



INFORMATION AND LEGISLATIVE SERVICES *Staff Report*

REPORT NO: ILS-2022-19

TO: Council

SUBMITTED BY: Arthur Flach, Municipal Clerk

PREPARED BY: Erin Merritt, Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement

REVIEWED BY: Sharon Chambers, CAO

DATE: June 22, 2022

SUBJECT: Noise By-law Exemption – Bel Air Excavating & Grading Ltd.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT a Noise By-law Exemption be granted to Bel Air Excavating & Grading Ltd to allow for surface asphalt paving on Snyder's Road E between Whiting Way and Gingerich Road, Baden, August 13-14, 2022 from 7am to 9pm (August 20-21, 2022 from 7am to 9pm, rain date) to allow for the completion of normal paving operations while minimizing business and resident disruption and access to Snyder's Road.

SUMMARY:

Bel Air Excavating & Grading Ltd is undertaking this work in connection with the ongoing construction on Snyder's Road between Foundry St and Brubacher St in Baden. Allowing permission to complete this work on the weekend will help to minimize business and resident disruption and access with the ongoing construction.

BACKGROUND:

Township of Wilmot Noise By-law 98-21 prohibits excessive noise in the Township that is likely to disturb residents. Historically, Council has provided opportunities for exemptions to this By-law for construction companies to ensure work is completed in a timely manner while minimizing disruptions to businesses and residents.

REPORT:

Staff received a request from Bel Air Excavating & Grading Ltd. To allow for an exemption to the Noise By-law and request surface asphalt paving occur August 13-14, 2022 from 7am to 9pm or if there is inclement weather August 20-21, 2022 from 7am to 9pm.

This normal paving operation is being completed on the weekend to help minimize disruptions and access to businesses and residents as part of the ongoing construction project on Snyder's Road.

Neighbours have been circulated a notice and the notice was also posted on the Region of Waterloo's Engage website. At the time of submitting this report, there has been no objections or feedback brought forth.

ALIGNMENT WITH THE TOWNSHIP OF WILMOT STRATEGIC PLAN:

This report aligns with the corporate goal of being an engaged community through strengthening customer service as well as enjoying quality of life through ensuring people's safety, and having a prosperous economy through maintaining infrastructure.

ACTIONS TOWARDS UNITED NATIONS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS:

Goal #11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

There are no financial impacts identified.

ATTACHMENTS:

Notice provided to neighbours