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Wellington-Halton Hills MPP Ted Arnott dropped by Rexall Pharmacy in Acton earlier this month to receive his flu shot from pharmacist Lynn LaFrance. Rexall is partnering with Amref Health Africa to launch 'Shot For Shot,' a campaign committed to providing life-saving vaccinations to children that need it most. For every flu shot administered by a Rexall pharmacist, Rexall will make a donation towards delivering vaccines to northern Uganda where vaccination rates are well below World Health Organization targets.

Submitted photo

No 2015 baby yet for Georgetown

By Lisa Tallyn
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There's no New Year's baby at Georgetown Hospital yet, and may not be for a while as the Obstetrical Department is temporarily redirecting

expectant moms to another hospital to deliver.

Halton Healthcare Services spokesperson Larry Roberts said the "temporary redirect status" is due to the recent unavailability of the hospital's only obstetrician, Dr. Selvaratnam

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Committee endorses capital budget

By Lisa Tallyn
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Resurfacing several streets in town and reconstructing Wildwood Rd. are two of the bigger ticket items in the Town's \$10.5 million 2015 capital budget.

Budget committee (all members of council) approved the budget Monday evening with the deletion of only one item from the 72 recommended by Town staff. The decision still needs to be ratified by Council.

Removed from the capital budget and deferred to next year was the replacement of the marquis sign at Mold-Masters SportsPlex at a cost of \$60,000.

With that item taken out, the approved 2015 budget totals \$10,533,100, down from \$10,593,100.

The five most costly projects included are:

- \$2.2 million for pavement management projects— for resurfacing Stockman, Irwin and Dawson Crescents, Sherman Crt., Aire-dale, Allen Rd., Wildwood Rd., Lucinda Place and Hale Dr.
- \$1.2 million for reconstructing Wildwood Rd. from Oakridge Rd. to Ontario St. including the installation of new sidewalks.
- \$798,000 to replace Infrastructure Services equipment including a tandem truck, loader and mechanical sweeper
- \$572,000 for reconstruction of Mill St. W. in Acton
- \$350,000 to resurface Five Sideroad from

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