

## Corporation of the County of Bruce Transportation & Environmental Services

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# **Committee Report**

To: Warden Mitch Twolan

Members of the Transportation & Environmental Services

Committee

From: Miguel Pelletier

Director of Transportation & Environmental Services

**Date:** October 17, 2019

Re: 2020 Ontario Good Roads Association (OGRA) Conference

### **Staff Recommendation:**

The report 2020 Ontario Good Roads Association (OGRA) Conference is for information.

## **Background:**

The OGRA Conference is an annual event and is held in Toronto. In 2020 the conference will be held from February 23 to February 26 at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel with the theme being "Vision for a Prosperous Tomorrow".

Members of the Transportation and Environmental Services Department, including the Operations Manager, Engineering Manager and two Forepersons are scheduled to attend the conference and participate in the many workshops and seminars. Conference accommodations are set to open on Tuesday, October 29, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

In order to provide a networking location for Members of County Council and the lower tier municipalities the Department is proposing to secure a hospitality suite.

## Financial/Staffing/Legal/IT Considerations:

The projected costs of the hospitality suite will be included in the 2020 budget under the Warden's Promotion expenditure in the Council Budget.

There are no other considerations associated with this report.

### Interdepartmental Consultation:

Office of the CAO

### Link to Strategic Goals and Elements:

9B. Coordinate concerted efforts to advance our agenda - Politicians and staff lobby associations and government in support of local policy needs

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