

# Report to Municipal Council



<b>Meeting Date:</b> November 6, 2024	<b>Report Date:</b> October 29, 2024
<b>Reason Before Council:</b> Policy Direction / Approval	<b>Priority:</b> Normal
<b>Department:</b> Transportation/ Public Works	<b>Type of Meeting:</b> Committee of the Whole

**Report Title:** Proposed Winter Maintenance Policy

## **Recommended Resolution:**

That Council reviews and provides direction to adopt the proposed Winter Maintenance Policy.

## **Analysis & Background:**

Ontario Regulation 239/02, also known as the Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Highways (MMS), sets out minimum standards for road and highway maintenance for all municipalities. The Regulation highlights the necessity for Council to adopt a level of service that a road shall receive based on volumes of traffic, speed limit, and internal priority of service for each road.

The proposed Winter Maintenance Policy was developed to provide a municipal operational practice that will meet and / or exceed the minimum level of maintenance services based on road classifications and Ontario Regulation 239/02.

## **Attachments:**

- Proposed Winter Maintenance Policy SER-005

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