



## Council Memorandum

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Date: March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019

To: Council

From: Councillor Ron Ashmore

Re: Staff Engineering Report Request for 4-Way Stop at Peace and Sturgeon Roads

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### Recommendation:

**That** the March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 memorandum from Councillor Ashmore regarding the **Request for a 4-Way Stop at Peace and Sturgeon Roads**, be received;

**That** Council direct staff to report back to Council with a traffic warrant study to determine if a 4-Way Stop can be installed at this intersection; and

**That** staff consult the OPP and EMS for historical accident statistics, as well as former Township of Emily records, and immediate neighbours regarding this intersection for comment.

### Rationale:

The intersection of Peace Road and Sturgeon Road is a major intersection between Omeme and Downeyville in Ward 6. Sturgeon Road is a major north/south road in Kawartha Lakes from Dunsford to Omeme. Peace Road is an increasingly used highway from Emily Park Road to Reaboro.

Presently, this intersection has a red flashing overhead light for east/west traffic travelling on Peace Road, and an over head amber flashing light for north/south Sturgeon Road traffic. In the past four decades, there have been at least six deaths at this intersection; as well as, many serious accidents with multiple injuries.