**CANTON DE / TOWNSHIP OF** 



# YOUR 2024 TAX BILL

# **BUDGET 2024**

Assessment role	\$ 274 341 700
Revenues	
Property value tax	\$ 2 032 407
Municipal services tax	\$ 667 759
Total taxes	\$2 700 166
Transfers (grants)	\$ 694 617
Services provided	\$ 12 000
Other fees	\$ 136 200
Other revenues	\$ 0
Total revenues	\$ 3 635 977
Charges	
General administration	\$ 792 253
Public safety	\$ 472 662
Transport	\$ 1 213 302
Environmental health	\$ 757 577
Urbanism	\$ 115 447
Recreation and culture	\$ 151 822
Financing costs	\$ 64 996
Allocation and restricted funds	\$ 67 918
Total charges	\$ 3 635 977

Some key changes will affect the 2024 budget:

Expenses	Budget 2024	Budget 2023	% change
Sureté du Québec	\$178 797	\$ 169 677	+ 5.37 %
Quote part MRC share	\$331 246	\$ 298 821	+ 10.85 %
Waste management	\$633 150	\$ 568 743	+ 11.32%
Other expenses	\$2 492 784	\$2 405 710	+ 3.62 %

The municipality was able to control its costs to limit the increase in the tax bill. The general tax rate has passed from \$0.5655/\$100 of assessment to \$0.59434/\$100 of assessment.

For more detailed information on the 2024 budget, please visit our website under budgets.

### **TAXES AND PAYMENT**

Payment of the tax bill is due on April 1<sup>st</sup>, **2024**. However, a tax bill that exceeds \$300 may be paid in 4 installments:

- 1. On or before April 1
- 2. By June 3
- 3. By August 5
- 4. By October 7

#### 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.

The total amount for the year becomes payable as soon as the payment of one (1) coupon has not been made by the deadline indicated above.

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

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. Automatic Maureen McEy Luc Thivierge

## 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.

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 2023. 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 our website 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. The more you recycle and compost, the less it will cost in garbage fees!

# MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

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

January 8	July 2 (Tuesday)
February 5	August 5
March 4	September 3 (Tuesday)
April 2	October 7
May 6	November 4
June 3	December 2

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