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Dear Friends,

As your Wards 3 & 4 councillors we are happy to provide updates on initiatives that matter most to our residents. We have been working over the summer to make our community safer and by addressing some key issues below:

Summer Enforcement Performance Update: Over the summer the City's enforcement team focused on increased consequences to violations, proactive patrols, and prevention measures. Increased consequences have led to a 9% increase in overall penalties and revenue, and a 67% increase in towed vehicles. Penalty notices rose 564% (from 121 to 804) and proactive intelligence-led loops were established to address parking and property standards issues. To date, the enforcement loops generated 8,768 in penalty notices and \$420,950 in fines. We remain committed to improving service delivery to our residents and while progress has been made over recent months, we will continue to push for efficiencies and meet the needs of our community.

Susan Fennell Sportsplex Reopening: The Susan Fennell Sportsplex and Youth Hub officially reopened as Brampton's very first zero-carbon recreation facility. The retrofit is about building a greener, more sustainable future for our community and enjoying our facilities in a more energy-efficient space. New features include LED lighting both indoors and outdoors, a ground source heat loop nearly 800 feet deep, upgrades to our heating, cooling and ventilation systems.

Check out the New Parks & Rec Construction Map: Stay up to date with Brampton's new Parks & Recreation Construction Map -- an interactive tool offering the latest updates on current, upcoming and completed projects citywide. The map features four categories: New Park Development, Park Revitalization, New Recreation Facilities and Recreation Facility Improvements. From splash pads and playgrounds to major facility upgrades, these projects are designed to enhance community spaces and expand access to quality amenities. Explore the map to see what's happening in your neighbourhood. Learn more at brampton.ca/recreation

Regards,



EXPANDING BRAMPTON'S RESIDENTIAL RENTAL LICENSING PROGRAM

The City of Brampton's Residential Rental Licensing (RRL) program ensures rental homes meet fire, building, and property standards, protecting tenants and creating safer, healthier neighbourhoods. Currently, rental properties in Wards 1, 3, 4, 5 and 7 with four or fewer units must be licensed. To support landlords, fees are waived for the remainder of 2025, and eligible landlords can receive a free smoke alarm for a limited time. In 2026, the program will expand to Wards 2 and 8, where fees will also be waived, and introduce enhanced training, streamlined applications and updated licence classifications. Learn more at **brampton.ca/RRL**



NEW MILESTONES IN BRAMPTON'S TRANSFORMATION

Downtown Brampton's revitalization is accelerating with exciting milestones! Streetscape upgrades on Queen Street East (Main to Chapel/Theatre Lane) are complete, while work continues on Queen Street West. The international design competition for Ken Whillans and Garden Squares has concluded, with the winning firm set to begin construction later this year in Ken Whillans Square. Meanwhile, the Nelson Square Parking Garage and George Street surface lot are closed and scheduled for demolition to make way for the future Centre for Innovation. Learn more about the transformation at **brampton.ca/downtown**

HOCKEY NIGHT IN BRAMPTON DELIVERED ANOTHER UNFORGETTABLE NIGHT!

Brampton came alive on August 20 as residents and fans filled the arena for the 2025 Hockey Night in Brampton. This beloved tradition united NHL stars, legend and rising players for Canada's largest charity hockey game. Team Matthews, coached by Darryl Sittler, battled Team Tanev, led by Wendel Clark, in a thrilling 10–9 finish for Team Tanev. Beyond the excitement, the night raised \$6.67M, highlighted by a historic \$50M pledge from the Cortellucci Family, to the William Osler Health System Foundation to build Brampton's second hospital. Thank you to everyone who bought tickets, cheered in the stands and made this night a success.





WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW WHEN IT SNOWS

Winter crews plow major roads first, then local roads after 5 cm of snow. Street parking is prohibited during snow clearing and all permits are suspended. Illegally parked vehicles may be ticketed, towed and impounded at the owner's expense. Fines for first offence is \$125, second is \$250, subsequent is \$500.

Remember to clear snow and ice from sidewalks by 11 am the day after snowfall ends. The City's expanded Financial Assistance Program helps seniors and people with disabilities, including renters, with snow removal. Learn more at **brampton.ca/snow**

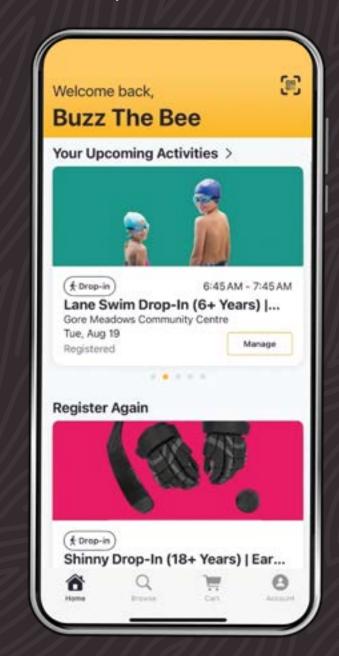


BRINGING SAFETY CONVERSATIONS TO YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

The Brampton Community Safety Advisory Committee brings residents, local agencies and City officials together to raise awareness and take action on safety issues. Supported by the Community Safety and Well-Being Office, the Committee advises Council and promotes community safety initiatives. For 2025, there are meetings taking place across Brampton -- making it easier for you to join the conversation and share your voice. Stay informed and get involved! Details at brampton.ca/communitysafety

INTRODUCING THE BRAMPTON RECREATION MOBILE APP

Brampton Recreation is excited to launch a new mobile app that makes registering for programs easier than ever. Available on iOS and Android, the app lets residents browse, register and pay for activities anytime, anywhere. Key features include Alpowered Smart Search, integrated account and membership management, secure inapp payments and real-time notifications for updates and reminders. This innovative tool enhances accessibility, convenience and engagement with recreation programs. Learn more at brampton.ca/recreation

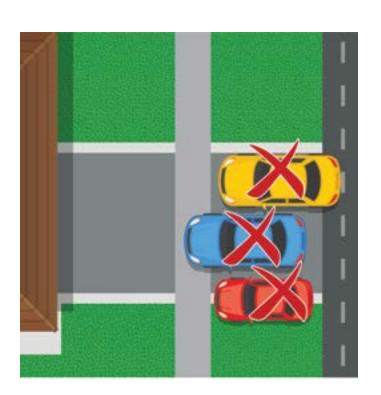


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COYOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY

Coyotes are part of Brampton's natural environment and we can safely share our spaces with them by taking a few precautions. Keep pets leashed, remove food sources from yards and parks and never feed wildlife. Residents are encouraged to check Brampton's Coyote Sightings Tracker and report any sightings online. Together, we can protect both our pets and our neighbourhoods. Learn more at brampton.ca/coyotes





SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE PARKING

Residents are reminded to follow parking rules to help keep Brampton's streets safe and accessible. Street parking is not permitted between 2 am and 6 am, and vehicles may not be parked for more than three hours without a permit. Drivers must ensure they do not block traffic, sidewalks, fire hydrants or bike lanes and should only park in designated areas. Learn more at **brampton.ca/bylaws**



KEEP BRAMPTON CLEAN

Proper waste disposal helps keep our city clean and welcoming. Dumping garbage in public spaces is prohibited. Residents should use the Region of Peel's waste services and compost bins for food waste, store bins securely off sidewalks/streets and keep lids closed to prevent litter. Bins should only be placed at the curb after 7 pm the night before collection. Learn more at **brampton.ca/bylaws**



PAY YOUR PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are billed twice a year, with residents receiving both an Interim and Final Notice bill. Payment is made in three instalments and can be completed by cheque, debit, in person at a Service Brampton location or your bank, online through your bank's website or by enrolling in the pre-authorized payment plan. Learn more at **brampton.ca/tax**



REPLACE YOUR SMOKE ALARMS

Smoke alarms have a lifespan of 10 years and must be replaced when they expire or if they are malfunctioning. Residents should check the date on their smoke alarms regularly to ensure they are in good working order. Proper maintenance and timely replacement can save lives. Learn more at **brampton.ca/smokealarms**



Regular tree maintenance is essential for safety and neighbourhood appearance. Pruning helps prevent the spread of disease by removing dead or dying branches and trimming long or low-hanging branches improves visibility and access. Under City property standards, the lower half of all trees must be kept free of low branches. Failure to properly maintain trees can result in fines. Learn more at **brampton.ca/treecare**



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COUNCILLORS KEENAN & MEDEIROS WANT YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE **CHAROLAIS BOULEVARD BIKE LANES!**

In 2019, Brampton City Council endorsed the "Active Transportation Master Plan" which introduced a variety of network plans, policies and programs to support Brampton's 2040 Vision.

Included within this plan, are numerous initiatives to enhance road safety and sustainability with the implementation of active transp ortation for residents, such as the creation of protected bike lanes.

Based on feedback from local area residents, the Councillors would like to survey the neighbourhood for a wider response to the Charolais Boulevard bike lanes.

> **SCAN THE OR CODE TO TAKE THE SURVEY**







Save the Date!

Wards 3 & 4 Family Christmas Event

Saturday, **December 13**, 2025 10 am - 12 pm Alderlea (40 Elizabeth St S, Brampton, ON L6Y 1R1)

Hosted by your Regional Councillors: Dennis Keenan and Martin Medeiros



Councillor Medeiros at Carabram, Brampton's best cultural celebration (July 2025)



Councillor Keenan and Councillor Medeiros attending Eid al-Adha celebrations in Brampton (June 2025)



Councillor Medeiros and Councillor Keenan with a Brampton Fire truck wrapped in support of the William Osler Foundation (September 2025)



Councillors Medeiros and Keenan Councillor Keenan and Councillor enjoying the Senhor Santo Cristo Medeiros at the Terry Fox Run Procession at Our Lady of Fatima (September 2025) Parish (September 2025)



Councillor Medeiros and Councillor Keenan attending the Teeyan de Mela at Rollingwood Park (August 2025)



Councillors Keenan and Medeiros at the groundbreaking for the redevelopment of the Sir Robert Peel Centre (August 2025)



Councillor Keenan visiting the Annual Flower Show, put on by the Brampton Horticultural Society (June 2025)



Councillor Medeiros at Gauri Shankar Mandir's annual community picnic at Eldorado Park (July 2025)



Councillor Medeiros at CUPE 831's Annual BBQ (June 2025)



Councillor Keenan attending the Heritage Downtown Brampton Party in the Park (June 2025)





Councillor Medeiros and Councillor Keenan with affiliated seniors' groups in Council chambers (September 2025)



Councillor Keenan on stage at the 47th Jalsa Canada, to help present a replica Ahmadiyya Gate sign (July 2025)

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