



# COUNCIL QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Meeting date: January 24, 2022

**1. What are the previous results of the testing of wastewater for COVID? Will there be additional testing?**

The City of Whitehorse has not previously tested wastewater for COVID-19, nor are there plans for the City to do so. The Yukon government (YG) conducted some initial tests of wastewater for COVID-19, however the results have not been shared with the City, nor are any future plans for testing by YG known, or concerns being raised at this time.

**2. For the Asphalt Surface Overlay Program budget item, is it 100% funded by YG? What is the reason for the change from last year's amount?**

A budget amendment for a new fully YG funded \$210K asphalt overlay project was authorized by Council in February 2021. The previous year, asphalt overlay project had a budget of \$200K, this project was reported to Council as being complete and under budget in March 2021 as part of the re-budget process. The two projects share a project number because they are both asphalt overlay and part of the overall program, but they are different projects with different budgets.