



VIA EMAIL ONLY

August 25, 2026

Kevin Watson, Director of Public Works and Facilities
Township of North Huron
274 Josephine Street, Box 90
Wingham, ON N0G 2W0

RE: Blyth RV Dumping Station; Tender Review

Tenders were received on Thursday August 20, 2026 for the above note project, as summarized by the following table:

Tenderer	Tendered Amount		
	No HST	Net HST (1.76%)	Full HST (13%)
Bruinsma Excavating Ltd.	\$59,592.68	\$60,641.51	\$67,339.73
VanDriel Excavating Inc.	\$58,351.31	\$59,378.29	\$65,936.98
Wellington Construction Contractors Inc.	\$86,000.00	\$87,513.60	\$97,180.00
Lavis Contracting Co. Limited	\$95,380.00	\$97,058.69	\$107,779.40
K&L Construction (Ontario) Ltd.	\$119,956.60	\$122,067.84	\$135,550.96

All of the tenders were checked, and an addition error was found with the submission from Bruinsma Excavating, whose original tender sum of \$54,898.05 was corrected to \$59,592.68 (Excl. HST). As a result of the correction, VanDriel Excavating Inc. became the lowest bidder. All tenders were properly signed, and each was submitted with the specified tender deposit and Agreement to Bond.

Since the lowest tender is acceptable contractually, and the tenderer is experienced in similar types of construction, further analysis is limited to the lowest bid. We are not aware of any reason why the contract should not be awarded to VanDriel Excavating Inc. for the total tender sum of \$58,351.31 (Excl. HST).

Please retain the tender deposits from the two low bidders until the contracts are formally signed and sent back to the preferred contractor. The other tender deposits may now be returned.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

B. M. ROSS AND ASSOCIATES LIMITED

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