Chronology – Commercial Patios in Oakville

pre-2014	independent requests	 within BIAs for patios on municipal boulevard encroachment agreements executed collected fee to use town land (based on size of encroachment) Participation: approximately 8 patios per year and distributed between all three BIAs
2014-2019	Patio Pilot Program	 construction mitigation initiative within BIAs for patios on municipal land on boulevards and on-street parking spaces encroachment agreements executed processing fees collected fee to use parking spaces waived Participation: participation increased to total of 22 patios and distributed between the BIAs
2020-2022	Commercial Recovery Initiative (CRI)	 COVID response and recovery initiative patios on municipal land (road corridors) and private commercial sites encroachment agreements (public) and user agreements (private) executed all fees waived Participation: (in BIAs + private sites town wide) 2020 – 35 (public) + 40 (private) = 75 patios* 2021 – 56 (public) + 56 (private) = 112 patios* 2022 – 53 (public) + 35 (private) = 88 patios* * 'patios' includes patios, bistros, outdoor merchandising, outdoor activities (gyms), etc.
2023	Transitional Year	continuation of the CRI program permissions during the development of a seasonal program Participation: (in BIAs + private sites town wide) 2023 – 60 (public) + 14 (private) = 74 patios
2024 +	Seasonal Program (permanent strategy)	To be developed in 2023 for launch in spring 2024.