

## **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – SEPTEMBER 17, 2002**

### **NOISE BY-LAW EXEMPTION** **HIGHWAY 7 WORKS** **REGION OF YORK**

#### **Recommendation**

The Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works recommends that an exemption to the Noise By-law be granted to the Region of York for a week commencing on September 24, 2002 for grinding of existing pavement and for paving works on the week of October 28, 2002, on Highway 7 from Kipling Avenue to Highway 27, provided that works east of Martin Grove Road adjacent to residential areas are limited to evening hours only.

#### **Purpose**

To seek a Noise By-law exemption.

#### **Background - Analysis and Options**

A request was received September 12, 2002 from the Region of York for an exemption to the Noise By-law for grinding works on Highway 7 between 7:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., for a week starting on September 24, 2002 and for paving works between 7:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., Monday to Friday the week of October 28, 2002.

Nighttime work will minimize traffic disruption. Overnight work between Highway 27 and Martin Grove Road, adjacent to commercial/industrial areas is permissible. However, it is recommended that the by-law exemption be limited to evening hours only (7:00 - 11:00 p.m.) for the work east of Martin Grove Road to Kipling Avenue, which is adjacent to residential areas.

#### **Conclusion**

It is in order to grant the Noise By-law exemption, with appropriate restrictions near residential areas.

#### **Attachments**

Letter

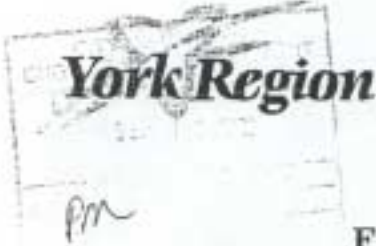
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Respectfully submitted,

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Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works

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 FROM: Drew Ryland C.E.T., rcca FILE NO.: C9816 T03 Cor  
       Construction Administrator  
 SUBJECT: Contract 01-106 Highway 7 Kipling to Highway 27 - Roadway Protection

Pat,

Enclosed is Graham Bros., request for night work letter dated September 11, 2002.

Please review their proposal and provide a report to your council for an amendment to the affected by-laws.

Sincerely,

Drew

C Don Bunker RMY

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September 11, 2002

The Regional Municipality of York  
 17250 Yonge Street  
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Attn: D. Ryland

Re: Hwy 7 Contract 01-106

Dear Mr. Ryland:

It is our intention to do the asphalt grinding in late September and the asphalt paving in late October. In the interest of traffic safety would you please apply to the City of Vaughan for exemption to their noise by-law in order that we may do this work at night.

We anticipate to do the grinding starting September 24<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 7:00 pm to 6:00 am. The paving will be scheduled for the week of October 28<sup>th</sup>, again between the hours of 7:00 pm to 6:00 am.

If, due to unforeseen circumstances, we are unable to complete the work as scheduled, we would require the exemption be extended to the following week for each activity.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Yours truly,  
 GRAHAM BROS. CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

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