



**Meeting Date:** June 21, 2023

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**Report No:** PWE 30-2023

**Subject:** Risdon Municipal Drain Culvert Construction Tender Award

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**Recommendation:**

THAT the construction of the Risdon Municipal Drain Culvert replacement be awarded to the lowest tender bid submission received from J & L Henderson Ltd. in the amount of \$85,946.00 + HST.

**Purpose:**

To obtain Council approval of the tender award with regards to proceeding with the drainage works under the Ontario Drainage Act.

**Background:**

A request for Drainage Improvement was submitted to Middlesex Centre to request a replacement of a bridge structure over the Risdon Drain that had reached the end of its life cycle. The bridge forms part of the Municipal Drain and thus could be replaced through the Drainage Act.

By-Law #2023-012 was passed enacting the Engineer's report dated November 2, 2022 and revised February 17, 2023 prepared by Mike DeVos, Spriet Associates. The project proceeded to the public tendering stage with seven tenders submitted.

## Analysis:

The following tender results were received through a public tendering process and are listed as follows:

<b>Contractor</b>	<b>Bid Price</b>
Cassidy Construction London Ltd	\$130,728.00 + HST
TAS Excavating & Rentals Ltd	\$158,971.60 + HST
R. Russell Construction	\$169,400.00 + HST
Murray Mills Excavating & Trucking Ltd	\$204,165.00 + HST
J & L Henderson Ltd	\$85,946.00 + HST
Van Bree Drainage & Bulldozing Ltd	\$142,390.00 + HST
519 London Excavating Inc	\$145,300.00 + HST

## Financial Implications:

Spriet Associates staff have reviewed the bid for compliance with the respective tender requirements and the lowest tender bid submission from J & L Henderson Ltd. has been recommended to be awarded.

The cost estimate for construction provided by Spriet Associates was \$184,050 + HST for the Municipal Drain Construction. The tender price comes in under the estimate and as such is being recommended to be awarded.

## Strategic Plan:

This matter aligns with following strategic priorities:

- Sustainable Infrastructure and Services
- Responsive Municipal Government

The award of this tender will allow the construction to proceed in order to provide the desired service level for the landowner.

**Attachments:**

N/A