



## The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle

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<b>Directed To:</b>	Members of Council	<b>Attachments:</b>	
<b>Department:</b>	Finance		
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<b>Subject:</b>	FCM Grant Application		

### **Recommendation:**

- That Council approve the following Resolution:

Be it resolved that Council directs staff to apply for a grant opportunity from the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Municipal Asset Management Program for Phase #1 Condition analysis of 135 kms of storm sewers throughout the Town of LaSalle.

Be it therefore resolved that the Town of LaSalle commits to conducting the following activities in its proposed project submitted to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Municipal Asset Management Program to advance our asset management program:

- Collect data on the condition of 135 kms of storms sewers throughout the Town.

Be it further resolved that if the Town is the successful recipient of this grant, that the Town of LaSalle will commit \$12,500 from its future 2018 capital budget toward the costs of this initiative.

### **Report:**

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) has announced Municipal Asset Management Program (MAMP) funding to help Canadian municipalities enhance their asset management plans.

Under this program, Canadian Municipal Governments are able to apply for funding up to 80% of total eligible project costs, to a maximum of \$50,000. Projects must be completed within 11 months from funding approval notice. FCM accepts applications for MAMP projects year-round on a continuous basis, with no deadlines to apply.

Currently, the Town's asset management plan includes all tangible capital assets owned by the Town. The next step is to increase the accuracy of the condition ratings for all of the assets included in the plan. Currently, storm sewer condition ratings are based solely on age. If the Town is awarded this grant, the funding will allow the Town to hire an engineering firm to perform a study to assess the actual condition of the various storm sewers throughout the Town. There will be several phases to this project as the \$62,500 total cost of this project to be submitted for this grant will most likely not cover the cost to assess the condition rating of all 135 kms of storm sewers throughout the Town. Phase #1 will focus on areas in the Town where there are storm water related issues and areas in the Town with the oldest storm sewers.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

Yours truly,



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