

Report to Council

Report Title:	12th Brant Bridge Snowplow Turnaround Contract Award		
Prepared By:	Nicholas Schnurr, Director of Operations		
Department:	Operations		
Date:	November 25, 2025		
Report Number:	PW2025-13	File Number:	C11PW
Attachments:	N/A		

Recommendation:

That the Council of the Municipality of Brockton hereby receives Report Number PW2025-13 - 12th Brant Bridge Snowplow Turnaround Contract Award, prepared by Nicholas Schnurr, Director of Operations and in doing so approves the works being completed by Kurtis Smith Excavating in the amount of \$38,000.00 +HST, with all costs paid for by Bruce County.

Report:

Background:

On September 12, 2025, the bridge on the 12th Concession in the former Brant Township was struck by a motor vehicle, causing significant structural damage and resulting in its closure to all traffic until further notice. This closure has created operational challenges for winter maintenance, as snowplows can no longer travel through the area and have no suitable location to turn around.

As a result, the County of Bruce approached Brockton staff to request the construction of a turnaround on each side of the closed structure. Because the affected lands fall within Brockton's road allowance, the County was unable to tender the work directly. Brockton therefore sought quotations, using drawings supplied by the County, in accordance with the Municipality's Procurement Policy. Three submissions were received.

All costs associated with this work will be fully reimbursed by the County of Bruce.

Analysis:

Staff have discussed with Bruce County and Bruce County staff along with Brockton staff recommend award to the lowest bidder (of the three quotes obtained) in the amount of \$38,000.00 + HST, directly reimbursed by Bruce County, with no other cost incurred, other than minimal staff time.

Strategic Action Plan Checklist:

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

- Recommendations help move the Municipality closer to its Vision Yes
- Recommendations contribute to achieving Heritage, Culture, and Community N/A
- Recommendations contribute to achieving Quality of Life Yes
- Recommendations contribute to achieving Land Use Planning and the Natural Environment N/A
- Recommendations contribute to achieving Economic Development Yes
- Recommendations contribute to achieving Municipal Governance Yes

Financial Impacts/Source of Funding:

- Do the recommendations represent a sound financial investment from a sustainability perspective? Yes

All costs associated with the proposed works will be fully reimbursed by the County of Bruce. As a result, there is no net financial impact to the Municipality of Brockton.

Reviewed By:



Trish Serratore, Chief Financial Officer

Respectfully Submitted by:



Nicholas Schnurr, Director of Operations

Reviewed By:



Sonya Watson, Chief Administrative Officer