

April 26, 2010



City Council Committee Report

To: Mayor & Council

**Fr: Richard Perchuk, Manager of Operations
Marco Vogrig, Municipal Engineer**

Re: Bridge Inspection Grant Funding

Recommendation:

That approval be hereby granted for the City of Kenora to submit an application to the Ontario Good Roads Association related to the Funding for Municipal Bridge Data Collection Program; and further,

That the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kenora hereby applies for funding for the purpose of collecting, collating, compiling and formatting bridge asset and condition data, and agrees to submit bridge asset and condition data for inclusion in Municipal Data works by March 31, 2011.

Background:

The City has been made aware of grant funding being available for data collection and reporting by the Ontario Good Roads Association as per the attached Bulletin. Kenora in 2010 will be conducting its two year bridge inspection program, and it has been confirmed by the Ontario Good Roads Association that these expenditures in the range of \$100,000 will be eligible for the maximum grant amount of \$5,000.00.

The Ontario Good Roads Association requires a resolution endorsed by Council to accompany the application form.

Budget: No budget required, application for grant fund

Communication Plan/Notice By-law Requirements:

Resolution required.

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