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From: Arch Tree Farm and Landscaping of Winnipeg (Recycle Your Driveway)

Dear Council,

We would like the opportunity to offer you a solution for our city's present pothole situation. We have been successful in using our methods and materials for over 20 years. We use 2" recycled asphalt and 3/4" recycled asphalt.

2" recycled asphalt is made from crushing asphalt slabs from roads and parking lots. It stays where it is once packed, it does not track away, it repels water, is dust free and it ends up looking close to what hot asphalt looks like after repeated packing (vehicles driving over it).

3/4" recycled asphalt is made up of the fines and stone from crushing asphalt slabs from roads and parking lots. The fines and stones that are produced contain oil from the original hot asphalt, making the material the hardest packing material in aggregate that there is. 3/4" recycled asphalt repels water by bringing it to the surface and then it gets evaporated quickly from the sun as the material is black. It does not track away, is 95% dust free, and once rained on and left to dry, it hardens to the point where you won't see tire tracks. It is also safe bike over.

We are requesting a pilot project consisting of one 9 hour day (includes travel time), along with Public Services, to fix as many potholes as we can in one or more areas of Winnipeg.

Description:

The 2" material will be shoveled in the pothole, leveled and packed; topped with 3/4" material, leveled with the road.

The breakdown is as follows:

- 3 laborers, 1 flag person
- our F550 dump truck will carry 6 tonne 2" recycled asphalt and 6 tonne 3/4" recycled asphalt
- our 350 truck will pull the traffic arrow wagon and our equipment/tools

Total of \$2,552.00 + \$127.60GST = **\$2,679.60**

Thank you for the opportunity to present this letter to you.

Sincerely,

Recycle Your Driveway

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For more information: recycleyourdriveway.com