RECOMMENDATIONS

THAT the Committee of the Whole recommends the establishment of a speed zone of 60 km/h on County Road 19 between McGahey Lane and County Road 22 (South Gower Drive) in the Municipality of North Grenville, and;

THAT the necessary by-law be prepared.

BACKGROUND

The Mayor of North Grenville submitted a request from residents to reduce the speed on County Road 19 in the area east of Hwy 416.

DISCUSSION/ALTERNATIVES

After reviewing the request, staff concur with the request to reduce the speed from 80 km/h to 60 km/h. This section of County Road 19 in the Municipality of North Grenville is known as “Little Chesterville on the Rideau” which is comprised of numerous closely spaced driveways. The length of the driveways are limited due to the short lots backing onto the river. As a result, residents often park on the shoulder of the road. The combination of the number of closely spaced driveways and parking on the shoulder results in a higher than normal activity in close proximity to County Road 19. Based on this unusual configuration, it is recommended that the speed limit be reduced on this section of County Road 19.

The Mayor of North Grenville is supportive of this request.
FINANCIAL

There are sufficient funds in the operations budget for the costs of sign installation by Counties staff.

ATTACHMENTS

Nil.

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