Community Development Commission

Budget Committee 2025



Programs

- Planning & Development
- Building Services
- Economic Development
- Municipal Enforcement
- Parking

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Our vision / role

Economic Development Attract, retain and expand investment in Oakville **Municipal Enforcement Services**

Promote, protect and maintain community standards

Create a safe, thriving and inclusive community

Planning & Development Shape and guide the development of our community Building Services Promote and enforce safety in the built environment



Our services

- Ensuring building of infrastructure, and the (re) development of new communities and individual buildings achieves the town's Livable Oakville Plan, Strategic Plan and meets legislative requirements.
- Promote and monitor achievements of the town's sustainability objectives and we enforce compliance with the town's by-laws.
- Develop policies, programs and regulations which guide, implement, monitor and enforce compliance of development / design of infrastructure.





What we completed or advanced in 2024

Growth Management

- 5 Year Economic Development Plan
- Undertook public engagement on Neyagawa Urban Core Growth Area Review
- Completed Midtown Committee of the Whole and Growth Area Review

Community Belonging

- Initiated Streetscape Study for Bronte and Kerr
- Housing Strategy and Action Plan was
 presented to Council
- Wrapped up the Digital Main Street program
- Film Pilot project
- Patio Program
- Bronte commercial parking program approval



What we completed or advanced in 2024

Environmental Sustainability	Accountable Government
 Electric vehicles for building inspector	 Finalized MOU with Halton Region Noise, Nuisance, Licensing and Tow
fleet Created and launched Environmental	Truck By-law Reviews Parking garage rehabilitation Automated Speed Enforcement Launched Project Dox online software
Planning screening Tool Energy Advisor retained	for MES Sign Permits Pool Permit Program review Committee of Adjustment review









Influences on Budget

- Housing Crisis, and affordability
- Availability of Online Services
- Data integrity
- 98
- Arts and Heritage were identified as an area of improvement



Municipal Enforcement Services received an overall 70% satisfaction rating



 Impact of economic downturn on revenues, workloads and housing pledge



Growth Management

- Improve and enhance access and ease to apply for building permits and inspections
- Growth Area Reviews (ie. Midtown, Uptown)
- Conduct an operational review of Municipal Enforcement Services
- Conduct a needs assessment for animal shelter services
- Implement the new 5-year Economic Development Plan
- Absorb the Regional Economic Development services and programs
- Midtown Implementation including Community Planning Permit System (CPPS)



Community Belonging

- Support residents through community engagement
- Promote Affordable Housing through the Housing Strategy & Action Plan
- Complete year 3 of the Film Pilot project
- Seasonal Commercial Patio Program
- Continued public engagement on Official Plan Amendment reviews
- Technology Training



Environmental Sustainability

- Compact development and opportunities for intensification in close proximity to transit
- Renewable energy district energy projects are being explored in new development projects
- Green Development Standards



Accountable Government

- Increase transparency through Public Engagement opportunities including development applications and planning studies
- Continue to implement online and digital solutions to increase customer satisfaction, efficiency and transparency
- Evaluate Municipal Enforcement Services case management systems
- Pool Permit Program review



Our 2025 Budget Proposal



2025 Budget By Council Strategic Priority











2025 Tax Levy by Program





New operating funding in 2025 Budget

- Implementation resource (contract) to support the implementation of the Automated Speed Enforcement ticket management program (.5 FTE)
- Enforcement Support Associate (1 FTE)
- Development Construction Inspectors (2 FTE)
- Regional Downloading of Economic Development (1.7 FTE)
- Contract Position for Film Office Pilot (1yr)
- Planning Hub Enhancements (30K)



Capital Budget Overview







2025 Capital Budget, \$4.31M



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2025 Capital Project Highlights

Growth	Community	Environmental	Accountable
Management	Belonging	Sustainability	Government
\$0.9 million for		\$302K for Green	\$101K for Municipal
Planning reviews		Development	Enforcement Services
and studies		Standards	Operational Review
\$0.5 million for the Housing Action Plan			\$176K for Regional Animal Shelter Feasibility Report
			\$30K for evolving the Planning Hub



Questions?



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