

Council Memorandum

Date: September 1, 2020

To: Committee of the Whole

From: Councillor Ashmore

Re: Heights Road from Highway 7 to Mount Horeb

Recommendation

That the Memorandum from Councillor Ashmore, regarding Heights Road from Highway 7 to Mount Horeb Road, be received;

That staff report back by Q4, 2020 on short term options for improvement of this road section including pulverizing to gravel, or life cycle extension consideration in the 2021 budget; and

That this recommendation be forwarded to Council for consideration at the next Regular Council Meeting.

Rationale

Heights Road from Trans Canada Highway 7 to Mount Horeb Road has deteriorated to the point where it requires rehabilitation.

There is now a limited gravel base on the road making it difficult to maintain a crown for proper drainage.

There are also two major businesses' employing several people located on this road that have experienced several business interruptions as a result of the road conditions.