



Staff Report

Report Title: 2022 Surplus Equipment

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Department: Public Works

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Attachments:

Recommendation:

THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby receives for information, Report Number PW-2022-10-71, prepared by John Yungblut, Director of Public Works AND declares a 2005 Sterling tandem snow plow truck and the 2018 AMI snow pusher as surplus to the operations of the Township, authorizing their disposal as per the Township's Surplus Equipment Policy.

Background:

In August 2022, the 2022 Western Star tandem snow plow was delivered which is the replacement for our 2005 Sterling tandem plow. In 2020, the Township purchased a 4 in 1 snow pusher that would allow staff to efficiently clear the parking areas in Ripley that we had to add to our winter maintenance plan after we were unable to retain a contractor to clear snow on the streets of Ripley.

Discussion:

Township staff are recommending declaring the existing snow pusher that was purchased in 2018 as surplus since it is no longer being used. With the disposal of the 2005 Sterling truck, Public Works will be utilizing the following snow plows this winter:

1. 2022 Western Star tandem axle (Kinloss)
2. 2021 Western Star tandem axle (Ripley/Huron)
3. 2020 Western Star tandem axle (Lakeshore)
4. 2019 International tandem axle (Lucknow)
5. 2014 International tandem axle (Huron)
6. 2012 International tandem axle (Lakeshore)

7. 2012 Ford One Tonne (Lakeshore)
8. 2009 International tandem axle (Kinloss)
9. 2009 International single axle (Lakeshore)
10. 2008 International tandem axle (Ripley/Huron)
11. 2006 Sterling tandem axle (Spare)

Now that we have ten plow trucks being used daily during the winter months, we have found having a spare truck available is critical for us to maintain our Level of Service in the event of a break down.

As per the Township Surplus Equipment Policy, both these items will be listed for sale on the GovDeals website.

Financial Impacts:

The sale of these items will be transferred into equipment reserves.

Strategic Alignment / Link:

We are an accessible community by being open and transparent.

Respectfully Submitted By:

John Yungblut, Director of Public Works

Approved By:

Mary Rose Walden, Chief Administrative Officer