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**Subject:** FW: railbed project

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From: Greg Grant

Sent: Monday, September 16, 2024 1:35 PM

To: Alana Tapper <atapper@easthants.ca>

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Dear Council

On behalf of the East Hants Multi-use Trails Association, I am filling out an application for the Driftclimbers Snowmobile Club to redirect money from a project they can't proceed with to go towards the railbed. It will be for \$180,000 if it all goes well with no in-kind needed from the Municipality. Understanding that we have sent a request to Council to enter into an agreement with East Hants to develop and maintain the old DAR line, we would be looking for a letter of support to have the money re-directed. It would only be used for development and maintenance on the railbed if an agreement between the Municipality and the trail group is in place.

We will have two years to spend the money and if Council is in favor of providing a letter of support, it would have to indicate Council's support for the redirection of the funds from Project# 2019-11-13-023 to upgrade the old DAR Line from Kennetcook to Trenholm Road.

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