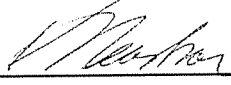




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Western Region Community Council
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TO: Chair and Members of Western Region Community Council

SUBMITTED BY: 
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DATE: June 1, 2010

SUBJECT: Rosalie Street – Speed Humps Request

INFORMATION REPORT

ORIGIN

Item 12.1 raised at the May 31, 2010 meeting of Western Region Community Council.

BACKGROUND

Councillor Rankin, on behalf of residents of Rosalie Street, expressed concern with speeding along Rosalie Street. It was then, **MOVED BY Councillor Lund, seconded by Councillor Rankin that the Western Region Community Council request staff to investigate the request to install speed bumps, similar to those used in south end Halifax, on Rosalie Street, Pinedale Subdivision, Prospect. MOTION PUT AND PASSED.**

DISCUSSION

In Halifax Regional Municipality, speed humps are built on roads only as part of a neighbourhood short-cutting study, done under the HRM Neighbourhood Short-Cutting Policy. It was through this process that speed humps were installed in south end Halifax.

The Short-Cutting Policy clearly does not apply to Rosalie Avenue because it does not connect between two collector or arterial roads – it isn't a short-cut to anywhere. The Pinedale Subdivision is dead-end, with only one entrance/exit via Pinedale Drive.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS

There are no budget implications.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT POLICIES / BUSINESS PLAN

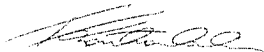
This report complies with the Municipality's Multi-Year Financial Strategy, the approved Operating, Project and Reserve budgets, policies and procedures regarding withdrawals from the utilization of Project and Operating reserves, as well as any relevant legislation.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Community engagement is not deemed to be necessary in this process because this decision complies with HRM Council policy as contained within the Neighbourhood Short-Cutting Policy.

A copy of this report can be obtained online at <http://www.halifax.ca/commcoun/cc.html> then choose the appropriate Community Council and meeting date, or by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 490-4210, or Fax 490-4208.

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