



## Municipality of Wawa

### MONTHLY REPORT – JULY-AUGUST

#### Department of Infrastructure Services

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#### **Purpose**

The purpose of this report is to provide Council with an overview of the Infrastructure Services work completed during the months of July and August.

#### **Aerodrome Operations**

- Bi-annual inspections on pumps and tanks were performed with recommendations of servicing and replacement of equipment.
- Increase in landing both private and chartered.
- Routine grounds and runway maintenance performed.

#### **Cemetery Operations**

- The Weed Man, a lawn maintenance contractor from the Sault Ste Marie performed routine spraying to enhance lawn growth and to deter insects related infestation of the grounds.
- Placement and levelling of headstones has been constant throughout the season.

#### **Landfill Operations**

- With the schedule of Tuesday, Friday and Saturday from 9:30am to 3:30pm the landfill has been steady with customers and contractors.
- The bin system seems to be working well only allowing large trailers or contractor bins to be dumped in the active cell.
- Kresin Engineering was contacted to stake the second cell so that staff can prepare a small portion in case the active cell fills faster than anticipated making a smooth transition without interruption.

### Road Operations

- Calcium was placed on gravel roads
- Brushing of gravel roadways were started including Catfish, Steep Hill and sections of the Mission.
- The old Magpie Restaurant was demolished for property standards and safety reasons.
- Line painting was completed on roadways and parking areas.

### Water and Sewer Operations

- Routine maintenance and sampling performed weekly.
- Flushing of hydrants throughout townsite and Mission village.
- Upgrading and replacing electrical components at the Water Treatment plant.

### Capital Projects

- Intake Project – A 30-day review period of the Environment Assessment (EA) summary report was required by the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA). The review period ends September 15, 2024.
- Cemetery – J Provost Contracting Ltd started on the Phase 1 portion of the landfill expansion with a completion date of November due to the wait time of the new columbariums and benches.
- Airport Funding – the new sand dome was completed and a revised RFT was issued for the Accessible Washroom renovation with a tentative contractor being awarded in September.

### Month Ahead

Forecasted for September:

- Sidewalk rehabilitation
- Continue brushing of roads
- Continue working at landfill expansion
- Cleaning of ditches and culverts

**Recommendation**

That Council acknowledges receipt of Infrastructure Services Monthly Report DB-CH 2024-16 submitted by Dan Beach/ Craig Hornyak dated September 17, 2024, for information.

*Respectfully submitted by:*  
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