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Item No. 14.1

Request for Council's Consideration	
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Date of Council Meeting: Tuesday, September 09, 2014	
Subject: Amendment to Streets Bylaw S-300	
Motion for Council to Consider:	
Staff report considering an amendment to Bylaw Number S-300, Bylaw Respecting Streets – with a proviso that if a permit has been issued for work in the public street, and the work in the street has been completed and back filled, that the street must be paved within seven days. This paving can be temporary but the streets must not be left in a gravel condition.	
Reason:	
As it currently stands contractors can leave our streets unpaved, in a gravel state which can cause dust, health concerns, noise and nuisance complaints, and safety issues in traversing the streets. An example is the Lakeside Diversion project where the only two accesses and egresses to a large subdivision have had the asphalt removed and the work was completed months ago, but the contractor has not reinstated the roadways. The project is still on-going but the work in the street was finished. Temporary patching has been requested many times but contractor has not done this as it is not in our streets bylaw. This occurs throughout our municipality.	
Outcome Sought:	
Streets Bylaw amended to ensure protection of the municipality's infrastructure.	
Councillor Linda Mosher	District 9