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PUBLIC NOTICE – PROJECT UPDATE

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WELLINGTON STREET IMPROVEMENTS, PORT ALBERT PROJECT NO. 16135

Introduction

In 2023, the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh (ACW) initiated the reconstruction of Wellington Street from South Street to Russell Street in the community of Port Albert. The project incorporated road and stormwater improvements including the replacement of the Port Albert Drain and Victoria Street Drain culverts. The project is being administered B. M. Ross and Associates Limited, Project Engineers, who were retained by ACW to assist with the planning and engineering components of the proposed infrastructure replacement project. The construction is being undertaken by Roubos Farm Services who were selected through a tender process.

B. M. Ross and Associates Limited

Contract Administrator: Jennette Walker, C.E.T. o. 519-524-2641

Construction Observation: Tom Dawson

Roubos Farm Service Ltd.

Project Manager Graeme Hamilton, P.Eng. o. 519-505-0396

Foreman Brady Claussen

Project Details

The 2023 work included the following:

- Full road reconstruction including the installation of curb and gutter, lowering the road platform and widening the road width to 8.5 metres.
- The replacement of the Port Albert Drain and Victoria Street Drain culverts.
- The replacement of storm sewer including a new storm drain connection to each property.

The 2024 work is to generally include the following:

- Stormwater management improvements to the Victoria Street Drain.
- Boulevard restoration on Wellington Street that includes topsoil and seed.
- Surface asphalt placement.

The following provides further details related to the overall project limits and project facts:

Construction Schedule

- The Victoria Street Drain improvements will occur in early 2024.
- Boulevards, grading, driveways will occur in the spring 2024 on Wellington Street.
- The project is scheduled to be completed in the spring of 2024.

Mailboxes

The mailboxes will be returned and reinstated near their original location in December 2023

Driveways (where disturbed)

- Driveway restoration will be with similar materials to existing.
- Access to driveways may at times be restricted and not always available depending on the construction activity. Attempts will be made to provide a reasonable notice should access be limited.

Utilities

• For the work remaining there are no utility disruptions planned.

Traffic Control

- Access to the affected section of Wellington will have lane reductions. Please yield to on coming traffic.
- It is recommended that when possible, an alternative walking route be taken.
- There may be infrequent short periods of time where traffic will need to be stopped in both directions, depending on the operation.
- Emergency Services will be notified of the proposed 2024 construction activities.
- The school bus companies will also be advised of the 2024 work.

If you have any questions or concerns about this project, please do not hesitate to contact the Infrastructure Team.

Yours truly,

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