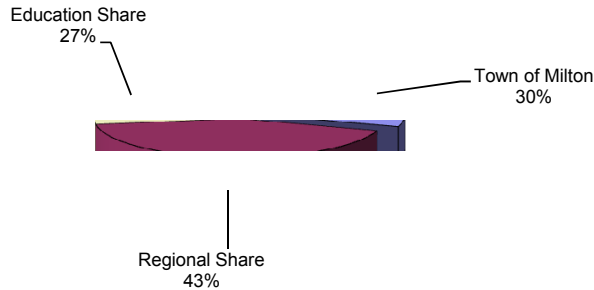




WHERE DO MY TOWN TAX DOLLARS GO??
Sharing of Tax Revenues



Service	\$/ year	\$/ week
Government Administration	29.93	0.58
Fire Department	44.14	0.85
Contribution to Capital Expenditures	1.90	0.04
Provision for Reserves	30.74	0.59
Milton Public Library Board	18.65	0.36
Community Programs & Facilities	24.97	0.48
Roadways Repairs and Maintenance	22.92	0.44
Winter Maintenance	21.47	0.41
Parks Maintenance and Development	21.54	0.41
Planning and Zoning	7.22	0.14
Streetlighting	4.47	0.09
Transit	16.02	0.31
Protective Inspection and Animal Control	9.57	0.18
Total Town Portion of your Tax Bill	253.55	4.88

Message from the Halton Regional Chair

On January 26, Regional Council unanimously approved the 2011 Budget and Business Plan, delivering a tax reduction of 0.2% for Regional programs and services. This is the second consecutive year the Region has not increased property taxes for its services, while continuing to invest in important programs for its residents.

For 2011, when the Regional tax reduction of 0.2% is combined with the 4.4% increase in the Halton Regional Police Service budget, Halton taxpayers will see an increase of 1.4% on the total Regional property tax bill. For a typical household with a current value assessment of \$350,000 this equates to an increase of \$18.61 for 2011. This amount will vary depending on property and Local Municipality.

The 2011 budget continues our commitment to deliver effective Regional programs and services including infrastructure such as Regional roads, social services programs, and public health, while being fiscally responsible.

This year's budget includes an investment of \$133 million in transportation infrastructure alone. This demonstrates that we are committed to building a better Halton for our taxpayers.

I am proud to say that over the last five years, the average annual tax increase for Regional programs and services has been approximately half a per cent - one of the lowest among municipalities in Canada.

For more information, dial 311, visit www.halton.ca/budget, or email me directly at gary.carr@halton.ca.

Sincerely,

Gary Carr
Regional Chair

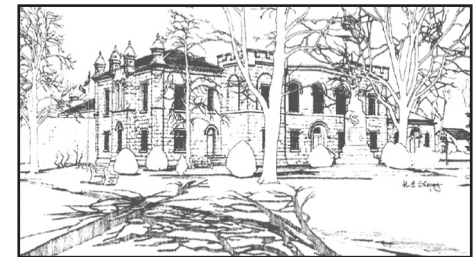
**2011 COSTS OF REGIONAL SERVICES
FOR \$100,000 OF CVA IN MILTON**

Transportation	\$47.75
Waste Management Services *	\$36.09
Housing	\$28.85
Public Health & Ambulance Services	\$28.39
Other Services	\$25.84
Services for Seniors	\$20.66
Employment & Social Services	\$17.00
GTA Pooling	\$13.07
Conservation Authorities & Heritage	\$10.61
Property Assessment	\$8.74
Sub-Total	\$237.00
Halton Regional Police Service	\$130.10
Total Regional Services	\$367.10

*** Costs apply to services for Urban Residents, Rural Residents charged for applicable rural services only



2011
TOWN OF MILTON
**TAXPAYER
INFORMATION**



MILTON TOWN HALL

For property tax information, please call

CORPORATE SERVICES
Tax Division
(905) 878-7252 ext. 2193
www.milton.ca

The above is based per 100,000 residential assessment.

Message from Mayor Gordon Krantz

On January 17, 2011 the Budget Committee of Milton Town Council approved the 2011 budgets and a special tax levy for a total investment in the community of \$164.1 million.

Not including the Region of Halton and the Boards of Education portions, the budget for the Town of Milton will result in a 3.58% increase in Milton's residential tax rate and equates to \$9.08 per year or \$0.17 per week for urban residents and \$7.60 per year or \$0.15 per week for rural residents for every \$100,000 of a property's assessed value.

For more information on the Town's budget document please visit our website at www.milton.ca or contact the Corporate Services Department at 905-878-7252, extension 2151.

In addition to the above, Milton Council approved a special 1% tax levy as a dedicated source for a future expansion project of the hospital. For more information on the Milton District Hospital Tax Levy, please contact either the Mayor's Office or your Ward Councillor at www.milton.ca/council/mayorandcouncil.htm.

It is my pleasure to advise Milton taxpayers that Milton Council continues to provide one of the lowest residential tax rates in the Greater Toronto Area.

The Town of Milton's capital program for 2011 approves 80 projects focused on the continuation of multi-year projects. This capital investment is the amount of \$85.6 million and includes the completion of facilities that received Federal and Provincial stimulus funding grants in 2010. Road construction totals 46%, land and buildings totals 48% with the balance going to parks, fire, storm water management and transit services.

The other component of the budget is the operating program in the amount of \$45.4 million. The operating investment includes the opening and operation of the Milton Centre for Arts and expanded Milton Sports Centre, as well as, operational improvements for Milton Transit, webcasting of our meetings and an expanded program for local economic development initiatives. Funding sources for the operating budget are property taxes (41%), user fees and service charges (18%), investment income, grants and other sources.

On behalf of Milton Council, we welcome your comments about our programs and services, and invite your attendance at pre-budget consultation sessions. For more information on the Town's 2012 budget process, please visit our website at www.milton.ca.

Sincerely



G.A. Krantz
Mayor

Payment of Tax

Please make cheques payable to the Town of Milton

Payments can be made in the following manner:

- By mail: Tax Division, 150 Mary St., Milton, ON L9T 6Z5.
- By phone/internet through most banking institutions (please contact your financial institution for details).
- Between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at Corporate Services, Cashier Services, Town Hall. Payment by cheque, cash or direct debit is available.
- At any bank or financial institution in Ontario.
- By deposit into the After Hours Drop Box, Town Hall.



Documents are available in alternate formats upon request. A Request for Alternate Formats form is available at www.milton.ca or by contacting the Coordinator, Accessibility at 905-878-7252 ext. 2534.

Pre-Authorized Tax Payment Program (PTP)

The Town offers a Pre-Authorized Tax payment program, in which property taxes can be withdrawn automatically from your bank account, spread out over 12 months! An application form is enclosed. Enrolments for the **2012** taxation year require applications to be returned by **October 31, 2011**.

Please note that all billed 2011 and prior taxes must be paid in full, and both land and structure assessments must be assigned/combined prior to enrolment.

For information on our "arrear PTP plan", please contact our office.

Tax Deferral Program for Low Income Seniors/Disabled

You may qualify for a tax deferral if the following criteria are met:

Low Income Seniors

- Over 65 years old; and
- Family income of less than \$41,700 per annum.

Low Income Disabled People

- Qualify for Ontario Disability Support Program; or
- Qualify for Disability Benefit under Canada Pension Plan; and,
- Family income of less than \$41,700 per annum.

Approved deferrals will be registered on title as a lien.

Full details and application forms can be obtained by contacting the Tax Division at 878-7252 ext. 2193. Completed application forms must be received by the Tax Division no later than December 31, 2011.

Tax Appeals and Vacancy Rebate

Please refer to www.milton.ca for further information relating to tax appeals and vacancy rebate program.

TOWN OF MILTON SUMMARY OF TAX RATES 2011

Description	Town Tax Rate (%)		Region Tax Rate (%)		Education Tax Rate (%)		Rural Tax Rate % (Local Residential and Local Urban Surcharges)		Partial Urban Tax Rate % (Local Urban Surcharges but no local urban and hospital surcharge)		Full Urban Tax Rate % (Local Urban and Hospital Surcharges)	
	Town Tax Rate (for both rural and urban)	Local urban surcharge	Hospital surcharge	General Services (for both rural and urban)	Waste service (for both rural and urban)	Education Tax Rate (%)	Rural Tax Rate % (Local Residential and Local Urban Surcharges)	Local Urban Surcharges	Local Urban Surcharges but no local urban and hospital surcharge	Local Urban Surcharges and Hospital Surcharges	Local Urban Surcharges and Hospital Surcharges	
RT - Residential/Farm	0.210873%	0.040838%	0.002034%	0.365036%	0.002063%	0.231000%	0.805743%	0.810806%	0.810806%	0.851644%	0.851644%	
MT - Multi-residential	0.476521%	0.092372%	0.004601%	0.822675%	0.004666%	0.231000%	1.537797%	1.542463%	1.542463%	1.634835%	1.634835%	
CT - Commercial	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
ST - Shopping Centre	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
IX - Industrial	0.214793%	0.041636%	0.002074%	0.372122%	0.002103%	1.079259%	1.344988%	1.347091%	1.347091%	1.388727%	1.388727%	
OX - Vacant land	0.214793%	0.041636%	0.002074%	0.372122%	0.002103%	1.079259%	1.344988%	1.347091%	1.347091%	1.388727%	1.388727%	
ET - Existing development	0.158003%	0.030629%	0.001525%	0.273778%	0.001547%	0.173260%	0.608105%	0.608105%	0.608105%	0.639734%	0.639734%	
CM - Taxable - no school	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
XT - Comm new construction	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
YU - Office Bldg new construction	0.214793%	0.041636%	0.002074%	0.372122%	0.002103%	1.079259%	1.344988%	1.347091%	1.347091%	1.388727%	1.388727%	
YU - Office vac. land new construction	0.214793%	0.041636%	0.002074%	0.372122%	0.002103%	1.079259%	1.344988%	1.347091%	1.347091%	1.388727%	1.388727%	
ZT - Shopping centre new construction	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
ZT - Shopping centre new constr.	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
DU - Vacant lot, excess land	0.214793%	0.041636%	0.002074%	0.372122%	0.002103%	1.079259%	1.344988%	1.347091%	1.347091%	1.388727%	1.388727%	
GT - Parking Lot	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
ST - Shopping Centre	0.306845%	0.059481%	0.002962%	0.531675%	0.003055%	1.079259%	1.921411%	1.924416%	1.924416%	1.983897%	1.983897%	
IX - Industrial	0.497167%	0.096374%	0.004800%	0.861449%	0.004868%	1.680413%	3.023829%	3.026897%	3.026897%	3.126071%	3.126071%	
IU - hydro incl in tax rates	0.323159%	0.062643%	0.003120%	0.558942%	0.003164%	1.079268%	1.964819%	1.964819%	1.964819%	2.031296%	2.031296%	
IU - hydro vac. land incl in tax rates	0.323159%	0.062643%	0.003120%	0.558942%	0.003164%	1.079268%	1.964819%	1.964819%	1.964819%	2.031296%	2.031296%	
IK - hydro vac. land incl in tax rates	0.158003%	0.030629%	0.001525%	0.273778%	0.001547%	0.173260%	0.608105%	0.608105%	0.608105%	0.639734%	0.639734%	
II - Farmlands I, excess land	0.497167%	0.096374%	0.004800%	0.861449%	0.004868%	1.680413%	3.023829%	3.026897%	3.026897%	3.126071%	3.126071%	
LU - Large Industrial	0.497167%	0.096374%	0.004800%	0.861449%	0.004868%	1.680413%	3.023829%	3.026897%	3.026897%	3.126071%	3.126071%	
LU - Vacant units, excess land	0.323159%	0.062643%	0.003120%	0.558942%	0.003164%	1.079268%	1.964819%	1.964819%	1.964819%	2.031296%	2.031296%	
LU - Vacant units, excess land	0.323159%	0.062643%	0.003120%	0.558942%	0.003164%	1.079268%	1.964819%	1.964819%	1.964819%	2.031296%	2.031296%	
LU - Vacant units, new construction	0.421365%	0.081168%	0.004073%	0.730089%	0.004139%	1.268622%	2.456514%	2.456514%	2.456514%	2.536938%	2.536938%	
PT - Pipeline	0.223872%	0.043358%	0.002169%	0.387559%	0.002190%	1.068622%	1.880252%	1.882442%	1.882442%	1.926800%	1.926800%	
FT - Farmlands	0.042136%	0.008168%	0.000407%	0.073008%	0.000419%	0.067750%	0.173300%	0.173713%	0.173713%	0.181881%	0.181881%	
FT - Managed Forests	0.042136%	0.008168%	0.000407%	0.073008%	0.000419%	0.067750%	0.173300%	0.173713%	0.173713%	0.181881%	0.181881%	
Area 1		0.854207%				0.380524%				0.233683%		
Area 2		0.408845%				0.245367%				0.163578%		
Area 3		0.546583%				0.557938%				0.378825%		
		0.062524%				0.397597%				0.259058%		