

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF INGERSOLL

Regular Meeting of Council PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MAY REPORT # PW-091/10

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MAINTENANCE

1. Large Article Pickup
 - Material quantities were as follows:

	<u>Debris</u>	<u>Steel</u>
2009	201,379 Kg	9,864 Kg
2010	289,093 Kg	15,486 Kg
 - Steel quantities were up this year as the market for steel was low, meaning, less pickers in the piles.
2. Tree Tender
 - All stumps from the 2010 tender have been removed and restoration/repair completed.
 - Staff removed three additional trees due to some heavy wind damage during the month.
3. Street Sweeping
 - All streets have been swept once through for the month.
4. Upcoming Projects – following is a list of projects staff will be completing in June:
 - Line painting
 - Utility cut repairs
 - Grass mowing
 - Sidewalk trip edge grinding

ADMINISTRATION

1. Large Article Pickup
 - Numerous inquiries were received from residents requesting clarification of this program.
2. Summer Projects
 - Several meetings were held with staff to finalize maintenance priorities for the summer.
 - With the exception of sidewalk repairs, all other programs are ready to proceed.

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3. Retaining Wall at 200 Charles St. East
 - Tender documents were prepared and administered on behalf of the County of Oxford for repairs to this section of retaining wall.
 - Ross Yantzi's Pavestone Plus Ltd. from Tavistock were low bid on this project.

4. Attended the following meetings:
 - Management
 - Harvest Run
 - Oxford Ave. preconstruction
 - Shared Services
 - Waste Management

5. CN Rail Crossing – Thames St.
 - Gene McLaren and the writer attended a meeting with the Rail Superintendant from CN over the condition of the Thames St. crossing
 - CN will be scheduling in these repairs late summer to alleviate the grade differential between the tracks.

Respectfully submitted,

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