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Board of Directors

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Policy Committee Report - January 16, 2014

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Actions Taken by the Committee

1. The Committee received the Policy Update for the period November 15, 2013 -January 3, 2014.

- 2. The Committee received a report on the Proposed Ontario Autonomous Vehicle Pilot Project for information.
- 3. The Committee received a verbal update report from representatives of the Ministry of Transportation.

Recommendations to the Board

- 1. That the OGRA Board of Directors endorse Bill 141 and write to the Minister of Infrastructure expressing this support.
- 2. That the OGRA Board of Directors calls on the Ministry of Infrastructure to ensure that the asset management data generated as a result of the Infrastructure for Jobs and Prosperity Act, 2013 be inventoried in the same repository as the asset management data of Ontario's municipalities.
- 3. That the OGRA Board of Directors convey to the Ministry of Infrastructure that OGRA would like to be involved during the development of regulations and the implementation of the Infrastructure for Jobs and Prosperity Act, 2013.
- 4. That the OGRA Board of Directors endorse Bill 137 and write to Norm Miller, MPP, Parry Sound-Muskoka, the Minister of Transportation and the NDP Transportation Critic expressing this support.
- 5. That OGRA endorse MFOA's call to have the Development Charges Act, 1997 amended to reflect the recommendations contained in MFOA's report Frozen in Time: Development Charges Legislation Underfunding Infrastructure 16 Years and Counting.
- 6. That OGRA engage the Ministry of Transportation to get clarification on e-bike and e-scooter standards as defined under the Highway Traffic Act.