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**Re: Pike Road Bridge Replacement Project, Contract No. MC-2025-02
Contract Award Recommendation Letter**

This letter is to provide our review of the tenders received for Pike Road Bridge Replacement Contract No. MC-2025-02 and recommendations regarding the award of the contract. In total there were 7 tenders received for the project.

The low tender was received from Hayman Construction Inc. in the amount of \$5,429,893.97, excluding contingency allowance. Total amounts do include Provisional Items. We have reviewed the tenders received for mathematical correctness, completeness, and to confirm that the low bid does not reflect any unbalanced bidding. The tender was reviewed for completeness and unbalanced unit prices and was found to have no errors.

Hayman Construction Inc., established in 1872, has a long history in the construction industry in southwestern Ontario, specializing in infrastructure projects, including bridge construction. They are based in London and our assessment is that they have adequate staff, equipment and experience to undertake this project.

Based on our review of the tender and contractor, Hayman Construction Inc. appears to be a reputable and capable candidate for bridge construction projects, and we recommend the award of the contract to Hayman Construction Inc.

Should you require any further information or clarification please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Taylor", is written over a faint, light-colored signature line.

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