



Government Relations Matters

City Council
September 29, 2021

**GOVERNMENT
RELATIONS**

Region of Peel | Week of September 27, 2021



There are no Regional meetings scheduled for the week of September 27, 2021.

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Starting September 25, capacity limits will be increased in many of the indoor settings where proof of vaccination is required and certain outdoor settings, including:



meeting and event spaces, such as banquet halls and conference/convention centres



concerts, theatres and cinemas



racing venues



sporting events



commercial and film television productions with studio audiences



Upgrading and maintaining health care system infrastructure to deliver high-quality care to patients



September 27, 2021: Investing \$100M through the new Tourism Recovery Program to help stabilize the province's tourism industry as it recovers from the impacts of COVID-19.

- support tourism businesses that have experienced a loss of at least 50 per cent of eligible revenue in 2020-21 compared to 2019

September 24, 2021: Effective September 25, 2021, at 12:01 a.m., capacity limits will be increased in many of the indoor settings where proof of vaccination is required.

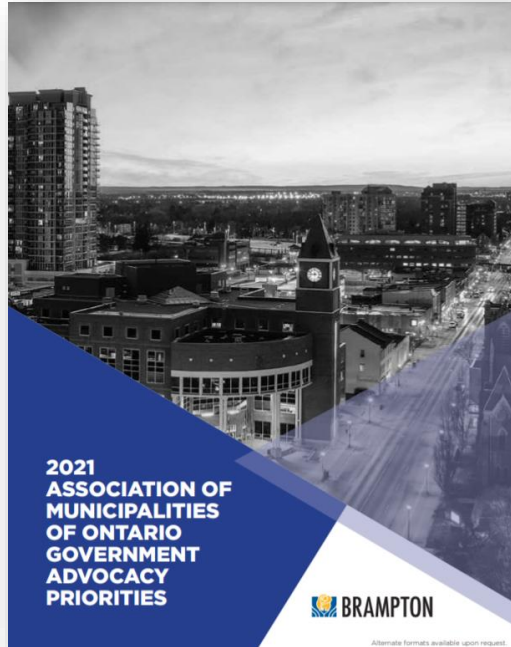
September 24, 2021: Ontario's 2020-21 Public Accounts released.

September 23, 2021: Marked the opening of Faith Manor's brand new 160-bed long-term care building in Brampton

- provides 40 new and 120 upgraded, safe long-term care beds

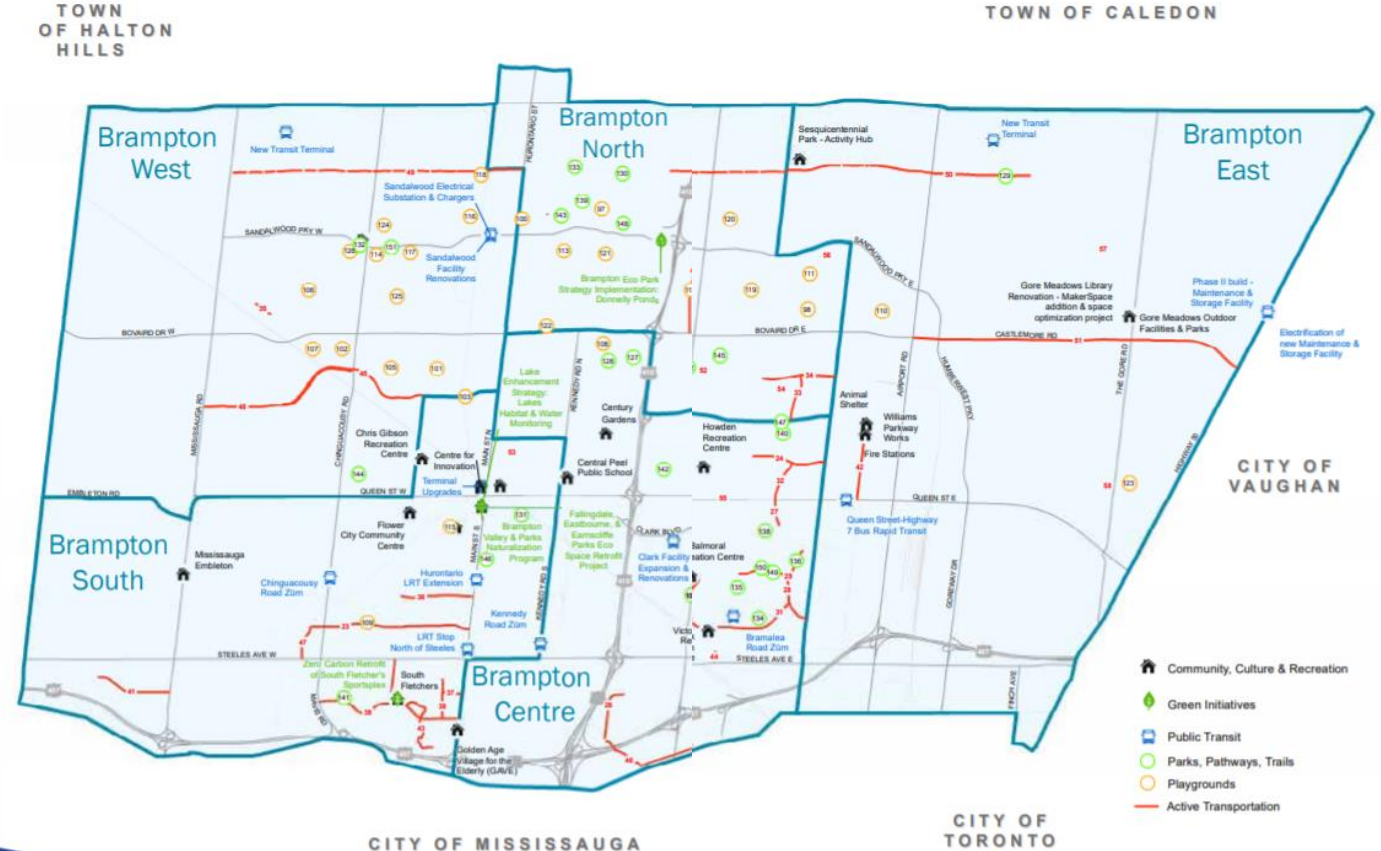
September 23, 2021: Investing \$182.6M to help hospitals & community health service providers upgrade & repair their facilities.

Provincial Government | 2021 AMO Conference



PRIORITY PROJECTS MAP

*see Priority Projects list for details



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Ministry of Transportation
Hon. Caroline Mulroney, Minister

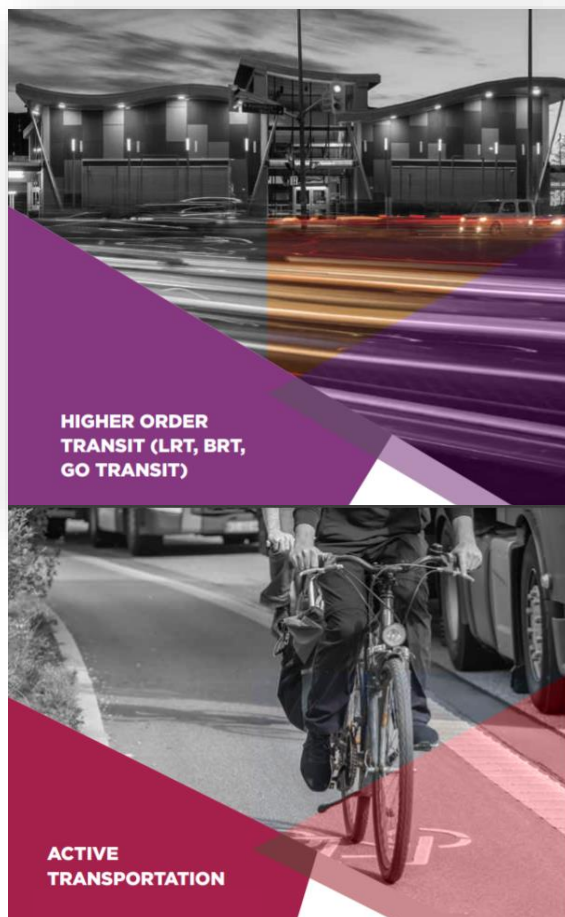
ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Active Transportation
- Light Rail Transit
- Queen St Bus Rapid Transit
- Provincial Gas Tax funding

Minister requested more information on active transportation initiatives

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are arranging a follow-up meeting with Minister's staff to further discuss active transportation initiatives, LRT and BRT



Ministry of Infrastructure Hon. Kinga Surma, Minister

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Active transportation infrastructure
- Centre For Innovation (CFI)
- Riverwalk

Follow up to include information on large infrastructure projects – CFI, Riverwalk

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister's Office to ensure all information requested is provided



Ministry of Health
Hon. Christine Elliot, Minister

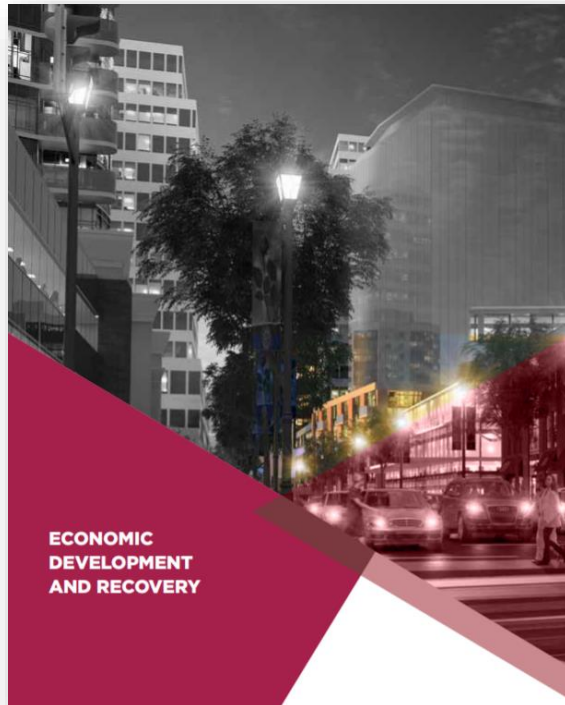
ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Third hospital in Brampton
- Mental health
- Cancer care centre
- Medical School planning grant
- Diabetes

‘Thank you’ for Provincial commitment to Phase II expansion at Peel Memorial

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister’s Office to ensure all information requested is provided



Ministry of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade

Hon. Nina Tangri, Associate Minister

Red Tape Reduction and Small Business

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Innovation district funding opportunities - BeeHive
- Small business supports, especially post-pandemic
- BIA Main St support program
- Riverwalk – to revitalize the downtown for economic opportunities
- Programs/funding for youth entrepreneurs
- Support for trades people – mentorship program

Associate Minister was open to visiting Brampton

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister's staff to arrange a visit to Brampton

Ministry of Finance
Hon. Peter Bethlenfalvy, Minister



ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Pandemic recovery – requesting for Safe Restart Agreement funding to continue
- Third hospital in Brampton
- Riverwalk
- BramptonU
- Auto insurance rates

Minister requested more information on Riverwalk

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister's Office to ensure all information requested is provided

Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing Hon. Steve Clark, Minister

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Seat redistribution on Regional Council
- Affordable housing, including student housing
- Illegal secondary units

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister's Office to ensure information requested has been received





Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks
Hon. David Piccini, Minister

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- City's commitment to reducing green house gases emissions by 80% by 2050
- One Million Trees Program
- Backyard Garden Program
- Electrification of transit fleet
- Riverwalk
- Storm water management system

Minister requested more information on Riverwalk

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- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Minister's Office to ensure information requested has been received

Ministry of Solicitor General Hon. Sylvia Jones , Solicitor General

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Community Safety Office
- Tenure for community liaisons
- Automated Speed Enforcement program
- Gender based violence
- Funding for after school programs

Minister requested more information on the Community Safety office

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- Follow-up correspondence has been drafted
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Opposition Parties

- MPP Andrea Horwath, Leader of the Official Opposition, NDP
- Stephen Del Duca, Leader of the Ontario Liberal Party
- MPP Mike Schreiner, Leader of the Green Party of Ontario

ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Third hospital in Brampton
- Transportation – LRT & BRT
- Riverwalk
- Auto insurance rates
- BramptonU

NEXT STEPS

- Follow-up letter has been drafted
- Staff are following-up with Leaders' offices to ensure requested information has been received