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TOWNSHIP OF CARLOW/MAYO CELEBRATES THE REPLACEMENT OF THE PAPINEAU CREEK BRIDGE, NEW CARLOW ROAD

TOWNSHIP OF CARLOW/MAYO, ONTARIO – Provincial and municipal representatives gathered in the hamlet of New Carlow today to celebrate the replacement of the Papineau Creek Bridge located on New Carlow Road.

“The replacement of the Papineau Creek Bridge provides residents in New Carlow with a new steel bridge and upgraded approaches with new driving surface and guide rails. This infrastructure is a crucial means of transit for residential, commercial, emergency, and school busing traffic while encouraging tourism and recreation,” Bonnie Adams, Reeve Township of Carlow/Mayo. “We are proud to have contributed to this important infrastructure project that supported jobs in our municipality and can accommodate future growth in this community.”

“Our government is ensuring essential infrastructure investments are made to communities like New Carlow as bridges, roads, water and wastewater infrastructure are critical components to rural communities across Ontario. We’re pleased to support the building of the new bridge in New Carlow for the betterment and safety of local residents to make valuable improvements to their community.” - Jeff Leal, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs.

“Congratulations to the Township of Carlow/Mayo on the replacement of the Papineau Creek Bridge. This infrastructure project has been needed for many years, and I am pleased to see the township and its residents finally receive this necessary upgrade.” – Todd Smith, M.P.P. Prince Edward-Hastings.

“Provincial funding for this project comes from the Government of Ontario’s **Municipal Infrastructure Investment Initiative (MIII)** and has provided funding through the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs for infrastructure projects across the province. Without this support, this project would not have been possible.”

The Province of Ontario contributed \$731,342. and the Township of Carlow/Mayo contributed the balance of the total project cost of \$813,168.

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