



# Memorandum

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**TO:** Members of Council  
**FROM:** Deputy City Clerk Dana Earle  
**DATE:** Monday, July 25, 2022  
**SUBJECT:** **Additional Information**  
**Committee of the Whole – July 25, 2022**

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## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

### Reports of Municipal Officers

#### 1. Work Plan for Superior North EMS 2021-2030 Master Plan

Written Deputation from Mayor Jody Davis – Township of Terrace Bay dated July 22, 2022 relative to the above noted, for information.

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July 22, 2022

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~SENT VIA EMAIL~

Re: SNEMS Master Plan Consolidation of EMS bases in Schreiber-Terrace Bay

Dear Chief Gates,

Thank you for facilitating the follow-up consultation meeting in Terrace Bay on June 27, 2022. We appreciated another opportunity to be heard on the proposed SNEMS operational changes, but our community remains very concerned about the recommendations being made to Thunder Bay Council. We are cautious that a one-base solution between the communities of Schreiber and Terrace Bay, will improve service and coverage. We have stated previously that our concerns are more focused on the deployment of personnel, and they remain part of the record.

Unfortunately, with these recommendations going forward to Council for decision and seemingly beyond our control, further protest on our part is largely futile. Our only hope is that the effectiveness of the changes is closely monitored, and that analysis is shared with our communities on an ongoing basis.

Moving forward with respect to the consolidation of bases, Terrace Bay would like to express interest in construction of the new station within our municipal boundaries. With the McCausland Hospital being in our community, along with one of the largest industrial employers along the north shore, it only makes sense for the SNEMS base to continue to be located Terrace Bay. We have land available and are most definitely interested in partnering with SNEMS on this long-term project. Please do not hesitate to contact us with questions or concerns.

Regards,

Jody Davis, Mayor

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