

TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL  
INFORMATION ITEM

**Committee:** Public Works, Environmental Services & Facilities

**Date:** June 21, 2021

**Department:** Public Works

**Topic:** Review of vehicle maintenance provider usage.

**Background:** A Council enquiry was made at the May 2021 regular Council meeting regarding the use of Rush Truck Centre as a service provider for maintenance of some of the Township's fleet of trucks. The concern involved the higher hourly rate and transportation cost of vehicles that weren't under warranty as compared to more local service providers such as Premier Peterbilt, (Cervus).

For the period spanning May 2020 to May 2021, there was a total of 239 Work orders issued for Public works heavy equipment and Trucks which includes parts purchased and parts and labour. The three main shop labour service providers include Premier Peterbilt, Rush Truck Centre and ET Performance. Of the 239 total work orders, labour service provided by the top three mechanic service providers were follows:

	<u>Total W/O</u>	<u>W/O including labour</u>	<u>Hourly Labour Rate</u>
Premium Peterbilt	48	36	\$147.00 to \$157.00
Rush Truck Centre	29	11	\$161.00
ET Performance	23	23	\$105.00

There were an additional 6 W/O issued to Rush for work covered by warranty.



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Director of Operations