

Tuesday, November 26th, 2024 6:00 p.m.

Tay Valley Township Municipal Office – 217 Harper Road, Tay Valley, Ontario Council Chambers

6:00 p.m. Public Meeting - Budget

Chair, Reeve Rob Rainer

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. INTRODUCTION

- The purpose of this public meeting is to hear feedback on the 2025 Budget and proposed Fee changes.
- The Treasurer will provide a presentation of the proposed 2025 Budget and proposed Fee changes. Then, any person or public body will be heard.
- 3. 2025 DRAFT BUDGET & FEES AND CHARGES PUBLIC PRESENTATION attached, page 3.

Ashley Liznick, Treasurer.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

5. NEXT STEPS

- Committee of the Whole (Discuss Public Feedback) December 3rd, 2024
- Council Meeting (Adopt Budget and Fees and Charges By-Laws) December 10th, 2024
- Notice of Passing December 11th, 2024

6. ADJOURNMENT

2025 DRAFT BUDGET & FEES AND CHARGES

PUBLIC MEETING

2025 DRAFT BUDGET & FEES AND CHARGES

November 26, 2024



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Budget Schedule

- October 29th Operating Budget Review (COW)
- November 12th Capital Budget Review (COW)
- November 26th Public Budget Meeting
- December 10th Adoption of Budget



Public Meeting Agenda

- Overview of the 2025 Draft Budget operating & capital
- Proposed Changes to Fees & Charges
- Questions & Comments from the Public

Next Steps: Council will consider feedback from the Public Meeting at the Committee of the Whole (COW) meeting on December 3rd, 2024, with adoption of the 2025 budget at the Council meeting on December 10th, 2024.



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Introduction

Strategic Plan 2023 - 2026:

Mission

To deliver efficient and effective services for the benefit of residents, visitors, and businesses.



Introduction

Strategic Plan 2023 – 2026:

Vision

Tay Valley Township is an inclusive rural community that honours our culture, heritage, and natural landscape, where people strive to improve the quality of life for all.



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Introduction

Strategic Plan 2023 - 2026:

Values

Respectful - Accountable - Future Focused



Summary

- Proposed Levy Increase is \$773,117 or 11.01%
 - OPP Contract Increase = \$225,804 or 3.21%
 - Operational Increase = \$480,463 or 6.84%
 - Reserve/Capital Increase = \$ 66,850 or 0.95%

NOTE: \$70,247 = approximately a 1% levy increase



How We Got Here

2025 BUDGET - IMPACTS ON LEVY						
		% Impact on Levy	Impact on \$300K assessed HH			
Proposed Levy Increase from 2024 Budget - Nov 12/24	805,163	11.46%	180.25			
Decisions Impacting Levy						
NONE		0.00%	,			
Total	_	0.00%	,			
Considerations Added						
Recreation Casual Position - previous number was calculated incorrectly, this is the						
correct dollar amount	5,700	0.08%				
Increasing the Library Levy - per request for additional hours	6,942	0.10%				
Increasing The Table Request	1,250	0.02%				
Increasing ABC Association Request	300	0.00%				
Increasing Maberly Agricultural Society Request	300	0.00%				
Including Perth & District Sports Hall of Fame Request	350	0.00%	0.08			
Total	14,842	0.21%				
Decisions Not Impacting Levy						
Not increase YAK Request						
Not include ABC Association Request (additional ask)						
Not Include Perth & District Chamber of Commerce Request						
Proposed Levy Increase from 2024 Budget - Nov 26/24	820,005	11.67%				
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Operational changes - by Staff						
NONE						
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Total	-	0.00%	,			
Proposed Levy Increase from 2024 Budget - Nov 26/24	820,005	11.67%				
New Information/Additional Considerations						
Increase in Fire Department budget (based on budget provided)	8,298	0.12%				
Decrease in Fire budget (based on Nov 14/24 Fire Board meeting)	(1,631)	-0.02%				
Increase in Fire budget (due to increased payroll grids)	22,054					
Increase in MVCA budget (based on budget provided)	325					
Decrease in RVCA budget (based on budget provided)	(634)	-0.01%	3-1-7			
Increase in OMPF funding	(77,700)	-1.11%	(17.39)			
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Total	(46,888)	-0.67%	1			
Proposed Levy Increase from 2024 Budget - Nov 26/24	773.117	11.00%	173.07			

Impact on Residential Taxes

- Based on \$300,000 Residential Assessment:
 - (Township portion of tax bill only)

2024 Taxes \$ 1,5522025 Taxes \$ 1,725

Increase \$ 173

Proposed Residential Tax Rate Increase of 11.01%



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Impact on Residential Taxes

- Based on Residential Assessment:
 - Township portion of tax bill only
 - 500,000 Household Assessment increase \$288 or \$24/month
 - 400,000 Household Assessment increase \$231 or \$19/month
 - 300,000 Household Assessment increase \$173 or \$14/month
 - 250,000 Household Assessment increase \$144 or \$12/month
 - 200,000 Household Assessment increase \$115 or \$10/month
 - 150,000 Household Assessment increase \$ 87 or \$7/month



Additional Information

- > Perth & District Union Library Board
- Fire Board
- Rideau Valley Conversation Authority (RVCA)
 - Information is still in preliminary stages.
- Mississippi Valley Conservation Authority's (MVCA)
 - Information is still in preliminary stages.



TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP 2025 BUDGET - IMPACTS ON LEVY Summary of how each function (i.e. salary, contracted services, materials, etc.) impacts the levy. % Impact on Levy 773,117 11.01% Levy Increase from 2024 Budget Operational Expense Increases OPP Costing - from OPP Annual Billing Statement 225.804 3.21 74.214 1.06 Fire - as per draft budget 10.782 0.15 Perth Library - as per draft budget Conservation Authorities (MVCA & RVCA) - as per draft budgets 0.03 1.915 Recreation Cost-Sharing Agreements - to bring in line with actuals 15.598 0.22 Salaries & Benefits - all departments, including Council, based on Collective Agreement and Council approval of 3.5% increase, and benefit changes (CPP, EI, WSIB, medical benefits, etc.) 452,705 6.44 0.55 Contracted Services - IT & website support 38.300 8.980 0.13 Insurance - increased by 15% from 2024 actuals Grants, Contributions & Donations - as per requests received 0.07 4,600 Advertising - to bring budget in line with actuals 2.000 0.03 0.01 Memberships - to bring budget in line with actuals 840 Telephone, Cell Phone, Internet - to bring budget in line with actuals 4.510 0.06 Building Repairs & Maintenance - to bring budget in line with actuals 865 0.01 Supplies & Materials - Tay Valley 2025 guide to be produced 5.700 0.08 Miscellaneous - to bring budget in line with actuals 4.850 0.07 50.000 0.71 Grant Costs - SALC costs, corresponding grant to cover 12.84 Total 901.663 Operational Expense Decreases Contracted Services - CP Rail work (complete), recylables trucking (blue box transition), to bring other budgets in (142.989)(2.04)line with actuals, etc. Transfer from Reserves for Operations - offsets contracted services in line above 56.660 0.81 Hydro/Natural Gas/Fuel - to bring budget in line with actuals (0.03)(2.270)Travel & Mileage - to bring budget in line with actuals (3.450)(0.05)Training, Conferences, Seminars - to bring budget in line with actuals (2.250)(0.03)(94.299)(1.34)Total

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TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP							
2025 BUDGET - IMPACTS ON LEVY	- 1						
Summary of how each function (i.e. salary, contracted services, materials, etc.) impacts the							
		6 Impact on Levy					
Levy Increase from 2024 Budget	773,117	11.01%					
CAPITAL							
Capital Projects	(75,355)	(1.07)					
Capital Grants	(336,726)	(4.79)					
Transfer to Reserves - overall increase to reserves by 4%	66,850	0.95					
Transfers from Reserves Total Capital Change	412,081 66,850	5.87 0.95					
Total Capital Change	66,850	0.95					
DEBT							
Tile Drainage (one remaining to be paid off in 2025)	_	0.00					
Total Debt Change		0.00					
		0.00					
TOTAL LEVY CHANGE	773,117	11.01					
	,	11.01					
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Transfers TO Reserves

Allocations included in this draft budget:

- 4% increase to all reserve contributions from 2024 budget
 - Total Increase

\$ 66,850

As per the 10-year capital plan both reserve contributions and capital expenses & mandatory/committed projects are shown with an increasing factor of the same percentage, 4%.



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Reserves and Reserve Funds

> Total Estimated Balance at Dec. 31, 2024

\$3,983,927

PLUS: Draft Contributions to Reserves in 2025

\$1,908,204

LESS: Draft Anticipated Expenses for 2025

(\$3,169,386)

> Total Estimated Balance at Dec. 31, 2025

\$2,722,745



Deferred Revenues (Dev. Charges & Parkland)

- Total Estimated Balance at Dec. 31, 2024
 \$ 86,782
- PLUS: Draft Contributions to Reserves in 2025 \$ 128,000
- LESS: Draft Anticipated Expenses for 2025 (\$ 178,693)
- Total Estimated Balance at Dec. 31, 2025 \$ 36,089



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Debt

- Municipal Office / Garage
 - > \$46,686/ year and expires 2035
- South Sherbrooke Fire Station
 - \$16,332 / year and expires 2036
- Bolingbrooke Bridge
 - > \$80,595 / year and expires 2046



Requests From Outside Agencies

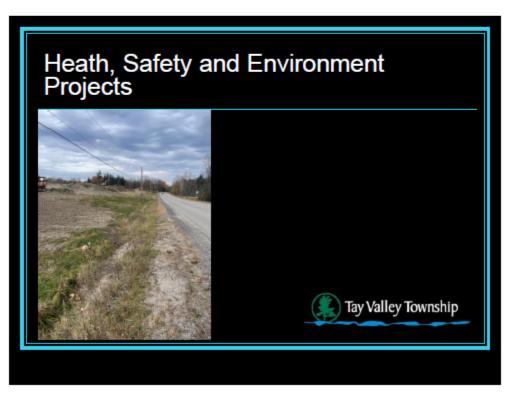
TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP												
Requests for 2025 Budget Consideration												
from Outside Agencies												
	2020	2020	2021	2021	2022	2022	2023	2023	2024	2024	2025	2025
BUDGET - Governance - Community Relations												
(1-01-21-103-00-276)	\$17,950	\$15,950	\$13,500	\$15,700	\$15,500	\$15,000	\$18,250	\$16,750	\$19,500	\$14,250	\$27,850	\$18,850
	AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS	
	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved
TOTAL REQUESTS	17,950	16,125	13,500	13,869	15,500	14,900	18,250	17,150	19,500	14,500	27,850	18,850
The Table Community Food Centre	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,750	3,750	4,000	3,750	5,000	5,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500
Youth Activity Kommittee (YAK)	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	8,500	7,000	10,000	5,000	10,000	5,000
Lanark County Community Justice Program	2,000	1,000			2,000	1,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Perth & District Sports Hall of Fame	300	300									350	350
ABC Association - previously "rent" \$1,200											1,500	1,500
ABC Association - new request Maberly Agricultural Society - previously "rent" \$1,200											3,000 2,500	1,500
Perth & District Com. Foundation (PDCF) - gold sponsor	750	750									2,300	1,500
LAWS	1,400	200										\vdash
Branch 244 Perth (banner project)	1,400	275										
Donation in Lieu of Christmas Cards	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	-			-
Memorial Donations		100		369		400		400		250		
**Remaining Funds for Additional Awards	\$0	(\$175)		1,831		100		(400)		(250)	0	
	40	(4110)		1,001	-	100		(400)		(200)		-
	2020	2020	2021	2021	2022	2022	2023	2023	2024	2024	2025	2025
BUDGET - Governance - Community Relations	12020101010	2.2.2		40000000	400000	202 000	4000000				440 000	1000000
(1-01-21-103-00-277)	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$67,944	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000
	AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS	
	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved	REQUESTED	Approved
TOTAL REQUESTS	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 67,944	\$ 70,000	\$ 70,000	\$ 70,000	\$ 70,000
Perth & Smiths Falls District Hospital	67,944	67,944	67,944	67,944	67,944	67,944	67,944	67,944	70,000	70,000	70,000	70,000
**Remaining Funds for Additional Awards	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	2020	2021	2021	2022	2022	2023	2023	2024	2024	2025	2025
BUDGET - Tourism - Grants & Contributions (\$1,250	\$1,250	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1.500	\$1,500	\$2,000	\$0	\$2,000	\$0
1-08-88-362-00-276)	\$1,230	\$1,230	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,500	\$2,000	\$0	\$2,000	\$0
	AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS	
	REQUESTED	APPROVED	REQUESTED	APPROVED	REQUESTED	APPROVED	REQUESTED	APPROVED	REQUESTED	APPROVED	REQUESTED	APPROVED
TOTAL REQUESTS	1,000	1,000	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	2,000	57.110.120	2,000	
TOTAL REGULATO	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,300	1,000	2,000		2,000	
Perth & District Chamber of Commerce (2020												
Membership portion budget allocation see "memberships"	1											
actual request was \$1,500 including membership)	1,000	1,000	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	2.000		2,000	
Remaining Funds for Additional Awards	\$250	\$250	-,500	.,500	-,500	-	-,500	1,500	-	-	-,500	
™Remaining Funds for Additional Awards throughout to	he year and/or d	leferred contri	butions									
Memorial Donations												

2025 Capital Replacements Overview

- 2025 Capital Replacements/Projects were prioritized from the 10 Year Capital Plan.
- Capital Expenses/Infrastructure Renewals and Special Programs are primarily funded by reserves and/or grants. They can also be funded by levy (current year tax) or borrowing.





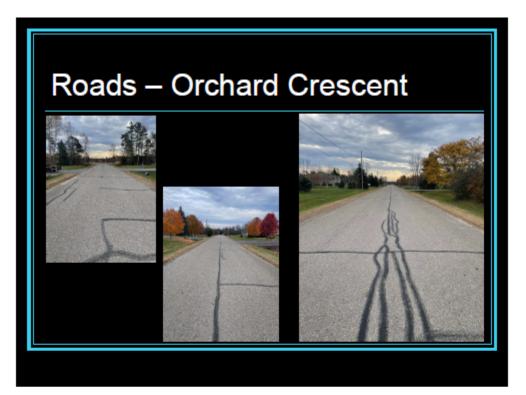


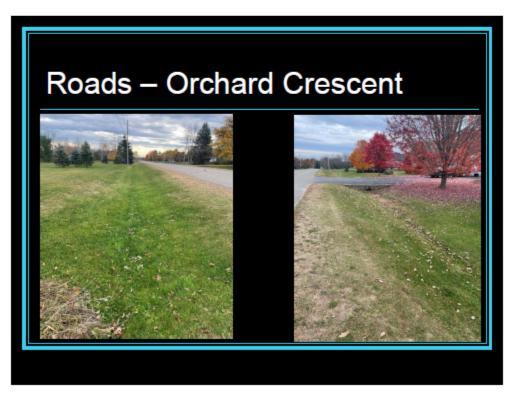


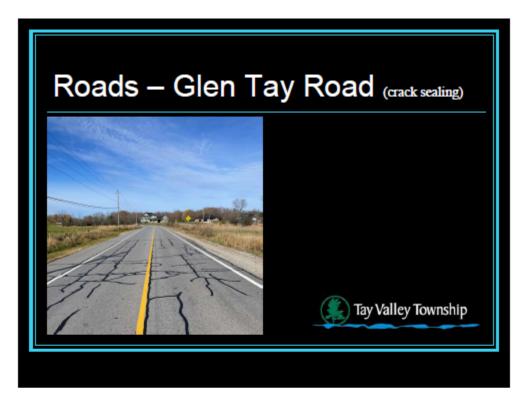


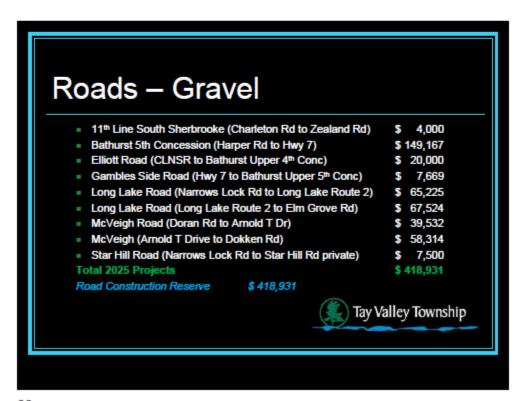


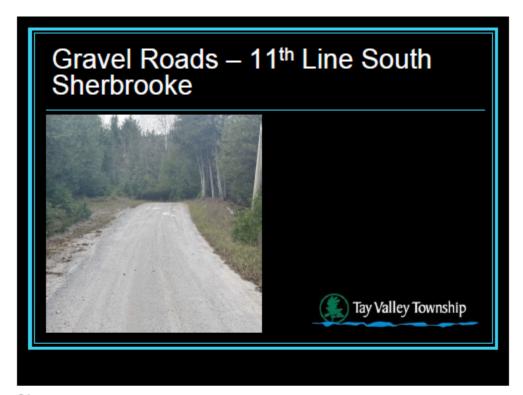




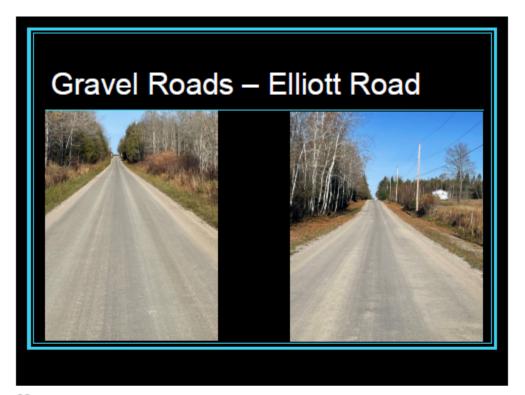


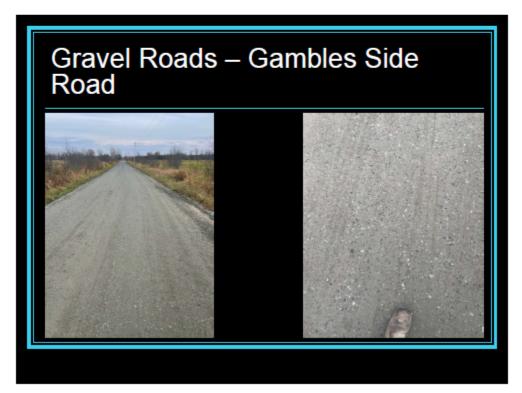






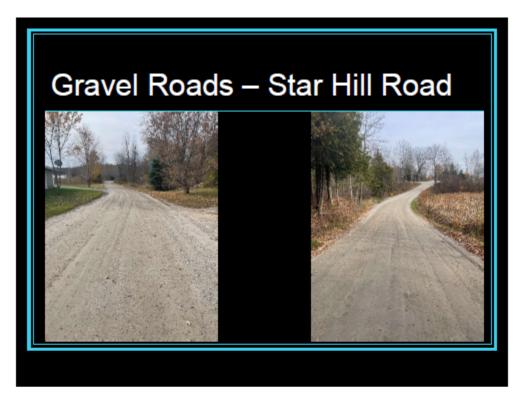


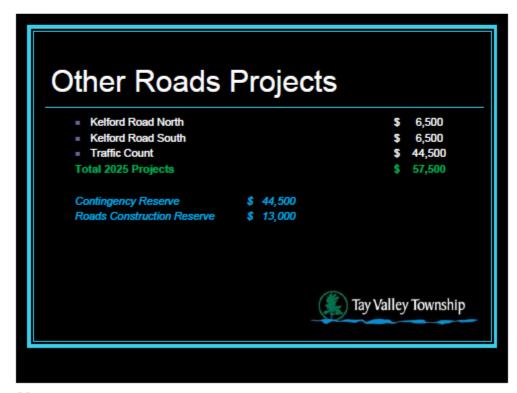






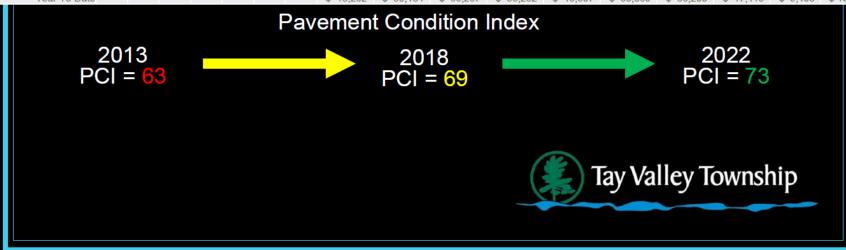


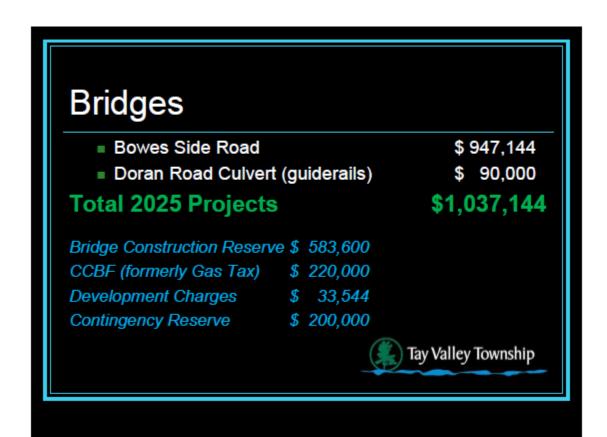




Roads – Results of Following the 10-Year Capital Plan

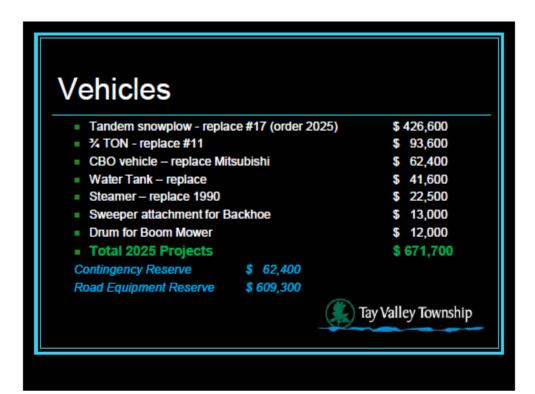
Kilometers of Paved Roads Reconstructed or Resurfaced since 2008																	
		Year															
Type of Work	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Reconstructed	0.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	0.0	2.6	6.4	2.3	1.3	0.0	9.0	2.5	3.4	4.6	3.4	4.0	5.4
Resurfaced	16.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	9.1	4.8	1.9	1.8	6.6	2.2	3.6
Total	16.5	2.0	3.1	0.0	0.0	4.8	6.4	4.0	1.3	0.0	18.1	7.3	5.3	6.4	10.0	6.2	9.0
Patching Year-To-Date								\$ 18,262	\$ 50,134	\$ 66,267	\$ 55,282	\$ 46,507	\$ 63,860	\$ 36,200	\$ 17,415	\$ 9,408	\$ 10,000











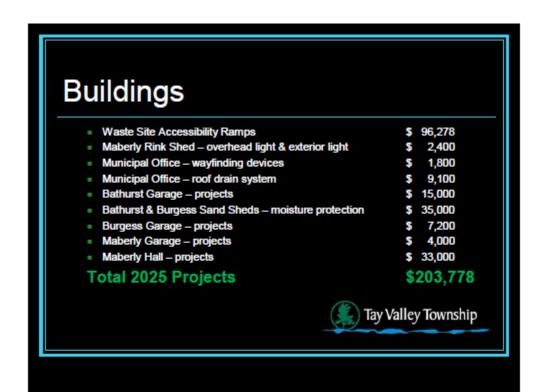




















Council Mandated & Committed Projects for 2025 Official Plan – growth review \$ 35,000 Comprehensive Zoning By-Law Update \$ 45,700 Economic Development & Tourism Action Plan \$ 52,000 Sub Watershed Hydro Geo. Ground Water Study \$ 40,000 Climate Adaptation Plan \$ 30,000 Harassment Policy Update \$ 10,000 Operations Layout for Waste Site \$ 40,000 Livestreaming \$ 20,800 Asset Management Plan (AMP) – July 2025 deadline \$ 40,056 \$ 313,556 **Total 2025 Projects** Tay Valley Township



Proposed Fee Amendments

TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP FEES & CHARGES PROPOSED CHANGES 2025

Service	Per By-Law 2023-060	Proposed Change
TAX CERTIFCATE - URGENT (REQUIRED IN LESS THAN 2 BUSINESS DAYS)	NEW	90.00
NSF FEE	35.00	40.00
CREDIT CARD TRANSACTION FEE	2.40%	3.00%
REPRINT OF TAX RECEIPT, TAX BILL, OR TAX STATEMENT	10.00	15.00
SOCCER REGISTRATION - EARLY BIRD SOCCER REGISTRATION - REGULAR	35.00 45.00	45.00 55.00
OTHER RECREATION PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES	NEW	COST RECOVERABLE
ROAD NAME SIGN	65.00	105.00
ROAD SIGN (GREEN BLADE ONLY, WITHOUT LETTERING)	40.00	55.00
SIGN CROSSER T'S	7.00	15.00
OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT	\$1,550 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$550 DEPOSIT)	\$1,600 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$600 DEPOSIT)
ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT	\$1,550 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$550 DEPOSIT)	\$1,600 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$600 DEPOSIT)
COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT MINOR VARIANCE	\$1,400 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$400 DEPOSIT)	\$1,600 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$600 DEPOSIT)
SITE PLAN CONTROL AGREEMENT - COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, INSTITUTIONAL	\$2,650 (\$650 FEE + COST; \$2,000 DEPOSIT)	\$6,000 (\$1,000 FEE + COST; \$5,000 DEPOSIT)
LIMITED SERVICES AGREEMENT	\$1,050 (\$650 FEE + COST; \$400 DEPOSIT)	\$1,250 (\$650 FEE + COST; \$600 DEPOSIT)
REVIEW OF LEGAL STATUS/UPDATE TO PROPERTY FILE	NEW	\$1,650 (\$650 FEE + COST; \$1,000 DEPOSIT)
CONSENT - CASH IN LIEU OF PARKLAND CONTRIBUTION (NON-WATERFRONT) (WATERFRONT)	\$800.00 \$1,000.00	\$900.00 \$1,100.00
HOLDING ZONE DESIGNATION (PLACING OR LIFTING)	\$650 FEE	\$1,650 (\$650 FEE + COST; \$1,000 DEPOSIT)
PART LOT LIFT	NEW	\$2,000 (\$1,000 FEE + COSTS; \$1,000 DEPOSIT)
DEEMING BY-LAW	NEW	\$2,000 (\$1,000 FEE + COSTS; \$1,000 DEPOSIT)

Proposed Fee Amendments continued.

TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP
FEES & CHARGES PROPOSED CHANGES 2025

Service	Per By-Law 2023-060	Proposed Change
RESIDENTIAL/FARM Building-New Construction or Addition	, Demolition	
SINGLE DETACHED DWELLING LIVING SPACE/HABITABLE	\$FEE / SQ FT OF GROSS FLOOR AREA 0.55	\$FEE / SQ FT OF GROSS FLOOR AREA 0.75
OTHER Administrative Fees of the Building Department		
PLANS REVIEW RATE / HOUR	\$50 / HR	\$90 / HR
BUILDING WITHOUT PERMIT	DOUBLE THE PERMIT FEE, \$1,000 MINIMUM FOR MINOR (DECKS, SHED, POOLS) & \$2,000 MINIMUM FOR MAJOR (ADDITIONS, RENOVATIONS)	DOUBLE THE PERMIT FEE, \$1,000 MINIMUM FOR MINOR (DECKS, SHED, POOLS) & \$2,000 MINIMUM FOR MAJOR (ADDITIONS, RENOVATIONS), \$5,000 DEPOSIT FOR LEGAL EXPENSES
BUILDING PERMIT DEPOSIT (when required to cover additional expenses such as legal searches)	NEW	1,000.00
WASTE DISPOSAL, RECYCLING, COMPOSTING BAG TAG	1.00	2.00
BLUE BOX	10.00	NO LONGER SELL - REMOVE ITEM FROM FEES
MAJOR APPLIANCES & LARGE HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS LARGE NON-REUSEABLE FURNITURE 3 SEAT COUCH 2 SEAT COUCH/LOVESEAT UPHOLSTERED CHAIR MATTRESS/BOX SPRING (ALL SIZES)	30.00	45.00 35.00 25.00 30.00
ANNUAL FEES	2,500.00	REMOVE FOR ALL LISTED

Proposed Fee Amendments continued.

TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP FEES & CHARGES PROPOSED CHANGES 2025

Service	Per By-Law 2023-060	Proposed Change
FIRE DEPARTMENT For the investigation of an Open Air Burning By-Law Contravention / Complaint	125.00	150.00
CORRESPONDENCE * FIRE CODE COMPLIANCE LETTER FILE SEARCH/FILE REPORTS FIRE INVESTIGATION REPORT CLEARANCE LETTER	100.00 100.00 100.00 100.00	125.00 125.00 125.00 125.00
INSPECTIONS * LIQOUR LICENSE REAL ESTATE HOME/COMMERICAL PRIVATE DAYCARE MARIJUANA GROW OP/COMPLIANCE 'PAYMENT IS REQUIRED IN ADVANCE	100.00 100.00 100.00 100.00	125.00 125.00 125.00 STAFF TIME ACCUMULATED



Next Steps

- December 3rd COW final budget discussions
- December 10th Council Adoption of Budget



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