# Report to Council

**Report Title:** Purchase Heavy Duty Equipment Trailer  
**Prepared By:** John Strader, Roads Supervisor  
**Department:** Public Works  
**Date:** September 24, 2019  
**Report Number:** PW2019-39  
**File Number:** C11PW, F18

## Recommendation:

That the Council of the Municipality of Brockton hereby receives Report Number PW2019-39 - Purchase Heavy Duty Equipment Trailer prepared by John Strader, Roads Supervisor and further approves a By-Law coming forward to authorize the purchase of a heavy duty equipment trailer from JW Custom Fab in the amount of $11,295.00 plus H.S.T.

## Report:

### Background:

In January 2019, a John Deere 1585 was purchased for snow removal in the village of Chepstow. In order to transport the machine to surrounding villages to complete snow removal, a trailer is required to be purchased.

### Analysis:

Staff have received a quote from JW Custom Fab for a custom designed trailer that meets all specifications required to haul the snow removal equipment, as well as necessary attachments and other machinery as required throughout the municipality. The subtotal of the 10 Ton Heavy Duty Trailer with Tri Axles and electric brakes is $11,295.00 plus H.S.T.

Additionally, staff have priced out a 2018 Load Trail 8.5 x 24 Hydraulic Tilt Trailer with a cost of $15,995.00 plus H.S.T. from Scott Reinhart Trailer Sales in Mulmur, ON.

### 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?  
  - N/A
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Cultural Vibrancy?  
  - N/A
• Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Economic Prosperity? N/A
• 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? Yes

$15,000.00 is included in the 2019 municipal budget for the purchase of an equipment trailer. The quote from JW Custom Fab is below budget.

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John Strader, Roads Supervisor

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