



Staff Report

Report Title: William Street N Improvements

Prepared By: John Yungblut

Department: Public Works

Date: Sep. 21, 2020

Report Number: PW-2020-09-61

File Number: P350 Reports

Attachments:

Recommendation:

That the Township of Huron-Kinloss Council hereby approves Report Number PW2020-09-61 prepared by John Yungblut, Director of Public Works, AND approves the quotation from Bill & Tom Kempton Construction Ltd. in the amount of \$75,920.00 plus HST for drainage improvements on William Street North, AND FURTHER authorizes the appropriate by-law come forward on tonight's agenda.

Background:

On May 20, 2020, Council authorized the Director of Public Works to enter into negotiations with the contractor that has been hired to construct Finlay Street to improve the drainage on the northern portion of William Street North in the community of Ripley. This project was to be done in conjunction with the construction of Finlay Street and was estimated to cost \$85,000.

Discussion:

The construction of Finlay Street is under way and the quote submitted by Bill & Tom Kempton Construction Ltd. was under the estimated amount, so Township staff recommended awarding the RFQ to this contractor.

Financial Impacts:

Although this project was not included in the 2020 Capital Budget, Township staff recommend allocating cost savings from other capital projects to reduce our liability due to the ice formations that often occur on this section of roadway.

Strategic Alignment / Link:

We are a prosperous community that continues to grow in a sustainable manner by investing in infrastructure.

Respectfully Submitted By:

John Yungblut, Director of Public Works

Approved By:

Mary Rose Walden, Chief Administrative Officer