COUNTY OF WELLINGTON

COMMITTEE REPORT

To: Chair and Members of the Roads Committee

From: Don Kudo, County Engineer

Date: Tuesday, November 09, 2021

Subject: Road MAP: A Road Master Action Plan – Update #5

Background:

The Road MAP is a multi-faceted master transportation plan that will review both current and future transportation network needs. Dillon Consulting was hired to undertake a Road Master Action Plan (Road MAP) in August, 2020. The intent of this report is to advise the committee on the study progress to date.

The committee has received a number of Road MAP reports and presentations for information and approval throughout the study process. A summary of the reports follows:

- Road MAP: A Road Master Action Plan Update #1 September, 2020
- Road MAP: A Road Master Action Plan Update #2 January, 2021
- Road MAP: Vision and Goals April, 2021
- Road MAP: Data Driven Safety Strategy April, 2021
- Road MAP: Speed Management Guidelines April, 2021
- Road MAP: Speed Management Guidelines Follow Up May, 2021
- Road MAP: A Road Master Action Plan Update #4 and Future Transportation Network Presentation – June, 2021
- Road MAP: Speed Management Guidelines Revised September, 2021
- Road MAP: Speed Management Corridor Reviews September, 2021
- Road MAP: Intersection Assessment September, 2021
- Road MAP: Wellington Road 46 Strategic Traffic Analysis September, 2021
- Road MAP: Level of Service Condition Criteria October, 2021

Remaining and additional study items to be presented to the committee are as follows:

- Road MAP: Guidelines for Traffic Impact Studies (November, 2021)
- Road MAP: Future Transportation Network Requirements (January, 2022)
- Road MAP: Speed Management Guidelines Community Safety Zone addendum (January, 2022)

Other study scope items that Dillon will provide to assist with other County studies and initiatives include Official Plan and Schedules Updates, Development Charges Background Study Update, Capital Project Prioritization, RideWell Briefing Paper and a compilation of Road Policies and Processes. These items are planned to be completed for January, 2022.

With respect to the Future Transportation Network Requirements item, the preliminary recommendations presented to the committee and public in June, 2021 are being finalized. Public input has been received with respect to the preliminary recommendations and this input is being considered by the project team as part of the development of the RMAP final recommendations.

The assessment of future transportation network is being undertaken in accordance with the master planning requirements detailed in the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) process. By providing a high level strategic overview of transportation infrastructure needs, the Road MAP study will provide background information for future detailed project review, analysis and consultation. At this master planning stage, the Road MAP will guide the County in transportation planning to meet future growth needs.

The project team will finalize the Future Transportation Network Requirements assessment and provide recommendations for inclusion in the final the Road Master Action Plan report for the January, 2022 Roads Committee meeting.

Recommendation:

That the Road MAP: A Road Master Action Plan - Update #5 report be received for information

Respectfully submitted,

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