

Request for Council's Consideration		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Included on Agenda (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Thursday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Added Item (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Monday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Request from the Floor
Date of Council Meeting: Tuesday, September 5, 2017		
Subject: Windsor Junction Hantsport Railway – Rails to Trails Active Transportation		
Motion for Regional Council to consider: THAT Halifax Regional Council: Request a staff report on the feasibility of developing an active transportation facility on the corridor of the Windsor and Hantsport Railway that includes information on the potential cost, property permission options, implementation options, and connectivity to the active transportation network in Halifax and the Municipality of the District of East Hants. Reason: The 2014-2019 Halifax Active Priorities Plan identified the acquisition of the Windsor Junction - Hantsport railway line for a future greenway corridor and to make connections to existing and planned trails. It noted to secure land rights for a future greenway should the property become available for acquisition. It appears that is now the case with local trails organizations talking with Hants County elected officials about their plans for the abandoned railway line. Outcome Sought: Update on the current status of the abandoned railway line, and HRM's action required relative to the 2014-2019 Halifax Active Priorities Plan.		
<i>Deputy Mayor, Councillor Steve Craig</i>		<i>District 15</i>