

Appendix A: 2025 Priority Intergovernmental Requests by Strategic Priority

Growth Management – Complete and Connected Communities (19 Requests)

Provincial Government Requests (14)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Provincial Ministry	Request Type
1	Streamline Court Collections	To request the Province to commit sufficient judicial resources to address the backlog of cases.	Attorney General	Formal Agreement
2	Build a New Courthouse	To request the Province to provide funding to build a new courthouse in Oakville to address increased caseloads.	Attorney General	Funding Request
3	Build Schools in North Oakville	To request the Province to provide funding to build schools, particularly elementary and high schools in North Oakville and in growth nodes.	Education	Funding Request
4	Expand Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital	To request the Province to provide funding to expand Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital to address growing health care needs.	Health	Funding Request
5	Midtown - Constructing Royal Windsor Drive Interchange	To request the Province to support the Midtown provincially-designated growth area by constructing a full interchange at Royal Windsor Drive.	Infrastructure	Funding Request
6	Midtown - Midtown Hydro Corridor Usage	To request the Province to support the Midtown provincially-designated growth area by allowing the usage of the Hydro corridor for active transportation network and greenspace connections.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Policy/ Program Change
7	Midtown - Expanding Oakville Go Station	To request the Province to support the Midtown provincially-designated growth area by reconstructing and expanding the Oakville GO station on both the east and west sides of Trafalgar Road to improve bus connections and pedestrian access to the station.	Transportation	Funding Request
8	Midtown - Approve Official Plan Amendment 70	To request the Province to approve Official Plan Amendment No. 70 (OPA 70) for Midtown Oakville.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Policy/Program Change
9	Midtown - Align Transit-Oriented Communities Proposal with Official Plan Amendment 70	To request the Province to revise the current Transit-Oriented Communities (TOC) proposal to align with OPA 70 and support a unified, locally planned vision for a livable, sustainable, complete community while fulfilling provincial growth targets.	Ministry of Infrastructure; Infrastructure Ontario	Policy/Program Change

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10	Kerr Street Grade Separation	To request the Province to reinstate the construction of the Kerr Street grade separation.	Transportation	Policy/ Program Change
11	Neyagawa and 407 Transit Station	To request the Province to reinstate Neyagawa Station as part of the 407 Transitway to support planned growth, needed housing and connections regionally and inter-regionally.	Transportation	Policy/ Program Change
12	E-Scooter	To request the Province to regulate the use of e-scooters in Ontario and revoke the current municipal pilot where municipalities can administer their own interpretation of the program, to include a recommended set of insurance and liability standards for e-scooter providers, and to update the Highway Traffic Act to regulate the sale and operation of only compliant devices.	Transportation	Policy/ Program Change
13	Vehicle Noise Enforcement	To request the Province to update regulations to make our neighborhoods quieter by limiting noise associated with loud performance and altered exhausts installed on motor vehicles.	Transportation	Policy/ Program Change
14	Private Property Towing	To request the Province to pass new regulations under TSSEA to improve consumer protection to include regulations for towing activities initiated on private parking lots without the owner/driver's consent.	Transportation	New Policy/ Program Initiative

Federal Government Requests (1)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Federal Ministry	Request Type
15	Bronte Harbour Lighthouse Replacement	To request the Federal government to replace the box and beacon at the 12 Mile Creek with a lighthouse and beacon like the one installed on the 16 Mile Creek so it may serve as a tourist feature/destination.	Fisheries and Oceans Canada (and Canadian Coast Guard)	Collaborative Initiative

Joint Federal and Provincial Requests (4)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Ministry		Request Type
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16	Transit Projects & Alleviate Congestion - Bus Rapid Transit Expansion	To request the Provincial and Federal government to provide funding for Trafalgar Bus Rapid Transit, Dundas Bus Rapid Transit and Regional Express Rail on the Lakeshore West line.	Transport	Transportation	Funding Request

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17	Transit Projects & Alleviate Congestion - Widening of Highway 403	To request the Provincial and Federal government to provide funding for the widening of Highway 403 (from Ford plant to north of Dundas) to alleviate existing traffic congestion between Oakville and Mississauga.	Transport	Transportation	Funding Request
18	Transit Projects & Alleviate Congestion - Transit Service Funding	To request the Provincial and Federal government to provide funding for improvements to the full family of transit services, including on-demand transit, and local frequent transit network. This includes providing financial support on service integration between municipalities and addressing governance-related issues.	Transport	Transportation	Funding Request
19	Ontario Auto Mayors	To request the Provincial and Federal Government to join the Ontario Auto Mayors in advancing policy, funding and infrastructure priorities of the auto sector.	Innovation, Science and Industry/ Federal Economic Development Agency for Southern Ontario	Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade	Collaborative Initiative

Environmental Sustainability – Greenspace, Parks & Trails (11 Requests)

Provincial Government Requests (5)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Provincial Ministry	Request Type
20	Parkland Acquisition	To request the Province to assist with the acquisition of Provincial lands for park purposes to accommodate complete communities.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Land/ Property Transfer
21	Convey key Provincial Lands for Parkland	To request the Province to convey the Parkway lands and the provincial lands within the Greenbelt to the Town of Oakville at nominal cost to enhance our parkland and open space.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Land/ Property Transfer
22	Green Buildings: Building Code Update	To request the Province to update the Building Code to support a shift to Net Zero & green building standards including mandating Net Zero and adding sustainability measures.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Policy/ Program Change
23	Green Buildings: Retrofit for Energy Savings Funding	To request the Province to provide funding to support a shift to Net Zero & green building standards by incentivizing retrofits for energy savings and reduced emissions.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Funding Request

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24	Convey Glenorchy Conservation Area to Conservation Halton	To request the Province to explore with Conservation Halton and Halton Region the conveyance of the Glenorchy lands and the implementation of the Glenorchy Management Plan.	Natural Resources and Forestry	Collaborative Initiative

Federal Government Requests (2)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Federal Ministry	Request Type
25	Bronte Harbour Acquisition	To request the Federal Government to commence and expedite the transfer of the Bronte Harbour lands to the Town at nominal cost.	Fisheries and Oceans Canada	Land/ Property Transfer
26	High Lake Level Strategies	To request the International Joint Commission (IJC) to finalize the review of Plan 2014 and develop strategies to regulate discharges from Lake Ontario in order to minimize the cost of flooding of public and privately owned lands and infrastructure along Lake Ontario.	Housing, Infrastructure and Communities	Collaborative Initiative

Joint Federal and Provincial Requests (4)

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27	Use and Sale of Small Gas-Powered Equipment	To request that the Federal and Provincial government regulate the emissions from small gas-powered equipment used for yard and landscaping maintenance and consider a ban on such equipment, with a focus on impacts on human health, air quality, and other climate-related considerations.	Environment and Climate Change	Environment, Conservation and Parks	Policy/ Program Change
28	Stormwater Requirements for New Development	To request the Federal and Provincial government to establish stormwater requirements to be implemented on new development to address the impacts of climate change.	Housing, Infrastructure and Communities	Environment, Conservation and Parks	Policy/ Program Change
29	Funding for Electric Buses and Infrastructure	To request the Federal and Provincial government to continue to fund electric transit fleet and equipment to mitigate the impacts of climate change.	Housing, Infrastructure and Communities	Infrastructure	Funding Request
30	Adapt Stormwater Infrastructure for Floods	To request the Federal and Provincial government to provide increased access to flood mitigation funding to improve and adapt stormwater infrastructure to climate change impacts.	Housing, Infrastructure and Communities	Environment, Conservation and Parks	Funding Request

Accountable Government – Financial Management (7 Requests)

Provincial Government Requests (6)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Provincial Ministry	Request Type
31	Enable Efficient Collection of Fine Revenue	To request the Province to implement regulatory changes to allow for efficient and effective collection of fines including the use of administrative penalties among municipalities as an enforcement tool.	Attorney General	Policy/ Program Change
32	Provincial Municipal HST Rebate	To request the Province to modernize legislation related to adjusting the Municipal HST rebate from the current amount of 78% to 100%.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Policy/ Program Change
33	Social and Economic Prosperity Review	To request the Province to commit to undertaking with the Association of Municipalities of Ontario a comprehensive social and economic prosperity review to promote the stability and sustainability of municipal finances in Ontario.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Collaborative Initiative
34	Keep Municipalities Whole to Deliver Growth-Related Infrastructure	To request the Province to prescribe the necessary accounting and reporting to MMAH, to eliminate the financial shortfall experienced by municipalities for growth-related infrastructure projects due to Bill 23.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Formal Agreement
35	Modernize Provincial Payments In Lieu of Taxes	To request the Province to modernize legislation related to Provincial land ownership charges, such as payment-in-lieu of taxes, to align with the cost of delivering municipal infrastructure and services.	Municipal Affairs and Housing	Policy/ Program Change
36	Fireworks Sale Ban	To request that the Province pass new regulations to ban the sale of fireworks within the province.	Solicitor General (Ontario Fire Marshall)	New Policy/ Program Initiative

Federal Government Requests (1)

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37	Adoption of Oakville's Housing Start Tracking Methodology	To request the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) to adopt Oakville's housing start tracking methodology as the standard for funding programs, ensuring municipalities are evaluated based on accurate and timely local data to prevent future funding discrepancies and to support effective housing delivery.	Housing, Infrastructure and Communities	New Policy / Program Initiative

Community Belonging – Engaging Residents (1 Request)

Provincial Government Requests (1)

	Title of Request	Request Description	Federal Ministry	Request Type
38	Implementation of AODA	To request that the Province to develop a comprehensive action plan to address accessibility requirements to support the goal of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) and making Ontario fully accessible by 2025.	Seniors and Accessibility	Formal Agreement