

Council Memorandum

Date: October 6, 2020

To: Committee of the Whole

From: Councillor Ashmore

Re: The Implementation of a Four Way Stop at Mary Street and Sturgeon Road South,

Omemee

Recommendation

That the Memorandum from Councillor Ashmore, regarding the **Implementation of a Four Way Stop at Mary Street and Sturgeon Road South, Omemee** be received;

That staff investigate the intersection of Mary Street and Sturgeon Road South to be considered for a four way stop and report back in Q2 2021; and

That this recommendation be forwarded to council for consideration.

Rationale

The intersection of Mary Street and Sturgeon Road South is located in central Omemee. At present, it is a 2 way stop. The north to south traffic are required to stop while the east to west is not required to do so.

Several concerned citizens have expressed a desire to have this converted to a 4-way stop in order to improve the safety of this intersection. This intersection is also used as a traffic by-pass from highway 7 which increases the risk of potential accidents.

Furthermore, a new subdivision is set for construction on Mary Street in the near future and that will increase traffic flow as well.