

STAFF REPORT: ENGINEERING AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



REPORT TO: Engineering and Public Works Committee
MEETING DATE: May 15, 2007
REPORT NO.: EPW.07.56
SUBJECT: Dynapatch Mechanized Spray Patching
PREPARED BY: Don Hutchinson, Roads & Drainage
 Superintendent

A. Recommendations

THAT Council accept the quote for the Dynapatch Mechanized Spray Patching works for spot repairs within the Town to MSO Construction Limited at an upset cost of \$45,000.00, excluding GST; and,

THAT Council supports the exception to the Town Purchasing Policy.

B. Background

Miscellaneous Spot Repairs

Throughout the Town, there are numerous locations that require patch repairs and Town Staff have determined that the most appropriate repair is Dynapatch Mechanized Spray Patching. MSO Construction Limited is the sole provider of this service in the area and the Town has been satisfied with previous work. Therefore Town Staff requested and received a quote for the work. The unit cost is \$5.50 per m². The 2007 Capital Budget is \$45,000 for this spot road repair work. The Roads and Drainage Superintendent has identified several locations where this work will be carried out. In particular, repairs are needed on the 10th Line between County Road 13 and 15/16 Side Road. Staff will monitor the expenditure of funds to limit the spot repairs to no more than \$45,000. At \$5.50/ m², almost 8200 m² of roadway can be repaired.

Section 16 of the Purchasing Bylaw entitled "Purchase by Negotiations" permits the Department Head, in cooperation with the CAO, to negotiate with a supplier for goods and the requirement for inviting Tenders or Quotations is waived. The sub-clause of Section 16 which apply in this instance are 16 b) because there is only one supplier of the desired work.

C. The Blue Mountains' Strategic Plan

This tender award furthers the Town's Strategic Goal #2, "Addressing the Town's municipal infrastructure needs".

D. Budget Impact

Spot Repairs

The 2007 Roads & Drainage Operational Budget includes \$45,000.00 for spot repairs using Dynapatch Mechanized Spray Patching Technology.

E. Attached

1. MSO Construction Limited quote dated April 30, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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