

# Request for Decision City Council



## Type of Decision

Meeting Date	May 26, 2005				Report Date	May 13, 2005			
Decision Requested	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	Priority	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	High	<input type="checkbox"/>	Low
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## Report Title

Bid to host - 2006 Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships

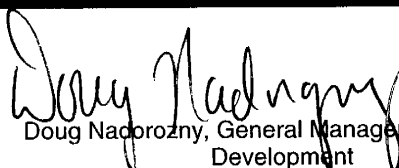
### Policy Implication + Budget Impact

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This report and recommendation(s) have been reviewed by the Finance Division and the funding source has been identified.
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### Recommendation

<p>Whereas the City of Greater Sudbury has a tradition of hosting Regional, Provincial, and National sporting events, which bring with them numerous social and economic benefits, and;</p> <p>Whereas the City of Greater Sudbury has been invited to bid on hosting the 2006 Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships, and;</p> <p>Whereas the Greater Sudbury Sportlink organization has agreed to act as Host Organizing Committee for the event;</p> <p>Therefore be it resolved that the City of Greater Sudbury submit a bid to host the 2006 Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships and, if successful, support the event with a contribution of \$5,000 from the Tourism Tournament Fund in the current budget.</p>	Recommendation Continued
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### Recommended by the General Manager

  
Doug Nadrozny, General Manager, Growth and Development

### Recommended by the C.A.O.

  
Mark Mieta,  
Chief Administrative Officer

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Date: May 26, 2005

**Report Prepared By**

Rob Skelly  
Manager of Tourism, Culture, and Marketing

**Division Review**

**Executive Summary**

Sports has played a major role in the community and social development of the City of Greater Sudbury and its predecessor municipalities. This interest in sport, combined with a willing and dedicated volunteer base and community facilities, has built the City's reputation as a venue of choice for many competitions and tournaments. Major events like the Brier, the Pan American Junior Track and Field Championships, the Canadian Figure Skating Championships, the Canadian Special Olympics, and the Scott Tournament of Hearts have all been successfully held in Sudbury.

Greater Sudbury Sportslink is a community organization dedicated to the betterment of sport in Greater Sudbury. Established in 2003, its mandate includes promoting sport, improving communication and cooperation among sports groups, creating economic development opportunities through sport, providing information on sports funding and training opportunities for coaches, executives and volunteers, ensuring the efficient development, management and utilization of facilities, and recognizing outstanding achievement or contributions to sport.

Recently, members of Sportslink have been actively involved in the Laurentian Track Task Force. Led by Councillor Terry Kett, the task force is making great progress in implementing a short term solution to make the track fully functional in the short term and develop a longer term plan for redevelopment. One of the goals is to restore the track's capacity to host major sports events.

At the last meeting of Sportslink, the opportunity to bid for the 2006 Ontario Paralympics Summer Championships was discussed. Members of Sportslink have vast experience in organizing such events. It was also noted the facilities required are available. Therefore, it was decided that this event would be a good fit for Sportslink and members would act as the Host Organizing Committee. The bid proposal is being prepared by Sportslink members with support from City staff.

The event would be held over 3 days in June or July 2006. The event is expected to attract 500 athletes, coaches, and spectators from outside the city. The direct spending would be in the order of \$300,000. Event costs will be covered by operating grants, registration fees, and community sponsorships. While the City would be responsible for raising all the funds required to successfully host the event, Paralympics Ontario has confirmed that in 30 years of hosting this event, a community has never had a deficit.

We are recommending that City Council support the bid as the host community and provide a contribution of \$5,000 from the existing Tourism Tournament Fund in the current budget.



Proud Member of the Canadian Paralympic Committee

**"empowering persons with physical disabilities, through sport"**

March 22, 2005

Mr. Nadorozny  
G.M., Economic Development & Planning Services  
The City of Greater Sudbury  
P.O. Box 5000 Str. A  
200 Brady Street  
Sudbury, ON P3A 5P3

Dear Mr. Nadorozny:

The Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships is a multi-sport provincial event for athletes with physical disabilities. This annual event determines the best athletes in Ontario, and also provides the opportunity for athletes to progress to national and international levels of competition. At the 2004 Athens Paralympic Games, there were 47 Ontario athletes out of a total of 144 Canadian team members. The Team place 3<sup>rd</sup> overall winning a total of 72 medals.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the Bid Guidelines for hosting the 2006 Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships. More than 50 communities have experienced the numerous benefits of hosting our Regional and Provincial Championships events, and these benefits include:

- Increasing the community's sport hosting portfolio.
- Increasing the accessibility of the community's facilities (sport and other).
- Showcasing the best athletes with a disability in the Province.
- Develop and train local volunteers, and create a database for future community events.
- Demonstrate the community's commitment to persons with a disability.
- Economic impact of hosting.
- Civic pride.
- Creating a legacy for persons with a disability in the community.
- Receive a minimum of two **Ready, Willing, and Able** community outreach sessions leading up to the Championships.

Athletes qualify for the Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships by participating in Invitational and Regional events to be held in the months leading up to the Championships. The 2005 Ontario Paralympic Summer Championships will be held in the Town of Essex, June 24 – 26, and we invite you to attend this event.

We encourage you to consider hosting this event. Bids are due in the Paralympics Ontario office no later than **Wednesday, June 1st, 2005, 4:00 pm.**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (416) 426-7186, or [debbie@paralympicsontario.ca](mailto:debbie@paralympicsontario.ca)

Sincerely,

Debbie Low  
Executive Director

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Report Title
Sole Sourcing of Consulting Engineering Services for Various Bridge Structures

Policy Implication + Budget Impact	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This report and recommendation(s) have been reviewed by the Finance Division and the funding source has been identified.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Background Attached

Recommendation
<p>THAT Council approve the sole sourcing of Engineering Consultants for the detailed design and construction administration of the following various bridge structures. The named consultants have carried-out the initial investigations / studies for the structures:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Northland Engineering (1987) Ltd.- Bridge on Garson-Coniston Road (MR 90) at Coniston Creek.</li> <li>2) J.L. Richards and Associates Ltd. - Bridge on Capreol Ski Hill Road at Vermillion River</li> <li>3) Earth Tech (Canada) Inc. - Bridges on Elgin Street at Junction Creek and MacKenzie Street at Nolin Creek</li> <li>4) Northland Engineering (1987) Ltd. - Bridge on Vermillion Lake Road (MR 13) at MacKenzie Creek.</li> </ol>
Recommendation Continued

Recommended by the Department Head
<p>Alan Stephen General Manager of Infrastructure &amp; Emergency Services</p>

Recommended by the C.A.O.
<p>             Mark Mieto            Chief Administrative Officer         </p>

Date: May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2005

**Report Prepared By**



Bob Falcioni, P. Eng.  
Acting Director of Roads & Transportation

**Division Review**



R. G. (Greg) Clausen, P. Eng.  
City Engineer

Background:

The City of Greater Sudbury has identified several structures as part of their Capital Roads Program and COMRIF, that require the need for hiring Consultants.

The recommended Consultants are the consultants of record for each structure having completed a condition survey or structural evaluation. It would be prudent to have them continue to develop detail plans, tender documents and provide construction administration services.

The Purchasing By-Law requires Council's approval for sole sourcing of Consultants. The scope of the work varies with each project and costs will be billed at established approved per diem rates. Staff will review the rates prior to assignment of the project to ensure they are acceptable. Total costs are not anticipated to exceed the estimate provided herein.

City staff recommend the sole sourcing of Consultants for the following projects:

- 1) Bridge on Garson Coniston Road (MR 90) at Coniston Creek - Northland Engineering (1987) Ltd.
  - This project is funded from the 2005 Capital Roads Program and COMRIF with construction in 2005.
  - Estimate \$65,000
  
- 2) Bridge on Capreol Skill Hill Road at Vermillion River - J.L. Richards and Associates Ltd.
  - This project is funded from the 2005 Capital Roads Program.
  - Estimate \$50,000
  
- 3) Bridges on Elgin Street at Junction Creek and College Street at Nolin Creek - Earth Tech (Canada) Inc.
  - These projects are funded from COMRIF and will be part of 2006 Roads Program.
  - Estimate \$80,000 and \$50,000 respectively
  
- 4) Bridge on Vermillion Lake Road (MR 13) at MacKenzie Creek - Northland Engineering (1987) Ltd.
  - This project will be funded from the 2006 Capital Roads Program.
  - Estimate \$85,000

# Request for Decision City Council



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Report Title
<b>FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUNICIPALITIES - REQUEST FOR NOMINATIONS COUNCILLOR KETT - BOARD OF DIRECTORS</b>

Policy Implication + Budget Impact	
<input type="checkbox"/>	This report and recommendation(s) have been reviewed by the Finance Division and the funding source has been identified.
<b><u>Policy Implications:</u></b>	
<p>FCM is requesting nominations to the 2005-2006 Board of Directors. The election of the Directors will be held at its annual 2005 conference, in St. John's, Newfoundland, between June 3<sup>rd</sup> and June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2005.</p> <p>Councillor Kett has requested Council's endorsement of his nomination as a Director for the Board of FCM.</p>	
<b><u>Budget Impact:</u></b>	
<p>The cost of travel to Board of Directors' meetings will be borne by Councillor Kett and paid for through his annual office expense budget.</p>	
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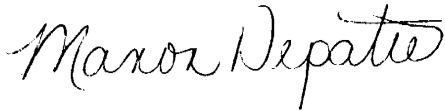
Recommendation	
<p><b>THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury endorses the nomination of Councillor Terry Kett as a Director for the Board of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities for the term 2005 - 2006.</b></p>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Recommendation Continued

Recommended by the Department Head

Recommended by the C.A.O.

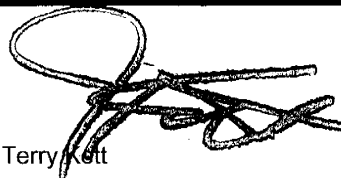
Date: May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2005

**Report Prepared By**



Manon Depatie  
Administrative Assistant to Councillors

**Division Review**



Councillor Terry Kett

**Background:**

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities, by letter dated April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2005, requested nominations to the 2005 - 2006 FCM Board of Directors. A photocopy of FCM's correspondence is attached to this Report for the information of Council.

Councillor Kett will be seeking re-election to the Board of Directors for the Federation of Canadian Municipalities, and has requested Council's endorsement of his nomination.

FCM requires that Directors secure their Council's approval to meet the cost of their attending meetings of the FCM National Board of Directors.

The National Board of Directors' up-coming meetings scheduled for 2005 and 2006 are as follows:

Sept 7 - 10, 2005	Charlottetown, PEI
Nov 30 - Dec 3, 2005	Ottawa, ON
March 1 - 4, 2006	Bromont, QC

**Attachment:**

1. Letter dated April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2005 with attachment



Federation of  
Canadian Municipalities

Fédération canadienne  
des municipalités

April 27, 2005

Memorandum to FCM Municipal Members

**CONSENT FORM**

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference will be held in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador from June 3-6, 2005. The FCM Annual General meeting will be held during the conference on Sunday, June 5th, 2005 from 10:00 AM to 11:45 AM which will be followed by the election of FCM's National Board of Directors from 12:45 PM to 14:15 PM.

**Applicable FCM By-Laws:**

**Article II, Section 4 – Directors Eligible for Election or Appointment by Board**

Only persons holding municipal office in the municipal councils of the Municipal Members are eligible to be elected as Directors or appointed as Directors by the Board.

**Article II, Section 22 – Election of Directors**

All Directors shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Federation and shall hold office until the end of the next Annual General Meeting. Any retiring Director is eligible for re-election if otherwise qualified.

For a copy of the FCM election procedures please visit [www.fcm.ca](http://www.fcm.ca) and click on "National Directors" under "About FCM". Please find attached a consent form, which must be returned to FCM office by May 20, 2005. Persons who do not submit their consent form to the FCM office by that date may still put forward their name during the election, however their name will not be pre-printed on the official ballot.

Should you have any questions regarding elections please contact Kelena McDowell at (613) 244-1514 or [kmcdowell@fcm.ca](mailto:kmcdowell@fcm.ca)

Jean-François Trépanier

Chief Elections Officer

JFT/co



**FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUNICIPALITIES****68<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2005****CONSENT FORM**

**Confidential** to the 2005 Elections Committee.

I, the undersigned, do hereby consent to have my name submitted for consideration as a member of the National Board of Directors of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities.

**CONDITIONS:**

- i) I am an elected municipal official holding office in an FCM Municipal Member in good standing.
- ii) I have secured approval that our council is prepared to meet the cost of my attending meetings of the FCM's National Board of Directors, or that when elected, I will secure such approval.
- iii) I will be in attendance at the 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference to be held June 3-6, 2005.

**Please print:**

**NAME:**

**TITLE:**

**E-Mail:**

**MUNICIPALITY:**

**PROVINCE:**

**SIGNATURE:**

Return under **CONFIDENTIAL** cover to:

Chief Elections Officer  
Federation of Canadian Municipalities  
24 Clarence Street  
Ottawa, Ontario  
K1N 5P3

- **All Consent Forms must be received in the FCM office by May 20, 2005.**