

August 28, 2015

Report To: Mayor & Council

From: Operations & Facilities Executive Committee

**SUBJECT: Request from Police Services Board for Funding to Purchase
Permanent Radar Speed Signs**

Mr. Rick Wiedenhoeft, Chair of the Police Services Board wrote a letter to Mayor & Council requesting funds to Purchase Permanent Radar Speed Signs to be installed along some sections of roadways in the community where there are "Chronic Speeders" such as King's Hwy. 11-71 between Central Avenue to Keating Avenue. See attached copy of the letter.

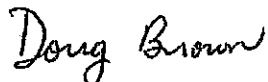
I have taken the liberty to obtain a quote from a traffic sign supplier for one solar powered Speed Reader c/w Universal Bracket, one additional pole plate and a data collector. The Speeder reader sign has the capability of attaching a data collection record where additional data can be collected such as vehicle count. See attached information.

There is no funding set aside in the Town's 2015 budget for a purchase of this equipment. The Town could consider this equipment as a capital item in 2016 and go through the normal capital budget approval process. At the September 8th meeting of the Operations & Facilities Executive committee, Mark McCaig, CAO indicated that the Administration & Finance Executive Committee is recommending that the Police Services Board should include this capital item in their 2016 budget submission to Council for consideration.

It is recommended by the Operations & Facilities Executive Committee;

- 1) That the Police Services Board be instructed to include this capital item (two permanent radar speed signs c/w four universal brackets and other accessories) in their 2016 budget submission for Council consideration.

Respectfully submitted,



Doug Brown, P. Eng.
Operations & Facilities Manager

Council approval of this report will ensure that the request from the Police Service Board for permanent radar speed signs has been reviewed and that the Police Service Board be instructed to include this capital item (two permanent radar speed signs c/w four universal bracket and other accessories) in their 2016 budget submission for Council consideration.

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