

# Concession 2 WGR Lantz Bridge / Road Improvements

## **Safety Concerns Input**

Residents in Vicinity of Concession 2 WGR  
West Grey, Ontario

# The Reason for the Delegation

- Concession 2 WGR and area residents' traffic safety concerns associated with the replacement of the Lantz Bridge.
- Action could be taken now in advance of the Lantz bridge replacement

# Concession 2 WGR/Lantz Bridge Residents Request

## **Requests:**

- We request council votes to implement the safety recommendations included in the appendix below
- We request council hosts a general public meeting as soon as possible in order for additional input on the traffic safety issues arising due to the replacement of the Lantz Bridge and their mitigation can be discussed in detail by all concerned

## **Why we are making these requests:**

- It is the expectation that the Lantz bridge replacement will result in increased traffic along Concession 2 WGR leading to increased safety issues
- Existing Safety Concerns at Highway 4 and Concession 2 WGR have resulted in many accidents and deaths
- Safety Concerns at Robson Hill have been well known with many accidents and incidents over the years
- Local residents need the opportunity to voice their concerns as well as possible solutions

# Agenda Items for the General Public Meeting

- Mitigation strategies for reducing accidents at likely sites along Concession 2 WGR north of Grey Road 4
  - Reducing the speed limit along Concession 2 WGR north of Grey Road 4
  - Discouraging passing along the straightaway between the Lantz Bridge replacement and the fork at Concession 2 WGR and Robson Road
  - Traffic calming measures
  - Height and weight restrictions on the Lantz Bridge replacement
  - Pedestrian walkway
- Completion date for the replacement bridge
- Completion date for paving Concession 2 WGR

# Appendix: Safety Issues and Mitigation

# Robson Hill S Curve

## Issues

- Lack of visibility
- Steep slope with no guardrails
- No curve ahead warnings
- No speed reduction signs

## Recommendations

- Install mirrors at bends
- Install safety guardrails
- Install curve ahead sign
- Install speed limit signs

# Highway 4 and Concession 2 WGR

## Issues

- Highway 4 is unsafe turning onto Concession 2 WGR
- Lack of visibility

## Recommendations

- Install left-hand turn lane on Highway 4
- Install flashing light

# Increased Truck Traffic

## Issues

- Unsafe traffic at Robson S curve
- Unsafe traffic at Aberdeen S curve and Rocky Saugeen River bridge

## Recommendations

- Restrict truck traffic
- Restrict truck weight