

Report to Council			
Report Title:	Recommendation for Crosswalk on Durham Street, Walkerton		
Prepared By:	John Strader, Roads Supervisor		
Department:	Public Works		
Date:	November 5, 2018		
Report Number:	PW2018-25	File Number:	C11PW
Attachments:	Aerial Image of Suggested Crosswalk Area		

Recommendation:

That the Council of the Municipality of Brockton hereby receives for information Report Number PW2018-25 – Recommendation for Crosswalk on Durham Street, prepared by John Strader, Roads Supervisor and approves a letter being sent to the County of Bruce for consideration.

Report:

Background:

The BIA has brought forward the following recommendation, which was also discussed at the October 29, 2018 Brockton Economic Development Committee meeting. If Council supports, a letter will be sent to the County of Bruce for consideration of putting a pedestrian sidewalk from the trail near the bridge on Durham Street in Walkerton.

Analysis:

A recommendation has been made for the Municipality of Brockton to put in a crosswalk on Durham Street between Tim Hortons and Old Garage Firewood Pizza in Walkerton. This area has increasingly high foot traffic as pedestrians and local high school students wait on average 8-10 minutes to safely cross the road at high volume traffic times. There are currently crosswalk lights at Napier and Jackson Streets that could potentially be relocated if the County of Bruce chose to move forward with the recommendation.

Sustainability Checklist:

What aspect of the Brockton Sustainable Strategic Plan does the content/recommendations in this report help advance?

• Do the recommendations help move the Municipality closer to its Vision?

Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Cultural Vibrancy?
Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Economic Prosperity?
Do the recommendations contribute to Environmental Integrity?
N/A
Do the recommendations contribute to the Social Equity?
N/A

Financial Impacts/Source of Funding:

Do the recommendations represent a sound financial investment from a sustainability perspective?
N/A

[Please provide comment on budget implications or funding sources (if applicable)]

Reviewed By:

Chief Financial Officer

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