

Municipality of East Ferris

Report to Council

Report No.: R-2026-07

Date: March 24, 2026

Originator: Antoine C. Boucher, Municipal Engineer

Subject: **Tender EF-2026-07 – Asphalt Paving - South Shore Road**

RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council for the Municipality of East Ferris awards tender EF-2026-07 - Asphalt Paving - South Shore Road to Pioneer Construction Inc. in the amount of \$ 445,677.65 including HST.

BACKGROUND

On Tuesday, March 3rd, 2026, Tender EF-2026-07 Asphalt Paving - South Shore Road was sent by invitation to potential bidders, posted on our municipal website, and advertised in the North Bay Nugget on Saturday, March 7th, 2026. The Tender closed on Thursday, March 12th, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. On the closing date, a public opening was held at 3:15 p.m. in the municipal office in the presence of Mayor Rick Champagne, Deputy Clerk Monica Hawkins, and Director of Public Works and Engineering Antoine Boucher. Members of the public also in attendance included: Melissa Hughes, Lefebvre Commercial Industrial; Melissa Johnson, Edgar Poulin Construction/Rainbow Concrete; Connor Christanson, Pioneer Construction; Aaron Coulas, Miller Paving North Bay; Terry St-Amour and Darrin Martin, Degagné Aggregates.

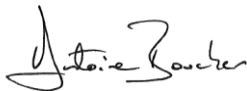
Two (2) tender packages were requested, and a total of two (2) bids were received. No addendums were issued.

ANALYSIS/OPTIONS

Bids received:	<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Price (Including HST)</u>
	Pioneer Construction Inc.	\$445,677.65
	Miller Paving Limited	\$507,138.35

The tenders were checked for errors and omissions, and none were found. The recommendation is to award the contract to the lowest bidder Pioneer Construction Inc.

Respectfully Submitted,



Antoine C. Boucher, P. Eng.
Municipal Engineer

I concur with this report and recommendation,



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