



TOWN OF MINTO

MEETING DATE: October 1st, 2024
REPORT TO: Mayor and Council
SERVICE AREA: Public Works
SUBJECT: PW 2024-021 – Municipal Drain 13 Improvement Request

RECOMMENDATIONS:

THAT the Council of the Town of Minto hereby receives report PW 2024-021 Municipal Drain 13 Improvement Request, prepared by the Drainage Superintendent, for information purposes;

AND FURTHER THAT the Council of the Town of Minto appoints Headway Engineering to represent the Town of Minto in accordance with Drainage Act.

BACKGROUND

Staff have received a Section 78 for an improvement to the existing Municipal Drain 13 under the Drainage Act from one local landowner who wishes to improve the drains functionality and provide better outlet for their farm’s drainage. The area requesting improvements is Concession 4 Lot 19 PT Lot 20 shown outlined in yellow below.



COMMENTS:

This Drain, believed to be created back in 1886, has seen multiple improvements over the years, but these improvements have been focused on the downstream portions of the drain. The owner of subject property has indicated that their drainage issues are largely attributed to a high-pressure gas main that is partially blocking the ditch, obstructing the flow of the drain.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION:

All costs associated with this project will be assessed to the landowners, utilities and road authorities in accordance with the Drainage Act.

STRATEGIC PLAN

N/A

PREPARED BY: Ryan Binkle, Drainage Superintendent

RECOMMENDED BY: Gregg Furtney, Chief Administrative Officer