



The Corporation of the Township of Huron-Kinloss

Staff Report

Report Title: Tender Results - Bruce Beach Municipal Drain Phase 1

Prepared By: Grant Collins, Drainage Superintendent

Department: Drain

Date: Aug. 16, 2021

Report Number: DRAIN-2021-08-16

File Number: E09 BBMD Ph 1

Attachments:

Recommendation:

That the Township of Huron-Kinloss Council hereby approves Report Number DRAIN-2021-08-16 prepared by Grant Collins, Drainage Superintendent and approves the tender of Birnam Excavating Ltd. in the amount of \$528,488.35 + HST for the Bruce Beach Municipal Drain Phase 1 SUBJECT to no design appeals being received AND FURTHER authorizes provisional approval of the By-law coming forward on tonight's agenda.

Background:

Bruce Beach Municipal Drain – Phase 1

At the July 19, 2021 Township of Huron-Kinloss Council meeting, Council accepted the Bruce Beach Municipal Drain Phase 1 report.

Tender packages were posted and emailed and mailed directly to several area drainage companies for their consideration.

The tenders closed on August 12, 2021 at noon with two tenders being received.

Results as follows:

Murray Mills Excavating & Trucking Ltd.	\$ 772,848.00 plus HST
Birnam Excavating Ltd	\$ 528,488.35 plus HST

Discussion:

Bruce Beach Municipal Drain Phase 1

Headway Engineering reviewed the tenders and have recommended that the Township award the contract for construction to Birnam Excavating Ltd for the tender price of \$528,488.35 plus HST

The Engineer's estimate for the project was \$543,880 + HST.

The start date is set to be on or before November 1, 2021 with a completion date on or before December 31, 2021.

Staff concurs with the recommendation of Headway Engineering and requests that the Provisional By-law be considered on tonight's agenda to allow the tender to be awarded and construction work commence following the appeal periods as outlined in the Drainage Act, R.S.O. 1990 as amended.

The last day to appeal the Engineers design is August 30, 2021.

Financial Impacts:

All associated costs will be allocated to the property owners within the watershed.

Strategic Alignment / Link:

We are an accessible community by being open and transparent.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Grant Collins, Drainage Superintendent

Approved By:

Mary Rose Walden, Chief Administrative Officer