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COUNCIL REPORT

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CITY MANAGER

DATE:

2009 April 14

FROM:

DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

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Reference:

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SUBJECT:

STILL CREEK AVE UPGRADING

PURPOSE:

To seek funding approval for the upgrading of Still Creek Ave from Westminster

Ave to Douglas Rd.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council authorize bringing forward a Capital Works Expenditure Bylaw in the amount of \$250,000 (inclusive of 5% GST) for the design and contract preparation work for upgrading Still Creek Ave from Westminster Ave to Douglas Rd.

REPORT

The 2009 Annual Financial Plan includes provision for the upgrading of Still Creek Ave from Westminster Ave to Douglas Rd, including the Douglas Rd intersection. This section of roadway will be upgraded to a collector standard roadway complete with curbs, street lights, sidewalk and urban trail. In addition, the Douglas Rd/Still Creek Ave intersection will be upgraded with separate through lanes and turning lanes for both the northbound and southbound traffic on Douglas Rd.

The upgrading of Still Creek Ave west of Westminster Ave started in 2007 with the completion of the extension from west of Willingdon Ave to Eastbrook Pky as part of the Costco development. The section from Eastbrook Pky to Westminster Ave is currently being designed and construction will start in summer, 2009. The upgrading of the subject section of Still Creek Ave (Westminster Ave to Douglas Rd) will complete Still Creek Ave to a major collector road standard from Gilmore Ave through to Douglas Rd.

The cost of the engineering design and contract preparation is estimated at \$250,000 (inclusive of 5% GST). A further project for construction funding will be submitted to Council when the design work is completed.

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