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## **Report to Council**

To: Mayor and Council Members  
From: Jason Post, Public Works Manager  
Date: January 01, 23  
Subject: 2025 Dust Control Contract One-Year Extension

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### **Recommendation:**

That Council directs staff to enter into a one year contract extension with Da-Lee Chemicals for the supply and application of Calcium Chloride for dust control on the gravel road network.

### **Background:**

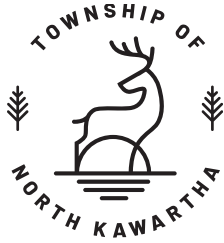
In April of 2024, North Kawartha Township entered into a group purchasing tender with other townships for the supply and application of Calcium Chloride. The tender was issued by Peterborough County staff on behalf of the Townships. The tender (T-13-2024) was awarded to Da-Lee Chemicals and had an option to renew (2) additional seasonal terms. 2025 will be the first option to renew.

### **Analysis:**

Dust control applications typically start in mid-May pending precipitation amounts and dust problems. On average the Township applies approximately 170,000 Liters of Calcium Chloride annually.

### **Financial Implications:**

Da-Lee Chemicals is requesting a CPI increase of 2.1% for the 2025 season. The 2024 price was \$0.37 per liter. With the increase request for 2025 it would increase the price per liter to \$0.38. Based on the average application of 170,000 liters the township uses the overall increase to the 2025 budget would be \$1,700.00. The increase is reflected in the 2025 Materials budget (10-06-0600-4600) that will be presented to Council.



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## **Strategic and/or Other Plans:**

### **Infrastructure:**

Investments in Municipal Infrastructure:

1. Ensure that existing infrastructure is sustained prior to expanding and/or investing in new infrastructure, reflective of the Asset Management Plan (AMP)

### **Governance:**

Maintain a strong, accountable municipal government:

1. Maintain policies and processes that enable effective governance
2. Provide quality community programs and services
3. Provide effective, clear and transparent Township communication

### **In Consultation With:**

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Kim Squires, Manager of Purchasing, County of Peterborough

### **Attachment:**

None