

# Alexandria Highway Advisory Committee

## April 28, 2016 Minutes

**Members Present:** Dennis Ford, Ronald MacLean, Don Beaulieu and Jeffrey Cantara

The meeting came to order at 6:00 p.m.

The committee discussed paving quotes received from the following companies:

R& D Paving (\$95,280)

Bryant Paving (\$91,100)

GMI (\$87,628)

After discussing experience with the different paving companies, the consensus was to go with Bryant Paving for the work.

Mr. Cantara addressed a concern from Deborah Bones regarding pot holes on Plumer Hill Road; he is going to try to see if the paving company can skim over some areas on Plumer Hill Road while they do other work.

There was discussion regarding budgeting for trucks for next year; a suggestion was made to not request new trucks in 2017.

There was discussion regarding having repairs done to the Tahoe (~\$4,500). With these repairs, Mr. Cantara estimated that they would be able to get through until the next cruiser is retired in around 3 years.

Mr. Cantara mentioned that the Brook Road Bridge replacement has been ordered. He also obtained pricing from the same vendor for replacing Knowles Hill Road Bridge (\$140,000) and Cole Hill Road Bridge (\$200,000 to \$240,000).

Mr. Cantara provided an update on current highway department activities. Currently they are working on cleaning pipes and culverts and grading.

There was discussion regarding upcoming training opportunities through UNH Technology Transfer Center for the highway department crew.

Future meetings will be scheduled as needed.

The meeting ended at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Jennifer Dostie