

RFP 2026-01 Combermere Outdoor Rink Rehabilitation

INQUIRIES to Thursday February 5 2026

INQUIRY 1

Received via email February 2 2025

A few question in regards to the tender documents

1. Tender states the new pad should include 12" of gravel, compacted and topped with 2" of asphalt.

Is this to be added to existing grade of current rink or will the 12" need to be excavated and then replaced with compacted granular?

or as it states "should include 12" of gravel". Are we to assume that the existing layer under the asphalt is suitable and will only require compaction after existing asphalt has been removed?

2. Installation of players shelter:

Is it possible to have a drawing provided showing necessary details ie. Footing specifications, Floor if required, wall and post specifications, and roof specifications.

ANSWER

The Township is unable to confirm what type of base exists under the existing asphalt. Once the existing pad is removed, existing fill should be excavated and the 12" of gravel added, compacted every 6", and topped with 2" of asphalt. No compaction test is required.

There are no drawings to be provided by the Township for the player's shelter. This structure should be:

- Maximum 45 feet in length
- Minimum 4 feet in width
- Have a crosswall between benches
- Have a closed back and open sides
- Have a roof
- Permanently installed in the same location as existing player's shelter
- Built in accordance with the Ontario Building Code

All other elements are left to the preference of the bidder - a similar structure to existing, with the addition of a roof, is what we are looking for.