

Township of McMurrich/Monteith
Regular Council Meeting - Agenda
Tuesday, August 4, 2026 – 7:00pm

Meeting to be held inside Municipal Office/Fire Hall

1. Call to Order:
2. Confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting:
 - 2.1 Council – July 21, 2026
3. List of proposed resolutions for the meeting:
4. Declaration of pecuniary interest and general nature thereof:
 - should a member have a disclosure of pecuniary interest, they are to declare the nature thereof now or at any time during the meeting
5. Delegations:
 - 5.1 Staff Report: Public Works
 - 5.2 Staff Report: Fire Chief
 - 5.3 Staff Report: CAO
6. Business Arising From a Previous Meeting:
 - None
7. Quotes, Tenders, RFP's:
 - None
8. Accounts for Approval:
 - 8.1 July, 2026
9. Applications:
 - None
10. Bylaws:
 - 10.1 39-2026 Confirm Council Meeting – July 21, 2026
 - 10.2 40-2026 Authorize a loan guarantee for the Belvedere Heights Home For the Aged
11. Council Reports:
 - None
12. Correspondence:
 - 12.1 BF and District Food Bank – request support to help supplement rising costs
 - 12.2 J. Van Loenen – Closing of Axe Lake Road west of West Bear Lake Road
 - 12.3 P & M Doherty – Closure of Axe Lake Road

12.4 J&S Britten – Bridge Replacement – Axe Lake Road

12.5 S. Harris – Sept 8-Oct 9 Timing of Bridge Replacement Axe Lake Road

12.6 A. Beilke – Formal notice of objection – Proposed Road Reclassification – John Street

12.7 J&P Davis – Subject Request for Review of Public Access and Accessibility Concerns Following Work – John Street

13. New Business:

None

14. Closed Session:

None

15. Adjournment:

Dates to Remember:

Tuesday, August 11th – Recreation Committee Meeting – 7pm

Tuesday, August 18th - Regular Council Meetings – 7pm

Pickle Ball Court – opens June 3rd – every Friday sessions 1:30-3pm + 6:30-8pm

Saturday, August 15th – Community Yard Sale – 9am – 1pm

Friday, August 21st – Family Fun Night – 5:30pm-9pm

2026 Final Tax Notices to be mailed late July – Installment dates August 28th and October 28th

Friday, May 1st – August 21st at 2pm – Nomination period for 2026 Municipal Elections

Reminder to verify and/or update elector information - Check <https://www.registertovoteon.ca/>

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**MINUTES OF McMURRICH/MONTEITH TOWNSHIP
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2026**

The Council of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith met Tuesday, July 21, 2026, inside the Council Chambers

Present: Mayor: Glynn Robinson; Council Members: Vicky Roeder-Martin, Terry Currie, Daniel O'Halloran, and Craig White.

Staff present: Terry Sararas, CAO, Cheryl Marshall, Clerk/Treasurer, Allyson Pedwell, Deputy-Clerk/Deputy-Treasurer

Audience: Austin and Leah Toth

Recipient of the Dr. Richardson Bursary: Samantha Ambrose

1. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm

Council made presentation of the Dr. Richardson Bursary to Samantha Ambrose

Council amended the agenda to appoint CBO and inspector.

2. Confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting:

2.1 Council – July 7, 2026

3. List of proposed resolutions for the meeting:

None

4. Declaration of pecuniary interest and general nature thereof:

5. Delegations:

5.1 Austin and Leah Toth – Oncology Clinic in Huntsville: Austin gave an explanation for his petition. Leah read a letter from Jodie McPherson regarding Huntsville Cancer clinic. Council discussed the petition.

5.2 Staff Report: CAO- building department- shared services agreement updates and Council discussed the shared services agreement with the Township of Seguin.

6. Business Arising From a Previous Meeting:

None

7. Quotes, Tenders, RFP's:

None

8. Accounts for Approval:

None

9. Applications:

None

10. Bylaws:

10.1 36-2026 Confirm Council Meeting – July 7, 2026

10.2 37-2026 Shared Service Agreement – Chief Building Official-Township of Seguin

10.3 38-2026 Appointment of Chief Building Official and Building Official
Resolutions are shown below

11. Council Reports:

None

12. Correspondence:

12.1 Municipal Finance Officers' Association – making permanent the doubling of Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) that is scheduled to end after the 2026 allocation. A resolution was passed and is shown below.

13. New Business:

Council concerned about dust with new gravel being put down. Suggested to staff to put calcium flakes down. Council also discussed used oil being put into a tank and pumped out every couple of years. Staff to check with Ministry of Environment and other legislation.

14. Closed Session: Section 239 (2)

None

15. Adjournment: Council adjourned this meeting at 7:56p.m.

Resolutions:

2026-165 Roeder-Martin/Currie

Be It Resolved that Council amends the agenda to include a bylaw to appoint a Chief Building Official and Building Inspector. **Carried**

2026-166 Roeder-Martin/Currie

Be It Resolved that Council approves the minutes of the Regular Council meeting held July 7, 2026. **Carried**

2026-167 Currie/Roeder-Martin

Be It Resolved that Council receives the presentation from Austin Toth;

And Further that Council supports the retention of the Cancer/Oncology Clinic at the Huntsville Memorial Hospital site;

And Further that Council directs staff to allow the collection of signatures via a copy of the available petition to the public at the municipal office. **Carried**

2026-168 Roeder-Martin/Currie

Be It Resolved that Council hereby authorizes the entering into a CBO Shared Services Agreement with Township of Seguin to commence August 10, 2026;

And Further that staff be directed to notify RSM Building Consultants that their services will no longer be required, effective August 7, 2026. **Carried**

2026-169 Roeder-Martin/Currie

Be It Resolved that Council accepts first, second and third readings and hereby passes Bylaw 36-2026 to confirm the council meeting held July 7, 2026. **Carried**

2026-170 O'Halloran/White

Be It Resolved that Council accepts first, second and third readings and hereby passes Bylaw 37-2026 to enter into a shared service agreement with the Township of Seguin for the services of a Chief Building Official. **Carried**

2026-171 White/O'Halloran

WHEREAS recent municipal infrastructure funding programs by the Government of Canada and Province of Ontario have tended to prioritize growth-related or housing-enabling infrastructure projects over infrastructure renewal needs;

AND WHEREAS the Government of Ontario has regulated municipal infrastructure asset management through O. Reg 588/17 (Asset Management Planning for Municipal Infrastructure) under the Infrastructure for Jobs and Prosperity Act, 2015;

AND WHEREAS municipal asset management plans and the Financial Accountability Office of Ontario have identified that municipalities have significant state-of-good-repair backlogs and renewal needs for infrastructure;

AND WHEREAS the Government of Ontario doubled the Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) from \$200M/year to \$400M/year for 2021-2026 but has not publicly committed to maintaining this level of funding beyond 2026;

AND WHEREAS the OCIF has become a vital and indispensable resource for municipalities, assisting them with improving their asset management programs and meeting community-preserving infrastructure renewal needs;

AND WHEREAS increased geopolitical uncertainty is threatening the economic prosperity of Canada, Ontario, and every municipality;

AND WHEREAS municipal infrastructure is a key enabler and preserver of economic prosperity;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Finance Officers' Association of Ontario (MFOA) has heard from its members and their municipalities concerns regarding the potential erosion of existing municipal infrastructure and thus service levels in light of the ongoing focus on housing-enabling infrastructure by grant funding programs;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council for the Township of McMurrich/Monteith supports MFOA's letter to the Ministry of Infrastructure requesting that the doubling of the Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund be made permanent in advance of the allocations for the 2027 calendar year, helping municipalities to continue building housing-enabling infrastructure while preserving the economic value provided by existing infrastructure.

AND FURTHER that this resolution be forwarded to Hon. Rob Flack, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing and Hon. Peter Bethlenfalvy, Minister of Finance.

Carried

2026-172 White/O'Halloran

Be It Resolved that Council accepts first, second and third reading and hereby passes Bylaw 38-2026 appointing Building Officials and repealing Bylaw 35-2026.

Carried

2026-173 O'Halloran/White

Be It Resolved that Council adjourns this meeting at pm until Tuesday, August 4, 2026 at 7pm. **Carried**

Mayor, Glynn Robinson

Clerk, Cheryl Marshall



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PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

DATE: 04 August 2026
TO: Members of Council
FROM: Neil Hellam, Public Works Superintendent

Grader

Grading is ongoing as required.

Landfill

We are working on the organization and cleaning up of the landfill.

Stisted Road gravel is complete and calcium completed by Friday, July 31st.

Fern Glen Road gravel has been completed and Calcium coming the week of August 4th.

Brushing will continue once we have culverts completed throughout the summer.

Will be working on a couple driveway culverts and Centerline culverts.

Repairs to Dump cat will be completed by the week of August 4th.

Waiting for direction on John Street.

Bartlett Lake Road Culvert starting Aug 4th (project shared with Township of Ryerson).

	Report to Council
To	Mayor and Council
From	Fire Chief: Ryan McFarland
Date of Meeting	August.4 th 2026
Report Title	Monthly report

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Fire Rating

April.1st to October. 31st Moderate. No daytime burning allowed.

General Information

Grants: I have put in for a \$25,000 grant from fire house subs to enable us purchase 2 new NFPA compliant thermal imaging camaras plus one truck charger for the units. The third and final round for the fire protection grant application has opened up, I will be submitted this to enable us purchase more PPE for our members and to help add more stock to our inventory additionally I will use a portion of the grant funds to purchase a positive pressure ventilation fan for the department that will be used during fire ground operations.

Personnel

No personnel changes at this time.

Training

- July.29th Medical training.
- August.5 Rit and Rehab.
- August.12th Ladders and foam operations.
- August.19th UTV rescue scenarios.
- August.26th Live fire in Perry.

Upcoming

- Fall AS&E testing in October and November.
- Surface water rescue operations and technician level program in September.

Equipment

Pump and ladder testing for units 411, 412 to be completed by BKC on July. 28th and 29th in Burks falls. Both fire pumpers have passed the annual testing. All except one extension ladder passed annual testing. This ladder will now be out of service till it can be repair or replaced.

Axe Lake bridge replacement: Emergency Response Contingency Plan

Following a discussion with Neil, the following measures have been established for the duration of the road closure:

A public works truck will be stationed on the opposite side of the bridge. This unit will be equipped with the maximum available complement of pumps and hoses to ensure readiness in the event of a fire. Any additional equipment required will be transported to the scene by a responding apparatus.

It should be noted that the location of the affected properties will result in significant delays to emergency response times. These properties currently fall outside the response distance classifications typically applied by insurance providers:

- **Protected:** within 8km of a fire hall
- **Semi-protected:** within 8-13km of a fire hall
- **Unprotected:** greater than 13km of a fire hall

Notwithstanding these constraints, the fire department remains fully committed to delivering the highest standard of service in the protection of lives, property and the environment within our community.

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STAFF REPORT

Date: August 4, 2026
To: Council
From: Terry Sararas, CAO
Subject: 2026 April - July Major Projects and Initiatives

Project/Initiative	Comments
1 - Municipal Initiated Zoning Amendment - definitions	- passed by Council 07July2026 (By-Law #31-2026) - in appeal period
2 - Sprucedale Recreational Trail Boardwalk	- removed due to safety and environmental impacts - replacement is part of new Federal Strong Communities Grant
3 - John Street Flooding Reclamation	- inadequate culverts removed and open floodway created - process commenced to change road classification from 5 to 6
4 - Sprucedale Sidewalk Replacement/Repair	- awaiting pricing on Highway 518 W asphaltting - approved removal on Stisted Rd North - will receive public input on Stisted Rd South before proceeding
5 - Official Plan Approval	- approved by MMAH 15May2026 - proposal for zoning by-law update in 2027 being drafted by Planscape
6 - Digital Sign at Highway 518W and William Street	- utilizing the Modernization Fund - awaiting MTO location approval
7 - Landfill Re-Organization and Well Monitoring	- 2 new water monitoring wells approved for drilling - fencing, roadways and bin location re-

	organization in progress
8 - New Hirings: Public Works/Landfill Staff Replacement - contract for Communication/Recreation Co-Ordinator	- Heavy Equipment Operator - Landfill Assistant - Custodian/Rink Attendant - Summer Student - 1 year contract
9 - Covered Ice Surface Barn Swallows	- MNRF approval of netting removal with funding being sought for Swallow nesting structure - permanent solution for Swallow nesting being sought on ice surface
10 - NOHFC Community Enhancement Grant (Growing Our Future)	- grant for bleachers, stage, audio system, field expansion and Swallow habitat - commencing projects and final contract signing fore coming
11 - CBO Services	- resignation of Armour CBO in June 2026 - RSM Building Consultants contracted for CBO Services - 10August2026 a shared CBO Services Agreement commenced with Seguin Township
12 - Horn Lake Development Advancement	- developer re-establishing work with the Township to fulfill requirements of the Subdivision Agreement - updated supplemental agreement being prepared to address outstanding issues - application for MNRF dock approval in progress - Ontario Hydro approval outstanding
13 - Girl Guide Camp Development Potential	- contact made with associates respecting future development potential of site - assistance offered through CAO office
14 – AI Policy	- Drafted and gained approval of AI use by Township

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Bank Code - AP - ACCOUNTS PAY

COMPUTER CHEQUE

Payment # Invoice #	Date	Vendor Name GL Account	GL Transaction Description	Detail Amount	Payment Amount
10402	07-02-2026	Abell Pest Control Inc.			
A81000415		16-734-11 - Rec - Community C	Pest Control comm centre	64.60	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.17	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.96	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	3.17 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.08 NL	71.73
A8093981		MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	Pest Control Roads Garage	55.56	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	2.73	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.41	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	2.73 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	4.37 NL	61.70
			Payment Total:		133.43
10403	07-02-2026	private information			
DRB2026-03		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Bursury 2021	200.00	200.00
10404	07-02-2026	ClayMar Electric			
5160		16-734-25 - Rec - Community C	LED light installation	4,655.52	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	228.75	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	285.48	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	228.75 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	366.00 NL	5,169.75
10405	07-02-2026	Danco			
CA8394		MT-ACP - Roads - Culverts - Ma	damage to bell lines	5,382.92	5,382.92
10406	07-02-2026	Environmental 360 Solutions Ltd.			
593915		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Summerfest Portable Toilet	325.63	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	16.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	19.97	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	16.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	25.60 NL	361.60
10407	07-02-2026				
DRB2026-04		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Grant 2026	50.00	50.00
10408	07-02-2026	private information			
DRB2026-01		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	High School Student Award	1,000.00	1,000.00
10409	07-02-2026	Muskoka Auto Parts			
699966/1		MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	linch pin 10pk	8.35	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.41	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.51	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.41 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.66 NL	9.27
10410	07-02-2026	private information			
DRB2026-05		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Bursury 2021	50.00	50.00
10411	07-02-2026	McMurrich/Monteith Township			
June2026PC		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	rec totes	48.72	
		16-245-02 - By-law - Legal Fees	by-law mail	44.57	
		16-245-02 - By-law - Legal Fees	by-law mail	14.86	
		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Gibb lunch donation	20.00	
		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	Family Fun Night supplies	22.38	

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		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	Family Fun Night supplies	20.00	
		16-245-02 - By-law - Legal Fees	bylaw reg mail	14.86	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	7.14	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	8.92	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	7.14 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	11.43 NL	201.45
10412	07-02-2026	Mpac			
1800041036		16-128 - Gen. Taxation - Proper	2nd quarterly billing	11,144.35	11,144.35
10413	07-02-2026	private information			
DRB2026-02		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Grant 2026	200.00	200.00
10414	07-02-2026	private information			
DRB2026-06		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Bursury 2026	50.00	50.00
10415	07-02-2026	Pollard Distribution Inc.			
12666		MT-D3P - Roads - Dust Layer - I	Dust control Q30,118L	13,331.91	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	655.07	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	817.52	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	655.07 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1,048.10 NL	14,804.50
10416	07-02-2026	Pro Sports Management			
325		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Children's activities- Summer	1,681.07	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	82.60	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	103.08	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	82.60 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	132.16 NL	1,866.75
10417	07-02-2026	Receiver General For Canada			
April2026		12-520 - Income Tax Liability	April Payroll Source Deduct	26,753.63	26,753.63
10418	07-02-2026	Skyview Aerial Imaging			
0001		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	drone imaging for Summerf	304.11	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	14.94	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	18.65	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	14.94 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	23.91 NL	337.70
10419	07-02-2026	Sunbelt Rentals of Canada Inc			
79919376-0001		16-735-10 - Roads - Parks Mate	45' manlift	2,235.56	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	109.85	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	137.09	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	109.85 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	175.75 NL	2,482.50
10420	07-07-2026	private information			
260031-017		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	return of application fee	847.50	847.50
10421	07-07-2026	Armour Township			
ARM 26-91		16-244 - Building - Contracted C	CBO hours & expenses	3,401.94	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	167.16	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	208.60	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	167.16 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	267.44 NL	3,777.70

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10422	07-07-2026	private information			
SF2026		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Summerfest Trophies	524.22	524.22
10423	07-07-2026	B&I Complete Truck Centre			
01P266601.02		EQ-04P - Roads - Truck # 4 Re	led, sprinbrk, contact wire, f	258.34	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	12.69	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	15.84	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	12.69 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	20.31 NL	286.87
01265689		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - Re	pump strg,	317.23	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	15.59	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	19.45	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	15.59 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	24.94 NL	352.27
01P265408.02		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - Re	fuel line injector	31.65	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.56	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.93	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.56 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	2.48 NL	35.14
01P265283		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - Re	air cyclinder, scotseal	68.13	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.35	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	4.17	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	3.35 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.35 NL	75.65
01P265319		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - Re	air cyclinder	215.42	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	10.58	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	13.21	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	10.58 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	16.94 NL	239.21
			Payment Total:		989.14
10424	07-07-2026	Colleen Comer			
510865		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Breakfast catering for Sumr	900.00	900.00
10425	07-07-2026	Private Payroll Information			
2026-07		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Remittance	605.00	605.00
10426	07-07-2026	Huntsville Home Hardware			
127208		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	single sided keys	18.27	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.90	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.12	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.90 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.43 NL	20.29
10427	07-07-2026	Hydro One Networks Inc.			
June hydro		16-380 - Roads - Street Lighting	streetlight Hydro	186.05	
		PR-B1M - Roads - Hydro Garaç	roads hydro	232.88	
		16-214-32 - Fire - Hydro - Statio	fire hydro	339.00	
		16-734-13 - Rec - Community C	comm centre hydro	544.31	
		16-458-13 - Landfill - Hydro	landfill hydro	188.06	
		16-124-23 - Admin - Hydro	admin hydro	256.89	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	hst rebate	250.71	1,997.90
10428	07-07-2026	1850402 Ontario Inc.			
07252026		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Mechanical Bull -Summerfe	2,086.08	

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		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	127.92	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	102.50 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	164.00 NL	2,316.50
10429	07-07-2026	Muskoka Auto Parts			
701851/1		EQ-01P - Roads -Truck # 1 - Re	cabin air element	74.90	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.68	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	4.59	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	3.68 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.89 NL	83.17
10430	07-07-2026	Minister Of Finance			
3926062611570		16-220 - OPP - Policing	May Police Services	20,976.00	20,976.00
10431	07-07-2026	Moore Propane Ltd			
169539		16-124-11 - Admin - Heat (Propr	PROPANE TANK RENTAL	61.06	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.74	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	3.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	4.80 NL	67.80
10432	07-07-2026	REV - Near North Industrial Solution			
10433	07-07-2026	Receiver General For Canada			
May2026		12-520 - Income Tax Liability	May Payroll Source Deduct	22,276.51	22,276.51
10434	07-07-2026	Tiffany Renie			
001		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	summerfest photography	500.00	500.00
10435	07-07-2026	Dist Of P S Social Services			
Q22026		16-618 - Social Services - DSSA	2026 Q2 Municipal Levy	31,554.56	31,554.56
10436	07-07-2026	TJB Construction			
1357		16-458-17 - Landfill - Misc. Supp	Disposal Bin (40 yrd) 4.2 to	1,475.32	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	72.49	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	90.46	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	72.49 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	115.98 NL	1,638.27
10437	07-07-2026	1929938 Ontario Limited			
82310		16-214-19 - Fire - Tools, Alarms	cut resistant gloves	85.73	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	4.21	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	5.26	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	4.21 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	6.74 NL	95.20
82300		16-213-02 - Fire - Medical Supp	respirators x20; med cleane	139.60	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	6.86	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	8.56	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	6.86 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	10.97 NL	155.02
			Payment Total:		250.22
10438	07-10-2026	Bayshore Broadcasting			
6784-00005		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	Summerfest broadcast	508.80	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	25.00	

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		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	31.20	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	25.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	40.00 NL	565.00
10439	07-10-2026	Beer Store			
15815069		16-734-03 - Rec - Community C	Beverage purchase	2,111.69	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	99.55	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	124.24	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	99.55 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	159.28 NL	2,335.48
10440	07-10-2026	The Golden Brick Experience			
0017-01		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	remaining balance for exper	452.50	452.50
10441	07-10-2026	Near North Industrial Solution			
106394		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - R	hydraulic repair	165.75	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	8.14	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	10.16	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	8.14 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	13.03 NL	184.05
10442	07-10-2026	Near North Business Machines			
74546		16-124-15 - Admin - Copier fees	Copier: BLK 4602; CLR 256	255.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	12.53	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	15.64	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	12.53 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	20.05 NL	283.17
10443	07-10-2026	Leonard Peacock			
001-2026		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	SF- koozies, stickers, shirts	1,025.00	1,025.00
10444	07-10-2026	Signature Memorials			
IN26-138		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	engrave colobarium door	548.05	548.05
10445	07-10-2026	TD Canada Trust			
TdVisaJul26		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Tax sale publications	169.50	
		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Tax sale publications	84.75	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	adobe	26.45	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	staff training lunch	121.14	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	glue	6.60	
		16-734-11 - Rec - Community C	lights in comm centre	61.05	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	shipping labels	15.76	
		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	family fun night	197.24	
		16-724-16 - Rec - Misc Expense	family fun night	34.60	
		16-214-20 - Fire - Office Expens	adobe	26.45	
		16-458-17 - Landfill - Misc. Supp	sharps containers	67.70	
		16-724-10 - Rec - Advertising	jot forms membership	173.61	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	jot forms membership	173.61	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	flags and flag poles	171.49	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	mousepad,HD Stapler,flash	121.70	
		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	interest charged	8.84	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	39.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	48.70	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	39.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	62.43 NL	1,548.19

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10446	07-17-2026	Town Of Parry Sound			
2026-08		16-520 - Public Health - Ambula	Land Ambulance Levy	7,962.44	7,962.44
10447	07-17-2026	Armtec			
6-386995		MT-ACP - Roads - Culverts - Mc	culverts for Stisted S	17,484.82	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	859.12	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1,072.18	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	859.12 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1,374.59 NL	19,416.12
10448	07-17-2026	D.M. Wills Associates			
31150		16-315-18 - Roads - Old Rainy L	Old Rainy Lake Road Culve	4,385.86	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	215.50	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	268.94	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	215.50 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	344.80 NL	4,870.30
10449	07-17-2026	Lisa Firby			
2026-25		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	to create floats for summerf	800.00	800.00
2026-26		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	payment for live bands -sun	1,150.00	1,150.00
			Payment Total:		1,950.00
10450	07-17-2026	private information			
260031-003		15-382 - Rec - General Fundrais	return lacrosse camp regist	40.00	40.00
10451	07-17-2026	Georgian Bay Overhead Doors			
1468		16-214-11 - Fire - Bldg.Maint, Pl	pusher spring, install/repair	924.54	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	45.43	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	56.69	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	45.43 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	72.68 NL	1,026.66
1467		16-214-11 - Fire - Bldg.Maint, Pl	inspection and service	610.56	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	30.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	37.44	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	30.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	48.00 NL	678.00
			Payment Total:		1,704.66
10452	07-17-2026	Greenstone Engineering			
2141		16-458-21 - Landfill - Monitoring	Annual Monitoring Program	2,401.54	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	118.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	147.26	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	118.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	188.80 NL	2,666.80
10453	07-17-2026	Northbay Parrysound Healthunit			
2026-07		16-518 - Public Health - Health U	Health Unit Levy	2,405.27	2,405.27
10454	07-17-2026	1000405530 Ontario Inc			
1061		16-458-17 - Landfill - Misc. Supp	supplies	17.99	
		16-214-22 - Fire - Vehicle Fuel, i	Fuel	356.95	
		16-735-10 - Roads - Parks Mate	Fuel	331.70	
		16-734-11 - Rec - Community C	oil	18.31	
		EQ-00F - Roads - Fuel	Fuel	702.39	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	69.25	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	86.42	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	69.25 NL	

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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	110.80 NL	1,583.01
10455	07-17-2026	private information			
260024-009		15-382 - Rec - General Fundrais	return lacrosse registration	20.00	20.00
10456	07-17-2026	M&L Supply			
ML-IN-001661		16-221-01 - Fire - Purchase of s	Battalion 3" bib khaki pioneer	1,124.45	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	55.25	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	68.95	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	55.25 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	88.40 NL	1,248.65
10457	07-17-2026	Near North Business Machines			
74719		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	admintelephone	255.34	
		16-214-13 - Fire - Training Manu	fire telephone	85.09	
		PR-R2W - Roads - Telephone	Roads telephone	42.55	
		16-734-10 - Rec - Community C	Comm Centre telephone	42.56	
		16-458-19 - Landfill - Telephone	Landfill Site telephone	42.56	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	23.00	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	28.70	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	23.00 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	36.80 NL	519.80
10458	07-17-2026	Northern Upfitters			
23090		EQ-01P - Roads -Truck # 1 - Re	service shocks, alignment, r	1,769.32	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	86.94	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	108.49	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	86.94 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	139.09 NL	1,964.75
10459	07-17-2026	Omers			
April 2026		12-540 - OMERS Liability	April Employee Pension	14,103.52	14,103.52
May 2026		12-540 - OMERS Liability	May Employee Pension	12,042.90	12,042.90
			Payment Total:		26,146.42
10460	07-17-2026	Purolator Inc.			
550283573		16-124-13 - Admin - Postage	puro chq to jed the bull	8.20	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.40	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.51	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.40 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.65 NL	9.11
10461	07-17-2026	Russell Christie LLP			
GM65-048-009		16-124-36 - Council - Legal Fee	General matters - building d	462.19	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	22.71	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	28.35	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	22.71 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	36.34 NL	513.25
10462	07-17-2026	Town Of Parry Sound			
IVC0000000243		16-124-09 - Admin - Donations/	POA Shortfall	1,830.72	1,830.72
10463	07-20-2026	Russell, Christie, LLP In Trust			
LTT-Tax Sale		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Land Transfer Tax - Tax Sa	781.78	781.78
10464	07-21-2026	Abell Pest Control Inc.			
A7976773		MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	Pest Control roads garage	55.56	

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		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.41	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	2.73 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	4.37 NL	61.70
10465	07-21-2026	Auto Parts Centres			
INV447241		MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	paper towel	54.27	
		16-734-11 - Rec - Community C	toilet paper	57.35	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	5.48	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	6.85	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.48 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	8.78 NL	123.95
10466	07-21-2026	Brandt			
152003300		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - R	seal for backhoe	71.87	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	3.53	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	4.41	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	3.53 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.65 NL	79.81
10467	07-21-2026	Chris Burns and Son Trucking Ltd.			
2267		EQ-02P - Roads - Truck # 2 - R	labour	1,144.80	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	56.25	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	70.20	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	56.25 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	90.00 NL	1,271.25
10468	07-21-2026	Muskoka Auto Parts			
706315/1		EQ-06P - Roads - Backhoe Rep	TDH pail	202.66	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	9.96	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	12.43	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	9.96 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	15.93 NL	225.05
706319/1		MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	amber strobe kit	139.52	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	6.86	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	8.55	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	6.86 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	10.96 NL	154.93
			Payment Total:		379.98
10469	07-21-2026	McMurrich/Monteith Township			
Jul2026		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	office supplies	6.00	
		16-245-02 - By-law - Legal Fees	bylaw reg mail	14.86	
		16-212-03 - Fire - Public Educat	fire dept mail	14.85	
		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	summerfest admail	61.47	
		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	summerfest admail noise e)	14.46	
		16-734-11 - Rec - Community C	rink shack locks	105.83	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	10.40	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	12.98	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	10.40 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	16.64 NL	240.85
10470	07-21-2026	Omers			
Jun026		12-540 - OMERS Liability	June employee pension	12,873.00	12,873.00
10471	07-21-2026	Planscape			

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478050		16-815 - Planning - Planning/Zo	zoning bylaw amendment	1,532.51	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	75.30	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	93.97	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	75.30 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	120.48 NL	1,701.78
478047		16-815 - Planning - Planning/Zo	Official Plan - mapping, cor	894.57	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	43.96	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	54.85	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	43.96 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	70.32 NL	993.38
478046		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Horn Lake: corresp, drft ltrs	1,546.74	1,546.74
478043		16-815 - Planning - Planning/Zo	round lk prop: corresp, lot d	117.08	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	5.75	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	7.18	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	5.75 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	9.21 NL	130.01
478042		16-815 - Planning - Planning/Zo	building env wetlands, corre	600.38	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	29.50	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	36.82	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	29.50 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	47.20 NL	666.70
			Payment Total:		5,038.61
10472	07-21-2026	Purolator Inc.			
590316190		16-214-20 - Fire - Office Expens	dealer plates sent back	5.66	
		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	purolator chq to jed the bull	11.03	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	0.82	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.02	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	0.82 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.31 NL	18.53
10473	07-21-2026	Receiver General For Canada			
Jun2026		12-520 - Income Tax Liability	June payroll source deducti	32,900.81	32,900.81
10474	07-21-2026	RSM Building Consultants Inc.			
4706		16-244 - Building - Contracted C	CBO - onboarding, comm, ii	4,037.64	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	198.39	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	247.59	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	198.39 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	317.42 NL	4,483.62
10475	07-21-2026	TJB Construction			
1366		16-458-17 - Landfill - Misc. Supp	Disposal Bin (40 yrd)4.51 tc	1,732.46	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	85.13	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	106.24	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	85.13 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	136.20 NL	1,923.83
10476	07-22-2026	VOID - Cheque Printing			
10477	07-22-2026	VOID - Cheque Printing			
10478	07-22-2026	Russell, Christie, LLP In Trust			
2475 Hwy - LTT		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Land Transfer Tax - Tax Sa	250.00	250.00

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10479 LTT - 2192Stist	07-22-2026	Russell, Christie, LLP In Trust 12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Land Transfer Tax - Tax Sa	125.00	125.00
10480 1619	07-30-2026	6S Graphics 16-240 - Admin - 911 Addressin 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid 99-996 - HST Paid	civic sign stickers 10 ea nur HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	234.05 11.50 14.35 11.50 NL 18.40 NL	259.90
10481 2026	07-30-2026	Almaguin Road Superintendents MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S	membership fees	160.00	160.00
10482 INV463038	07-30-2026	Auto Parts Centres 16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli 16-734-11 - Rec - Community C 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid 99-996 - HST Paid	papertowel First aid kit HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	54.27 46.14 4.93 6.17 4.93 NL 7.91 NL	111.51
10483 JulBel	07-30-2026	Bell Canada PR-R2W - Roads - Telephone 16-124-22 - Admin - Telephone 16-124-22 - Admin - Telephone 16-214-33 - Fire - Telephone 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid 99-996 - HST Paid	Rds Telephone Clerk Telephone CAO Telephone Fire Chief Telephone HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	13.17 10.94 10.94 10.94 2.25 2.80 2.25 NL 3.59 NL	51.04
10484 002	07-30-2026	Cheryl Marshall 12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	reimbursement from Summ	250.00	250.00
10485 0599898P	07-30-2026	Currie Truck Center MT-GA - Roads - Garage And S 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid 99-996 - HST Paid	def fluid HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	134.16 6.59 8.23 6.59 NL 10.55 NL	148.98
10486 mileage	07-30-2026	Lisa Firby 16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	mileage for returning audio	115.19	115.19
10487 677246	07-30-2026	Huntsville Fuels EQ-00F - Roads - Fuel 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid 99-996 - HST Paid	ultra low sulphur diesel Q10 HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	2,067.11 101.57 126.76 101.57 NL 162.51 NL	2,295.44
10488 22072601	07-30-2026	James Hunter Equipment Inc EQ-09P - Roads - Cat Loader - I 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable 99-996 - HST Paid	radiator for landfill compact HST Tax Code HST Tax Code HST Tax Code	3,612.48 177.50 221.52 177.50 NL	

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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	284.00 NL	4,011.50
10489	07-30-2026	Ideal Supply Inc.			
2093245		16-214-23 - Fire - Vehicle Repai	halogen bulb	23.49	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.15	
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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.15 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.85 NL	26.08
10490	07-30-2026	McMurrich/Monteith Township			
260036-001		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Parkland Cash in lieu B-009	445.83	445.83
10491	07-30-2026	Minister Of Finance			
3916026135901		16-214-12 - Fire - Training Fire (	Fire College Apr-June	260.00	260.00
10492	07-30-2026	private information			
DRB2026-03		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Dr Richardson Grant	200.00	200.00
10493	07-30-2026	Near North Business Machines			
75440		16-124-15 - Admin - Copier fees	Copier BLK 4011, CLR: 576	510.92	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	25.10	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	31.33	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	25.10 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	40.17 NL	567.35
10494	07-30-2026	Leonard Peacock			
002		16-724-05 - Rec - Summer Ever	crew shirts and merch shirts	771.00	771.00
10495	07-30-2026	Ryerson Township			
2026-033		16-315-02 - Roads - Bartlett Lak	Bartlett Lake Culvert Replac	1,814.13	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	89.14	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	111.24	
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			Payment Total:		2,270.18
10496	07-30-2026	Spectrum Telecom Group Ltd.			
WO-099367		16-214-19 - Fire - Tools, Alarms	install radio and accessorie	783.51	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	38.50	
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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	38.50 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	61.59 NL	870.05
10497	07-30-2026	Staples Professional			
73815474		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	binders x5	27.93	
		11-200 - A/R - HST Receivable	HST Tax Code	1.37	
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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	1.37 NL	
		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	2.20 NL	31.02
73811349		16-124-16 - Admin - Misc Suppli	paper x2	140.90	
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1371		16-458-17 - Landfill - Misc. Supp	Disposal Bin 4.1Ton	1,475.52	
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		99-996 - HST Paid	HST Tax Code	72.50 NL	
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10499	07-30-2026	Tulloch Engineering Inc.			
2035371		12-710 - Temporary Liabilities	Horn Lake Consulting Servi	587.00	587.00

Council Remuneration – July, 2026 **\$4,918.06**

Payroll – July, 2026 **\$62,257.19**

TOTAL AP: **\$379,352.31**

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MCMURRICH/MONTEITH

BY-LAW 39 - 2026

Being a By-Law to confirm the proceedings of Council
Meeting: July 21, 2026

WHEREAS Section 5(3) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, Chapter 24, as amended, requires a municipal Council to exercise a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights powers and privileges under Section 9, by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith deems it desirable to confirm the proceedings of Council at its meeting hereinafter set out.

NOW THEREFORE THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MCMURRICH/MONTEITH HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Ratification and Confirmation

That the action of this Council of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith at its meetings set out below with respect to each motion, resolution and other action passed and taken by this Council at its meetings, except where otherwise required, is hereby adopted, ratified and confirmed as if such proceedings and actions were expressly adopted and confirmed by its separate By-law.

Meeting held: July 21, 2026

2. Execution of all Documents

That the Mayor of the Council of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith and the proper officers of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to the said action or to obtain approvals where required and except where otherwise provided, the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute all necessary documents and to affix the Corporate Seal of the Township to such documents.

Read a first, second and third time, signed and the Seal of the Corporation affixed thereto and finally passed this 4th day of August, 2026.

Mayor
Glynn Robinson

Clerk-Treasurer
Cheryl Marshall

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MCMURRICH/MONTEITH

BY-LAW 40 - 2026

Being a By-Law to authorize a loan guarantee for the
Belvedere Heights Home For the Aged Board of Management

WHEREAS the Belvedere Heights Home For the Aged Board of Management has advised the partner Municipalities the Board requires a line of credit and term loan financing options to purchase life lease units that cannot be sold on the market and to manage capital and operating needs and the Board does not currently have a line of credit;

AND WHEREAS the Belvedere Heights Home For the Aged Board of Management has requested that all eight Municipal owners support the Board's request to establish this financing;

NOW THEREFORE THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MCMURRICH/MONTEITH HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Council of the Corporation of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith does hereby authorize and direct the Mayor and the Clerk/Treasurer to execute, under the seal of the Corporation, all documents necessary to give effect to this By-law to provide a loan guarantee for the Belvedere Heights Home For the Aged Board of Management, subject to the Corporation of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith's portion of the said guarantee not to exceed Two hundred sixty five thousand seven hundred thirty dollars and fifty cents (\$265,730.50)

Read a first, second and third time, signed and the Seal of the Corporation affixed thereto and finally passed this 4th day of August, 2026.

Mayor
Glynn Robinson

Clerk-Treasurer
Cheryl Marshall



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July 22, 2026

Township of McMurrich/Monteith
31 William Street
Sprucedale, ON P0A 1Y0

To whom it may concern

The Burk's Falls and District Food Band is writing to request the support from all our communities to help supplement the rising costs that we are currently facing due to the ongoing need in our district. Our expenses have continued to increase, and we have seen a reduction in donations.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jan Lake, Treasurer
Board of Directors
Burks Falls & District Food Bank

"Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much"
Helen Keller

Phone Messages checked daily: 705-380-4669

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McMurrich/Monteith Clerk

From: John Van Loenen
Sent: July 24, 2026 8:09 PM
To: McMurrich/Monteith Clerk
Subject: Closing of Axe lake road west of West Bear lake road

Dear Mr. Mayor and fellow councilors,

I understand that Axe Lake road will be closed for the month of September in order to replace first bridge west of West Bear lake road.

I also understand that initially this was to be done last year during the winter months or at least after November.

We have a cottage on Meadow lake and reside there from April till the end of October.

We will have no exit or entrance to our vacation home.

I would respectfully ask council to delay the bridge replacement till after October or November.

This closing will impact all cottages on Meadow Lake.

I also know that one of the lake residents is in the middle of building which would be a real issue.

September is probably one of the most pleasant months, weather and insect included.

In conclusion I would once again ask council to reconsider the decision to close the road in September.

Kind regards

John Van Loenen

Aug 4
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12:3

McMurrich/Monteith Clerk

From: PJ Doherty
Sent: July 27, 2026 10:03 AM
To: McMurrich/Monteith Clerk; McMurrich/Monteith Administration
Subject: URGENT - Closure of Axe Lake Road - District of Parry Sound

Please forward to Mayor and Deputy Mayor as emails on website are not valid. thank you kindly.

July 27, 2026

To the attention of: **Hon. Graydon Smith, MPP, Parry Sound-Muskoka**
graydon.smith@pc.ola.org

cc: Mayor Glynn Robinson
grobinson@mcmurrichmonteith.com

Deputy Mayor Vicky Roeder-Martin
vroeder@mcmurrichmonteith.com

Township of McMurrich/Monteith
clerk@mcmurrichmonteith.com

RE: URGENT - Closure of Axe Lake Road with No Access to Property

This past weekend we drove by a sign on Axe Lake Road, Sprucedale, District of Parry Sound stating that the Township of McMurrich/Monteith will be going ahead with their plan to close a portion of Axe Lake Road for bridge repair (although as a taxpayer/seasonal resident I have not received official notice of this in writing). We will not be able to get to our property if this bridge is closed.

The closure will take place from September 8th, 2026 to October 9th, 2026. We wrote to the Clerk of the Township on April 29, 2026 regarding our concerns about this rumoured closure to which we were told that the municipal engineers would discuss different options and they would let us know.

We are now writing to you to voice our concerns as property owners and neighbours. We cannot understand how the township can take away access to our property and not provide an alternate way in for such a long period of time (we believe there was consultation about the renting of a temporary bridge?). We have a limited time to spend there as it is a seasonal property and we cannot fathom how this can occur at the most beautiful time of year. This work was rumoured to have taken place last year during winter months, this did not happen. I have already booked vacation in order to spend time at our property located at 3301E Axe Lake Road, we have building plans in motion and now I am being told that I will not be able to get to it, work will be delayed, permits will need to be extended at more cost and delay and our summer/fall

time there taken away. Notwithstanding my own issues and concerns with this closure I also have serious safety concerns for our fellow neighbours who are full time residents. Emergency services access will be seriously hindered.

Honourable Graydon Smith, I know this is a municipal matter but we are looking to you for assistance and would appreciate anything that you may be able to do in order to come to another resolution or at least delay this to later in the year or early next year. Please see below our letter to the Clerk of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith in April of 2026 expressing our concerns.

I look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible.

Have a wonderful day.

Patrick and Melany Doherty

To: Township of McMurrich/Monteith
Date: April 29, 2026
Re: Repair of Axe Lake Road Bridge

We are writing to voice our concerns regarding the timing of your proposed timing to repair the Axe Lake Road bridge. We have recently learned that the township plans to begin repair of the Axe Lake Bridge in September of 2026. We understand this will mean there will only be a pedestrian bridge for the estimated month closure. We have never seen a main road closed when there is no alternate route in or around.

We currently own an off-grid property beyond this bridge and to not be able to access it for one of the nicest months during the season is inconceivable. We understand that everyone's needs cannot be met but for a lot of us access to our seasonal property to be denied during peak season is unacceptable.

We were first notified of this work to begin in November of 2025 and then again in February of 2026. We understand the delay, but I do not understand since this work was going to be done in the off season why has it now been booked for prime time. We are currently building and have an approved building permit. This closure would cause serious delays, cost and inconvenience. We have also already booked vacation time in September to be there. A pedestrian bridge is of no use as we have generators/food/supplies to bring in and out every visit and cannot do this on foot, not to mention being trapped with no vehicle in the case of an emergency is absurd. We would also have serious safety concerns for the year-round residents.

We are wondering if doing a couple culverts has been suggested/considered. This would make for a shorter closure and a permanent fix that in the end would save the township the expense of future repairs.

We are hoping you will consider the following options:

- a) Complete the work in the off-peak season (November 2006-March 2027)
- b) A culvert approach (faster and more economical) and done during off-peak season
- c) Rent the temporary bridge

We look forward to your reconsideration to this month-long closure in September. We understand you cannot please everyone but this timing seems to be the most disruptive to the most people.

Aug 4 2026
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July 30, 2026

John, Sue Britten

3491A Axe Lake Rd.

Sprucedale, On

To: Mayor and Council

Re: Bridge Replacement-Axe Lake Rd.

We are sending this letter from Dec. 8, 2025 to you again. The only issue partially resolved is a Quasy Fire Protection Plan. I spoke to our Fire Chief Ryan on Monday July 27, 2026 to see what the plan is. Because now the contractor is not allowing even ATV's or SxSides to cross(only foot traffic) The Fire and EMS protection is less than previously planned. The bridge closure sign was put up on July 24, 2026. Hardly enough notice for residents (seasonal and year round) to plan. We were told in spring this year that it was 'probably' happening this fall, that being said it really didn't mean alot as were told originally that it was to happen, after hunting season, 2025, then told Dec. 2025, then possibly Feb. or March 2026! There has been little to no communication to us in all that time. However prior to this latest date (Sept-Oct 2026)

We were told that we would be able to drive our SxS or ATV's across a temporary bridge. Now we are told this won't happen. We live 2KM. west of that bridge and luckily we have 2 vehicles, so that we can park 1 on either side. Not possible for some of the other residents. Will there be sufficient parking on both sides for all of our vehicles?

It seems like the timing of this bridge is being planned to not conflict with hunting season(moose). Really the main hunt camp in our township affected is Blair Hunt Camp. I have spoken to them and as they don't have any moose tags, they will not be hunting this October. So doing the bridge work a month later will not affect them, but will allow the residents to enjoy September (a great weather month-no bugs)

Hoping that Council who hired this contractor can see their way clear to adjust the bridge replacement schedule and help with our concerns.

Thank you,

John and Sue Britten

John, Sue Britten
3491A Axe Lake Rd.
Sprucedale, On

December 8, 2025

To: Mayor and Council,

Re: Bridge Replacement-Axe Lake Rd.

We are writing this letter to you, as we are concerned that there has been no plan conveyed to us while a 3-4 week closure of the Axe Lake bridge occurs. Since the spring 2025 newsletter stating that the bridge was being replaced, we have been in contact with Cheryl at the Township, Lucas Maines at the engineering firm and Adam Gibson at McPherson-Andrews Contracting Ltd. and more recently Neil Hellam, Public Works Superintendant.

Lucas seems to be the person most in charge of answering our concerns. There has been no plan for an alternate access to our property which is located on year round road by vehicle during the 3-4 week road closure. There has also been no plan for access for fire protection and for EMS service. Being this is now winter time, a plan to plow the west side of the bridge needs to also be addressed.

There is significant liability to all involved if issues of access are not resolved.

Today December 8, I have spoken to Lucas to see if anything has been resolved. He told us the only thing resolved is that he has a plan for the plowing of the road, west of the bridge. The issue of Fire protection or EMS service has not been resolved. Timing of the bridge construction is still unknown.

We have listened to the Council discussion on this issue December 2 meeting audio, and there does not seem to be any resolution to this situation from Council.

We wait and are willing to work through this process prior to construction. We want to have a plan in place for us to access our property. We would also like to see a plan in place for Fire Protection and EMS service prior to actually needing them.

John, Sue Britten

Aug 4 2026
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McMurrich/Monteith Clerk

From: Steve Harris
Sent: July 30, 2026 3:09 PM
To: McMurrich/Monteith Clerk
Subject: Sept 8 to Oct 9, 2026 Timing of Bridge Replacement, Axe Lake Road

To: Major and Council, Township of McMurrich-Monteith

As a new seasonal resident on Meadow Lake, it is with extreme disappointment that we saw the notice posted regarding the timing for the Axe Lake Road bridge replacement. On June 2, 2026, I became part-owner of the property at 3301B Axe Lake Road. I'm sure you can understand our attraction to the area, with its peaceful surroundings and beautiful Meadow Lake. The beauty of the area I'm told is amplified many-fold in the early fall, exactly when the Axe Lake Road bridge replacement is scheduled. Being a new property owner within the Township, I am certain you can understand the excited anticipation that witnessing early fall at our new cottage holds for me and my family. The current Sept 8 to Oct 9 schedule for the bridge replacement threatens to ruin this one-time occurrence. While I understand the need for the bridge replacement, the current timing during the early fall season is a travesty for me and my family. There appears to be no legitimate rationale for this early fall timing. There would be ample time for the bridge replacement to be completed in late October. As such, a one-month delay for the start of construction is my request, which is entirely reasonable and would not materially interfere with our enjoyment of the area.

Yours Truly, Steven M. Harris, P.Eng.

Aug 4 2026
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FORMAL NOTICE OF OBJECTION: PROPOSED ROAD RECLASSIFICATION AND CONTINUING MUNICIPAL NUISANCE

TO:

The Corporation of the Township of McMurrich/Monteith
Attn: Township Clerk, Chief Administrative Officer, and Members of Council
31 Main Street, P.O. Box 70
Sprucedale, ON P0A 1Y0

DATE: July 21, 2026

RE: Formal Objection to the Proposed Reclassification of John Street (Year-Round to Seasonal) and Demands Regarding Artificial Flooding / Creation of an Open Ford on John Street

1. PURPOSE

This correspondence serves as a formal, written objection to the Township of McMurrich/Monteith's proposed by-law to reclassify the year-round maintained portion of John Street to a seasonally maintained status.

Furthermore, this letter serves as an explicit notice of liability regarding the continuous municipal nuisance, property damage, and unlawful obstruction of a declared public thoroughfare caused by the Township's infrastructure actions on John Street between 2022 and 2026.

2. THE JUDICIAL STATUS OF THE ROUTE: BINDING COURT ORDER

The Township's proposed reclassification entirely fails to account for the legal character of the connecting route to the north. By order of the Court, in the matter between *Maria Leng (Suppliant) and Her Majesty The Queen In The Right Of The Province Of Ontario (Respondent)*, it was judicially declared and ordered:

*"2. It is further declared that the road or trail across the suppliants land, as described in schedules 1 and 2 to this order, being a description and plan respectively, is a **public right-of-way for persons, animals and vehicles for the full width thereof.**"*

Because a court of competent jurisdiction has legally declared this route a **public right-of-way for vehicles**, it is a public highway under the jurisdiction of the *Municipal Act, 2001*. The Township has a binding statutory duty to ensure that the infrastructure leading to this public right-of-way allows for unobstructed, safe passage by standard vehicles.

3. CHRONOLOGY OF MUNICIPAL NEGLIGENCE & ACTIONABLE NUISANCE

The Township has systematically destroyed the structural integrity and drivability of John Street, transforming a year-round road into an intentional water hazard:

- **2022:** A 60-inch steel culvert managed local water flow. The culvert became compromised during a beaver blockage and was damaged by municipal operations.
- **November 17, 2023:** The Township removed the 60-inch culvert and replaced it with a severely downsized **30-inch culvert**. This restriction acted as an artificial dam, severely backing up upstream water levels and causing continuous, predictable flooding, trespass of water, and severe devaluation of adjacent private lands.
- **April 2026:** Rather than engineering a lawful, structurally sound solution to replace the original 60-inch capacity, the Township completely removed the 30-inch culvert and created an **unmanaged open FORD** on a year-round publicly maintained road.
- **Present:** The Township is now actively seeking to pass a by-law to reclassify this portion of John Street to seasonal maintenance, explicitly attempting to retroactively absolve itself of its maintenance duties and the flooding liabilities it engineered.

4. STATUTORY VIOLATIONS & CIVIL LIABILITIES

By maintaining an open ford on John Street and attempting to strip its year-round maintenance status, the Township is exposed to severe statutory and civil litigation:

1. **Failure to Maintain (Section 44, *Municipal Act, 2001*):** Municipalities must keep highways in a state of repair that is reasonable relative to the character of the highway. An open, flooded ford that renders a public road impassable for standard passenger vehicles violates Section 44 and fails Ontario's *Minimum Maintenance Standards* (O. Reg. 239/02).

2. **Intentional Obstruction of a Judicially Declared Route:** Operating an open ford directly prevents “vehicles” from utilizing the public right-of-way mandated by the Court Order. The Township cannot use a municipal by-law to de facto extinguish or obstruct a judicially declared public route.
3. **Injurious Affection & Nuisance:** Under Ontario common law, a municipality has no right to divert water onto private property. The downsizing of the culvert and subsequent creation of the ford constitutes a continuing civil nuisance causing on-going property damage.
4. **Bad Faith Road Closure:** Reclassifying the road to “seasonal” to landlock or deny vehicular access to an established public right-of-way constitutes an abuse of municipal discretion and an unlawful de facto road closure.
5. **Open Federal Investigation (Fisheries Act Compliance):** Be advised that Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) has been formally engaged regarding the unpermitted conversion of the John Street watercourse crossing into an open ford. The ongoing passage of vehicular traffic directly through the riverbed constitutes an active, reviewable disruption under the federal *Fisheries Act*. Any attempt by Council to pass a reclassification by-law to downgrade maintenance schedules while a federal regulatory review is pending will be documented as an intentional attempt to evade statutory environmental accountability and will be submitted directly to DFO enforcement officers.

5. DEMANDS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION

To avoid immediate escalation to the Ontario Ombudsman, the federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO) for unpermitted habitat disruption via vehicular fording, and civil litigation in the Ontario Superior Court of Justice, the underwritten demands that the Township of McMurrich/Monteith Council:

1. **Immediately Halt** all proceedings, readings, and votes regarding the proposed reclassification of John Street to a seasonally maintained road.
2. **Preserve** the year-round status of John Street to protect the continuity of the court-ordered public right-of-way to the north.
3. **Direct** the municipal road superintendent to retain a licensed civil engineer to design and reinstall an appropriately sized culvert (matching or exceeding the original 60-inch capacity) to permanently remediate the artificial upstream flooding of private property and restore safe, year-round public vehicular access.

Be advised that this document will be relied upon in a court of law to establish the Township's advance, explicit knowledge of its non-compliance and continuing liability.

Sincerely,

Alfred Beilke

Aug 6
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From: PAM DAVIS

Sent: July 27, 2026 12:09 PM

To: McMurrich/Monteith Administration <admin@mcmurrichmonteith.com>; Reeve Glynn Robinson <grobinson@mcmurrichmonteith.com>; Councillor Terry Currie <tcurre@mcmurrichmonteith.com>; Councillor Vicky Roeder-Martin <vroeder-martin@mcmurrichmonteith.com>; Daniel Ohalloran <danielohalloran@mcmurrichmonteith.com>; Craig White <cwhite@mcmurrichmonteith.com>

Subject: Subject Request for Review of Public Access and Accessibility Concerns Following Road Work

Dear Members of Council,

I am writing to respectfully request that Council review the impact of the recent drainage work completed on the municipal road leading to the public trail.

I understand that the Township needed to address ongoing spring flooding concerns and that decisions regarding roads and drainage must be made carefully. Our concern is not with the need to correct the flooding issue, but with the unintended impact the solution has had on public access.

Prior to this work, the road crossed over culverts and remained open and maintained, including winter plowing, allowing residents to safely access the trail area. The removal of the culverts and creation of an open ditch, approximately 10 feet wide with continuously running water, has created a physical barrier that some residents cannot safely cross.

My wife uses a cane for mobility and is no longer able to safely access this trail from our home. I also have knee issues and do not feel comfortable attempting to cross the ditch. This access point has been important to us because it allowed us to walk from our home, get exercise, and enjoy the natural area without having to drive several miles to another access point.

We also understand that Council is now discussing changes to the road beyond this point, including potentially making the section unassumed and relocating the winter maintenance turnaround because the current configuration no longer allows equipment to safely reach the existing turnaround. We recognize that the Township must consider maintenance and safety requirements; however, We hope the impact of these changes on public access can also be considered.

Accessibility and inclusion are important for all members of our community. Public trails and recreational spaces are community resources meant to be enjoyed by residents of all ages and

abilities. When changes unintentionally create barriers, it is important that reasonable options be reviewed to help ensure continued access.

We respectfully ask Council to consider whether a safe pedestrian access solution could be explored, such as a small bridge, boardwalk, or another practical alternative that would allow residents to continue accessing this public trail while maintaining the necessary drainage improvements.

I have attached photographs showing the current conditions for your review.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this concern. We appreciate the challenges involved in municipal decision-making and hope we can work together toward a solution that supports both the Township's infrastructure needs and continued access for all residents. We look forward to hearing further discussion on this matter as recorded in the minutes and posted in the Township web page. We listen to and read them as a resource to stay informed in the actions of Council.

Just a side note as of this morning I noticed that the Beaver is trying very hard at engineering a dam across the opening and is very successful.

Sincerely,

John and Pam Davis

Bear Lake