

TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL INFORMATION ITEM

Committee: Public Works, Environmental Services & Facilities

Date: July 19, 2021

Department: Fire

Topic: MTO Update

Purpose: To update Committee on MTO calls

Background: When the fire department responds to an emergency on a 400 series highway, the MTO is invoiced for each response. If emergency services are performed, the MTO will pay the Municipality a rate of \$488.40 per vehicle/hour for up to 3 vehicles unless the circumstances require more.

When submitting a claim to the MTO; all services performed, supplies used, and fire apparatus' purpose must be documented in detail. Only apparatus that perform a service qualify for payment. In the event that more than one fire department responds to an incident, only one claim can be made to the MTO. Upon payment from MTO, the host Municipality then distributes the funds as appropriate.

Services eligible for payment include; vehicle extrication, fire extinguishment and spill containment. Rendering First Aid, directing traffic and no service calls, i.e., a vehicle in the ditch with no injuries are examples of highway responses that do not qualify for payment.

2021 MTO Call Summary to June 30

REJECTED CALLS	AMOUNT	HWY	APPROVED CALLS	AMOUNT	HWY
1/5/2021	\$976.80	401	2/1/2021	\$24,908.40	416
1/6/2021	\$488.40	416	2/3/2021	\$1,953.60	401
1/16/2021	\$976.80	416	4/1/2021	\$1,809.40	401
4/6/2021	\$1,465.20	416			
6/25/2021	\$976.80	401			
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YTD Rejected Total	\$5,860.80		YTD Approved Total	\$28,671.40	

Fire Chief