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COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL, OPERATIONS: September 23, 2020

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ADMINISTRATION

Council approved the first reading of the new Workplace Violence and Harassment Policy. This policy demonstrates the Municipality's commitment to providing an environment free of harassment, discrimination and disrespectful behaviour.



BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Chief Building Official Martin Cox's Monthly Building Report to Council stated that 165 permits were issued between January 1, 2020 – August 31, 2020, with an estimated construction value of \$10,498,730.

OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

Council voted in favour of Corrective Remediation to address damages that were sustained to the Musclow-Greenview Bridge as a result of an accident that occurred in July 2020. With an estimated cost of \$40,000+HST, this option removes/replaces damaged portions of the concrete barrier wall, wing wall and steel beam guardrail. A formal tendering process will ensue in accordance with the Municipality's Procurement Policy.

OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

Council approved the first reading of the Level of Service for Winter Road Maintenance Policy, which sets out the winter maintenance standards for Hastings Highlands. This Bylaw allows the Operations Department to conduct road maintenance in an efficient and effective way.



Council approved the Five (5) Year Road Plan 2021 to 2025, as presented by Operations Manager Adrian Tomasini. To date, the previous plan has proven successful for both infrastructure improvements as well as financial planning preparedness for the Municipality.



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