



The Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills
Mayoral Decision

Decision: 2026-MDE-03

Date: January 16, 2026

Subject: **Veto Resolution 26-17 – Council Amendment to finance Road Sidewalk and Crosswalk Project from reserves and taxation, passed at the January 6, 2026 Special Meeting.**

Pursuant to the powers extended to the Head of Council under Part VI.1 of the Municipal Act, 2001 (the "ACT"), I, Mayor Carter of the Township of Minden Hills, hereby veto the following Council amended resolution to the proposed 2026 Mayoral Budget, passed by Council at its January 6, 2026 Special Meeting, in accordance with subsection 284.16(4) of the Act:

"That Council amends the 2026 Mayoral Budget to finance \$470,000.00 of the Roads Sidewalk and Crosswalk project from reserves; and add \$30,000.00 to the Tax Levy."

The reason for this veto is;

The amendment is related to the funding for the project, not the project itself. There is no rationale that justifies increasing the tax levy. This veto will remove the impact to the tax levy and fund the project from surplus/reserve as originally presented in the December 15, 2025 Mayor's Budget.

This Mayoral Decision comes into effect on January 16, 2026

A blue ink signature of Mayor Bob Carter, written in a cursive style.

Mayor Bob Carter