



TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

TO:	Council	
DATE:	April 27, 2021	DIVISION: All
FILE:	4050-100	APPLICATION: N/A
SUBJECT:	Snow and Ice Control Update	

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The intent of this report is to provide Council with a general briefing of Snow and Ice Control (SNIC) measures throughout the County, the associated risks and potential mitigation strategies moving forward.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION:

Administration recommends approval in accordance with Option #1.

BACKGROUND:

Adhering to Council Policy C-405, Transportation Services provides SNIC to approximately 1000km of paved and 1600km of gravel roads. Increased growth in urban and industrial nodes has challenged existing service levels due to the transition from rural SNIC practices to more time and budget-intensive urban methods.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

Approved Snow and Ice Control measures are contained within the approved 2021 Operating Budget.

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

Providing consistent Snow and Ice Control aligns with Council's Strategic Objectives:

"Create a Culture of Customer Service"

- Reducing the negative impact of winter storm events on the travelling public.

"Embrace Partnerships"

- Collaborate with Contractors to meet the level of service at an effective cost.

"Enhance Transparency and Communication"

- Develop a relationship and trust with residents and customers regarding effective Snow and Ice Control.

Administration Resources

Steven Hulsman, Transportation Services



OPTIONS:

Option #1: THAT the Snow and Ice Control Update report be received as information.

Option #2: THAT alternative direction be provided.

Respectfully submitted,

Concurrence,

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ATTACHMENTS:

ATTACHMENT ‘A’: Snow and Ice Control Presentation