



## Amherst Town Council

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**TO:** Mayor Kogon and Members of Amherst Town Council  
**SUBMITTED BY:** Corey Crocker, Facility Coordinator  
**DATE:** February 4, 2019  
**SUBJECT:** *Ice Edger*

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**ORIGIN:** 2019/20 Capital Budget

**LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY:** 37000-01 Procurement Policy and the MGA, Section 65 (z) Power to expend money states: *"The council may expend money required by the municipality for...acquisition of equipment, materials, vehicles, machinery, apparatus, implements and plant for a municipal purpose"*.

**RECOMMENDATION:** That \$15,000 be allocated in the 2019/20 Capital Budget for replacing the ice edger currently being used to maintain ice at the Amherst Stadium.

**BACKGROUND:** The current ice edger being used is a second-hand machine but does not work effectively. There are some imperfections with the edger which affects amount of time it takes to maintain the ice with the edger. The estimated replacement cost is \$15,000.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:** Include \$15,000 in the 2019/20 Capital budget for replacement of the ice edger currently being used to maintain ice at the Amherst Stadium.

**COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:** No community engagement has been contemplated as this time.

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS:** There are no environmental implications.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE IMPLICATIONS:** There are no social justice implications.

**ALTERNATIVES:** Defer the purchase for another year.

**ATTACHMENTS:** N/A

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Report and Financial approved by:

