

The Corporation of the Town of Blind River
REPORT

Report of the CAO/Clerk
Boom Camp Boat Launch
June 10, 2020

RE: Boom Camp Boat Launch

PURPOSE

Liability Concerns with a Municipal Asset that require Council Direction

BACKGROUND

The Boom Camp Boat launch is an asset that is utilized frequently by fisherman and recreational boats throughout the spring, summer and fall to access the Mississauga Delta area.

The water levels on Lake Huron are extremely high and have washed away all efforts by the Public Works department to rectify the hazards that have been reported by users.

This area has not been recognized by the Town of Blind River in the 2020 budget for capital work that is going to be required therefore Council will need to allocate funds should this be considered by Council as a priority area.

RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS the water levels on Lake Huron are extremely high; AND WHEREAS the municipality owns the Boom Camp Boat Launch; AND WHEREAS the boat launch is not usable in the current condition due to the high water levels; THEREFORE be it resolved that Council direct the CAO to have a work plan developed by the Public Works department for the Boom Camp boat launch; AND THAT the Treasurer provide options for Council as to where funds can be obtained from the 2020 budget or reserves; AND THAT the report be provided to Council in at the July 13, meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathryn Scott
CAO/Clerk