

Huu-ay-aht First Nations
Report to Executive Council

Title –Capital Spending Approval-Residential Concrete work

Type of Decision – Approval

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Issue

This fiscal year there is \$23,000 budgeted for concrete sidewalks and driveways at the 3 CMHC houses. The sidewalks had to be demolished to install perimeter drains around the foundations. Our public works department realized this year that concrete is needed in the crawl spaces to complete the water problems.

Background

There are reports by Health Canada that explain the issues with the crawlspaces and that they need to be fixed from 2008. It was decided that the money would be better used to add the concrete in the crawlspace to achieve a higher height of the slab which would be above the bottom of the footings.

Discussion

The public works department is looking for spending approval for this capital expenditure due to the cost being above \$10,000.

Options

Option #1 –Approve the capital expenditure

Option #2- Do not approve the expenditure

Implications

The money is budgeted for this year. There will be no sidewalks or driveways for these houses if we approve the crawlspace work.

Recommendation

Option # 1

Decision
