High failure rate in truck safety blitz

There was a 70 per cent failure rate in a recent truck safety blitz held in Halton Hills last week.

A total of 69 charges were laid in a joint truck safety enforcement project in Halton Hills conducted by Halton Police and the Ministry of Transportation.

Uniform officers from Milton and Georgetown, and officers from Halton Regional Police Service's Commercial Motor Vehicle Unit, and Ministry of Transportation stopped and inspected 27 commercial vehicles in the Trafalgar Rd./Hornby Rd. area.

A truck, with a bald tire, recently taken off the road.

Halton Police photo

Nineteen vehicles were taken off the road until defects could be repaired and 69 charges were laid against the driv-

ers and owners.

The project ended up with a 70 per cent failure rate of vehicles inspected.

New entry in Wards 3&4 Regional councillor race

A new candidate, Ross McDuff, has filed his candidacy for regional council seat for Wards 3 & 4 (Georgetown) in the October 27 municipal election.

Already registered as candidates are incum-

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bent Jane Fogal and newcomer John Cooke.

Candidates have until Sept. 12 to

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file their nomination papers to run for one of the 11 positions on town council, including mayor, or regional chair or school trustee. If elected, their term of office will be from Dec. 1, 2014 to Nov. 30, 2018.

For a list of filed candidates to date and their contact info go to http://www. haltonhills.ca/election2014

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