

## **POLICY**

### **PURCHASE, INSTALLATION OR REPLACEMENT OF CULVERTS**

1. The municipality will proceed with the purchase of culverts needed for private entrances in the municipality.
2. Property owners who want to have a culvert installed must pay the price of purchase, which will be billed by the municipality. Municipal employees will proceed with the installation free of charge and the gravel needed will be supplied.
3. If a property owner wishes to supply the culvert, it must be approved beforehand by the municipal inspector.
4. When a ditch is being dug, if the municipality considers it appropriate to replace a culvert, the work will be done at the municipality's cost.
5. Property owners are responsible for the maintenance and keeping their culverts clean of debris.
6. A new culvert will be installed when a construction permit is issued or when access to exploited agricultural land is needed, following a written request from the property owner and accepted by the municipal council.
7. In every other case, a property owner may have a culvert installed if he pays the cost of purchase and installation including an hourly rate, which will be set by resolution for the backhoe and municipal employees.