



## TOWNSHIP OF NORTH HURON

## REPORT

Item No.

**REPORT TO:** Reeve Vincent and Members of Council  
**PREPARED BY:** Donna White  
**DATE:** 04/04/2016  
**SUBJECT:** Patrick Street Reconstruction Project – Invited Bidders List  
**ATTACHMENTS:** Patrick Street List.docx

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### **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT the Council of the Township of North Huron hereby authorizes the Patrick Street Reconstruction Project to be tendered by the Invited Competitive Bid (Invited Tender Call) process using the electronic method and the requirement for advertising in the local newspapers be waived.

### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Patrick Street Reconstruction Project received pre-budget approval by Council to proceed to the tender process at the March 29, 2016 Budget Meeting.

### **DISCUSSION**

R. J. Burnside has been given authorization to proceed with the tendering process and has proposed a tender closing date of Thursday, April 14, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. at the Township office. The project was originally tendered in June of 2015 with a due date of June 25, 2015. Five bid submissions were received and evaluated. At that time, the low bid was significantly more than the budget estimate and therefore, the contract did not proceed. The engineer has recently contacted potential bidders to evaluate interest in submitting a bid for this contract a second time and has advised that there is sufficient interest in order to proceed. Given the tight timelines for the tender closing date, it is in the Township's best interest to proceed with a list of invited bidders provided by R. J. Burnside.

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

The estimated cost of the Patrick Street Reconstruction Project in the amount of \$325,018.00 is included in the 2016 budget.

### **FUTURE CONSIDERATIONS**

Council will receive a report on the tender results at the April 18, 2016 meeting.

### **RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC PLAN**

Goal #4 – Our administration is fiscally responsible and strives for operational excellence.

