



YOUR 2023 TAX BILL

BUDGET 2023

Assessment role	\$ 266 612 600
Revenues	
Property value tax	\$ 1 554 485
Municipal services tax	\$ 1 009 074
Total taxes	\$2 563 559
Transfers (grants)	\$ 595 656
Services provided	\$ 8 000
Other fees	\$ 178 000
Other revenues	\$ 97 736
Total revenues	\$ 3 442 951
Charges	
General administration	\$ 735 184
Public safety	\$ 466 234
Transport	\$ 1 111 757
Environmental health	\$ 705 292
Urbanism	\$ 119 602
Recreation and culture	\$ 109 727
Financing costs	\$ 44 790
Allocation and restricted funds	\$ 150 365
Total charges	\$ 3 442 951

Some key changes will affect the 2023 budget:

Expenses	Budget 2023	Budget 2022	% change
Sureté du Québec	\$169 677	\$ 161 752	+ 4.90 %
Quote part MRC share	\$298 821	\$ 235 426	+ 26.93 %
Waste management	\$568 743	\$ 256 911	+ 121.38%
Other expenses	\$2 405 710	\$2 367 940	+ 1.6 %

The municipality was able to control its costs to limit the increase in the tax bill. The general tax rate has decreased from \$0.854/\$100 of assessment to \$0.5655/\$100 of assessment.

For more detailed information on the 2023 budget, please visit our website under budgets.

TAXES AND PAYMENT

Payment of the tax bill is due on **March 27, 2023**. However, a tax bill that exceeds \$300 may be paid in 4 installments:

1. On or before **March 27**
2. By **May 29**
3. By **July 31**
4. By **October 2**

Method of payment of municipal taxes

1. Through your financial institution
2. By mail: cheque
3. Cash and Interac in person.

Credit cards are not accepted.

Unpaid balances shall bear interest at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum from the time they become due.

A penalty of 0.5% of the unpaid principal per full month of delay, to a maximum of 5% per annum, shall be added to the amount of taxes due.

PROPERTY ASSESSMENT FOR 2023-2024-2025

The property assessment roll is a summary of the inventory of immovables located on the territory of a municipality, evaluated on the same basis and on the same date. In effect for three fiscal years, it is used primarily to indicate the value of immovables to establish municipal property taxation.

The value of properties for this roll is based on the market value as of July 1, 2021, in accordance with section 46 of the Act respecting municipal taxation. The Gatineau Valley MRC is designated as the organization responsible for the assessment roll.

If you wish to request a review of your assessment, **the deadline is April 30, 2023**.

For this or any information request, contact the MRC at 819-463-3241 ext. 250. This is a voice mailbox, and your call will be returned promptly.

WASTE COLLECTION

Collection of organic materials (compost) began in January. We encourage you to integrate the new habit of sorting residual materials and to deposit them in the appropriate bins.

Keep the collection calendar and check out the pamphlet for accepted and refused materials as well as some tips and tricks.

We must continue our efforts to reduce the amount of material going to landfill, which is directly related to the grants we are entitled to receive from RECYC-QUÉBEC.

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Council meetings will be held at 7:00 p.m. in Heritage Hall located at 4C chemin D'Amour.

January 9	July 3
February 6	August 7
March 6	September 5 (Tuesday)
April 3	October 2
May 1	November 6
June 5	December 4

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