



TO: President Gardiner and Members of Council

FROM: Dustin Anderson, Town Manager

SUBJECT: Approval of Settlement

DATE: January 17, 2022

---

**Background**

On June 6<sup>th</sup>, a driver lost control of their vehicle and destroyed a Town-owned fire hydrant. The cost to repair this was \$5,568.31.

The driver's insurance company (Progressive) has offered a settlement of \$5,273, 59. This is \$294.72 less than the total cost to repair. The proposed 10% reduction is contemplated to reflect the salvage value of the hydrant.

Staff believes this is a fair settlement offer.

**Recommendation**

Approve the settlement between the Town of Munster and Progressive Insurance.