments. JLR proposes to develop an operations survey and conduct interviews with interested municipalities in Ontario that operate blended water systems. Willing participant contacts could include the Region of Waterloo, the Region of Peel, and the City of Barrie. The interviews will inquire about the challenges of maintaining water quality, challenges in operating the system, requirements for additional treatment, etc. Following the interviews, JLR will prepare a Memorandum of Findings of the Operations survey to be included within the Phase 2 Report.



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### **Regulatory and Stakeholder Consultations**

Due to the extensive length of the watermain route, various crossings that will be encountered, and pumping station(s) anticipated, additional consultation with regulatory agencies and stakeholders will be required. JLR proposes to undertake the additional consultation which would include coordinating and consulting with the following stakeholders:

- Ministry of Transportation (HWY 401 crossing);
- Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (SAR);
- Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Cultural Industries (MHSTCI) (Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment);
- South Nation Conservation (water crossings);
- Railway Owners (railway crossings);
- Ministry of Indigenous Affairs First Nations.

## **Professional Fees**

The table below outlines the fees associated with the additional studies and modified scope for completion of Phase 2 Activities as a Schedule 'B' undertaking. Refer to Attachment No. 1 for Detailed Breakdown of Level of Effort for this scope change and project credits associated with tasks within Phases 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the original financial proposal:

| Item   | Fees, including<br>Disbursement<br>(excl. HST) |
|--|--|
| Project Management   | \$10,185                                       |
| Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment                          | \$15,510                                       |
| Desktop Species at Risk (SAR) Assessment                           | \$12,085                                       |
| Blended Water Operations Review                                    | \$21,105                                       |
| Additional Regulatory and Stakeholder Consultations                | \$7,455  |
| Total for Additional Studies                                       | \$66,340                                       |
| Additional Items for Completion of Phase 2 Activities (Schedule B) | \$10,587                                       |
| Credit for Tasks within Phases 2, 3, 4 and 5                       | (\$76,899)                                     |
| Total Requested Fee Increase From Original Purchase Order          | \$0  |

Based on the above, no additional fee above the previously approved purchase order is being requested, only reallocation of various fees associated with tasks within Phase 2, Phase 3, Phase 4 and Phase 5 of the original financial offer.

### Schedule

Following receipt of the authorization to proceed, the estimated schedules for the tasks are as follows:

Desktop Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment:

- Draft Report within 6 weeks;
- Final Report within 2 weeks of receipt of comments;



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 Approximately 6 months for review and acceptance by the Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Cultural Industries (MHSTCI). An expedited review can be requested if necessary.

Desktop Species at Risk (SAR) Assessment:

- Draft Report within 6 weeks;
- Final Report within 2 weeks of receipt of comments.

Blended Water Operations Review:

- Draft and undertake survey within 4 weeks;
- Memorandum of findings 2 weeks following completion of survey.

Additional Regulatory and Stakeholder Consultations:

• Consultation within 6 weeks.

Please review and advise your agreement with the foregoing scope change to reallocate tasks associated with the approved budget and we will coordinate a date to commence the additional studies. Based on the current project schedule and depth of resources available, we expect to incorporate the findings of these studies in the Draft Phase 2 Report by October 29, 2021 (contingent upon completion of the well test), based on an approval of this scope change by June 30, 2021.

Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

Yours very truly,

J.L. RICHARDS & ASSOCIATES LIMITED

Prepared by:

Reviewed by:

Sarah Gore, P.Eng. Executive Director

Mark Buchanan, P.Eng. Senior Civil Engineer

JM/MB/SG:jd

### Attachments:

- 1. Detailed Breakdown of Level of Effort for Scope Change No. 3
- 2. Proposal for Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA
- 3. Proposal for Desktop Species at Risk Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA



Township of North Dundas Water Supply Capacity Expansion Class Environmental Assessment - Scope Change No. 3 – Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative

# **Attachment 1**

Detailed Breakdown of Level of Effort for Scope Change No. 3

| NORTH DUNDAS DRINKING WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM CAPACITY EXPANSION<br>DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF LEVEL OF EFFORT- ADDITIONAL STUDIES FO |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             | <u>CHA</u> | NGE N    | <u>O. 3 -</u>                             |              | <b>J</b> R<br>Richards                  |  |  |
|--|------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|------------------|-------------|------------|----------|---|--------------|---|--|--|
| Work Phase/Task  |            | J.L. Richards & Associates Limited |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          | ENGINE                                    |              | J.L.Richards<br>ERS-ARCHITECTS-PLANNERS |  |  |
|  |            | Project Manager                    | Assistant PM /<br>Class EA Lead | Engineering and<br>CAD Support<br>Staff | Clerical Support | Total Hours |            | JLR Fees | Golder<br>Associates<br>Limited -<br>Fees |              | Total Fees                              |  |  |
|  | Brian Hein | Sarah Gore                         | Mark<br>Buchanan                | Various                                 | Various          |             |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
|  | 225.00     | 185.00                             | 150.00                          | 110.00                                  | 80.00            |             |            |          | <u> </u>                                  |              |   |  |  |
| ADDITIONAL STUDIES FOR SOUTH DUNDAS WATER SUPPLY ALTERNATIVE   |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| Project Management<br>Additional Project Management  | 1          | 20                                 | 40                              |   |                  | 60          | \$         | 9,700    | <b>I</b>                                  | \$           | 9,700                                   |  |  |
| Blended Water Operations Review - South Dundas Water Supply Option   |            | 20                                 | 40                              |   |                  | 00          | φ          | 9,700    |   | Ψ            | 9,700                                   |  |  |
| Identification and Evaluation of New Alternative (incl. 2 meetings)  |            | 2                                  | 20                              | 40                                      | 2                | 64          | \$         | 7,930    |   | \$           | 7,930                                   |  |  |
| Preparation of Operations Survey   |            | 1                                  | 20                              | 40                                      | 1                | 8           | \$         | 1,005    |   | φ<br>\$      | 1,005                                   |  |  |
| Coordination and Interviews of Municipalities  |            | 1                                  | 16                              | 24                                      |                  | 41          | \$         | 5,225    |   | \$           | 5,225                                   |  |  |
| Preparation of Memorandum of Findings of the Operations Survey   |            | 4                                  | 16                              | 24                                      | 2                | 46          | \$         | 5,940    |   | \$           | 5,940                                   |  |  |
| Desktop Stage 1 Archaeology Assessment   | <u> </u>   | <u> </u>                           |                                 | <u> </u>                                | <u> </u>         |             | <u> </u>   | -,       |   |              | -,                                      |  |  |
| Phase 1 Archaeology Assessment (including JLR Coordination)  |            | 2                                  | 8                               | 16                                      |                  | 26          | \$         | 3,330    | \$ 11,600                                 | ) \$         | 14,930                                  |  |  |
| Desktop Species at Risk Assessment   |            |                                    | <u> </u>                        | 1                                       | I                | <u> </u>    | <u> </u>   |          |   | ·            |   |  |  |
| SAR Assessment (including JLR Coordination and Mapping)  |            | 2                                  | 8                               | 24                                      |                  | 34          | \$         | 4,210    | \$ 7,500                                  | ) \$         | 11,710                                  |  |  |
| Additional Regulatory and Stakeholder Consultations  | <u>.</u>   | <u>.</u>                           | 1                               | <u>.</u>                                | <u> </u>         | <u>1</u>    |            |          |   | •            |   |  |  |
| Coordination and Consultation with Agencies  |            | 4                                  | 16                              | 36                                      |                  | 56          | \$         | 7,100    |   | \$           | 7,100                                   |  |  |
|  | -          | 1                                  | 1                               | DU                                      | JTIES AND T      | AXES (IE    | EXPE       | ENSES) - | EXCLUDING HS                              | Т\$          | 2,800                                   |  |  |
| TOTAL LEVEL OF EFFORT - SCOPE CHANGE NO. 3   | 0          | 36                                 | 126                             | 168                                     | 5                | 335         |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| TOTAL FEES - SCOPE CHANGE NO. 3  | \$-        | \$ 6,660                           | \$ 18,900                       | \$ 18,480                               | \$ 400           |             | \$         | 44,440   | \$ 19,100                                 | ) \$         | 66,340                                  |  |  |
| ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR COMPLETION OF PHASE 2 ACTIVITIES (SCHEDULE B)   |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| 2.14 Finalize Phase 2 Report for Mandatory Public Review   |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  | 45          | \$         | 2,300    | \$ 5,173                                  | 3 \$         | 7,473                                   |  |  |
| 2.15 Implement Consultation Requirements and Prepare Notice of Completion for Phase 2 Report                                 | FROM FINA  | NCIAL SUBM                         |                                 |   |                  | 10          | \$         | 1,340    | \$-                                       | \$           | 1,340                                   |  |  |
| 2.17 Finalize Phase 2 Report (Project File), including Council Resolution  |            | EFFORT (SO                         | CHEDULE 'B'                     | " CLASS EA)                             |                  | 6           | \$         | 970      | \$-                                       | \$           | 970                                     |  |  |
| 2.18 Close Out Project   |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  | 2           | \$         | 300      | \$-                                       | \$           | 300                                     |  |  |
|  | •          |                                    |                                 | DL                                      | JTIES AND T      | AXES (IE    | . EXPE     | ENSES) - | EXCLUDING HS                              | Т\$          | 504                                     |  |  |
| TOTAL FEES - ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR COMPLETION OF PHASE 2 ACTIVITIES (SCHEDULE B)  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   | \$           | 10,587                                  |  |  |
| CREDIT FOR ITEM WITHIN PHASE 2 - IDENTIFICATION AND EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVE SOLUTION                                       | ONS        |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| Credit for Item 2.14 - Preferred Alternative in Phase 2 Report and Confirm Project Schedule                                  | FROM FINA  | NCIAL SUBM<br>EFFORT (SO           |                                 | RK PLAN AN<br>" CLASS EA)               |                  | 24          | \$         | (3,530)  |   | \$           | (3,530)                                 |  |  |
|  |            |                                    |                                 | DL                                      | JTIES AND T      | AXES (IE    | . EXPE     | ENSES) - | EXCLUDING HS                              | Т\$          | (177)                                   |  |  |
| CREDIT FOR PHASE 3 - IDENTIFICATION AND EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVE DESIGN CONCEPTS  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  | •           | -          |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| Credit for Item 3.1 to Item 3.17 of Phase 3  | FROM FINA  | NCIAL SUBM<br>EFFORT (SO           |                                 | PRK PLAN AN<br>" CLASS EA)              |                  | 341         | \$         | (47,284) |   | \$           | (47,284)                                |  |  |
|  |            |                                    |                                 | DL                                      | JTIES AND T      | AXES (IE    | EXPE       | ENSES) - | EXCLUDING HS                              | Т\$          | (2,364)                                 |  |  |
| CREDIT FOR PHASE 4: PREPARATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY REPORT  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             | -          |          |   | -            |   |  |  |
| Credit for Item 4.1 to Item 4.5 of Phase 4   | FROM FINA  | NCIAL SUBM<br>EFFORT (SO           |                                 | RK PLAN AN<br>" CLASS EA)               |                  | 85          | \$         | (12,463) |   | \$           | (12,463)                                |  |  |
| DUTIES AND TAXES (IE. EXPENSES) - EXCLUDING HST CREDIT FOR PHASE 5: PROVISIONAL ITEMS  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  | Т\$         | (623)      |          |   |              |   |  |  |
| Credit for Item 5.4 -Part II Order (Bump-up) - (1 meeting and 1 formal response)   | FROM FINA  | NCIAL SUBM<br>EFFORT (SO           |                                 | PRK PLAN AN<br>"CLASS EA)               |                  | 72          | \$         | (9,960)  |   | \$           | (9,960)                                 |  |  |
|  | 1          |                                    |                                 | ,                                       |                  | AXES (IF    | EXPF       | ENSES) - | EXCLUDING HS                              | T \$         | (498                                    |  |  |
| DUTIES AND TAXES (IE. EXPENSES) - EXCLUDING HST  |            |                                    |                                 |   | -                | (76,899)    |            |          |   |              |   |  |  |
|  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   | <b>. . .</b> |   |  |  |
|  |            |                                    |                                 |   |                  |             |            |          |   | \$           | (10,000)                                |  |  |

Township of North Dundas Water Supply Capacity Expansion Class Environmental Assessment - Scope Change No. 3 – Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative

# Attachment 2

Proposal for Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA



16 March 2021

Project No. 19125451-006

Mark Buchanan, P.Eng., Associate, Senior Civil Engineer J.L. Richards & Associates Limited 700-1565 Carling Avenue Ottawa, Ontario K1Z 8R1

# PROPOSAL FOR STAGE 1 ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT TO SUPPORT THE MUNICIPAL CLASS EA FOR THE NORTH DUNDAS DRINKING WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM EXPANSION

Dear Mr. Buchanan:

Golder Associates Ltd. (Golder) is pleased to provide J.L. Richards & Associates Limited (JLR) with the following proposal to complete a Stage 1 archaeological assessment associated with the proposed watermain expansion between Morrisburg and Winchester, Ontario. It is our understanding that the project corridor for the watermain extension will be approximately 24 km in length and generally follow the right-of-way of County Road 31.

# **Stage 1 Approach**

The primary objectives of the Stage 1 archaeological assessment will be to identify potential archaeological resources and provide Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries (MHSTCI) compliant mitigation strategies that may include, where necessary, strategies for field investigations to assess the presence/absence of archaeological resources that may be impacted by the proposed infrastructure project.

Preliminary research completed in the preparation of this proposal indicates that at least two Indigenous archaeological sites have been registered with the Province within 150 m of the proposed alignment, including a Late Woodland Period Village identified in the 1960s. The Stage 1 assessment will provide an overview of known archaeological resources and sites within the vicinity of the proposed alignment to determine appropriate mitigation strategies for the potential archaeological resources.

A visual site inspection will also be completed within the proposed project corridor to identify areas of previous landscape disturbances that may have negated the potential for archaeological resources. The visual site inspection will be conducted from publicly accessible lands and will include the documentation of representative landscape conditions and does not include excavation or collection of archaeological resources.

More specifically, this Stage 1 assessment will include the following tasks:

- Review of relevant environmental, historical and archaeological literature.
- Review of cartographic resources including maps, atlases and aerial imagery.

- Review of relevant previously completed archaeological studies.
- Review of the updated MHSTCI archaeological sites database.
- Field reconnaissance to document the existing landscape within the project corridor.
- Provision of appropriate mitigation strategies for areas identified as possessing archaeological potential, if necessary.

The Stage 1 archaeological assessment will be undertaken by a licenced archaeologist in accordance with the *Ontario Heritage Act* and in compliance with the MHSTCI *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* (2011).

# **Scheduling and Deliverables**

All archaeological assessments completed in the Province of Ontario are regulated by the Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries (MHSTCI), which requires the consultant to submit project specific information prior to initiating the assessment. Once the authorization to proceed is provided, the professionally licensed archaeologist will submit the required Project Information Form (PIF) to the MHSTCI. The submission of a PIF will register the project with the MHSTCI and requires the licensed archaeologist to submit a final report within one calendar year.

A draft report summarizing the results of the Stage 1 archaeological assessment will be provided to JLR for review and comment within six (6) weeks following receipt of the authorization to proceed.

The report will include an overview of the project corridor's geography, previous archaeological and historic research, current landscape conditions, an assessment of the areas retaining archaeological potential and appropriate proposed mitigation strategies in compliance with Ontario MHSTCI *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* (2011).

Following review of the draft report by JLR, Golder will address the comments and submit the final report to the MHSTCI for technical review and inclusion in the public registrar. The MHSTCI review process can take up to six months, or longer; however, an expedited review can be requested to accelerate the MHSTCI review process, if necessary. Following the completion of the MHSTCI technical review and acceptance into the public registrar, the MHSTCI will issue a compliance letter indicating the acceptance of the report recommendations.

### **Cost Estimate**

The cost estimate for undertaking the Stage 1 archaeological assessment detailed in this proposal is \$11,600 (excluding applicable taxes). All work will be carried out in accordance with the project specific contract between Golder and JLR (dated November 12, 2019) and will be invoiced to JLR on a time and expenses basis.

## **Assumptions and Budgetary Considerations**

Archaeological assessments include the inherent possibility of discovering additional cultural heritage resources beyond what can be expected for a particular area. While the proposed project work plan and cost estimate are based on professional experience and previous archaeological investigations completed in the general area of the proposed project corridor, this proposal also includes several assumptions, which if changed or altered in any way, may affect the costing and scheduling of the project and may require a change order to accommodate the variances. These assumptions include:

| Mark Buchanan, P.Eng., Associate, Senior Civil Engineer |  |
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| J.L. Richards & Associates Limited                      |  |

- This scope of work does not include consultation or engagement with Indigenous communities, and it is assumed where consultation or engagement is required it will be facilitated by JLR and/or the Township of North Dundas. Golder will make best efforts to provide any additional information to the representative(s) from Indigenous communities when requested by JLR or other approved project Stakeholders (e.g., Township of North Dundas) during the work on site.
- In order to conform to the MHSTCI Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists (2011), the Stage 1 archaeological visual site inspections must be completed under suitable conditions that allow good visibility of land features. In order to document previous landscape disturbances that may have negated archaeological potential, the visual site inspections cannot be completed when weather conditions (e.g., snow cover, frozen ground, excessive rain or drought) may reduce the chances of observing features of archaeological potential.
- Golder will not be responsible for delays resulting from the discovery of significant Indigenous historical materials that prevent the continuation of the project within a timely manner. Should Indigenous community members, JLR and/or approved project Stakeholders (e.g., Township of North Dundas, etc.) require a delay to the archaeological assessment to assess the context and/or significance of Indigenous materials documented during the archaeological investigation, a change order may be required to accommodate variances to the labour and disbursement costs and/or proposed project scheduling.
- The cost developed for this proposal assumes one round of revisions to the Draft Report from JLR and/or project Stakeholders combined.
- The above proposal does not include Golder personnel attending project meetings in person. If Golder is required to attend any meetings, then a change order may be required.
- This proposal has taken into consideration certain efforts required due to the COVID-19 pandemic, but it is acknowledged that the full impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic are still not apparent. The proposed scope of services, cost and schedule do not consider additional potential impacts caused by COVID-19, beyond what has been described in the proposal. Any adjustments required due to any additional impacts to accommodate COVID-19 related concerns (including but not limited to, additional travel restrictions, delays, economic interruption, supply chain issues, or any governmental guidance) will require an equitable adjustment in scope, schedule and cost.
- Finally, every archaeological investigation involves the risk of finding human remains. If human remains are encountered during the course of the project, Golder will inform JLR, and all site work performed by Golder will cease until the necessary authorities are notified and approvals to resume work are obtained, if required. The discovery of human remains will be deemed to be a changed condition and work will resume after agreement with JLR regarding any changes, if necessary, in the scope, schedule, and the cost of the project. Golder will not be responsible for delays or for additional costs, such as those relating to the discovery, treatment and repatriation of the remains, and will be paid for such services.

Mark Buchanan, P.Eng., Associate, Senior Civil Engineer J.L. Richards & Associates Limited Project No. 19125451-006 16 March 2021

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this proposal. If you wish us to proceed with this work, please sign and return the attached Change Order Form. If you have any questions concerning this proposal, or if we can modify it in any way to better suit your needs, please feel free to contact us at your convenience.

### Golder Associates Ltd.

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Michael Teal, MA Associate, Senior Archaeologist

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Attachments: Change Order Form



#### CHANGE ORDER # 03

| Client Name                     | Project Name                                    | Contract Date     | Golder Project No. |
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| J.L. Richards & Associates Ltd. | North Dundas Water Supply<br>Municipal Class EA | November 12, 2019 | 19125451           |

#### CHANGE IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Refer to letter P19124541-006 " Proposal for Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA for the North Dundas Drinking Water Supply System Expansion ", dated March 16, 2021.

#### **CHANGE IN AGREEMENT COST (\$CAD)**

| Original Agreement Cost:   | \$142,181.93 |  |  |  |
|--|--------------|--|--|--|
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order # <u>02</u>           | \$2,083      |  |  |  |
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order # <u>03</u>           | \$11,535     |  |  |  |
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order #                     |              |  |  |  |
| Current Agreement Cost:  | \$155,799.93 |  |  |  |
| CHANGE IN AGREEMENT TIME   |              |  |  |  |
| Original Completion Date:  | N/A          |  |  |  |
| Current Completion Date (as adjusted by previous Change Orders):   | N/A          |  |  |  |
| Change in Agreement time (calendar days) due to this Change Order: | N/A          |  |  |  |
| New Completion Date due to this Change Order:                      | N/A          |  |  |  |

The work covered by this Change Order shall be performed under the same terms and conditions as those included in the original Agreement. All other terms and conditions of said Agreement, as it may have been modified, shall be and remain the same.

The foregoing modification of said Agreement is hereby accepted.

#### GOLDER ASSOCIATES LTD.

J.L. RICHARDS & ASSOCIATES LTD.

|        | Authorized Signatory |
|--------|----------------------|
| Name:  |                      |
| Title: |                      |
| Date:  |                      |

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Township of North Dundas Water Supply Capacity Expansion Class Environmental Assessment - Scope Change No. 3 – Additional Studies for South Dundas Water Supply Alternative

# **Attachment 3**

Proposal for Desktop Species at Risk Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA



March 15, 2021

Project No. 19125451-007

Mark Buchanan, P.Eng., Associate, Senior Civil Engineer J.L. Richards & Associates Limited 700-1565 Carling Avenue Ottawa, Ontario K1Z 8R1

# PROPOSAL FOR DESKTOP SPECIES AT RISK ASSESSMENT TO SUPPORT THE MUNICIPAL CLASS EA FOR THE NORTH DUNDAS DRINKING WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM EXPANSION

Dear Mr. Buchanan:

Golder Associates Ltd. (Golder) is pleased to provide J.L. Richards & Associates Limited (JLR) with the following proposal to complete a desktop Species at Risk (SAR) Assessment associated with the proposed watermain extending approximately 24 km in length between Morrisburg and Winchester, generally following the right-of-way of County Road 31, Ontario (the Site).

# Scope of Work

Golder will conduct a desktop review of published natural heritage data and information available for the Site and the area within 120 m of the Site (Study Area). This information will serve to identify SAR known to be present or having the potential to be present. Information sources to be consulted will consist of:

- Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF) Natural Heritage Information Centre (NHIC) Make-a-Map geographic explorer for SAR, rare (S1-S3) species reported as occurring in the vicinity of the Site (MNRF 2021a);
- Environment and Climate Change Canada's SAR Public Registry including COSEWIC status reports, assessments, and recovery strategies;
- Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) list of SAR in Ontario (O.Reg. 230/08) including COSSARO species assessment reports;
- Atlas of Breeding Birds of Ontario (Cadman et al. 2007);
- eBird online database (eBird 2021);
- Atlas of the Mammals of Ontario (Dobbyn 1994);

- Bat Conservation International (BCI 2021);
- Ontario Odonata Atlas (Jones et al. 2021);
- Ontario Reptile and Amphibian Atlas (Ontario Nature 2021);
- Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) Aquatic Species at Risk Maps (DFO 2021);
- MNRF Land Information Ontario Aquatic Resources Area Layer (MNRF 2021b);
- Information contained in natural heritage related map layers from Land Information Ontario (LIO; 2021) and the Ontario Land Cover Compilation (MNRF 2021c); and,
- Existing high-resolution aerial imagery and mapping.

A SAR screening will be completed for the Study Area and will focus on the review of records and range maps pertaining to species that are designated as threatened, endangered or special concern under the Ontario *Endangered Species Act*, 2007, and species that are protected under Schedule 1 of the *Species at Risk Act*, 2002.

The published SAR data will help to determine the potential for habitats of SAR to be present. Data from desktop habitat mapping described below will be used in combination with the desktop data to determine a final probability of SAR and/or SAR habitats on the Site or within the Study Area.

To assess the potential SAR habitats on the Site or in the Study Area, a desktop habitat mapping exercise is proposed. A biologist trained in Ecological Land Classification (ELC) (Lee et al. 1998) will review publicly available aerial imagery of the Site and Study Area, and map habitats to the Community Series level. Boundaries of wetlands will be determined based on MNRF mapping (LIO 2021).

#### **Scheduling and Deliverables**

The results of the desktop SAR assessment will be summarized in a technical memorandum, with supporting information including appendices and figures. The technical memorandum will describe the existing conditions at the Site and in the Study Area and outline the SAR with moderate or high potential to be present. The technical memorandum will outline potential negative effects on SAR or their suitable habitat from the proposed project, discuss the related regulatory implications under the ESA, recommend high-level mitigation measures, and identify the need for further study or agency consultation, if necessary.

Golder will prepare a draft technical memorandum six (6) weeks following receipt of the authorization to proceed and, following receipt of one set of consolidated comments, Golder will finalize the draft document and provide an electronic copy to J.L. Richards & Associates Ltd. It is expected the final technical memorandum can be prepared within two (2) weeks of receiving comments on the draft.

### **Cost Estimate**

The cost estimate for undertaking the desktop SAR assessment detailed in this proposal is \$7,500 (excluding applicable taxes). All work will be carried out in accordance with the project specific contract between Golder and JLR (dated November 12, 2019) and will be invoiced to the J.L. Richards on a time and expenses basis.

### **Assumptions and Budgetary Considerations**

This scope of work and costing has been prepared based on the following assumptions:

- No permitting under the ESA or other legislation will be required. If permitting or registration is required, or if additional agency consultation is required (such as an Information Gathering Form), a revised scope and costing will be prepared.
- No fieldwork has been included in this scope of work or costing. If targeted surveys are required, a revised scope and costing will be prepared.
- No review of existing project materials, such as past reports, are included in this scope and costing. If review of previous studies or other materials specific to the Study Area need to be reviewed, a revised scope and costing will be prepared.
- No assessment of significant natural features other than SAR (e.g., provincially significant wetlands, fish habitat) has been included in this scope of work or costing.
- The cost developed for this proposal assumes one round of revisions to the draft deliverable from JLR and/or project Stakeholders combined.
- The above proposal does not include Golder personnel attending project meetings in person. If Golder is required to attend any meetings, then a change order may be required.

This proposal has taken into consideration certain efforts required due to the COVID-19 pandemic, but it is acknowledged that the full impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic are still not apparent. The proposed scope of services, cost and schedule do not consider additional potential impacts caused by COVID-19, beyond what has been described in the proposal. Any adjustments required due to any additional impacts to accommodate COVID-19 related concerns (including but not limited to, additional travel restrictions, delays, economic interruption, supply chain issues, or any governmental guidance) will require an equitable adjustment in scope, schedule and cost.

Mark Buchanan, P.Eng., Associate, Senior Civil Engineer J.L. Richards & Associates Limited Project No. 19125451-007 March 15, 2021

# Closing

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this proposal. If you wish us to proceed with this work, please sign and return the attached Change Order Form. If you have any questions concerning this proposal, or if we can modify it in any way to better suit your needs, please feel free to contact us at your convenience.

#### Golder Associates Ltd.

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Attachments: Change Order Form



#### CHANGE ORDER # 04

| Client Name                     | lient Name Project Name                         |                   | Golder Project No. |  |
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|--|
| J.L. Richards & Associates Ltd. | North Dundas Water Supply<br>Municipal Class EA | November 12, 2019 | 19125451           |  |

#### CHANGE IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Refer to letter 19124541-007 " Proposal for Desktop Species at Risk Assessment to Support the Municipal Class EA for the North Dundas Drinking Water Supply System Expansion", dated March 15, 2021.

#### CHANGE IN AGREEMENT COST (\$CAD)

| Original Agreement Cost:                       |    |
|--|----|
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order # | 02 |
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order # | 03 |
| Change in Agreement Cost due to Change Order # | 04 |
| Current Agreement Cost:                        |    |

#### **CHANGE IN AGREEMENT TIME**

Original Completion Date:

Current Completion Date (as adjusted by previous Change Orders): Change in Agreement time (calendar days) due to this Change Order: New Completion Date due to this Change Order:

| \$142,181.93 |
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| \$2,083      |
| \$11,535     |
| \$7,500      |
| \$163,299.93 |

| N/A |  |
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| N/A |  |
| N/A |  |
| N/A |  |

The work covered by this Change Order shall be performed under the same terms and conditions as those included in the original Agreement. All other terms and conditions of said Agreement, as it may have been modified, shall be and remain the same.

The foregoing modification of said Agreement is hereby accepted.

#### Golder Associates Ltd.

J.L. Richards & Associates Ltd.

|       | Authorized Signatory |
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| Name: |                      |

| Title: |  |  |  |
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| Date:  |  |  |  |

| Authorized Signatory |
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Name:

Title:

Date:





| ACTION REQUEST – Planning Building and Enforcement |                                  |  |
|--|----------------------------------|--|
| То:  | Mayor and Members of Council     |  |
| Date of Meeting: July 13, 2021                     |                                  |  |
| Subject:   | Executive Assistant/Deputy Clerk |  |

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council accept the recommendation of the hiring committee and approve the hiring of Danielle Ward as Executive Assistant/Deputy Clerk in the Planning, Building and Enforcement Department as per the offer of employment dated June 29, 2021.

#### BACKGROUND:

The vacant position of Executive Assistant/Deputy Clerk for the Planning, Building and Enforcement Department was advertised with a closing date of May 25, 2021. Numerous applications were received and the hiring committee conducted interviews with seven candidates.

As a result of the interviews and reference checks conducted, the hiring committee recommends that Danielle Ward be hired for the position. Danielle Ward has a both a Bachelor degree and a Master's degree. She brings 11 years of municipal experience. The Letter of Engagement has been signed with a starting date of July 5, 2021.

### **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Accept the recommendation. Recommended.
- **2.** Do not accept the recommendation and re-advertise the position. Not recommended.

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The salary for this position was included in the 2021 budget

#### OTHERS CONSULTED:

Deputy Clerk CAO Chief Building Official References Hiring Committee

### PREPARED BY:

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Calvin Pol, BES, MCIP, RPP Director of Planning, Building & Enforcement

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO



| ACTION REQUEST – Planning Building and Enforcement |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| Date of Meeting:                                   | Mayor and Members of Council<br>July 13, 2021<br>New position; Applications Expediter/Building<br>Inspector |  |

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT the new position of Applications Expeditor/Building Inspector be created and approved for the Building Division and that the attached job description for this newly created position be approved as presented.

#### BACKGROUND:

Since 2006, the Building Code has changed the way municipalities must conduct business. The number of inspections, the issuance of permits, the type and quality of inspections, the qualifications of its inspectors, liability insurance, and the reporting requirements have all evolved to have a significant impact on Building Departments.

In 2020, the Township issued a record-breaking number of building permits, far exceeding the years since amalgamation in 1998. Based on the current permits issued for 2021, it is estimated that 250 permits (excluding permit renewals) will be issued this year surpassing last year's total. Prior to 2019, an average of 150 permits (including permit renewals) were issued per year. In order to address the surge in the number of permits and applications received in 2021, the Building Division has been working overtime regularly.

The Township is expecting a continued and sustained increase in construction activity over the next 4-to-5-year period. Based on the water/sewer allocations granted by Council, it is expected that approximately 400 permits will be issued within the Villages of Winchester and Chesterville over the next 2 years. This number does not include all other construction projects taking place outside of the two Villages where water and sewer is not provided. The department also has developers waiting to apply for water and sewer allocations; thus, showing a sign that the current surge in construction will continue well beyond the next two 2 years. A few examples of current large-scale projects include:

- Welling's of Winchester (423 units)
- Woods subdivision (132 units + apartments)
- Wylie Creek subdivision (26 lots)
- Silver Creek subdivision (35 lots)
- Parkview Homes (107 proposed units)

- Winchester Meadows (36-48 Townhome units)

The purpose of the new position is to improve customer service by expediting the intake of building permits, and facilitating the exchange of information while adhering to the policies established by Council and the Building Code. This individual would meet with applicants and residents to assist them with what information is required for a complete application.

Legislation requires the Township to perform an inspection within 2 business days after receiving a request. This position will be expected to help out with inspections when the requests exceed the capacity of current inspectors or when they are on vacation or training. This person will have to be qualified in or become qualified with the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing prior to conducting any inspections.

The proposed title for the position is: "Applications Expediter/Building Inspector" Rather than the term "Applications Expeditor," municipalities have used other titles as follows:

- Permit Administrator
- Permit Technician Clerk
- Permit Expediter
- Permit Clerk
- Permit Technician
- Technical Assistant
- Building Permit Clerk

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Approve the new job position and job description recommended.
- 2. Modify the current job description not recommended.
- **3.** Do not approve the new position not recommended. The Building Code Act requires that the Council of each municipality must appoint such Inspectors as are necessary for the enforcement of the Building Code Act within its municipal jurisdiction.
- 4. Modify the job title

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The proposed Grade 6 would be the same as the previous "Technical Assistant" position which required similar qualifications. The anticipated increase in building permit activity (permit fees) will help offset the salary. Council can also consider increasing building permit fees for inflation (current fees have not changed nor been adjusted for inflation since 2016 (9.5% CPI since)). Based on 2020 permit revenues and 2021 projected revenues (\$170,000), this adjustment for inflation would provide an additional \$16,150 in revenue.

# **OTHERS CONSULTED:**

Chief Administrative Officer

Director of Planning, Building and By-law Enforcement Neighbouring municipal building departments

# **ATTACHMENTS:**

Applications Expediter/Building Inspector Job Description

# **PREPARED BY:**

Jacob Forget

# **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:**

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Calvin Pol, BES, MCIP, RPP Angela Rutley, BBA Director of Planning, Building & CAO

# TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS JOB DESCRIPTION

| JOB TITLE:<br>Applications Expediter/Building Inspector | LAST REVISION DATE: N/A         |
|---|---------------------------------|
| <b>REPORTS TO:</b> Chief Building Official              | APPROVED BY: Township Council   |
| <b>SALARY RANGE:</b> To be reviewed by the Committee    | EFFECTIVE DATE: July 13th, 2021 |

# Position Summary:

Reporting to the Chief Building Official, this position will provide both technical and administrative support to the Building Division.

# Position Qualifications:

- A minimum two year post secondary education in Architectural, Construction, Design, Engineering or similar field of study.
- Ability to read and understand plans, blueprints, building construction drawings and subdivision and site plan agreements; familiarity with all types of building materials, construction and procedures.
- Possess knowledge of construction methodology and terminology.
- Must be eligible for membership in the Ontario Building Officials Association.
- Ability to communicate effectively with all levels of staff and government, elected officials, consultants, builders, contractors, lawyers, developers, architects, the general public and others in building industry organizations.
- Able to obtain provincial qualifications as set out in the Ontario Building Code (Div. C. 3.1.4. for Legal/Process and House).
- Willingness to learn and conduct research.
- Adaptable to changing work environments and multi-tasking between unrelated disciplines.
- Willing to accept responsibility and demonstrate initiative.
- Skills in problem solving and must be solution-oriented.
- Emphasis is placed on the practical demands of the job, confidentiality and professional ethics.
- Strong computer skills, and a good knowledge of standard business software.
- Strong math skills and an ability to balance cash receipts.
- Strong organizational skills.
- Exceptional interpersonal and communication skills with a confident and pleasant disposition able to defuse tense situations.

# Position Description and Duties:

- Responsible for the delivery of the Building Division's front line customer service including acting as primary contact for both internal and external customers.
- Responding to inquiries from customers attending the Division; advising applicants of various approvals which may be required and assisting customers at the counter with Building related matters.
- Conducting introductory meetings between the Division and clients to prepare accurate and complete permit application submissions; providing guidance and clarification in person, in writing and by telephone to clients.
- Following up on approvals relevant to permit issuance with Ontario Building Code mandated timeframes.
- Receiving building, plumbing/drainage and sewage applications; adding information into the software system and accepting payments.
- Reviewing applications for building permits for completeness and accuracy in accordance with policies and procedures.
- Exceptional interpersonal and communication skills with a confident and pleasant disposition able to defuse tense situations.
- Provide background reports and other research of internal files and archived information.
- Maintain property files and general archives of the Division.
- Process refunds and performance deposit returns where applicable.
- Complete monthly statistics for MPAC, Stats Canada, CMHC and Council.
- Maintain all Building files and record systems.
- Prepare notices, letters, orders and similar documents for outstanding permits, illegal construction activities or compliance reports being requested by lawyers.
- Assist the Division of Planning, By-law Enforcement and Fire when required.
- Conduct field inspections in accordance with the Building Code or other By-laws when required.
- Other duties as assigned.

### Disposition of Job Description (reason for education requirements):

Architectural Technician, Engineering Technology, etc.

A two-year Ontario College Diploma program, accredited by the Canadian Technology Accreditation Board (CTAB) under the National Technology Benchmarks, which prepares candidates for a career in construction document preparation in the construction and architectural fields. The individual will have the ability to understand working drawings, construction methods and materials, building science, and computeraided drafting.

Graduates will have acquired the necessary knowledge and skills to meet the requirements of this position. Similar with this work environment, this Diploma shows a serious effort and focus by applicants and demonstrates a strong commitment of dedication and discipline, as well as time and energy over-and-above the minimum hours required.

This position is well-suited for applicants who:

- Think visually and creatively.
- Are detail-oriented, organized and committed to achieving excellence in their work.
- Are imaginative and enjoy solving problems.
- Prefer working in a dynamically-driven environment.

Other disciplines that would augment the required skill set are:

- Bilingualism
- Carpentry
- Municipal Experience
- Blue Print Reading
- Civil Engineering Surveying
- Building Code Courses
- Conflict Resolution
- Technical Writing
- Business, Accounting, or Legal Courses



| ACTION REQUEST – Recreation and Culture |                              |  |
|---|------------------------------|--|
| То:                                     | Mayor and Members of Council |  |
| Date of Meeting:                        |                              |  |
| Subject: Agreements with the EOHU       |                              |  |

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT the Council of the Township of North Dundas approve the attached Services Agreement and Facility User Agreement between the Township of North Dundas and the Eastern Ontario Health Unit, effective April 16th, 2021.

#### BACKGROUND:

With Council consent & support, the Eastern Ontario Health Unit (EOHU) has been utilizing the Joel Steele Community Centre as a COVID-19 vaccination clinic venue, since March of this year.

On Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, the EOHU moved the clinic from the upstairs hall, down to the arena slab, in order to double the number of vaccines administered in our facility on each clinic date. On April 16<sup>th</sup>, the Township of North Dundas also began organizing municipally-employed volunteers to aid with clinic functions.

The attached 2 agreements, which are presented for Council review and approval, formalize the terms under which the EOHU is using both the Joel Steele Community Centre and our municipal staff team.

The EOHU currently has the slab booked until Friday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021. After this date, the refrigeration plant in Winchester Arena will be turned on and the 2021/2022 ice season will commence. The Recreation Coordinator will work with the EOHU to book either the Joel Steele Community Hall and/or a combination of other municipally-owned facilities, in order to carryout COVID-19 vaccination clinics that will be scheduled during the ice season, while the slab is occupied.

Our Recreation & Culture Department team continues to work closely with the Eastern Ontario Health Unit regarding the scheduling & set-up of these clinics and we continue to show support, flexibility, and dedication towards these clinics, which are benefiting our residents and guests.

### **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Adopt the Agreements as presented recommended.
- 2. Do not adopt the Agreements not recommended.

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

From March 2021, until September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021, the Township of North Dundas has waived approximately \$6,610 in facility rental fees, in support of 28 EOHU COVID-19 vaccination clinics. Revenues for such were not included in the 2021 budget, nor were any additional operating costs incurred by the clinics.

### OTHERS CONSULTED:

CAO Facilities Manager Recreation Coordinator

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Services Agreement Facility User Agreement

PREPARED BY:

Meaghan Meerburg Director of Recreation

# **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:**

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO



# **Services Agreement**

# BETWEEN:

# **Township of North Dundas** (hereinafter referred to as "**TOWNSHIP**")

-and-

# THE EASTERN ONTARIO HEALTH UNIT (hereinafter referred to as "EOHU")

#### PREAMBLE:

**WHEREAS** the purpose and scope of this Service Agreement is for the TOWNSHIP to support and assist the EOHU with the COVID-19 vaccination program.

**AND WHEREAS** the EOHU has requested and the TOWNSHIP have agreed to provide staff/volunteers, as needed, to assist with the COVID-19 vaccination program throughout the TOWNSHIP area.

# NOW THEREFORE THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1- Term of Agreement. The term of this Agreement shall commence on April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021, and continue for an indefinite period of time. Notwithstanding the above, either party may terminate this Agreement upon providing the other party with a thirty (30) day written notice.
- 2- Services provided. The TOWNSHIP will provide support to the EOHU to
  - Greet clients;
  - Observe clients who have received the vaccination,
  - Facilitate parking and as act as flow monitors and
  - Other tasks as requested by EOHU and agreed upon by TOWNSHIP

#### **3- Vaccination and Personal Protective Equipment.** EOHU will also provide all necessary PPE to the TOWNSHIP employees/volunteers assigned to the COVID-19 vaccination program.

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- 4- Workplace Safety & Insurance Board. The TOWNSHIP employees/volunteers assigned to the COVID-19 vaccination program remain, at all times, the employees/volunteers of the TOWNSHIP. Consequently, any work-related injury or illness sustained by an employee/volunteer of the TOWNSHIP will be reported to the WSIB by the TOWNSHIP.
- 5- Invoicing. The TOWNSHIP will invoice the EOHU, on a monthly basis, all hours worked by the TOWNSHIP employees assigned to the COVID-19 vaccination program at the rate of between \$16.02 and \$47.45 per hour plus an administration fee of 10% on the amount invoiced. HST shall be charged in addition to the applicable hourly rate and administration fee.

The EOHU agrees to cover the travelling costs of the TOWNSHIP employee at the rate of \$0.50 per kilometer in the event the TOWNSHIP employee is required to use his/her personal vehicle to attend a vaccination site. The TOWNSHIP will make every effort to avoid travelling costs.

6- Insurance. Each party shall, at their own expense, within 10 days of notification of acceptance of this Agreement, obtain and maintain until the termination of the Agreement or otherwise stated, provide the other party with evidence of:

#### A. Commercial General Liability Insurance

Commercial General Liability Insurance issued on an occurrence basis for an amount of not less than \$5,000,000. per occurrence / aggregate for any negligent acts or omissions relating to their obligations under this Agreement. Such insurance shall include, but is not limited to bodily injury and property damage including loss of use; Medical Malpractice; personal injury; contractual liability; premises, property & operations; non-owned automobile; broad form property damage; broad form completed operations; Owners & Contractors Protective; occurrence property damage; products; employees as Additional Insured(s); contingent employers liability; tenants legal liability; cross liability and severability of interest clause

EOHU shall add the TOWNSHIP as Additional Insured to the CGL with respect to the operations of the EOHU. TOWNSHIP shall add EOHU as Additional Insured to the CGL with respect to the operations of the TOWNSHIP.

Any and all deductibles shall be the sole responsibility of the Named Insured and the additional Insured shall not be responsible for any deductibles.

Each party is responsible to keep their property / assets insured – failure do to so shall not impose any liability on the other party.

The Policies shown above shall not be cancelled unless the Insurer notifies the additional Insured in writing at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of the cancellation. The insurance policy will be in a form and with a company licensed to carry on business in Ontario.

- 7- Confidentiality, Privacy and Security The TOWNSHIP agrees that all TOWNSHIP employees identified under this Agreement will: (i) be responsible for protecting the confidentiality of Confidential Information; (ii) keep Confidential Information and Copies thereof strictly confidential and secure; and (iii) use and disclose Confidential Information and Copies thereof only in accordance with this Agreement and only for purposes of fulfilling their duties and will not directly or indirectly use or disclose any Confidential Information for any other purpose. The TOWNSHIP acknowledges that Confidential Information includes confidential information of third parties to whom the Eastern Ontario Health Unit owes an obligation of confidence and agrees to preserve and protect the confidentiality of such information to the same extent, and on the same basis, as the Confidential Information, Despite the foregoing, the TOWNSHIP may disclose Confidential Information if expressly permitted by the Eastern Ontario Health Unit or such disclosure is required by applicable laws. Upon the request of the Eastern Ontario Health Unit, the TOWNSHIP will return or destroy the Confidential Information and all Copies thereof in any form in its possession, provided that it will be entitled to retain Confidential Information other, than Personal Information or Personal Health Information, if so, required by applicable laws.
- 8- Communications. All communications exchanged between the parties under this Agreement shall be by email and addressed to the following individuals:

| Township of North Dundas | Meaghan Meerburg, Director of Recreation & Culture |
|--------------------------|--|
| -                        | Email: mmeerburg@northdundas.com                   |
|                          |  |

EOHUPaul Roumeliotis, Medical Officer of Health/CEOEmail: proumeliotis@eohu.ca

#### 9- Indemnification.

The EOHU shall indemnify, defend and save harmless the TOWNSHIP and their elected officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents from and against any and all claims, actions, losses, expenses, fines, costs (including legal costs), interest, or damages of every nature and kind whatsoever, including, but not limited to, bodily injury or damage to or destruction of tangible property including loss of revenue arising out of or allegedly attributable to the negligence, acts, errors, omissions, whether willful or otherwise by the EOHU, their officers, employees, volunteers, invitees, guests, agents, or others for whom the EOHU is legally responsible. This indemnity shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any insurance to be provided by the EOHU in accordance with this Agreement and shall survive this Agreement.

The TOWNSHIP shall indemnify, defend and save harmless the EOHU and their elected officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents from and against any and all claims, actions, losses, expenses, fines, costs (including legal costs), interest, or damages of every nature and kind whatsoever, including, but not limited to, bodily injury or damage to or destruction of tangible property including loss of

revenue arising out of or allegedly attributable to the negligence, acts, errors, omissions, whether willful or otherwise by the TOWNSHIP, their officers, employees, volunteers, invitees, guests, agents, or others for whom the TOWNSHIP is legally responsible. This indemnity shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any insurance to be provided by the TOWNSHIP in accordance with this Agreement and shall survive this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have signed this Agreement.

Date: June 17, 2021

EOHU

Dr. Paul Roumeliotis Medical Officer of Health/CEO

Date: JUN, 19

#### TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

Meaghan Meerburg Director of Recreation & Culture

# FACILITY USER AGREEMENT

# **BETWEEN:**

# THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

(hereinafter referred to as the "Township")

-and-

# THE EASTERN ONTARIO HEALTH UNIT

(hereinafter referred to as the "EOHU")

#### PREAMBLE:

**WHEREAS** the purpose and scope of this Service Agreement is for the Township to support and assist the EOHU with the COVID-19 vaccination program.

**AND WHEREAS** the EOHU has requested and the Township has agreed to provide municipally-owned facilities as needed, in order to assist with offering the COVID-19 vaccination program throughout the Township of North Dundas area.

#### NOW THEREFORE THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Term. The term of this Agreement shall commence on April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and continue for an indefinite period of time.
- 2. Bookings. All dates for the EOHU's COVID-19 vaccination clinics must be prebooked and pre-approved by the Township. Written confirmation or refusal of requested dates & times, will be issued by the Township, to the EOHU.

#### 3. Compliance.

- a) The EOHU shall comply with all Federal, Provincial and Municipal laws governing taxes, licenses, etc. that may apply to the functions for which this Facility User Agreement is issued.
- b) Maximum attendance will be governed by Fire Regulations, the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario and the EOHU.
- c) All exits must be kept clear from obstructions in case of fire. Emergency lights and signs shall not be covered, so as to obstruct visibility.

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- **4. Cancellation & Termination.** The Township and its agents may, at any time, cancel this Facility User Agreement or close down the function if:
  - a) The condition of the grounds, building or equipment is judged unacceptable by the Township or its agents.
  - b) Unforeseen circumstances arise.
  - c) The facility requires technical or emergency repairs which cannot be performed at any other time.

The Township shall not be responsible for any loss incurred as a result of the cancellation of this Facility User Agreement and/or of a particular rental date.

Notwithstanding the above, either party may terminate this Agreement upon providing the other party with a thirty (30) day written notice.

- 5. COVID-19.
  - a) Prior to entering facility everyone must complete a COVID-19 selfassessment at the entrance door. Individuals who answer "Yes" to any of the questions or are not feeling, will not be permitted to enter the facility.
  - b) The EOHU is responsible for having an active screener at entrance to ensure everyone that has entered has completed COVID-19 screening. The names of all clients will be recorded in the clinic database.
  - c) Mask are mandatory for everyone who is entering any Township facility. Masks can only be removed during fitness activity or during eating or drinking.
- 6. Invoicing.
  - a) The EOHU's use of Township-owned facilities for the purpose of administering the COVID-19 vaccination program, shall be provided free of charge.
  - b) It is agreed the EOHU will reimburse the Township for any reasonable extraordinary expense not covered in the regular rental of municipal facilities and which resulted from a request in writing via e-mail or otherwise made by the EOHU through its representative Dr. Paul Roumeliotis and/or Thérèse Bourgeois. The municipality will provide an itemized invoice describing the items/services that made up the extraordinary expense.
- **7. Insurance.** The EOHU shall, at their own expense, within 10 days of notification of acceptance of this agreement, obtain and maintain until the termination of the agreement or otherwise stated, provide the Township with evidence of:
  - a) Commercial General Liability Insurance

Commercial General Liability Insurance issued on an occurrence basis for an amount of not less than \$5,000,000. per occurrence / aggregate for any negligent acts or omissions relating to their obligations under this Agreement. Such insurance shall include but is not limited to bodily injury and property damage including loss of use; personal injury; contractual liability; premises, property & operations; non-owned automobile; broad form property damage; broad form completed operations; Owners & Contractors Protective; occurrence property

damage; products; employees as Additional Insured(s); contingent employers' liability; tenants' legal liability; cross liability and severability of interest clause.

Such insurance shall add the Township as Additional Insured with respect to the operations of the EOHU.

Any and all deductibles shall be the sole responsibility of the EOHU. The Township shall not be responsible for any deductibles.

EOHU is responsible to keep their property / assets insured – failure do to so shall not impose any liability on the Township.

The Policies shown above shall not be cancelled unless the Insurer notifies the Township in writing at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of the cancellation. The insurance policy will be in a form and with a company licensed to carry on business in Ontario which are, in all respects, acceptable to the Township.

8. Indemnification. The EOHU shall indemnify, defend and save harmless the Township and their elected officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents from and against any and all claims, actions, losses, expenses, fines, costs (including legal costs), interest, or damages of every nature and kind whatsoever, including, but not limited to, bodily injury or damage to or destruction of tangible property including loss of revenue arising out of or allegedly attributable to the negligence, acts, errors, omissions, whether willful or otherwise by the EOHU, their officers, employees, volunteers, invitees, guests, agents, or others for whom the EOHU is legally responsible. This indemnity shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any insurance to be provided by the EOHU in accordance with this agreement and shall survive this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have signed this Agreement.

Date: June 17, 2021

Dr. Paul Roumeliotis Medical Officer of Health/CEO proumeliotis@eohu.ca

Chief Administrative Officer arutley@northdundas.com



| ACTION REQUEST – Recreation and Culture |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| То:                                     | Mayor and Members of Council |
| Date of Meeting:                        | July 13, 2021                |
| Subject:                                | Summer Student Staff Hires   |

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council approve the recommendation of the hiring committees and authorize the hiring of Mallory Hutchinson, Curtis Bell and Alanah McRae as Casual/Part-Time Lifeguards; Zoe Rivera as Lifeguard/Swim Instructor; Nakita Steele & Seth Christoffersen as Head Lifeguard (alternate); and Patrick Cayer as Maintenance/Parks Labourer for the 2021 summer season.

#### BACKGROUND:

Additional Casual/Part-Time Lifeguard/Swim Instructors are required for this summer, in order to provide more staffing support for pool operations. Mallory Hutchinson, Curtis Bell, and Alanah McRae were interviewed and are being recommended for hire.

Zoe Rivera was interviewed as an additional Lifeguard/Swim Instructor and is recommended for hire.

The Head Lifeguards are unable to be at the pools during all operating hours, so an alternate Head Lifeguard is required for each facility. It is recommended that current Lifeguard/Swim Instructors Nakita Steele & Seth Christoffersen be compensated at the Head Lifeguard wage rate when acting in the role.

Recently, one of our Maintenance/Parks Labourers left our employ for another opportunity. Patrick Cayer was interviewed and is being recommended for the position.

### **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Authorize the hiring of Mallory Hutchinson, Curtis Bell and Alanah McRae as Casual/Part-Time Lifeguards; Zoe Rivera as Lifeguard/Swim Instructor; Nakita Steele & Seth Christoffersen as Head Lifeguard (alternate); and Patrick Cayer as Maintenance/Parks Labourer for the 2021 summer season - recommended.
- 2. Do not authorize the hiring of these individuals for the respective positions not recommended.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

These summer positions were all approved during our 2021 budget process.

### OTHERS CONSULTED:

Recreation Coordinator Pool Coordinator Facilities Manager Facilities Lead Hand

PREPARED BY:

Meaghan Meerburg Director of Recreation

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO



| ACTION REQUEST – Public Works |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
| То:                           | Mayor and Members of Council               |  |
|                               | July 13, 2021                              |  |
| Subject:                      | Purchase of Sidewalk Machine & Attachments |  |

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council award Tender #PW 05-2021, for the purchase of one 2021 Sidewalk Machine along with attachments, to Sontrac Equipment in the amount of \$113,550 plus HST; AND THAT Council approve financing in accordance with budget amendment #2021-10.

# BACKGROUND:

The request for quotation was closed on May 31, 2021 for the purchase of a new 2021 sidewalk machine/tractor with attachments. Four bids were received (none local) and were evaluated on technical specifications, after-service/warranty and cost.

Based on the technical evaluation criteria and financial proposal, Sontrac Equipment received the highest points. Therefore, it is recommended that Sontrac Equipment be awarded the tender for the supply and delivery of the sidewalk machine and attachments. The following summarizes the scoring of the submissions:

| SUPPLIER                    | JOHNSON<br>EQUIPMENT       | HOLDER<br>TRACTOR INC /<br>KARACHER   | HOLDER<br>TRACTOR INC /<br>KARACHER | SONTRAC               |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| CRITERIA                    | JOHN<br>DEERE<br>4CYC 74HP | HOLDER 4 CYC<br>65HP (71 HP<br>GROSS) | HOLDER 4 CYC<br>75 HP               | PERKINS 4<br>CYC 60HP |
|                             |                            |                                       |                                     |                       |
| TECHNICAL                   | 32.5                       | 36                                    | 36.5                                | 39                    |
|                             |                            |                                       |                                     |                       |
| WARRANTY /<br>AFTER SERVICE | 7                          | 7.5                                   | 7.5                                 | 8.5                   |
|                             |                            |                                       |                                     |                       |
| PRICE POINT                 | 42                         | 47                                    | 42                                  | 50                    |
|                             |                            |                                       |                                     |                       |
|                             |                            |                                       |                                     |                       |
| TOTAL POINTS                | 81                         | 90                                    | 86                                  | 98                    |

The original budget did not include the attachments for the new sidewalk machine, as it was anticipated that some of the old available attachments could be used. Unfortunately, the new machine will require its own attachments, and it is recommended to at least purchase the blade and the spreader. These attachments are included in this request to Council.

A rear tow behind single axle 1 cubic yard attachment (\$18,700) and Hydraulic snow blower (\$18,000) were identified as provisional items and were removed from the award price, due to budgetary constraints. A newer version of the snow blower attachment will be available by the end of this year and if a demo is successful, may be procured as part of 2022 budget.

The removal of the provisional items mentioned above, from the award price, did not change the scoring and/or recommendation. Further the dealer has mentioned that the price of equipment has increased over the years and the supply / cost of equipment is further impacted due to COVID.

# **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Approve the recommendation recommended.
- 2. Do not approve the recommendation and re-tender not recommended

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The 2021 budget included \$80,000 for the purchase of the sidewalk machine. The purchase will include a rear drop spreader and blade as attachments resulting in a \$33,550 budget shortfall. It is recommended that \$26,550 of this shortfall be covered by development charges and \$9,000 be covered by the 2020 surplus.

# OTHERS CONSULTED:

Treasurer Deputy Treasurer

### ATTACHMENTS:

Budget Amendment No. 2021-10

PREPARED BY:

Khurram Tunio, M. Eng., P. Eng. Director of Public Works

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

# **APPENDIX #1**

# Township of North Dundas Addendum to Budget Resolution - July 13, 2021

# Budget Amendment - 2021-10 - Transportation Services

| Project                                  | Account No.   | 2021<br>Original<br>Budget | Revised<br>Budget | Budget<br>Amend-<br>ment |
|--|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Costs                                    |               |                            |                   |                          |
| Trackless Sidewalk Machine & Attachments | 1-5-3273-8000 | 80,000                     | 115,550           | 35,550                   |
|  |               | \$ 80,000                  | \$115,550         | \$ 35,550                |
| Financing                                |               |                            |                   |                          |

#### Financing

| Transfer from Development Charges - Unlicensed Vehicles (3-3-2000-9590) | 1-4-3273-9500 | -  | 26,550    | 26,550    |
|---|---------------|----|-----------|-----------|
| Transfer from Reserve - Previous Year Surplus (1-3-2000-9670)           | 1-4-3273-9000 | -  | 9,000     | 9,000     |
|   |               | \$ | \$ 35,550 | \$ 35,550 |



| ACTION REQUEST – Planning Building and Enforcement |   |
|--|---|
| То:  | Mayor and Members of Council                |
| Date of Meeting:                                   | July 13, 2021                               |
| Subject:   | By-law 2021-47 Laliberte Residential Zoning |
|  | Amendment                                   |

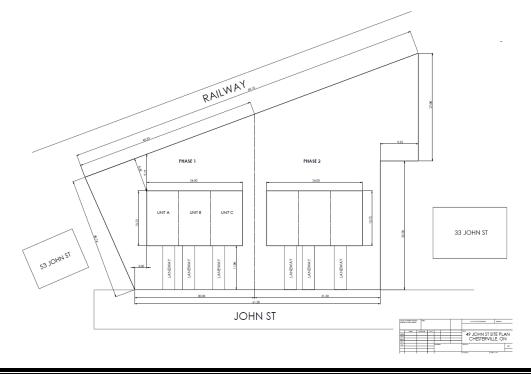
#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT By-law No. 2021-47, being a By-law to amend the former Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95, as amended, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13th day of July, 2021.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The purpose of the application is to rezone the property from General Commercial (CG) to Residential Second Density (R2) to permit the construction of six (6) townhouse dwelling units.

The applicant has applied to rezone the property to permit the redevelopment of the property and the construction of six (6) townhome dwellings. The existing building was a former martial arts studio and is currently being demolished by the applicant. The applicant has submitted a preliminary site plan of the proposed development:



### **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Adopt the Resolution as Presented recommended.
- 2. Do Nothing not recommended. The proponent can take the amendment to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) for Council's failure to proceed (applicant must wait 150 days Section 34(11) of the Planning Act).
- **3. Refuse the Request** not recommended. The proponent can take the amendment to the Ontario Land Tribunal immediately

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

No financial impact at this time. Possibility of increase in the assessment in the future.

**OTHERS CONSULTED:** 

Applicant CBO CP Rail

ATTACHMENTS:

Draft By-law 2021-47

PREPARED BY:

Calvin Pol, BES, MCIP, RPP Director of Planning, Building & Enforcement

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO



| RE:              | Dario Laliberte - Residential Amendment              |
|------------------|--|
| Meeting Date:    | July 13, 2021  |
| Current Zoning:  | General Commercial (CG)                              |
| Proposed Zoning: | Residential Second Density (R2)                      |
| Official Plan:   | Commercial District                                  |
| Subject Area:    | 0.79 acres.  |
| Existing Use:    | Commercial building (martial arts school)            |
| Proposed Use:    | Six townhome dwellings in two (2) three-unit blocks. |

# 1. Purpose and Effect

The Township of North Dundas has received a Zoning By-law Amendment application to amend the former Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95 under Section 34 of the *Planning Act* for the property legally described as Part of Lot 122, Block I and Part of Block V on Registered Plan 35, being Part 1 on Registered Plan 8R-4197, former Village of Chesterville, now the Township of North Dundas, municipally known as 49 John Street, Chesterville. The purpose is to rezone the property from General Commercial (CG) to Residential Second Density (R2). If approved, the subject land will be rezoned to Residential Second Density (R2) to permit the construction of up to six (6) townhome dwellings.

# 2. Background

The subject property is a commercial building that was occupied by the Therien Martial Arts and Fitness Centre (see image below). The owner, Dario Laliberte, has purchased the property and would like to redevelop the land into six townhome dwellings. The existing residential use on the second floor will not be affected by the proposed zoning amendment. The



subject property is designated as Commercial District in the Official Plan and abuts the Canadian Pacific Railway Line at the rear; however, the surrounding properties are primarily residential and the subject property is located far from Chesterville's downtown commercial area.



# 3. Policy Direction

# 3.1 **Provincial Policy Statement**

Ontario has a set of Provincial Policy Statements (2020), of which Council must have regard for the following relevant excerpts:

- 1.1.3.2 Land use patterns within settlement areas shall be based on densities and a mix of land uses which:
  - a) efficiently use land and resources;
  - b) are appropriate for, and efficiently use, the infrastructure and public service facilities which are planned or available, and avoid the need for their unjustified and/or uneconomical expansion;
  - c) minimize negative impacts to air quality and climate change, and promote energy efficiency;
  - d) prepare for the impacts of a changing climate;
  - e) support active transportation;
  - f) are transit-supportive, where transit is planned, exists or may be developed; and
  - g) are freight-supportive.

This proposal is somewhat consistent with the *PPS* as the proposed By-law Amendment meets the standards of land use patterns within settlement areas, and represents a form of residential intensification and redevelopment of an underutilized site.

# 3.2 Official Plan – United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry

The land subject to this amendment is designated as Commercial District. The Official Plan has text related to the acceptability of the proposed use in this area:

Table 3.5 lists the permitted uses associated with all land use designations in the United Counties, the permitted uses in the Commercial District include residential uses, either mixed or standalone.

Table 3.5 – Designations and Associated Permitted Uses

Commercial District – Full range of retail, service commercial, automotive, and personal service uses – Residential uses (mixed or standalone)

This application is in general conformity with the Official Plan as the proposed amendment will allow the redevelopment of a commercial site into six residential units, increasing the available housing stock in Chesterville. In general, the conversion of commercial buildings to standalone residential is not recommended, however in this case, the commercial building being converted is not within downtown Chesterville and is located in a residential neighborhood.

# 3.3 Zoning By-law No. 04-95

The subject land is currently zoned General Commercial (CG) in the Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95. The proposed amendment will

change the zoning of the subject land to Residential Second Density (R2) and permit the owner to construct six townhome dwellings on the lot. The dwellings shall be constructed in two phases – one for each block, with each block containing three units.



The owner of the subject land has begun to demolish the building formerly occupied by the martial arts school in preparation for the proposed development. This site is unique in the surrounding area as it is more than double the size of most lots in the area making it ideally suited to the proposed intensified residential development.

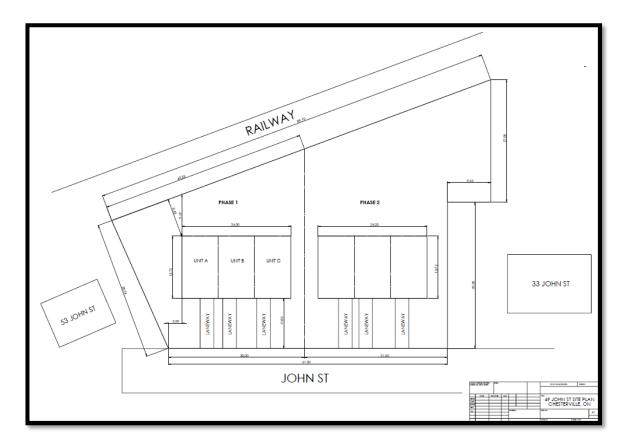
# 4. Analysis

The proposed Zoning By-law Amendment will change the zoning of a parcel on John Street in Chesterville from General Commercial (CG) Residential Second Density (R2) to allow the construction of six townhome dwellings.

The subject land is located west of Chesterville Main Street in a primarily residential neighbourhood.

The applicant has provided Township planning staff with a draft site plan showing the location of the proposed townhome units, all six units will have

frontage on John St with front and rear setbacks greater than the minimum required by the Zoning By-law. This development has the potential to increase affordable type housing by six dwelling units in Chesterville through the redevelopment of an underutilized lot. This increases the overall housing stock without increasing the settlement boundaries of the Village of Chesterville.



# 5. Comments

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company submitted an email to the Township Clerk stating the following:

"CP's approach to development in the vicinity of rail operations is encapsulated by the recommended guidelines developed through collaboration between the Railway Association of Canada and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities. Those guidelines are found at the following website address:

http://www.proximityissues.ca/

The safety and welfare of residents can be adversely affected by rail operations and CP is not in favour of residential uses that are not

compatible with rail operations. CP freight trains operate 24/7 and schedules/volumes are subject to change.

Should the captioned development proposal receive approval, CP respectfully requests that the recommended guidelines be followed."

No other written comments were received.

# 6. Recommendation

That Council approve the zoning amendment as the proposal constitutes good planning, is consistent with the 2020 Provincial Policy Statement and in general conformity with the Official Plan. Secondly, that Council consider comments from the public, public bodies and adjacent neighbours during the public meeting prior to rendering a decision on the proposed amendment.

Prepared By:

Original Signed

Paul Clarke Planning Technician June 25, 2021

Date

I hereby certify that this report was prepared under the supervision of a Registered Professional Planner within the meaning of the Ontario Professional Planners Institute Act, 1994.

Original Signed

Calvin Pol, MCIP, RPP, BES Director of Planning, Building and Enforcement July 9, 2021 Date

# BY-LAW No. 2021-47

# **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

# Purpose and Effect of the By-law

The Township of North Dundas has received an application to amend the former Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95 to rezone a property to Residential Second Density (R2) to permit the construction of six townhome dwellings.

The lands affected by this amendment are described as Part of Lot 122, Block I and Part of Block V on Plan 35, Part 1 on Registered Plan 8R-4197, former Village of Chesterville, now the Township of North Dundas, County of Dundas.

If the proposed by-law amendment is adopted, the subject land will be rezoned to Residential Second Density (R2) to allow the construction of six townhome dwelling units comprised of two three-unit blocks.

The property/land to which the proposed Zoning By-law amendment applies is not the subject of another application under the *Planning Act.* 

Applicant/Owner: Dario Laliberte

**Roll Number:** 0511-019-000-21000

# THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS BY-LAW No. 2021-47

# Being a By-law to amend the former Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95, as amended

- **WHEREAS** pursuant to the provisions of Section 34 of the *Planning Act*, *R.S.O. 1990*, as amended, the Council of a municipality may enact by-laws regulating the use of lands and the erection of buildings thereon;
- **AND WHEREAS** By-law No. 04-95, as amended, regulates the use of land and the use and erection of buildings and structures within the former Village of Chesterville, now the Township of North Dundas;
- **AND WHEREAS** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas deems it expedient and advisable to amend certain requirements of By-law No. 04-95, as amended; insofar as they relate to certain lands to which said By-law applies as hereinafter set forth;
- **AND WHEREAS** the matters set out in this By-law are deemed to be in conformity with the Official Plan of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry and the 2020 Provincial Policy Statement;

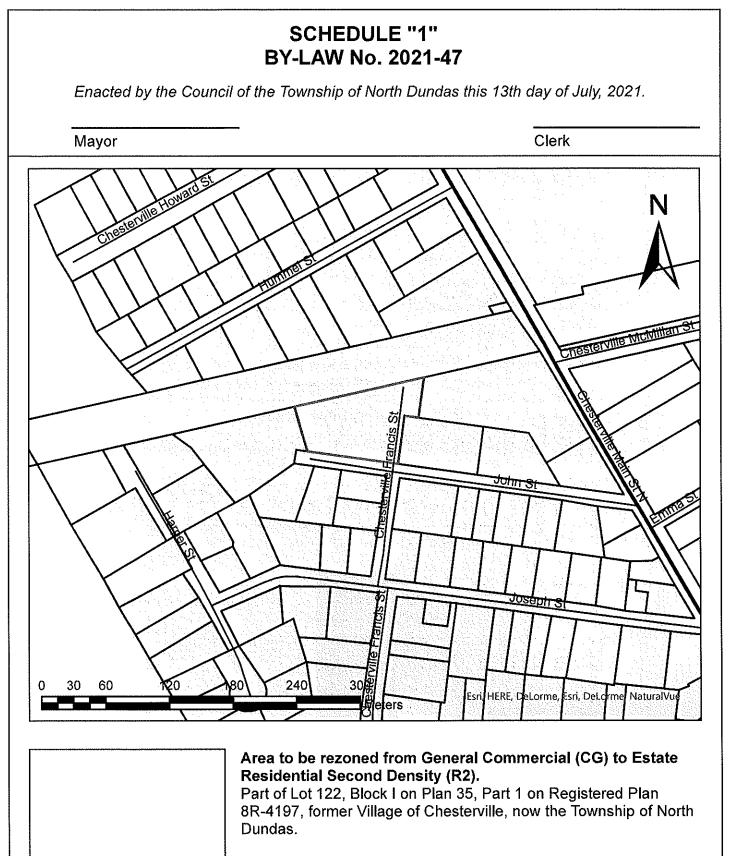
**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas enacts as follows:

- **1.0** The lands affected by this amendment are described as Part of Lot 122, Block I and Part of Block V on Registered Plan # 35, being Part 1 on Registered Plan 8R-4197, former Village of Chesterville, now the Township of North Dundas, County of Dundas.
- **2.0** That Schedule "A" of (former Township of Mountain) Zoning By-law No. 04-95 is hereby amended as follows:
  - 2.1 That the area affected by Section 1 and shown on Schedule "1" of this Bylaw, shall henceforth be zoned "Residential Second Density (R2)" and shall cease to be zoned "General Commercial (CG)".
- **3.0** Subject to the giving of Notice of Passing of this By-law, in accordance with Section 34(18) of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990,* as amended, this By-law shall come into force on the date of passing by The Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas where no notice of appeal or objection is received, pursuant to Section 34(21) of the *Planning Act,* as amended.
- **4.0** All other applicable provisions of the former Village of Chesterville Zoning By-law No. 04-95, as amended, shall continue to apply.

# READ and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2021.

MAYOR

CLERK



Municipally known as 49 John Street.



| ACTION REQUEST – Planning Building and Enforcement |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| To:<br>Date of Meeting:<br>Subject:                | Mayor and Members of Council<br>July 13, 2021<br>Country Lane Subdivision - Part Lot Control By-<br>law |  |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

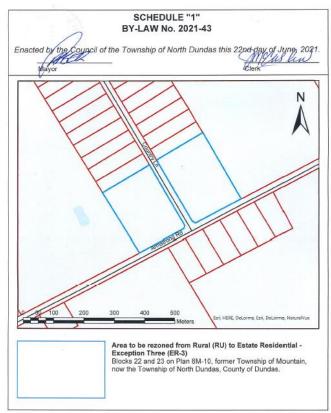
THAT By-law No. 2021-48, being a By-law to exempt certain lands from Part Lot Control, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13th day of July, 2021

## BACKGROUND:

The applicant, Falcon Home Construction Inc., wishes to exempt Blocks 22 and 23 within Registered Plan 8M-10 from Part Lot Control to divide the existing two Blocks into twelve (12) lots to permit the individual sale of lots for single detached dwellings.

The Township of North Dundas approved a site-specific zoning amendment application to rezone the two blocks from Rural (RU) to Estate Residential – Exception Three (ER-3) on June 22, 2021 (By-law No. 2021-44).

As this application is related to the creation of lots that are within an approved plan of subdivision, the Township is able to proceed with the removal of Part Lot Control as opposed to proceeding with a consent (severance process through the United Counties of SD&G). Part lot control enables the quick division of lots to be parceled off and sold individually.



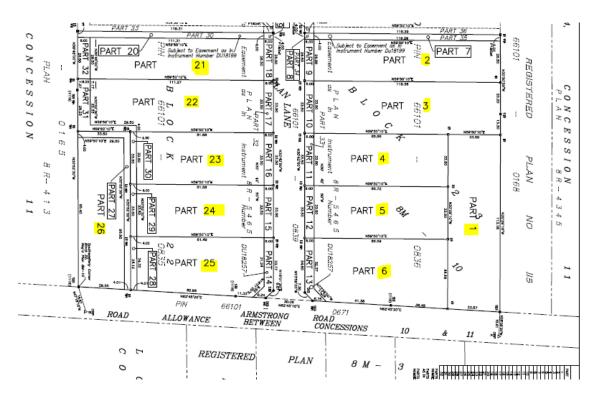
## Section 50 – Planning Act, R.S.O 1990

(7) Despite subsection (5), the council of a local municipality may by by-law provide that subsection (5) does not apply to land that is within such registered plan or plans of subdivision or parts of them as are designated in the by-law.

If approved, the By-law will be sent to the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry for final approval.

The applicant has deposited security amounts for site works and engineering review to the Township. The parkland fee has also been paid. It is the Township's understanding that most of the site works have been completed, and that Hydro is being connected. The Township's Engineering Consultant still has to sign off on these works.

Attached and referenced below is a copy of the survey submitted by the applicant.



## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

1. Adopt the By-law as presented – recommended. Once approved, the By-law will be sent to the United Counties for stamping.

- 2. Do nothing not recommended. Blocks 22 and 23 would have to go through the lengthier severance or subdivision process to be divided and sold as individual lots.
- 3. Refuse the request not recommended. Same as option 2

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

No impact at this time. If approved, this will lead to an increase in residential tax assessment.

## OTHERS CONSULTED:

Township's Consulting Engineer Developer's Engineer CBO Applicant

#### ATTACHMENTS: Draft By-law 2021-48 Draft Reference Plan

**PREPARED BY:** 

Calvin Pol, BES, MCIP, RPP Director of Planning, Building & Enforcement

**REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

## BY-LAW No. 2021-48

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

## Purpose and Effect of the By-law

The Township of North Dundas has received a site-specific application to exempt two (2) Blocks from Part Lot Control.

The areas affected by this By-law are described as Blocks 22 and 23, within Registered Plan 8M-10, in the former Township of Mountain, now the Township of North Dundas.

If adopted, the subject lands will be exempt from Part Lot Control as described in Section 50(5) of the *Planning Act,* R.S.O. 1990, as amended, and will permit the splitting and sale of a semi-detached dwelling.

The subject lands are the subject of a rezoning application (By-law No. 2021-44 adopted on June 22, 2021) any other application under the Planning Act.

## APPLICANT:

Falcon Home Construction Inc. on behalf of Maurice Lafortune Investments Ltd.

Affected Parcels: Roll Number: 0511-011-013-80095 PIN: 661010835

Roll Number: 0511-011-013-80096 PIN: 661010836

## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

## BY-LAW No. 2021-48

## Being a By-law to Exempt Certain Lands from Part Lot Control

- WHEREAS Section 50(5) of the *Planning Act,* R.S.O. 1990, as amended, established Part Lot Control over all lands within plans of subdivision registered before or after the coming into force of said section;
- **AND WHEREAS** Section 50(7) authorizes a municipality to provide a By-law that Part Lot Control does not apply to land that is within such registered plans or parts thereof, and that an expiry date may be specified in the By-law which can be extended prior to the expiration of the time period;
- **AND WHEREAS** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas deems it advisable to exempt Blocks 22 and 23 within Registered Plan No. 8M-10 in the former Township of Mountain, now the Township of North Dundas, County of Dundas, from Part Lot Control to permit the splitting and sale of 12 residential lots, together with, and subject to any easements for access and maintenance.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas enacts as follows:

- **1.0** Subsection 5 of Section 50 of the *Planning Act,* R.S.O. 1990, as amended, shall not apply to Blocks 22 and 23 on Registered Plan No. 8M-10 in the former Township of Mountain, now the Township of North Dundas.
- 2.0 This By-law shall be effective only to the extent necessary to permit:
  - 2.1 The creation of blocks and parcels for construction purposes and to permit such lots to be charged and/or discharged;
  - 2.2 Twelve (12) individual residential lots, together with their appurtenant rights and easements in land associated therewith, to be conveyed to each initial purchaser thereof, and to be charged and discharged; and
  - 2.3 Any easements, including rights-of-way, as contained in the transfers to each initial purchaser of each individual dwelling unit.
- **3.0** No further subdivision of the aforementioned lands shall be undertaken upon completion of the original purpose for which this By-law is being passed and approved except by an application made pursuant to Section 50 of the *Planning Act,* R.S.O. 1990, as amended.
- **4.0** This By-law shall come into force upon approval and shall expire on July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022, unless the Council of The Corporation of The Township of North Dundas has provided an extension by amendment to this By-law prior to its expiry.

## READ and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2021.

MAYOR

CLERK



| ACTION REQUEST – Planning Building and Enforcement |   |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
|  | Mayor and Members of Council<br>July 13, 2021<br>By-law No. 2021-50 Deputy Chief Building Official<br>Appointment |  |  |  |

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT By-law No. 2021-50 being a By-law to appoint Brooke Radi as a Deputy Chief Building Official and a Building Inspector be read and passed in Open Council signed and sealed this 13th day of July 2021.

## BACKGROUND:

Mrs. Brooke Radi has been working as a Building Inspector with the Township since October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019. During her employment with the Township, she has successfully obtained numerous qualifications and experience. Mrs. Radi is now qualified to become a Deputy Chief Building Official. This appointment will allow Mrs. Radi to issue building permits in the absence of the Chief Building Official and have other powers given under the Building Code Act.

The Municipalities of South Dundas, South Stormont, North Glengarry, South Glengarry, Russell and North Grenville all have the position of Deputy Chief Building Official as a back-up to their Chief Building Official.

## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Adopt the By-law as presented recommended.
- 2. Do Nothing not recommended.
- **3.** Modify By-law not recommended. Mrs. Radi has all of the qualifications for which the By-law appoints her.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

Expenses associated with the appointment of a Deputy Chief Building Official will be approximately \$2,700.00. This amount can be accommodated within the 2021 budget with the recent departure of two employees from the PBE Department to the City of Ottawa.

## **OTHERS CONSULTED:**

Chief Administrative Officer Neighbouring Municipalities

## ATTACHMENTS:

By-law No. 2021-50

PREPARED BY: Jacob Forget

## **RECOMMENDED BY:**

< of

Calvin Pol, BES, MCIP, RPP Director of Planning, Building & Enforcement

## **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:**

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

## BY-LAW No. 2021-50

## BEING a By-law to appoint a Deputy Chief Building Official, and a Building Inspector

- WHEREAS Section 3(2) of the *Building Code Act, S.O. 1992, c.23* as amended, requires the Council of each municipality to appoint a Chief Building Official and such Inspectors as are necessary for the enforcement of the Building Code Act within its municipal jurisdiction;
- **AND WHEREAS** Section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25*, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the Act;
- **AND WHEREAS** Section 13 of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25*, provides that a single-tier municipality may pass by-laws respecting matters within the speres of jurisdiction set therein.

**NOW THEREFORE,** be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas enacts as follows:

- **1.0** That Brooke Radi is hereby appointed as the Deputy Chief Building Official for the Township of North Dundas to carry out the duties of the Chief Building Official, when required.
- **2.0** That Brooke Radi is hereby appointed as a Building Inspector for the Township of North Dundas.
- **3.0** That the by-law shall come into force and effect immediately upon the final passing thereof.

READ and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2021.

MAYOR

CLERK



| ACTION REQUEST – Clerk              |   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| To:<br>Date of Meeting:<br>Subject: | Mayor and Members of Council<br>July 13, 2021<br>By-law No. 2021-49 Agreement of Purchase and<br>Sale - St. John Street |  |  |  |

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT By-law 2021-49, being a By-law to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into an Agreement of Purchase and Sale with Berean Homes Inc. for the sale of the vacant land at 10515 St. John Street in Hallville, be read and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13th day of July, 2021.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

With the recent announcement that the Township of North Dundas has received 2 million in funding for the development of the new Hallville Park, the municipallyowned property located at 10515 St. John Street is no longer planned to provide recreational opportunities for our residents; therefore, Council declared this property to be surplus to the needs of the municipality and authorized that it be advertised for public sale. The property was listed for sale by Royal Lepage Team Realty on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 and also advertised on the municipal Facebook page. An offer of purchase in the amount of \$152,250.00 was received from Berean Homes Inc. on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 with a closing date set for August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

## **OPTIONS AND DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Accept the offer of purchase recommended.
- 2. Do not accept the offer not recommended.

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS:

The net funds from the sale of the property can be used toward the Township's portion of the new Hallville Park development.

## ATTACHMENTS:

By-law No. 2021-49

PREPARED BY:

Jo-Anne McCaslin, CMO Municipal Clerk **REVIEWED & APPROVED BY:** 

Angela Rutley, BBA CAO

## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

## BY-LAW NO. 2021-49

#### Being a By-law of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into an Agreement of Purchase and Sale with Berean Homes Inc. for the sale of vacant land at Lot 17, St. John Street, Hallville.

**WHEREAS** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas declared the above noted property to be surplus to the needs of the municipality and authorized that it be sold by public sale;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas deems it appropriate to dispose this property,

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas enacts as follows:

- 1. That the Township of North Dundas enter into an Agreement of Purchase and Sale with Berean Homes Inc. Inc. for the sale of vacant land known as Lot 17, Plan 86, 10515 St. John Street, geographic Village of Hallville, now in the Township of North Dundas, County of Dundas as per the terms of the Agreement of Purchase of Sale shown as Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this by-law;
- 2. And that the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to execute all necessary documents.

READ and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13th day of July, 2021.

MAYOR

CLERK



## KEY INFORMATION REPORT Finance

July 13, 2021

## SUBJECT: Year End 2020 Surplus by Department

## BACKGROUND:

Finance Dept prepares an Annual Report for Council detailing the annual surplus (deficit) for the year by department; in addition, we provide recommendations for the allocation of this surplus – final determination is made by Council and the surplus (deficit) is then allocated in accordance with Council's wishes.

## COMMENTS:

Attached to this report is a "Summary of Surplus (Deficit) By Department" for the fiscal year ending December 31<sup>st</sup> 2020. We are pleased to report that we ended fiscal 2020 with an overall surplus in the amount of \$341,301.99. This amount has been broken down by department – see Appendix # 2 attached. A large portion of the surplus balance has been appropriated by 2021 projects as depicted in attached Appendix # 1.

## **OPTIONS:**

- Allocate surplus (deficit) to reserves by department in accordance with balances as depicted in Appendix # 2
- Finance Unfinanced Capital Projects carried forward from previous years
- Replenishment of Reserves most particularly Recreation Dept
- Increase Tax Rate Stabilization Reserve
- Transfer balance to General Working Funds Reserve
- Set funds aside to deal with financial impact of COVID-19
- Other projects, as deemed worthy by council
- Undertake additional projects for 2021
- Leave in 2020 Surplus Account

## ATTACHMENTS:

2020 Surplus Amounts Allocated to 2021 2020 Surplus (Deficit) by Department

## Addendum to Key Information Return

## **Finance Department - 2020 Financial Data Presentation**

| 2020 Surplus \$ 341 |
|---------------------|
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## Amounts Allocated to 2021

| Approval<br>Document | Particulars | Designated Amount from<br>2020 Surplus |
|----------------------|-------------|--|
|----------------------|-------------|--|

#### General Government

| BA 2021-08 | Additional costs for a Communications Officer | 17 500 |
|------------|---|--------|
| (Jun 9/21) |   | 17,500 |

#### Planning, Building & Enforcement

| BA 2021-02       | Retain CIMA for professional services   | C 500 |
|------------------|---|-------|
| CR 9 (Apr 27/21) | Retain Clivia for professional services | 6,500 |

## **Public Works**

| Final Budget                    | Purchase of dump truck   | 50,000 |         |
|---------------------------------|--|--------|---------|
| Final Budget                    | Paving of parking lot in Chesterville  | 20,000 |         |
| BA 2021-01<br>CR 15 (Mar 23/21) | Hiring of 2 additional summer students   | 26,200 |         |
| BA 2021-06<br>(Jun 9/21)        | Additional cost for the purchase of a passenger vehicle                          | 10,800 |         |
| BA 2021-10<br>(Jul 13/21)       | Pending Approval - Additional cost for attachments to Trackless Sidewalk machine | 9,000  |         |
| Allocated to Public             | Works  |        | 116,000 |

#### **Recreation & Culture**

| BA 2021-05<br>CR 9 (May 25/21)    | Replacement of the Winchester Arena chiller | 93,500 |        |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------|--------|
| BA 2021-09<br>(Jun 9/21)          | Morewood Fire Hall Cistern Pump             | 5,000  |        |
| Allocated to Recreation & Culture |   |        | 98,500 |

## **Total Amounts Appropriated**

| Balance Remaining from 2020 Surplus - Propose to Transfer to General | ¢ | 102,802 |
|--|---|---------|
| Working Funds Reserves   | Þ | 102,602 |

\$

238,500

| Surplus (Deficit) by Department                  | 20 | 020 Budget | A        | 020 Actual<br>fter COVID<br>19<br>djustments |    | 2020<br>Surplus<br>Deficit) |
|--|----|------------|----------|--|----|-----------------------------|
| General Government                               | \$ | 19,934     | \$       | (107,875)                                    | \$ | 127,809                     |
|  |    |            |          |  |    |                             |
| Economic Development                             | \$ | 154,765    | \$       | 145,527                                      | \$ | 9,238                       |
| Fire Services                                    |    |            |          |  |    |                             |
| North Dundas Fire Services                       |    | 231,450    |          | 223,708                                      |    | 7,742                       |
| North Dundas Fire Training                       |    | 90,200     |          | 70,335                                       |    | 19,865                      |
| North Dundas Fire Prevention                     |    | 28,100     |          | 11,877                                       |    | 16,223                      |
| Morewood Fire Department                         |    | 105,710    |          | 96,903                                       |    | 8,807                       |
| Mountain Fire Department                         |    | 117,516    |          | 116,504                                      |    | 1,012                       |
| Winchester Fire Department                       |    | 116,900    |          | 116,898                                      |    | 2                           |
| Chesterville Fire Department                     |    | 81,210     |          | 86,236                                       |    | (5,026)                     |
| Fire Services - Total                            | \$ | 771,086    | \$       | 722,460                                      | \$ | 48,626                      |
| Planning, Building, & Enforcement                |    |            |          |  |    |                             |
| Planning, Building, & Emorcement                 |    | 144,875    |          | 141,416                                      |    | 3,459                       |
| Building   |    | 133,150    |          | 92,824                                       |    | 40,326                      |
| By-law Enforcement                               |    | 126,400    |          | 114,348                                      |    | 12,052                      |
| Animal Control                                   |    | 70,025     |          | 50,537                                       |    | 19,488                      |
| Planning, Building, Etc Total                    | \$ | 474,450    | \$       | <b>399,126</b>                               | \$ | 75,324                      |
| Public Works                                     |    |            |          |  |    |                             |
| Transportation Services                          |    | 2 404 202  |          | 2 405 002                                    |    | (01 510)                    |
|  |    | 3,104,383  |          | 3,195,902                                    |    | <u>(91,519)</u><br>25,258   |
| Municipal Drainage Public Works - Total          | ¢  | 70,620     | <b>^</b> | 45,362                                       | •  | ,                           |
|  | \$ | 3,175,003  | \$       | 3,241,264                                    | \$ | (66,261)                    |
| Recreation & Culture                             |    |            |          |  |    |                             |
| Recreational Services                            |    | 1,402,431  |          | 1,254,786                                    |    | 147,645                     |
| Other Facilities                                 |    | 8,234      |          | (8,821)                                      |    | 17,055                      |
| Recreational & Culture - Total                   | \$ | 1,410,665  | \$       | 1,245,965                                    | \$ | 164,700                     |
| Waste Management                                 | \$ | 781,954    | \$       | 800,088                                      | \$ | (18,134)                    |
| Variance - Budget vs. Actual - Surplus (Deficit) | \$ | 6,787,857  | \$       | 6,446,556                                    | \$ | 341,301                     |
|  | Ψ  | 5,101,001  | Ψ        | 5,775,000                                    | Ψ  | 541,001                     |

| Surplus (Deficit) by Department                 |          |                 | 20       | )20 Budget              | Af       | 020 Actual<br>ter COVID<br>19<br>justments |          | 2020<br>Surplus<br>Deficit) |
|---|----------|-----------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|--|----------|-----------------------------|
| Analysis of Surplus (Deficit)                   |          |                 |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
|   |          |                 |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| General Government                              |          | 127,809         |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| Net of Supplementary Taxes and Write            | -Offs    |                 |          | (67,750)                |          | (80,761)                                   |          | 13,011                      |
| Summer Student Grants                           |          |                 |          | -                       |          | (5,880)                                    |          | 5,880                       |
| Council Spending/conferences                    | _        |                 |          | 140,740                 |          | 125,612                                    |          | 15,128                      |
| Salaries & Benefits                             |          |                 |          | 844,800                 |          | 801,170                                    |          | 43,630                      |
| Insurance                                       |          |                 |          | 83,100                  |          | 58,044                                     |          | 25,056                      |
| Accounting/Audit                                |          |                 |          | 21,500                  |          | 18,114                                     |          | 3,386                       |
| Postage, Courier, Office Supplies               |          |                 |          | 59,450                  |          | 51,004                                     |          | 8,446                       |
| Miscellaneous Revenues                          |          |                 | <b>^</b> | (25,550)                | <b>^</b> | (32,627)                                   | <b>^</b> | 7,077                       |
|   |          |                 | \$       | 1,056,290               | \$       | 934,676                                    | \$       | 121,614                     |
| Economic Development                            | \$       | 9,238           |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| Wages & Benefits                                |          |                 | \$       | 87,800                  | \$       | 77,964                                     | \$       | 9,836                       |
|   |          |                 |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| North Dundas Fire Services                      | \$       | 7,742           |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| Driver Training                                 |          |                 |          | 7,000                   |          | 170  |          | 6,830                       |
| Advertising                                     |          |                 |          | 1,000                   |          | -  |          | 1,000                       |
| Nexth Develop Fire Testistics                   | <b>*</b> | 40.005          | \$       | 8,000                   | \$       | 170  | \$       | 7,830                       |
| North Dundas Fire Training                      | \$       | 19,865          |          | 64.000                  |          | 50.074                                     |          | 0.000                       |
| Wages & Benefits                                |          |                 |          | 61,000                  |          | 52,371                                     |          | 8,629                       |
| Training & Courses                              |          |                 |          | 21,000                  |          | 3,388                                      |          | 17,612                      |
| Capital - Fire Training                         |          |                 | ¢        | 17,800<br><b>99,800</b> | \$       | 21,757<br><b>77,516</b>                    | ¢        | (3,957)<br><b>22,284</b>    |
|   |          |                 | \$       | 99,800                  | Þ        | 77,310                                     | \$       | 22,204                      |
| North Dundas Fire Prevention                    | \$       | 16,223          |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| Wages & Benefits                                | Ţ        | -, -            |          | 10,500                  |          | 5,573                                      |          | 4,927                       |
| Public Relations                                |          |                 |          | 10,000                  |          | 1,942                                      |          | 8,058                       |
|   |          |                 | \$       | 20,500                  | \$       | 7,515                                      | \$       | 12,985                      |
|   | _        |                 |          |                         |          |  |          |                             |
| Morewood Fire Department Materials and Supplies | \$       | 8,807           |          | 0.400                   |          | 6 600                                      |          | 0 777                       |
|   | _        |                 |          | 9,400                   |          | 6,623                                      |          | 2,777                       |
| Equipment Repairs                               | _        |                 |          | 3,500 2,000             |          | <u>1,329</u><br>271                        |          | <u>2,171</u><br>1,729       |
|   |          |                 |          | Z.UUU                   |          | 271  |          |                             |
| Small Tools                                     |          |                 | ¢        |                         | ¢        | 8 223                                      | ¢        | 6 6 7 7                     |
| Small Tools                                     |          |                 | \$       | 14,900                  | \$       | 8,223                                      | \$       | 6,677                       |
| Planning  | \$       | 3,459           | \$       |                         | \$       | 8,223                                      | \$       | 6,677                       |
|   | \$       | 3,459           | \$<br>\$ |                         | \$<br>\$ | 8,223<br>2,017                             | \$<br>\$ | <u>6,677</u><br>2,333       |
| Planning<br>Training & Conferences              |          |                 |          | 14,900                  |          | •  |          |                             |
| Planning<br>Training & Conferences<br>Building  | \$       | 3,459<br>40,326 |          | 14,900<br>4,350         |          | 2,017                                      |          | 2,333                       |
| Planning<br>Training & Conferences              |          |                 |          | 14,900                  |          | •  |          |                             |

| Surplus (Deficit) by Department                 |      |          | 2020 Budget |           | 2020 Actual<br>After COVID<br>19<br>Adjustments |           | 2020<br>Surplus<br>(Deficit) |          |
|---|------|----------|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|------------------------------|----------|
|   | •    | 40.050   |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| By-law Enforcement                              | \$   | 12,052   | ¢           | 440.000   | ¢   | 400.055   | ¢                            | 40.445   |
| Wages & Benefits                                |      |          | \$          | 118,800   | \$  | 108,355   | \$                           | 10,445   |
| Animal Control                                  | \$   | 19,488   |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Wages and Benefits                              | Ť    | -,       |             | 44,900    |   | 35,543    |                              | 9,357    |
| Dog Pound Costs                                 |      |          |             | 18,000    |   | 13,718    |                              | 4,282    |
| Dog Tags Purchased                              |      |          |             | 1,000     |   | -         |                              | 1,000    |
| Dog Catcher Fees                                |      |          |             | 17,000    |   | 13,028    |                              | 3,972    |
|   |      |          | \$          | 80,900    | \$  | 62,289    | \$                           | 18,611   |
| Transportation Services                         | 6    | (01 510) |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Transportation Services Revenue from Aggregates | \$   | (91,519) |             | (55,000)  |   | (88,927)  |                              | 33,927   |
| Summer Student Grants                           | +    |          |             | (55,000)  |   | (23,520)  |                              | 23,520   |
| Salting   | -    |          |             | 275,000   |   | 310,208   |                              | (35,208) |
| Vehicle & Equipment Maintenance                 | +    |          |             | 142,300   |   | 167,905   |                              | (25,605) |
| Dust Control                                    |      |          |             | 142,300   |   | 119,828   |                              | (19,828) |
| Roads Maintenance                               |      |          |             | 435,000   |   | 453,582   |                              | (19,628) |
| Miscellaneous                                   |      |          |             | 33,500    |   | 47,952    |                              | (14,452) |
| Building Maintenance - Main Garage              |      |          |             | 1,000     |   | 17,523    |                              | (14,432) |
| Equipment Rentals                               |      |          |             | 15,000    |   | 22,625    |                              | (7,625)  |
| Street Lights Operating Expenses                |      |          |             | 106,781   |   | 113,351   |                              | (6,570)  |
| Ditching  |      |          |             | 100,701   |   | 5,022     |                              | (5,022)  |
|   |      |          | \$          | 1,053,581 | \$  | 1,145,549 | \$                           | (91,968) |
|   |      |          |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Municipal Drainage                              | \$   | 25,258   | •           |           | <b>.</b>  |           | •                            |          |
| Provincial Funding - Drainage Works             |      |          | \$          | 33,500    | \$  | 10,603    | \$                           | 22,897   |
| Recreational Services                           |      | 147,645  |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Summer Student Grant                            |      | ,        |             | (18,000)  |   | (63,840)  |                              | 45,840   |
| Net Savings in Pool Operations due to cl        | osur | re       |             | 106,840   |   | 49,495    |                              | 57,345   |
| Wages & Benefits                                |      |          |             | 923,200   |   | 881,095   |                              | 42,105   |
|   |      |          | \$          | 1,012,040 | \$  | 866,750   | \$                           | 145,290  |
| Other Facilities                                |      | 17,055   |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Hydro - Municipal Office                        |      | ,000     |             | 40,000    |   | 32,529    |                              | 7,471    |
| Snow Removal - Municipal Office                 |      |          |             | 10,000    |   | 4,776     |                              | 5,224    |
| Cleaning - Municipal Office                     |      |          |             | 6,205     |   | 4,259     |                              | 1,946    |
| Building Maintenance - Municipal Office         |      |          |             | 6,580     |   | 5,394     |                              | 1,186    |
|   |      |          | \$          | 62,785    | \$  | 46,958    | \$                           | 15,827   |
| Waste Management                                | \$   | (18,134) |             |           |   |           |                              |          |
| Blue Box Funding                                | Ψ    | (10,134) |             | (102,565) |   | (116,310) |                              | 13,745   |
| Contracted Services                             |      |          |             | 262,289   |   | 278,010   |                              | (15,721) |
| Recycling - Wages & Benefits                    |      |          |             | 425,300   |   | 440,078   |                              | (14,778) |
|   | +    |          | \$          | 585,024   | \$  | 601,778   | \$                           | (16,754) |



## KEY INFORMATION REPORT Recreation and Culture

July 13, 2021

## **SUBJECT: Municipal Pools Updates**

- Swim lessons started on June 29<sup>th</sup> at the Winchester Centennial Pool and on June 30<sup>th</sup> at the Chesterville Public Pool. As of July 6<sup>th</sup>, there is a total of 79 swimming lesson registrants enrolled in Session 1 and 71 registrants enrolled in Session 2; both pools combined. Out of a total of 70 available time slots for public swimming at our pools, as of July 6<sup>th</sup>, we have only reached maximum capacity of 15 people, a total of 7 times.
- The feedback from the public regarding the opening of the pools this season, has been extremely positive. Many residents have commented that they are thankful that we opened the pools, as it provides something for their kids to do. The only negative feedback that we have received was regarding the rules set out by the Red Cross and Lifesaving Society, which require that an adult accompany each child into the pool if the child is enrolled in any preschool swim lesson level, up to swim kids 4. In order to avoid having issues at the pool on the day swim lessons started, we made sure to send out 2 reminder emails to all parents/guardians that had children registered in such swim lesson levels.
- All public swimming slots for each pool, for the duration of the summer, have been entered into our recreation registration software. Available slots will open for registration three weeks in advance of the applicable booking dates.
- Public Swimming currently allows 15 registrants per 45-minute time slot. This number will be increasing to 20 slots as lifeguards feel comfortable that they can accommodate more patrons, while acting in accordance with COVID-19 rules and restrictions.
- 78% of participants that have registered for public swimming or swimming lessons to date, have registered online.
- The possibility of offering Aquafit is currently being investigated.
- Adult lane swim will be added to the pool schedules. This will take place Mondays from 5:30-6:15 pm at the Chesterville Public Pool and on Wednesdays from 5:30-6:15 pm at the Winchester Centennial Pool. 4 lanes will be available during this time slot.
- Due to additional lifeguards being hired, the Chesterville Public Pool will be opening on Monday & Tuesday afternoons. The Winchester Centennial Pool will be adding Wednesday afternoons.



#### DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES Finance

July 13, 2021

#### **KEY FINANCIAL DATA:**

#### Bank Balances

| Bank Balances               | 2021<br>June 30 <sup>th</sup> | Last Month<br>May 31 <sup>st</sup> 2021 | Last Year-2020<br>June 30 <sup>th</sup> |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|
| General Operating Acct      | 15,525,079.98                 | 11,771,032.03                           | 7,096,286.98                            |
| Cash, GIC's, (Reserve Fund) | 5,201,468.67                  | 5,256,487.52                            | 7,314,350.92                            |
| Total                       | \$20,726,548.65               | \$17,027,519.55                         | \$14,410,637.90                         |

| Taxes Receivable               | June 30               | June 30                | June 30               |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Outstanding                    | 2021                  | 2020                   | 2019                  |
| Current Year (2021)            | 5,698,064.92          | 10,400,031.53          | 6, 124,727.52         |
| One Year in Arrears (2020)     | 571,623.41            | 680,915.49             | 653,268.70            |
| Two Years in Arrears (2019)    | 329,999.89            | 414,424.14             | 317,335.70            |
| Three Years in Arrears (2018+) | 447,200.30            | 473,713.78             | 372,119.09            |
| Penalty & Interest             | 204,417.81            | 221,514.34             | 215,858.15            |
| Sub-Total                      | 7,251,306.33          | 12,190,599.28          | 7,683,309.16          |
| Allowance for Uncollectible    | (93,604.52)           | (93,604.52)            | (93,604.52)           |
| Taxes Receivable               | <u>\$7,157,701.81</u> | <u>\$12,096,994.76</u> | <u>\$7,589,704.64</u> |
| Taxes Billed to Date           | 20,223,599.57         | 20,551,105.05          | 19,407,605.79         |
| Percentage o/s Over Levy       | 35.393%               | 58.863%                | 39.107%               |

Net taxes receivable last month were **\$2,374,248.49**; this month's balance of **\$7,157,701.81** (an increase over last month in the amount of **\$4,783,453.32**), represents the net impact of billing our final taxes during the month, less the collections made. They are collectible in two instalments – June 30<sup>th</sup> and September 30<sup>th</sup> - (last year the due dates were, July 31<sup>st</sup> and October 30<sup>th</sup>) – hence the reason outstanding taxes are so much lower this year compared to last, at this time.

Final tax bills were printed week ending May 28<sup>th</sup> – mailed out to taxpayers on June 3<sup>rd</sup> (mailing date last year was June 8<sup>th</sup>).

The total amount of our final billing was \$9,838,088.42; (2020 - \$10,840,299.25); - due in two instalments of approximately \$4.92M each.

Taxes receivable also include other charges that have been added to the tax roll for collection purposes.

## Year-End DRAFT Audited Financial Statements – 2020

The auditors completed their annual audit of our books and records and are in position to present the DRAFT financial statements for the year ended December 31 2020, to council at this meeting of July 13<sup>th</sup>.

## ACTIVITIES:

- Preparing for and attending at council meeting of June 9<sup>th</sup>
- Managers' meetings June 23rd and 24th
- Several telephone calls and meetings with taxpayers after tax bills went out at the beginning of June.
- Report back to Ministry of Infrastructure OCIF, re: Formula-Based Project Information – on actuals for 2020 fiscal year.
- Assisted Deputy-Treasurer and Public Works department with filing to Ministry of Infrastructure – OCIF, re: Formula-Based Project Information form regarding estimates for 2021 fiscal year.
- Report back on 2021 COVID-19 Recovery Funding for Municipalities due June 30<sup>th</sup>
- Reviewing DRAFT financial statements from auditors made finalization entries in books for 2020 fiscal year end.
- Cash balances are up considerably due to June being a tax instalment due date with approximately \$4.9M due at end of June.
- Transferred \$5M from a one-year GIC at 1.2% (taken out June 29 2020) back into our general bank account. Rates are considerably better on our "loose cash" than anything we can get on term deposits at the current time.
- Final tax bills were printed week ending May 28<sup>th</sup> mailed out to taxpayers on June 3<sup>rd</sup> (mailing date last year was June 8<sup>th</sup>).
- The total amount of our final billing was \$9,838,088.42 (2020 \$10,840,299.25); this amount is due in two instalments of approximately \$4.92M each; Instalment due dates are June 30<sup>th</sup> and September 30th. This cash inflow will be extremely helpful in paying the summer construction costs as well as the Education and County levies;
- Payment of the second instalment to the School Boards in the amount of \$814,525.28, due June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- County payment was due May 31<sup>st</sup> in the amount of \$2,423,720 (2020 amount of \$2,566,927 was due the end of June).

We have attached a Year-to-Date Summary of Budget to Actual Expenditures for Council's information

## Township of North Dundas Year To Date Budget to Actual As of June 30, 2021

|   |                  | Revenu                 | ies        |                | Expenditures     |                        |            | Impact on Taxation |  |                   |                               |                                    |
|---|------------------|------------------------|------------|----------------|------------------|------------------------|------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|   |                  |                        | Varian     | се             |                  |                        | Varianc    | e                  | Dudgeted                                       |                   | Variance                      |                                    |
| Particulars                             | As Per<br>Budget | Year to<br>Date Actual | Amount     | %age<br>Earned | As Per<br>Budget | Year to<br>Date Actual | Amount     | %age<br>Spent      | Budgeted<br>(Surplus)<br>Draw from<br>Taxation | Actual to<br>Date | \$ Amt (Over)<br>Under Budget | %'age<br>(Over)<br>Under<br>Budget |
| General Government                      | 1,749,990        | 520,508                | 1,229,482  | 30%            | 1,648,517        | 763,721                | 884,796    | 46%                | (101,473)                                      | 243,213           | (344,686)                     | 340%                               |
| Economic Development & Public Relations | 161,284          | 20,874                 | 140,410    | 13%            | 315,034          | 101,572                | 213,462    | 32%                | 153,750  | 80,698            | 73,052                        | 48%                                |
| Fire Services                           | 624,540          | 37,442                 | 587,098    | 6%             | 1,492,595        | 808,848                | 683,747    | 54%                | 868,055  | 771,406           | 96,649                        | 11%                                |
| Planning & Development                  | 59,500           | 36,826                 | 22,674     | 62%            | 198,065          | 88,627                 | 109,438    | 45%                | 138,565  | 51,801            | 86,764                        | 63%                                |
| Building Department                     | 214,685          | 176,321                | 38,364     | 82%            | 307,641          | 125,126                | 182,515    | 41%                | 92,956   | (51,195)          | 144,151                       | 155%                               |
| By-law Enforcement                      | 8,500            | 4,059                  | 4,441      | 48%            | 133,900          | 61,774                 | 72,126     | 46%                | 125,400  | 57,715            | 67,685                        | 54%                                |
| Animal Control                          | 15,500           | 12,980                 | 2,520      | 84%            | 82,300           | 20,992                 | 61,308     | 26%                | 66,800   | 8,012             | 58,788                        | 88%                                |
| Transportation Services                 | 4,514,588        | 904,991                | 3,609,597  | 20%            | 7,459,584        | 1,260,912              | 6,198,672  | 17%                | 2,944,996                                      | 355,921           | 2,589,075                     | 88%                                |
| Municipal / Tile Drainage               | 232,950          | 28,369                 | 204,581    | 12%            | 309,450          | 19,193                 | 290,257    | 6%                 | 76,500   | (9,176)           | 85,676                        | 112%                               |
| Recreational Services                   | 1,065,943        | 74,146                 | 991,797    | 7%             | 2,675,972        | 839,129                | 1,836,843  | 31%                | 1,610,029                                      | 764,983           | 845,046                       | 52%                                |
| Other Facilities                        | 509,096          | 291,127                | 217,969    | 57%            | 525,420          | 164,232                | 361,188    | 31%                | 16,324   | (126,895)         | 143,219                       | 877%                               |
| Volunteer Organizations                 | 69,000           | 10,068                 | 58,932     | 15%            | 69,000           | 6,891                  | 62,109     | 10%                | -  | (3,177)           | 3,177                         |                                    |
| Waste Management                        | 549,068          | 70,258                 | 478,810    | 13%            | 1,268,586        | 533,992                | 734,594    | 42%                | 719,518  | 463,734           | 255,784                       | 36%                                |
| Total - General Operations              | 9,774,644        | 2,187,969              | 7,586,675  | 22%            | 16,486,064       | 4,795,009              | 11,691,055 | 29%                | 6,711,420                                      | 2,607,040         | 4,104,380                     | 61%                                |
| North Dundon Weter                      |                  |                        |            |                |                  |                        |            |                    |  |                   |                               |                                    |
| North Dundas Water<br>Services          | 1,888,883        | 587,586                | 1,301,297  | 31%            | 1,888,883        | 384,062                | 1,504,821  | 20%                | -  | (203,524)         | 203,524                       |                                    |
| Winchester Sewer                        | 1,452,955        | 345,652                | 1,107,303  | 24%            | 1,452,955        | 178,571                | 1,274,384  | 12%                | -  | (167,081)         | 167,081                       |                                    |
| Chesterville Sewer                      | 391,698          | 115,042                | 276,656    | 29%            | 391,698          | 92,077                 | 299,621    | 24%                | -  | (22,965)          | 22,965                        |                                    |
| Total - Water and Sewer<br>Operations   | 3,733,536        | 1,048,280              | 2,685,256  | 28%            | 3,733,536        | 654,710                | 3,078,826  | 18%                | -  | (393,570)         | 393,570                       |                                    |
| Grand Totals                            | 13,508,180       | 3,236,249              | 10,271,931 | 24%            | 20,219,600       | 5,449,719              | 14,769,881 | 27%                | 6,711,420                                      | 2,213,470         | 4,497,950                     | 67%                                |



DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES Economic Development and Communications July 13, 2021

- Worked extensively with several businesses to determine if the SDG Regional Incentives Program was the best fit for their needs, which resulted in six applications being submitted and reviewed by the committee on June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Promoted the July 6<sup>th</sup> Business Plan virtual meeting hosted by the Chamber of Commerce, the Canada Community Revitalization Fund and the June 24<sup>th</sup> Multi-Sectoral Technical Briefing with Lisa MacLeod.
- The curbside pick-up signage project has been well received by local businesses with thirty-two photos having been taken to date and shared on the Township's Facebook page, as well shared with the Chamber of Commerce. These social media posts will taper off once the virtual business expo videos start to be released in July.
- Nine videos from local businesses have been submitted for the Virtual Business Expo initiative at the time of writing this report, with many more in the works to be recorded by business owners or myself. The videos will be reviewed by the Expo Committee and released in July once a significant volume is gathered.
- Contacted past Community Improvement Plan and Regional Incentive Program approved applicants to ensure their improvements are completed within the specified timeframes to receive their funding.

## Communications

- The Township's new website was officially launched on June 11<sup>th</sup> to the public and our old website has been removed from public viewing. I continue to work with all department heads to update and fine tune the website's content to reflect current service offerings.
- Regularly updating the Township website and Facebook with Provincial and EOHU COVID-19 news.



## DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES

Public Works July 13, 2021

Public Works department performed tasks in four key areas as follows:

#### Administration:

- 1. Recommended award of sidewalk machine tender.
- 2. Conducted site visits for operational and road construction activities.
- 3. Worked with the contractor on construction of various roads, construction pricing for Wincrest Road, deficiencies, etc.
- 4. Completed ditching work on various roads through three (3) local ditching contractors along roadways identified for paving in 2021.
- 5. Monitor construction initiatives of various roadways and sidewalks by the contractors.
- 6. Meeting with property owners to review their concerns with regard to ditching, road condition, trees, truck traffic, etc.
- 7. Continue to work on plans to install additional signages on roads.
- 8. Printed daily activity sheets for operation staff.
- 9. Meeting with many residents over concerns of ditching, entrance culverts, dead tree removal and drainage questions.
- 10. Operational procedures have been templated and work is to begin shortly.
- 11. Continue to streamline public works.

## Transportation:

#### Roads Operations:

- 1) Work on E11s and replace damaged mail boxes as required.
- 2) completion of asphalt on Kerrs Ridge rd.
- 3) completion of asphalt on Levere rd.
- 4) completion of asphalt on St.John street and Christina Street
- 5) 90% completion of asphalt on Crump rd.
- 6) Silver Fox rd. is ready for asphalt
- 7) Clarke rd. is ready for sidewalks and asphalt
- 8) Roads have 1 mower pass with the exception of Spruce dr., Rodney lane, Bisson rd., Cayer rd., North Wing rd., South Wing rd., Thompson rd., Ormond rd., Steen rd. and Lafleur rd.
- 9) Hot mix patching has been completed on River rd., Nation Valley rd., Cameron rd., Kittle rd., Nation River rd., Law rd. and some of Baker rd. where the crew is now.
- 10)Excavator grinding has been completed on McIntosh rd., Guy rd., Levere rd., Nesbitt rd. and 90% completed on Loughlin Ridge rd.

- 11)All deficient signs have been changed to date. Some name signs need to be changed but we are waiting on those to be made. Some warning signs(stop ahead) need to be erected but waiting on locates to be completed.
- 12)Whipper snipping has commenced full strength as summer students have started.

## Fleet:

- 1. Annual Inspections completed 3209, 3260, 3290, 45 and T4
- 2. Mechanical Fitness Inspections completed 3211, 3215, 3291, 44 and 7751
- 3. 3206 remove manual spreader controls and retrofit to Dickey John Control Point spreader controls
- 4. Air bag recalls completed at Upper Canada Motors 7755, 42, 3252 and S1
- 5. Pump Testing completed P1, PT2B, P3 and P4
- 6. P1 hose reel repair drive chain rebuild #8 valve pressure relief valve inspect
- P2 recurring right rear brake overheating issue was at Freightliner from May 31 to June 7 and again from June 15 to present with no resolution at this point
- 8. P3 inspect for overheating issue replace coolant reservoir due to defective fill neck replace primer motor
- 9. S2B replace damaged left side mirror repair high idle circuit
- 10. R2 rear compartment light replace
- 11.T2 fabricate tool box mounting brackets and install new toolbox on left side frame rail
- 12.S3 completion of toolbox interior compartment lighting, installation of rear work lighting, grab handle installation and fabrication of mounting brackets and installation of gas struts for compartment doors
- 13.3295 replacement and programming of the dash cluster module to repair the park brake issue – Oil and filter change
- 14.3254 air conditioning repair
- 15.3212 air conditioning repair
- 16.3224 switch cutting edges from scarfire to straight edges
- 17.3213-2060 replace damaged PTO shaft remove iron bar from mower and replace damaged belts
- 18.3213-2070 replace rear tires due to excessive sidewall split in right rear tire replace blown hydraulic hose
- 19.3217 air conditioning inspect parts ordered
- 20.3273 split machine and rebush center steering hinge
- 21.44 and 45 replacement of drive axle tires
- 22.42 replace fuel tank filler hose due to vandals
- 23.43 remove fuel tank and repair

## Water and Wastewater:

- 1. Continue to review and discuss with J. L. Richards with regard to water and wastewater capacity constraints.
- 2. Continue to work on water class environmental assessment study.
- 3. Various operation and maintenance activities by OCWA.
- 4. Flushing of sewers in the villages of Winchester and Chesterville.



DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES Waste Management Services July 13, 2021

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

| Мау          |             |  |  |  |
|--------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| Total Fees   | \$15,578.25 |  |  |  |
| Fees Charged | \$ 6,463.25 |  |  |  |
| Fees Paid    | \$9,115.00  |  |  |  |
| Cash on Hand | \$100.00    |  |  |  |

## June

Total Fees...... \$21,471.50 Fees Charged.... \$13,088.25 Fees Paid...... \$8,383.25 Cash on Hand......\$100.00

| Wards               | MAY    | JUNE |
|---------------------|--------|------|
| 1. (Twp of Win)     | 640    | 800  |
| 2. (Twp of Mtn)     | 480    | 480  |
| 3. (Vill of Win)    | 720    | 640  |
| 4. (Vill of Ches)   | 320    | 320  |
| 5. Other (Boyne)    | 936    | 1313 |
| Total Cubic Yards   | 3096   | 3553 |
| Total Metric Tonnes | 281.45 | 323  |

## **Recyclables**

| Bales on Hand of December 31 <sup>st</sup><br>ONP-0 OCC-0 PLASTIC -0 ALUM-99 |       | Estimated Value<br>\$19,800.00             |
|--|-------|--|
| Tonnages of Processed Material<br>May 16th to June 30th                      |       | Year to Date                               |
| Fibre 49.06 MT<br>Plastic/Cans/Glass—29.59 MT                                | Total | 216.29 MT<br>132.03 MT<br><b>348.32 MT</b> |

WORK COMPLETED (up to July 2nd)

- Working with Golder on EA issues involving the Boyne Road Environmental Assessment
- Working with Golder on Technical Studies
- Boyne Road Landfill clean up and organizing
- June 12<sup>th</sup> HHW Day 190 vehicles
- Worked on and completed Landfill Gas Survey and Landfill Statistics Survey
- Working on 2020 Data Call for Blue Box Funding



## DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES Recreation and Culture July 13, 2021

- New stick rack carts have been fabricated for the Chesterville & District Arena. The Rockets had donated 4 wall racks when the changeroom expansion was underway. Due to wall space limitations, the stick racks were taken to Dundas Machine, where they were used as a component in the creation of 4 rolling racks. Special thanks to the Rockets for their donation and to Dundas Machine for their custom design and excellent welding.
- 5 park benches, 3 picnic tables, and 9 garbage receptacles were commissioned from local businesses. This included 1 park bench and 2 picnic tables, which were purchased by the Mountain & District Lions Club, for the Lions Club Pavilion, located in the Rick Cauvier Park in South Mountain. These new furnishings will soon be installed throughout the municipality, in the coming weeks.
- The South Mountain Resource Centre was just repainted. The board and batten was completed on the new maintenance shed, as well as on the ends of the Lions Club Pavilion. Soil and seed were spread around the pavilion and maintenance shed and is being watered regularly. Granular was also reapplied on the laneway from the parking lot, back to the rink. The lines for the tennis courts are scheduled to be painted during the first 2 weeks of July.
- Roller skating will be held in the Chesterville & District Arena this year, instead of in the Joel Steele Community Centre. The anticipated start date is Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, pending the province enters into Stage 3 by that date. Details will be advertised once determined.
- Zumba classes are currently being offered on Wednesdays nights from 7:00-8:00 pm, on Sox Field in Winchester. Online registration will open on July 9<sup>th</sup> for a new session, which will begin on July 21<sup>st</sup>.
- The EOHU COVID-19 vaccine clinics are booked until September 3<sup>rd</sup> on the Joel Steele Community Centre slab. Any bookings after September 3<sup>rd</sup>, will take place in the upper-level community hall, in order to allow the 2021/2022 ice season to proceed. Township of North Dundas Firefighters have been providing traffic control at the vaccination clinics, however, it is getting harder to find Firefighters that are available to do so.
- All baseball user groups have started for the season.

- The Recreation Coordinator has started to draft ice contracts for the 2021/2022 season. Both the Winchester & Chesterville Arenas will open on Friday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. With ice going in late in Winchester, due to the slab being utilized by vaccination clinics, opening the Chesterville & District Arena will help accommodate groups that will miss out on pre-season ice in Winchester.
- The ball field infield groomer has arrived and the staff team was trained on how to use it. Our new ball field maintenance program has begun.
- North Dundas United Soccer is scheduled to start their soccer programs on Tuesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. They are scheduled to use both the Chesterville & Mountain soccer fields every Tuesday and Thursday until Thursday September 16<sup>th</sup>.
- All doors on the Mountain Memorial Park building were repainted, as was the bell. The old shrubs and mulch that surrounded the Hill 70 monument, were replaced with hostas and fresh mulch. The parking lot was recently graded.
- Prices were obtained for various new playground components and ground base, which will be included in the 2022 draft budget. Other prices are being obtained for the draft 2022 budget as well.
- The side emergency door for the Chesterville Public Library was replaced.
- A new set of automatic taps was installed in the men's washroom at the municipal administration office.
- Areas that are targeted to get asphalt replacement in 2021 were measured and specifications were included in a tender document.
- The new signs were picked-up for Veteran's View Park in Morewood and the Rick Cauvier Park in South Mountain. They will be put-up in the near future.
- Repainting and repair work to the window trim, doors and bell tower on the Old Town Hall was awarded and is anticipated to commence in September.
- The Director of Recreation & Culture and the Facilities Manager met with the SDG Library District Supervisor and a carpet representative to review carpet samples for the Winchester Library Branch.
- A letter was received from the Department of Canadian Heritage, informing us that our application for funding under the Canada Cultural Spaces Program Fund, for the replacement of the HVAC system in the Old Town Hall, has been approved. We will be receiving \$31,407.50 for the project.

A program representative will be in contact with us in the near future to review the terms and conditions related to this funding.

• Volunteer Kathleen Hallam taught tennis to 4 children and 3 adults on the repaved South Mountain Tennis Courts, during the month of June. An empty and clean container was provided for the courts, to store rackets and balls for residents to utilize when they visit the courts.

# Rooth Dundas

## DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES

CAO July 13, 2021

- Attended weekly updates from Dr. Paul of the EOHU
- Worked with Recreation staff to determine the best way to open our pools for the season taking into account EOHU recommendations, COVID protocol, a reduced number of lifeguards and Red Cross recommendations regarding swimming lessons
- Met with real estate agent regarding two Township properties, one of which has since been listed
- Mayor Fraser and I attended the Public Works Operations Center to make a presentation to Carl Munro for achieving 15 years of service with the Township
- Met with Department heads on files and issues as required and in preparation of Council meetings
- Actions to pursue an option for land for a potential municipal drinking water well
- Follow up with lawyers as required on several files
- Review of new municipal website prior to launch
- Respond to inquiries from the public and Council members as required
- Updated COVID Staff Accommodation Policy
- Picnic tables were purchased for at the Municipal Office to promote taking lunch outdoors while maintaining social distancing
- Assist with contracts and IT set up of new employees
- Participated in meetings with SDG CAOs to share information and best practices

Deputy Clerk:

- participated in interviews for several positions
- submitted annual BPS reporting
- Participated in ongoing training and setup of Escribe
- Detailed website review prior to launch of new website



#### DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY UPDATES Clerk July 13, 2021

- Participating in weekly scheduled conference calls with the Eastern Ontario Health Unit (Dr. Paul) and Emergency Management Ontario.
- Weekly calls Emergency Planner, Kevin Spencer.
- Participating in Escribe Training.
- Meetings with Real Estate Agent re: municipal property listing.
- Insurance matters ongoing discussions with Municipal Broker.
- Corresponding with Lawyers re: property matters.
- On-going discussions with Committees of Council and Delegations.
- On-going discussions with couples regarding marriage ceremonies.
- Assisting Council & Staff routine duties.
- Assisting Ratepayers routine duties.
- Preparations for Council meetings June 22 & July 13.
- Work with Deputy Clerk on lottery files and chip truck licences.

## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH DUNDAS

## BY-LAW No. 2021-52

## Being a By-law of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas to adopt, confirm and ratify matters dealt with by resolution.

- **WHEREAS** the *Municipal Act, 2001,* as amended, provides that the powers of the Corporation of the Township of North Dundas, shall be exercised by By-law.
- **AND WHEREAS** in many cases, action which is taken or authorized to be taken by the Township of North Dundas does not lend itself to the passage of an individual By-law;
- **NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Township of North Dundas enacts as follows:
- **1.0** That the Minutes of the Public, Regular and In Camera Meetings held on June 22nd, 2021 of the Council of the Township of North Dundas, be hereby adopted.
- 2.0 That the actions of the Township of North Dundas at the Regular Meeting held on July 13th, 2021 in respect of each motion, resolution and other action taken by the Township of North Dundas at its meeting are, except where the prior approval of the Ontario Land Tribunal or other authority is required by law, hereby adopted, ratified and confirmed as if all such proceedings were expressly embodied in this By-law.
- **3.0** That where no individual By-law has been or is passed with respect to the taking of any action authorized in or by the above-mentioned minutes or with respect to the exercise of any powers by the Township of North Dundas in the above-mentioned minutes, then this By-law shall be deemed for all purposes to be the By-law required for approving and authorizing and taking of any action authorized therein and thereby or required for the exercise of any powers therein by the Township of North Dundas.
- **4.0** That the Mayor and Members of Council of the Township of North Dundas are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to the said action of the Township of North Dundas to obtain approvals where required and except as otherwise provided, the Mayor, or in the absence of the Mayor the alternate Head of Council, and the Municipal Clerk, or in the absence of the Municipal Clerk, the Deputy Clerk, are hereby directed to execute all documents necessary on behalf of the Township of North Dundas.

## READ and passed in Open Council, signed and sealed this 13th day of July, 2021.

MAYOR

CLERK