# APPENDIX I R.V. Anderson Associates Limited Structural Assessments



# **Dixie-Dundas Flood Mitigation**

Dixie Road Bridge Feasibility Report

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The purpose of this Technical Memorandum is to assess the best replacement structure for the Dixie Road Bridge. This includes evaluating the optimal structure as well as the required road work associated with said structure for each of the proposed channel options provided by Matrix. RVA is well suited to undertake this project since we can leverage our experience in structural and road design. Our team understands the project requirements for design and is confident in that our recommendations provide the best option with the information available.

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Yours very truly,

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# 1.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

An extreme rainfall event flooded the east side of the City of Mississauga on July 8, 2018. In coordination with Matrix Solutions Incorporated (Matrix) and R.V. Anderson Associates Limited (RVA), the City of Mississauga is carrying out a Feasibility Study to determine options for preventing future flooding upstream of the bridge.

Matrix have prepared three potential alternatives for the approach to flood mitigation:

**Option 1:** Channel conveyance with minimized footprint.

**Option 2:** Channel conveyance by making room for the creek.

**Option 3:** Flood containment with mitigation for upstream impacts.

RVA was tasked with proposing a conceptual replacement structure for Dixie Road Bridge for each of those options. The following sections will present the proposed replacement structure for each of the options. The span configuration for the proposed bridge structure, hydraulic improvements at the structure location, new road profile associated with each bridge option and their impacts, constructability for each option, and structure costs will be presented.

# 2.0 RECOMMENDED SPAN CONFIGURATION

The following section will present the three (3) proposed bridge span configuration to replace the existing Dixie Road Bridge crossing the Little Etobicoke Creek. Preliminary profiles for all three (3) options can be found in APPENDIX A.

# 2.1 Option 1 – Minimize footprint

The proposed span configuration for Option 1 is a 26 metres single-span precast prestressed concrete girder bridge. NU1600 girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 2.3 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be at an elevation of approximately 123.7 metres. This elevation established by Matrix Solutions would provide a 0.5 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 123.2 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would raise the current road crown vertical alignment, at the Dixie Road Bridge location, by approximately 1.7 metres.

#### 2.2 Option 2 – Making room for the creek

The proposed span configuration for Option 2 is a 45 metres two-span precast prestressed concrete girder bridge. NU900 girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to 1.6 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be located at elevation 123.1 metres. This elevation established by Matrix Solutions would provide a 0.4 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 122.7 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would raise the current alignment, at the Dixie Road Bridge location, by approximately 0.4 metres. This option would require the construction of a pier and foundation in the proposed new larger hydraulic channel.

### 2.3 Option 3 – Flood containment with mitigation for upstream impacts

The proposed span configuration for Option 3 is a 28 metres single-span precast prestressed concrete girder bridge. NU1600 girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to 2.3 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be located at elevation 124.5 metres. This elevation established by Matrix Solutions would provide a 0.4 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 124.1 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would raise the current alignment, at the Dixie Road Bridge location, by approximately 2.5 metres.

# 3.0 HYDRAULICS

The following section will explain how all three (3) options are improving the hydraulic opening at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

Like previously shown in Section 2, all three (3) options would replace the existing structure with a new structure with a longer span than the current one. Assuming 2:1 slope from the bridge abutment down to the bottom of the new improved channel, all three options would provide a significant increase to the hydraulic opening compared to the existing conditions. Table 3-1 summarizes the water elevation for all three (3) options during a 1-in-100 years storm, for the Regional Flood Level, and the elevation at the bottom the superstructure. These elevations were provided by Matrix Solution Inc. based on the hydraulic modelling of the three (3) conceptual designs.

	1-in-100 years Level	Regional Flood Level	Bottom of superstructure
Option 1	122.1 m	123.2 m	123.7 m
Option 2	122.0 m	122.7 m	123.1 m
Option 3	123.1 m	124.1 m	124.5 m

#### Table 3.1 – Critical water level for each option

Option 1, with a 26 metres span, would result in an opening of approximately 74.8 m<sup>2</sup>. With a 45 metres two-span structure, Option 2 would result in the largest hydraulic opening of all options with an area of 113.4 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be  $13.4 \text{ m}^2$  for normal water flows, then an additional 100 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. Finally, the hydraulic opening for Option 3 would be of 83.5 m<sup>2</sup>. The larger opening compared to Option 1 is due to the higher elevation of the structure and longer span, creating a larger opening.

It should be noted that all the previously mentioned areas include the freeboard elevation for climate change resiliency.

### 4.0 IMPACTS

The following section will give a brief description of the anticipated impacts for each of the proposed options.

# 4.1 Option 1 – Minimize footprint

According to RVA's conceptual design, the length of the construction zone for Option 1 would be in excess of 500 metres long. At this stage of design, the final road alignment has not yet been confirmed. With the new structure being approximately 1.7 metres higher than the existing top of roadway, significant vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. Some retaining walls would be required at specific locations to realign the road. Substantial temporary road protection shoring, including mechanically stabilized earth walls, is also expected to be required to maintain traffic during removal of existing structure, construction of new structure and realignment of the road during the different stages of construction.

# 4.2 Option 2 – Make room for the creek

The length of the construction zone for Option 2 is anticipated to be approximately 300 metres long. The small increase in elevation, especially compared to Option 1 and 3,

would require a shorter length of the existing road to be realigned vertically. At this stage, it's anticipated that no retaining walls will be required to realign the roadway and that no significant shoring will be required as well. Excavation to increase the hydraulic opening for the Little Etobicoke Creek will require more effort compared to Option 1 and 3. Minimal road protection shoring is anticipated with this option in order to stage construction while maintaining traffic.

### 4.3 Option 3 – Flood containment with mitigation for upstream impacts

At this stage, the construction zone for Option 3 is estimated to be in excess of 600 metres long. The final value could be much larger as the new propose structure would be 2.3 metres higher than existing top of roadway. Significant vertical road realignment over a long distance would be required to bring the roadway to the new structure height. Some retaining walls would be required at specific locations to realign the road. Substantial temporary road protection shoring, including mechanically stabilized earth walls, is also expected to be required to maintain traffic during removal of existing structure, construction of new structure and realignment of the road during the different stages of construction.

# 5.0 CONSTRUCTABILITY

All three (3) options presented would be constructed using a staged approach. This approach is required to maintain a minimum of four lanes of traffic and a left-turning lane throughout the construction of the new structure. Three main stages would be required to construct the new structure while maintaining an acceptable level of traffic on Dixie road. The three proposed stages are as follows:

- Stage 1. Traffic will be moved on the western two thirds of the existing bridge. Proper traffic control would be implemented and the eastern third of the existing bridge would be demolished and removed. The first third of the new structure would then be constructed all the while maintaining traffic on the remaining two thirds of the existing structure.
- **Stage 2.** Once Stage 1 is completed, traffic will be diverted onto the first third of the new structure and the western third of the existing structure. The middle section of the existing bridge will be demolished and removed. The middle third of the new structure will be constructed.
- **Stage 3.** Once Stage 2 is completed, traffic will be diverted on the eastern two third of the new structure. The remaining section of the existing structure will be demolished and removed. The final third of the new structure would

then be constructed, and traffic allowed on the full structure once Stage 3 was completed.

Following the opening of the completed new Dixie Road Bridge, channel work as well as site work could be completed while maintaining a safe work site for the workers and the through traffic.

All three (3) options will require the existing channel to be excavated to create a larger hydraulic opening.

The road elevation at the location of the structure will be raised by approximately 1.7 metres for Option 1, and by about 2.5 metres for Option 3. This difference in elevation between the new road alignment and the existing will require some shoring to be in place during the staged construction to stabilize the new higher embankment next to the existing road until the construction is over. Having proper shoring in place while maintaining adequate lane width for the traffic will be an additional challenge for these two options.

Option 2 will require a bridge pier to be constructed in the newly excavated channel to support to the two spans of the structure. This pier and its foundation will require access to construction equipment to bottom. Since the road alignment will only be raised by 0.4m, it is anticipated that minimum or no shoring will be required to retain the new road embankment during construction.

# 6.0 COST ESTIMATE

Based on the proposed geometry for the three (3) options, a preliminary cost estimate was prepared for each new structure. Table 6-1 presents a high-level cost estimates for all three structures. The cost presented in Table 6-1 includes the new replacement structure as well the anticipated items required for the realign the existing road with the new bridge structure. A preliminary breakdown of the items and cost can be found in Appendix B.

	Configuration	Cost
Option 1	One span, 26m	\$ 7,600,000
Option 2	Two spans, 45m	\$ 5,400,000
Option 3	One span, 28m	\$ 8,400,000

#### Table 6.1 – Cost estimate for three (3) options.

# 7.0 SUMMARY AND PREFERRED OPTION

As discussed previously in this report, all three options presented increased the hydraulic opening to various degrees. While Options 1 and 3 involved a smaller bridge structure, it was noted that the impact on the surrounding area would be much larger compared to Option 2. The increase in final elevation for the roadway would require significant vertical road realignment compared to Option 2 and in turn increase the cost of Options 1 and 3. Table 7-1 summarizes the differences between the three (3) proposed options.

	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Span configuration	1 Span – 26 m	2 Spans – 45 m	1 Span – 28 m
Freeboard	0.5 m	0.4 m	0.4 m
Hydraulic opening	74.8 m <sup>2</sup>	113.4 m <sup>2</sup>	83.5 m <sup>2</sup>
Constructability	Standard	Standard	Standard
Impact	Large	Small	Largest
Price	\$ 7,600,000	\$ 5,400,000	\$ 8,200,000

#### Table 7.1 – Comparison of the three (3) options

After evaluating all three options, RVA believes that the two-span structure (Option 2) is the best option. When comparing all three proposed option, it becomes clear that Option 2 present the best value. The shallower superstructure will provide the least impact on the vicinity of the project while also providing the largest hydraulic opening as well as the lowest cost.

The next step of this project will be to proceed with the Environmental Assessment (EA). Each option will be evaluated, with input from the public and regulatory agencies, to select the preferred option. Once the preferred option has been chosen, the project will move forward with the preliminary design. Appendix A

# ALIGNMENTS







Appendix B

# **COST ESTIMATE**

BRIDGE STRUCTURE			(	Option 1		Option 2		Option 3
	UNIT	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL
Dewatering & Shoring	LS	\$40,000	1	\$40,000.00	1	\$40,000.00	1	\$40,000.00
Demolish Existing Bridge (in three stages)	LS	\$500,000	1	\$500,000.00	1	\$500,000.00	1	\$500,000.00
Piles	m	\$400	1200	\$480,000.00	1200	\$480,000.00	1200	\$480,000.00
Concrete in Piers	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,700	0	\$	120	\$204,000.00		\$
Concrete in Abutment	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,700	550	\$935,000.00	500	\$850,000.00	650	\$1,105,000.00
Concrete in Wing Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,700	100	\$170,000.00	50	\$85,000.00	150	\$255,000.00
Backfill to Structure	m <sup>3</sup>	\$90	2500	\$225,000.00	500	\$45,000.00	3000	\$270,000.00
Bearings	ea	\$800	34	\$27,200.00	51	\$40,800.00	34	\$27,200.00
Precast Girders	LS	-	1	\$442,000.00	1	\$573,750.00	1	\$476,000.00
Concrete in Deck, Diaphragms and Approach Slabs	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,700	450	\$765,000.00	750	\$1,275,000.00	480	\$816,000.00
Sidewalks on Bridge	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,700	70	\$119,000.00	120	\$204,000.00	80	\$136,000.00
Bridge Deck Waterproofing	m²	\$50	780	\$39,000.00	1350	\$67,500.00	820	\$41,000.00
Parapet Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$2,500	13	\$32,500.00	22	\$55,000.00	14	\$35,000.00
Railings	m	\$500	52	\$26,000.00	90	\$45,000.00	54	\$27,000.00
Paving - HL1	tn	\$110	126	\$13,860.00	220	\$24,200.00	136	\$14,960.00
TOTAL FOR BRIDGE STRUCTURE				\$3,814,560.00		\$4,489,250.00		\$4,223,160.00

Roads / Civil	UNIT	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL
Temporary Roadway Protection - TL-2	LS	\$40,000	1	\$500,000.00	1	\$100,000.00	1	\$600,000.00
Excavation	LS	\$100	7500	\$750,000.00	750	\$75,000.00	8500	\$850,000.00
Fill	tn	\$15	38000	\$570,000.00	3800	\$57,000.00	38000	\$570,000.00
Granular A and B for Roadway	tn	\$20	12960	\$259,200.00	6480	\$129,600.00	12960	\$259,200.00
Asphalt (Top and Base)	tn	\$95	3420	\$324,900.00	1710	\$162,450.00	3420	\$324,900.00
Curb, Gutter and Subdrain	m3	\$75	800	\$60,000.00	400	\$30,000.00	800	\$60,000.00
MH and CB Structures	ea	\$3,000	16	\$48,000.00	8	\$24,000.00	16	\$48,000.00
Top Soil and Sod	m2	\$6	3200	\$19,200.00	1600	\$9,600.00	3200	\$19,200.00
Guiderails	m	\$150	450	\$67,500.00	750	\$112,500.00	450	\$67,500.00
Biowalls / Retaining Walls	m2	\$750	350	\$262,500.00	0	\$	500	\$375,000.00
Traffic Staging / Control	LS	-	1	\$150,000.00	1	\$75,000.00	1	\$200,000.00
Erosion and Sediment Controls	LS	-	1	\$50,000.00	1	\$25,000.00	1	\$50,000.00
Utility Relocations (mainly o/h hydro)	LS	-	1	\$700,000.00	1	\$150,000.00	1	\$700,000.00
Trees / Plantings	LS	-	1	\$30,000.00	1	\$10,000.00	1	\$30,000.00
TOTAL FOR ROADS / CIVIL				\$3,791,300.00		\$960,150.00		\$4,153,800.00

	TOTAL AMOUNT	\$7,605,860.00	\$5,449,400.00	\$8,376,960.00
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Matrix has prepared three potential alternatives for the approach to flood mitigation:

**Option 1:** 25 m span with downstream floodplain conveyance improvements.

**Option 2:** 38 m span without downstream floodplain conveyance improvements.

**Option 3:** 38 m span with downstream floodplain conveyance improvements.

RVA was tasked with proposing a conceptual replacement structure for the Dundas Street Bridge for each of those options. The following sections will present the proposed replacement structure for each of the options. The span configuration for the proposed bridge structure, hydraulic improvements at the structure location, new road profile associated with each bridge option and their impacts, constructability for each option, and structure costs will be presented.

# 2.0 RECOMMENDED SPAN CONFIGURATION

The following section will present the three (3) proposed bridge span configuration to replace the existing Dundas Street Bridge crossing the Little Etobicoke Creek . Preliminary profiles for all three (3) options can be found in APPENDIX A.

The configuration for each bridge option assumes that the bridge is built out to the ultimate required widening to accommodate the Dundas BRT, a width of approximately 43 metres.

# 2.1 Option 1 – 25 m Span With Downstream Floodplain Conveyance Improvements

The proposed span configuration for Option 1 is a 25-metre single-span precast prestressed concrete box girder bridge. B900 box girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 1.6 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be at an elevation of approximately 115.3 metres. This option would raise the current road crown vertical alignment, at the Dundas Street Bridge location, by approximately 0.75 metres.

# 2.2 Option 2 – 38 m Span Without Downstream Floodplain Conveyance Improvements

The proposed span configuration for Option 2 is a 38 metres three-span precast prestressed concrete box-girder bridge. B700 box-girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to 1.37 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be located at elevation 115.2 metres. This option would raise the current alignment, at the Dundas Street Bridge location, by approximately 0.5 metres. This option would require the construction of a pier and foundation in the proposed new larger hydraulic channel.

# 2.3 Option 3 – 38 m Span With Downstream Floodplain Conveyance Improvements

The proposed span configuration for Option 3 is a 38 metres three-span precast prestressed concrete box-girder bridge. B700 box-girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to 1.37 metres. The bottom of the new superstructure would be located at elevation 114.8 metres. This option would raise the current alignment, at the Dundas Street Bridge location, by approximately 0.2 metres. This option would require the construction of a pier and foundation in the proposed new larger hydraulic channel.

# 3.0 HYDRAULICS

The following section will explain how all three (3) options are improving the hydraulic opening at the Dundas Street Bridge location.

Like previously shown in Section 2, all three (3) options would replace the existing structure with a new structure with a longer span than the current one. Assuming 2:1 slope from the bridge abutment down to the bottom of the new improved channel, all three options would provide a significant increase to the hydraulic opening compared to the existing conditions. Table 3-1 summarizes the water elevation for all three (3) options during a 1-in-100 years storm, for the Regional Flood Level, and the elevation at the bottom the superstructure. These elevations were provided by Matrix Solution Inc. based on the hydraulic modelling of the three (3) conceptual designs.

	1-in-100 years + 1m Level	Regional Flood Level	Bottom of superstructure
Option 1	115.1 m	115.3 m	115.3 m
Option 2	115.2 m	115.2 m	115.2 m
Option 3	114.8 m	114.8 m	114.8 m

Table 3.1 – Critical water level for each option

Option 1, with a 25-metre span, would result in a hydraulic opening of approximately 52 m<sup>2</sup>. With a 38 metres three-spans structure, Option 2 would result in a hydraulic opening of approximately  $89m^2$ . This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be  $22 m^2$  for normal water flows, then an additional 67 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. Finally, the hydraulic opening for Option 3 would be of 76 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be  $22 m^2$  for normal water flows, then an 30 mould be of 76 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be  $22 m^2$  for normal water flows, then an additional 54 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events.

It should be noted that all the previously mentioned areas for Option 2 and 3 does not consider the reduction in cross-sectional area due to the concrete piers.

# 4.0 IMPACTS

The following section will give a brief description of the anticipated impacts for each of the proposed options. It should be noted that the final road alignments have not yet been confirmed.

# 4.1 Option 1

According to the conceptual design, the length of the construction zone for Option 1 would be approximately 190 metres in length. With the new structure being approximately 0.75 metres higher than the existing top of roadway, some vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. Some small retaining walls or additional property may be required west of the structure on the north and south sides to maintain the impact of the new structure to the right-of-way. Some temporary road protection shoring may be required to maintain traffic during removal of existing structure, construction of new structure and realignment of the road during the different stages of construction.

# 4.2 **Option 2**

The length of the construction zone for Option 2 is anticipated to be approximately 140 metres in length. With the new structure being approximately 0.5 metres higher than the existing top of roadway, some vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. Some small retaining walls or additional property may be required west of the structure on the north and south side to maintain the impact of the new structure to the right-of-way. Minimal road protection shoring is anticipated with this option for stage construction while maintaining traffic.

# 4.3 Option 3

At this stage, the construction zone for Option 3 is estimated to be approximately 70 metres in length. A small vertical profile raise would be required to bring the roadway to the new structure height. No retaining walls would be required at specific locations to realign the road. No road protection shoring is expected to be required to maintain traffic during removal of existing structure, construction of new structure and realignment of the road during the different stages of construction.

# 5.0 CONSTRUCTABILITY

All three (3) options presented would be constructed using a staged approach. This approach is required to maintain a minimum of three lanes of traffic throughout the construction of the new structure. Three main stages would be required to construct the new structure while maintaining an acceptable level of traffic on Dundas Street. The three proposed stages are as follows:

- Stage 1. Traffic will be moved on the northern two thirds of the existing bridge. Proper traffic control would be implemented and the southern third of the existing bridge would be demolished and removed. The first third of the new structure would then be constructed all the while maintaining traffic on the remaining two thirds of the existing structure.
- Stage 2. Once Stage 1 is completed, traffic will be diverted onto the first third of the new structure and the northern third of the existing structure. The middle section of the existing bridge will be demolished and removed. The middle third of the new structure will be constructed.
- **Stage 3.** Once Stage 2 is completed, traffic will be diverted on the southern two thirds of the new structure. The remaining section of the existing structure will be demolished and removed. The final third of the new structure

would then be constructed, and traffic allowed on the full structure once Stage 3 was completed.

Following the opening of the completed new Dundas Street Bridge, channel work as well as site work could be completed while maintaining a safe work site for the workers and the through traffic.

All three (3) options will require the existing channel to be excavated to create a larger hydraulic opening.

The road elevation at the location of the structure will be raised by approximately 0.75 metres for Option 1, and by about 0.5 metres for Option 2. This difference in elevation between the new road alignment and the existing, for Option 1, may require some additional shoring to be in place during the staged construction to stabilize the new higher embankment next to the existing road until the construction is over.

Option 2 and 3 will require bridge piers to be constructed in the newly excavated channel to support to the two spans of the structure. This pier and its foundation will require access to construction equipment to bottom. Since the road alignment will only be raised by 0.5 m and 0.2 m respectively, it is anticipated that minimal or no shoring will be required to retain the new road embankment during construction.

# 6.0 COST ESTIMATE

Based on the proposed geometry for the three (3) options, a preliminary cost estimate was prepared for each new structure. Table 6-1 presents a high-level cost estimates for all three structures. The cost presented in Table 6-1 includes the new replacement structure built out to the ultimate 43 metre width to accommodate the Dundas BRT, as well the anticipated items required for the realign the existing road with the new bridge structure. A preliminary breakdown of the items and cost can be found in Appendix B.

	Configuration	Cost
Option 1	One span, 25m	\$ 7,800,000
Option 2	Three spans, 38m	\$ 9,300,000
Option 3	Three spans, 38m	\$ 8,800,000

#### Table 6.1 – Cost estimate for three (3) options.

# 7.0 SUMMARY AND PREFERRED OPTION

As discussed previously in this report, all three options presented increased the hydraulic opening to various degrees. While Option 1 involves a smaller bridge structure,

it was noted that the impacted area would larger compared to Option 2 and Option 3. The increase in final elevation for the roadway would require greater vertical road realignment compared to Option 2 and in turn increase the cost of the roadworks for Option 1. The overall cost for Option 1 remains the lowest when the smaller structure costs are considered. Table 7-1 summarizes the differences between the three (3) proposed options.

	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Span configuration	1 Span – 25 m	3 Spans – 38 m	3 Spans – 38 m
Freeboard	0.0 m	0.0 m	0.0 m
Hydraulic opening	52 m <sup>2</sup>	89 m²	76 m <sup>2</sup>
Constructability	Standard	Standard	Standard
Impacted Area	Medium	Smaller	Smallest
Price	\$ 7,800,000	\$ 9,300,000	\$ 8,800,000

#### Table 7.1 – Comparison of the three (3) options

After evaluating all three options, RVA believes that the Option 1 (25 metre single-span structure with downstream floodplain conveyance improvements) is the lowest cost option. The difference in price should be weighed against the impacts on costs of channel works to determine the best option. The single span option will provide a significant increase in hydraulic opening as well as the lowest cost. It should also be noted that the single span structure would also have the lowest long-term maintenance costs.

The next step of this project will be to proceed with the Environmental Assessment (EA). Each option will be evaluated, with input from the public and regulatory agencies, to select the preferred option. Once the preferred option has been chosen, the project will move forward with the preliminary design. Appendix A

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OPTION 1 - 25 m SPAN LENGHT WITH DOWNSTREAM FLOODPLAIN CONVEYANCE IMPROVEMENTS CONCEPTUAL DUNDAS STREET EAST CROSSING

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#### CITY OF MISSISSAUGA DIXIE-DUNDAS FLOOD MITIGATION

OPTION 2 - 38 m SPAN LENGHT WITHOUT DOWNSTREAM FLOODPLAIN CONVEYANCE IMPROVEMENTS

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Appendix B

# **COST ESTIMATE**

BRIDGE STRUCTURE			(	Option 1	C	Option 2	C	ption 3
	UNIT	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL
Dewatering & Shoring	LS	\$40,000	1	\$40,000.00	1	\$40,000.00	1	\$40,000.00
Demolish Existing Bridge (in three stages)	LS	\$500,000	1	\$500,000.00	1	\$500,000.00	1	\$500,000.00
Piles	m	\$450	1600	\$720,000.00	1600	\$720,000.00	1600	\$720,000.00
Concrete in Piers	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,800	0	-	165	\$297,000.00	165	\$297,000.00
Concrete in Abutment	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,800	760	\$1,368,000.00	760	\$1,368,000.00	760	\$1,368,000.00
Concrete in Wing Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,800	50	\$90,000.00	50	\$90,000.00	50	\$90,000.00
Backfill to Structure	m <sup>3</sup>	\$95	500	\$48,000.00	500	\$48,000.00	500	\$48,000.00
Bearings	ea	\$850	72	\$61,000.00	144	\$122,000.00	144	\$122,000.00
Precast Girders	LS	-	1	\$2,340,000.00	1	\$3,557,000.00	1	\$3,557,000.00
Concrete in Deck, Diaphragms and Approach Slabs	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,800	407	\$733,000.00	545	\$981,000.00	545	\$981,000.00
Sidewalks on Bridge	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,800	78	\$140,000.00	102	\$184,000.00	102	\$184,000.00
Bridge Deck Waterproofing	m²	\$55	1020	\$56,000.00	1790	\$99,000.00	1790	\$98,000.00
Parapet Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$2,600	24	\$62,000.00	32	\$83,000.00	32	\$83,000.00
Railings	m	\$600	76	\$46,000.00	102	\$61,000.00	102	\$61,000.00
Paving - HL1	tn	\$120	301	\$36,000.00	403	\$48,000.00	403	\$48,000.00
TOTAL FOR BRIDGE STRUCTURE				\$6,240,000.00		\$8,198,000.00		\$8,197,000.00

ROADS / CIVIL			(	Option 1	(	Option 2	C	option 3
	UNIT	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL
Temporary Roadway Protection - TL-2	LS	\$40,000	1	\$100,000.00	1	\$80,000.00	1	-
Excavation	LS	-	1	\$290,000.00	1	\$180,000.00	1	\$70,000.00
Fill	tn	\$17	6100	\$105,000.00	2300	\$40,000.00	200	\$5,000.00
Granular A and B for Roadway	tn	\$22	7700	\$169,000.00	4700	\$104,000.00	1500	\$33,000.00
Asphalt (Top and Base)	tn	\$95	1650	\$157,000.00	1020	\$97,000.00	320	\$30,000.00
Curb, Gutter and Subdrain	m	\$80	330	\$26,000.00	200	\$16,000.00	40	\$3,000.00
Sidewalks	m2	\$75	1320	\$99,000.00	820	\$62,000.00	260	\$20,000.00
MH and CB Structures	ea	\$3,300	11	\$36,000.00	8	\$26,000.00	2	\$7,000.00
Top Soil and Sod	m2	\$7	1520	\$11,000.00	1120	\$8,000.00	560	\$4,000.00
Guiderails	m	\$1,800	150	\$270,000.00	120	\$216,000.00	90	\$162,000.00
Biowalls / Retaining Walls	m2	\$800	50	\$40,000.00	20	\$16,000.00	0	-
Traffic Staging / Control	LS	-	1	\$150,000.00	1	\$150,000.00	1	\$100,000.00
Erosion and Sediment Controls	LS	-	13	\$40,000.00	22	\$30,000.00	13	\$20,000.00
Utility Relocations (mainly o/h hydro)	LS	-	1	\$100,000.00	1	\$100,000.00	1	\$100,000.00
Trees / Plantings	LS	-	126	\$30,000.00	220	\$20,000.00	126	\$10,000.00
TOTAL FOR ROADS / CIVIL				\$1,623,000.00		\$1,145,000.00		\$564,000.00

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# **Dixie-Dundas Flood Mitigation**

Dixie Road Bridge Feasibility Report

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#### Attention: Ms. Amanda McKay, P.Eng., PMP

Dear Ms. McKay:

Re: Dixie Road Bridge Feasibility Review

**R.V. Anderson Associates Limited (RVA)** is pleased to submit this Technical Memorandum draft to **Matrix Solutions Inc. (Matrix)** regarding the above project.

The purpose of this Technical Memorandum is to assess the best replacement structure for the Dixie Road Bridge. This includes evaluating the optimal structure as well as the required road work associated with said structure for each of the proposed channel options provided by Matrix. RVA is well suited to undertake this project since we can leverage our experience in structural and road design. Our team understands the project requirements for design and is confident in that our recommendations provide the best option with the information available.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any further questions or comments.

Yours very truly,

# R.V. ANDERSON ASSOCIATES LIMITED

David O'Sullivan, P.Eng., PMP Principal, Structural Engineer



# Dixie-Dundas Flood Mitigation Dixie Road Bridge Feasibility Report

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# 1.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

An extreme rainfall event flooded the east side of the City of Mississauga on July 8, 2013. In coordination with Matrix Solutions Incorporated (Matrix) and R.V. Anderson Associates Limited (RVA), the City of Mississauga is carrying out a Environmental Assessment to determine options for preventing future flooding upstream of the bridge.

Matrix have prepared four potential alternatives for the approach to flood mitigation:

Option 1: 38 m Total Span, Two Spans – B800 Girders
Option 2: 45 m Total Span, Two Spans – B800 Girders
Option 3: 50 m Total Span, Three Spans – B800 Girders
Option 4: 55 m Total Span, Three Spans – B800 Girders

RVA was tasked with proposing a conceptual replacement structure for Dixie Road Bridge for each of those options. The following sections will present the proposed replacement structure for each of the options. The span configuration for the proposed bridge structure, hydraulic improvements at the structure location, new road profile associated with each bridge option and their impacts, constructability for each option, and structure costs will be presented.

# 2.0 RECOMMENDED SPAN CONFIGURATION

The following section will present the four (4) proposed bridge span configuration to replace the existing Dixie Road Bridge crossing the Little Etobicoke Creek. Preliminary profiles for all four (4) options can be found in APPENDIX A.

# 2.1 Option 1 – 38 m Total Span, Two Spans

The proposed span configuration for Option 1 is a 38 metres two-span precast prestressed concrete box girder bridge. B800 box girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 1.5 metres. The minimum soffit elevation of the new superstructure would be approximately 122.8 metres. This elevation, established by Matrix Solutions, would provide a 0.5 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 122.3 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would allow for the current road crown vertical alignment to be maintained at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

### 2.2 Option 2 – 45 m Total Span, Two Spans

The proposed span configuration for Option 2 is a 45 metres two-span precast prestressed concrete box girder bridge. B800 box girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 1.5 metres. The minimum soffit elevation of the new superstructure would be approximately 122.8 metres. This elevation, established by Matrix Solutions, would provide a 0.5 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 122.3 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would allow for the current road crown vertical alignment to be maintained at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

# 2.3 Option 3 - 50 m Total Span, Three Spans

The proposed span configuration for Option 3 is a 50 metres three-span precast prestressed concrete box girder bridge. B800 box girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 1.5 metres. The minimum soffit elevation of the new superstructure would be approximately 122.8 metres. This elevation, established by Matrix Solutions, would provide a 0.5 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 122.3 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would allow for the current road crown vertical alignment to be maintained at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

# 2.4 Option 4 – 55 m Total Span, Three Spans

The proposed span configuration for Option 4 is a 55 metres three-span precast prestressed concrete box girder bridge. B800 box girders would be used for the superstructure, bringing the depth of the new superstructure to approximately 1.5 metres. The minimum soffit elevation of the new superstructure would be approximately 122.8 metres. This elevation, established by Matrix Solutions, would provide a 0.5 metre freeboard for climate change resiliency above the regional flood level of 122.3 metres and would meet current CAN/CSA-S6-14 requirements. This option would allow for the current road crown vertical alignment to be maintained at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

# 3.0 HYDRAULICS

The following section will explain how all four (4) options are improving the hydraulic opening at the Dixie Road Bridge location.

Like previously shown in Section 2, all four (4) options would replace the existing structure with a new structure with a longer span than the current one. Assuming 2:1 slope from the bridge abutment down to the bottom of the new improved channel, all four options would provide a significant increase to the hydraulic opening compared to the

existing conditions. Table 3-1 summarizes the water elevation for all four (4) options during a 1-in-100 years storm, for the Regional Flood Level, and the elevation at the bottom the superstructure. These elevations were provided by Matrix Solution Inc. based on the hydraulic modelling of the four (4) conceptual designs.

	Regional Flood Level	Bottom of superstructure
Option 1 - Two spans, 38m	122.31 m	122.81 m
Option 2 - Two spans, 45m	122.29 m	122.79 m
Option 3 - Three spans, 50m	122.30 m	122.80 m
Option 4 - Three spans, 55m	122.30 m	122.80 m

#### Table 3.1 – Critical water level for each option

Option 1, with a 38 metres span, would result in an opening of approximately 162 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be 10.8 m<sup>2</sup> for normal water flows, then an additional 152 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. Option 2, with a 45 metres two-span structure, would result in an opening of approximately 194 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be 12.75m<sup>2</sup> for normal water flows, then an additional 181 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. Option 3, with a 50 metres span, would result in an opening of approximately capacity during storm events. Option 3, with a 50 metres span, would result in an opening of approximately 211 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> for normal water flows, then an additional 198 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. Finally, the hydraulic opening for Option 4 would be of 233 m<sup>2</sup>. This area is divided in two sections, one for the smaller channel at the bottom of the creek which would be 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> for normal water flows, then an additional 219 m<sup>2</sup> capacity during storm events. The larger opening compared to Option 1 is due to the higher elevation of the structure and longer span, creating a larger opening.

It should be noted that all the previously mentioned areas include the freeboard elevation for climate change resiliency.

# 4.0 IMPACTS

The following section will give a brief description of the anticipated impacts for each of the proposed options.

# 4.1 Option 1 – 38 m Total Span, Two Spans

According to RVA's conceptual design, the existing road profile is maintained with this option. No vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. The use of large retaining walls and/or property acquisition would be avoided with this option unless capital improvements such as road widening or active transportation upgrades are added.

### 4.2 Option 2 – 45 m Total Span, Two Spans

According to RVA's conceptual design, the existing road profile is maintained with this option. No vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. The use of large retaining walls and/or property acquisition would be avoided with this option unless capital improvements such as road widening or active transportation upgrades are added.

### 4.3 Option 3 – 50 m Total Span, Three Spans

According to RVA's conceptual design, the existing road profile is maintained with this option. No vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. The use of large retaining walls and/or property acquisition would be avoided with this option unless capital improvements such as road widening or active transportation upgrades are added.

#### 4.4 Option 4 – 55 m Total Span, Three Spans

According to RVA's conceptual design, the existing road profile is maintained with this option. No vertical road realignment would be required to match the existing road to the new structure. The use of large retaining walls and/or property acquisition would be avoided with this option unless capital improvements such as road widening or active transportation upgrades are added.

# 5.0 CONSTRUCTABILITY

All four (4) options presented would be constructed using a staged approach. This approach is required to maintain a minimum of four lanes of traffic and potentially a left-turning lane (if required) throughout the construction of the new structure. Three main stages would be required to construct the new structure while maintaining an acceptable level of traffic on Dixie road. The three proposed stages are as follows:

Stage 1. Traffic will be moved on the western two thirds of the existing bridge. Proper traffic control would be implemented and the eastern third of the existing bridge would be demolished and removed. The first third of the new structure would then be constructed all the while maintaining traffic on the remaining two thirds of the existing structure.

- Stage 2. Once Stage 1 is completed, traffic will be diverted onto the first third of the new structure and the western third of the existing structure. The middle section of the existing bridge will be demolished and removed. The middle third of the new structure will be constructed.
- **Stage 3.** Once Stage 2 is completed, traffic will be diverted on the eastern two third of the new structure. The remaining section of the existing structure will be demolished and removed. The final third of the new structure would then be constructed, and traffic allowed on the full structure once Stage 3 was completed.

Following the opening of the completed new Dixie Road Bridge, channel work as well as site work could be completed while maintaining a safe work site for the workers and the through traffic.

All four (4) options will require the existing channel to be excavated to create a larger hydraulic opening.

The road elevation at the location of the structure will not be raised for any of the four options. And therefore, no complex road protection shoring staging will be needed to accommodate a grade raise.

# 6.0 COST ESTIMATE

Based on the proposed geometry for the four (4) options, a preliminary cost estimate was prepared for each new structure. Table 6-1 presents a high-level cost estimates for all three structures. The cost presented in Table 6-1 includes the new replacement structure as well the anticipated items required for the realign the existing road with the new bridge structure. A preliminary breakdown of the items and cost can be found in Appendix B.

	Configuration	Cost
Option 1	Two spans, 38m	\$ 4,800,000
Option 2	Two spans, 45m	\$ 5,300,000
Option 3	Three spans, 50m	\$ 5,900,000
Option 4	Three spans, 55m	\$ 6,300,000

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# 7.0 SUMMARY AND PREFERRED OPTION

As discussed previously in this report, all four options presented increased the hydraulic opening to various degrees. The costs of the various options are primarily driven by the size of the required bridge with each option. Prior to reaching these four options, a longer list of options were originally being considered which would raise the road profile. By avoiding any profile raise, the short list of four options presented below have relatively minor influence from road and civil works at the bridge approaches when compared to earlier considered options which required a profile raise.

	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4
Span configuration	2 Spans – 38 m	2 Spans – 45 m	3 Spans – 50 m	3 Spans – 55 m
Freeboard	0.5 m	0.5 m	0.5 m	0.5 m
Hydraulic opening	162 m <sup>2</sup>	194 m <sup>2</sup>	211 m <sup>2</sup>	233 m <sup>2</sup>
Constructability	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium
Price	\$ 4,800,000	\$ 5,300,000	\$ 5,900,000	\$ 6,300,000

# Table 7.1 – Comparison of the four (4) options

After evaluating all four options, RVA believes that the choice of bridge size and span should be weighed against hydraulic considerations. By using the shallow superstructure of either the B800 girders or NU900 girders, the high costs of raising the roadway profile are mitigated. The costs presented in this report for the different bridge options can be used for comparison purposes in making the decision for the channel configuration.

Appendix A

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Appendix B

# **COST ESTIMATE**

BRIDGE STRUCTURE			Opti	on 1 - 38m	Option 2 – 45m		n Option 3 – 50m		Option 4 – 55m	
	UNIT	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL	QTY	TOTAL
Dewatering & Shoring	LS	\$45,000	1	\$45,000.00	1	\$45,000.00	1	\$45,000.00	1	\$45,000.00
Demolish Existing Bridge (in three stages)	LS	\$580,000	1	\$580,000.00	1	\$580,000.00	1	\$580,000.00	1	\$580,000.00
Piles	m	\$450	1200	\$540,000.00	1200	\$540,000.00	1200	\$540,000.00	1200	\$540,000.00
Concrete in Piers	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,900	120	\$228,000.00	120	\$228,000.00	240	\$456,000.00	240	\$456,000.00
Concrete in Abutment	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,900	500	\$950,000.00	500	\$950,000.00	500	\$950,000.00	500	\$950,000.00
Concrete in Wing Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,900	50	\$95,000.00	50	\$95,000.00	50	\$95,000.00	50	\$95,000.00
Backfill to Structure	m <sup>3</sup>	\$100	500	\$50,000.00	500	\$50,000.00	500	\$50,000.00	500	\$50,000.00
Bearings	ea	\$900	68	\$61,200.00	68	\$61,200.00	102	\$91,800.00	102	\$91,800.00
Precast Girders	LS	-	1	\$730,000.00	1	\$860,000.00	1	\$1,050,000.00	1	\$1,150,000.00
Concrete in Deck, Diaphragms and Approach Slabs	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,900	630	\$1,197,000.00	750	\$1,425,000.00	830	\$1,577,000.00	920	\$1,748,000.00
Sidewalks on Bridge	m <sup>3</sup>	\$1,900	101	\$191,900.00	120	\$228,000.00	133	\$252,700.00	147	\$279,300.00
Bridge Deck Waterproofing	m²	\$60	1140	\$68,400.00	1350	\$81,000.00	1500	\$90,000.00	1650	\$99,000.00
Parapet Walls	m <sup>3</sup>	\$2,800	19	\$53,200.00	22	\$61,600.00	24	\$67,200.00	26	\$72,800.00
Railings	m	\$600	76	\$45,600.00	90	\$54,000.00	100	\$60,000.00	110	\$66,000.00
Paving - HL1	tn	\$130	186	\$24,180.00	220	\$28,600.00	244	\$31,720.00	269	\$34,955.56
TOTAL FOR BRIDGE STRUCTURE				\$4,859,480.00		\$5,287,400.00		\$5,936,420.00		\$6,257,855.56