

Petition To the Municipal Council of West Elgin Ontario

Subject: The excessive dust on our section of Marsh Line between Blacks Rd.  
And Furnival Rd.

Date: February 3 2025

Mayor Leatham and members of council

We the residents of the above mentioned section of Marsh Line are writing to bring to your immediate attention the excessive dust situation on the road that occurs from early spring to late fall. It has come to our attention that a large number of trucks travel our road daily along with regular traffic resulting in excessive amounts of dust. Road grading is done frequently which results in the situation with the dust being made much worse. We believe that the grading is necessary because of the heavy truck use of our road. Brine was applied to the road once and only resulted in a few days relief as it was followed soon after by grading. We are very concerned about the health issues that can result from constant breathing of this dust when we are outdoors, enjoying our properties.

In the light of the above, we respectfully petition the municipality of West Elgin council to approve a chip seal surface be applied to our road, which will not only solve our problem it will overtime result in a savings to the municipality by eliminating the need for both grading and brining.

Thank you for your consideration

Sincerely, the residence