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The Heart Facts

What are the major signs of a heart attack?

An uncomfortable pressure, squeezing, fullness or discomfort in the center of the chest behind the breastbone, which may spread to the shoulder, neck or arms (the pain may not be severe). Other signals include sweating, nausea, shortness of breath and a feeling of weakness. (Signs may appear in combination.)

Conflict charges ignites words between current and ex councillor

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 Hewitt also argued that "personalities cannot be brought into planning issues.

"There is absolutely no influence on council or staff from myself — things go by their own merits," he told this newspaper. "I'm a private citizen — all of those people have minds of their own. None of the councillors, or staff for that matter, owe me anything, and vice-versa...This guy (Robson) better get a feel for what council's all about."

Hewitt confirmed that Law has hired his part-time consulting business, J. Hewitt Services, to "expedite" the final details of his developments. Hewitt said he only looks after the "time consuming and exhausting" details after developments are already draft approved by council. He has been doing similar work both in and out of the municipality since 1984.

"It's too bad if the public perceives that there may be a conflict — but it's really how it's presented in the press," he said. "I don't know any hush-hush stuff from council — all that had to do with public land or personnel problems, and nothing to do with private developments...Robson's made a silly statement, but people are going to believe what they want to believe. But, does anybody have the right to tell another what they can or cannot do?"

Robson, who chairs the Town's newly-formed Development Review Committee, wants to distance council from developers, in order to "do business properly and up front."

But, he stressed that he has a lot of respect for Larry Law and his development company, noting he is upset with how Hewitt's employment might appear.

"Law may be penalized through public opinion because of all this, and I don't want that to happen — he's got good projects going now," he added. "But, in the court of public opinion, you must not only

be clean, but be perceived as clean as well...I want this all cleared up.

"But, if a good development such as Law's goes through, then if I was

another developer I'd cry foul, saying he received preferential treatment because of Joe's influence. It's just not right."

Acton.

Fire calls

Trapped inside

Two people were extricated from two separate vehicles by the Halton Hills Fire Department Sunday at 2 p.m. The accident was on Hwy. 7 at Crewsons Corners in Acton.

False alarm

The Halton Hills Fire Department responded to a false alarm Wednesday at 4:18 a.m. at Holly Industries, on Eastern Ave. in

Chimney Fire

There was no damage in a chimney fire on Wednesday at 5:35 p.m. Some creosote flared up in a chimney of a house located on 32 Sdrd. the Erin-Halton Town Line. The fire was extinguished.

Arson suspected

The Halton Hills Fire Department suspects arson in a fire in the old Deltacraft building on River Dr., Glen Williams. A fire was set at the base of a wood roof support, and a small section of the roof and wall were burned. The fire was extinguished, and there is no damage estimate.

Arena decision delayed in budget deliberations

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If approved, construction of the 36,000 square foot arena will begin next spring, with completion in the fall of 1993.

Councillors were told during a closed door session Tuesday that negotiations with Acton east developers for an eight-acre parcel for the arena are almost finished. The final details of the sale are yet to be worked out.

Although Elliott believed it was time to commit to the project to get the ball rolling on the grant application, he agreed with Chatten's sentiments, adding it would be foolish to force the vote if councillors are not comfortable with it yet.

Mayor Russ Miller offered full support to the project, but hesitated approving it Tuesday for fear of

rejecting it later if the budget turns out to be too high. He urged council to be frugal with the rest of the budget in order to allow the arena project to proceed.

"I don't want to commit to it tonight, because I don't want to support something that I'll regret at a later date," he said. "If it's a priority, then I want faith in council that other projects will be cut to make this a priority. Otherwise, it may be the first time that I'll vote against a budget. We have to be tough...I'm not going to be trapped again this year."

Councillors are now waiting on a report from staff outlining all costs involved in the project, including the cost of the land. A special budget meeting on the arena is scheduled for March 9, prior to their regular council meeting.

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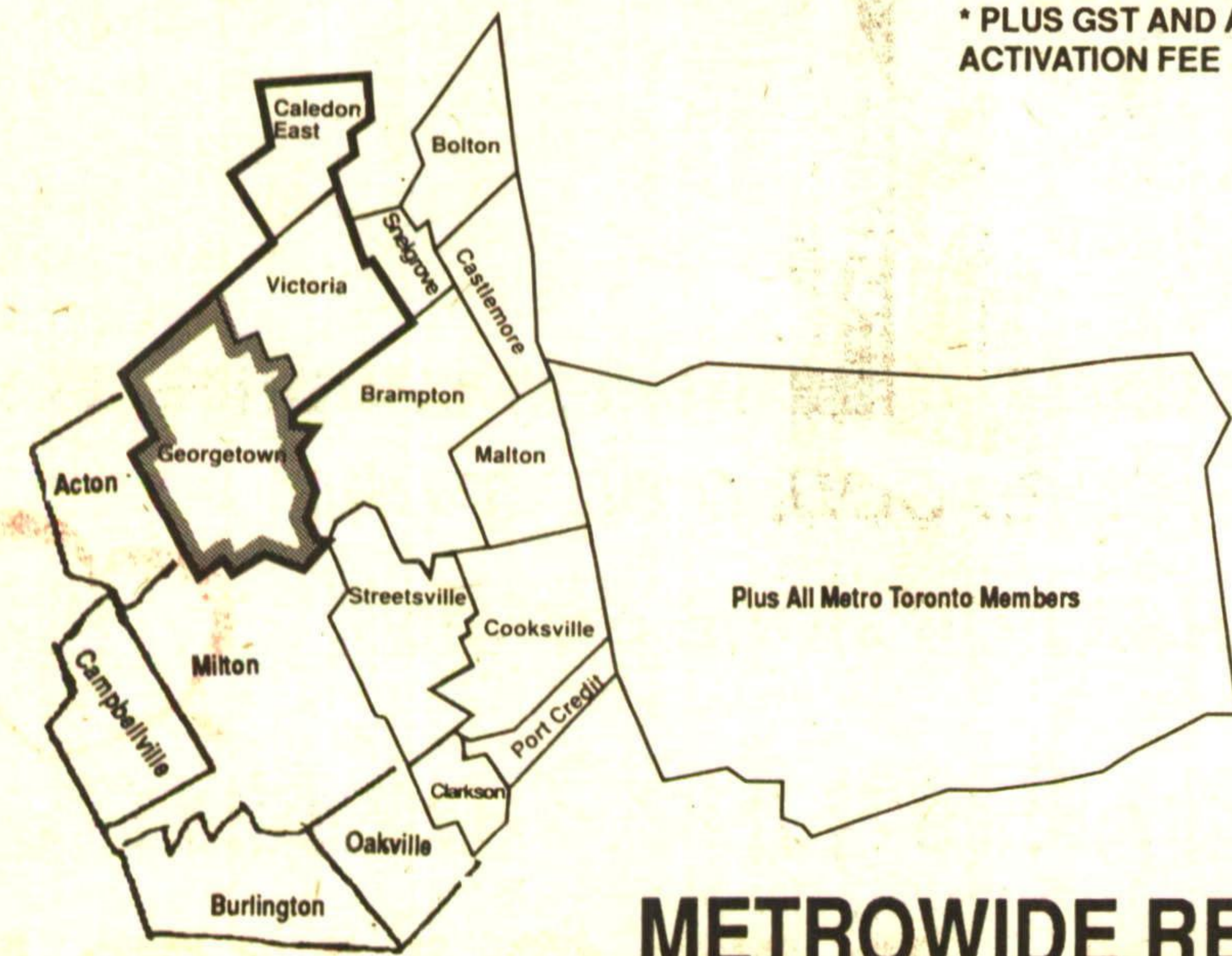
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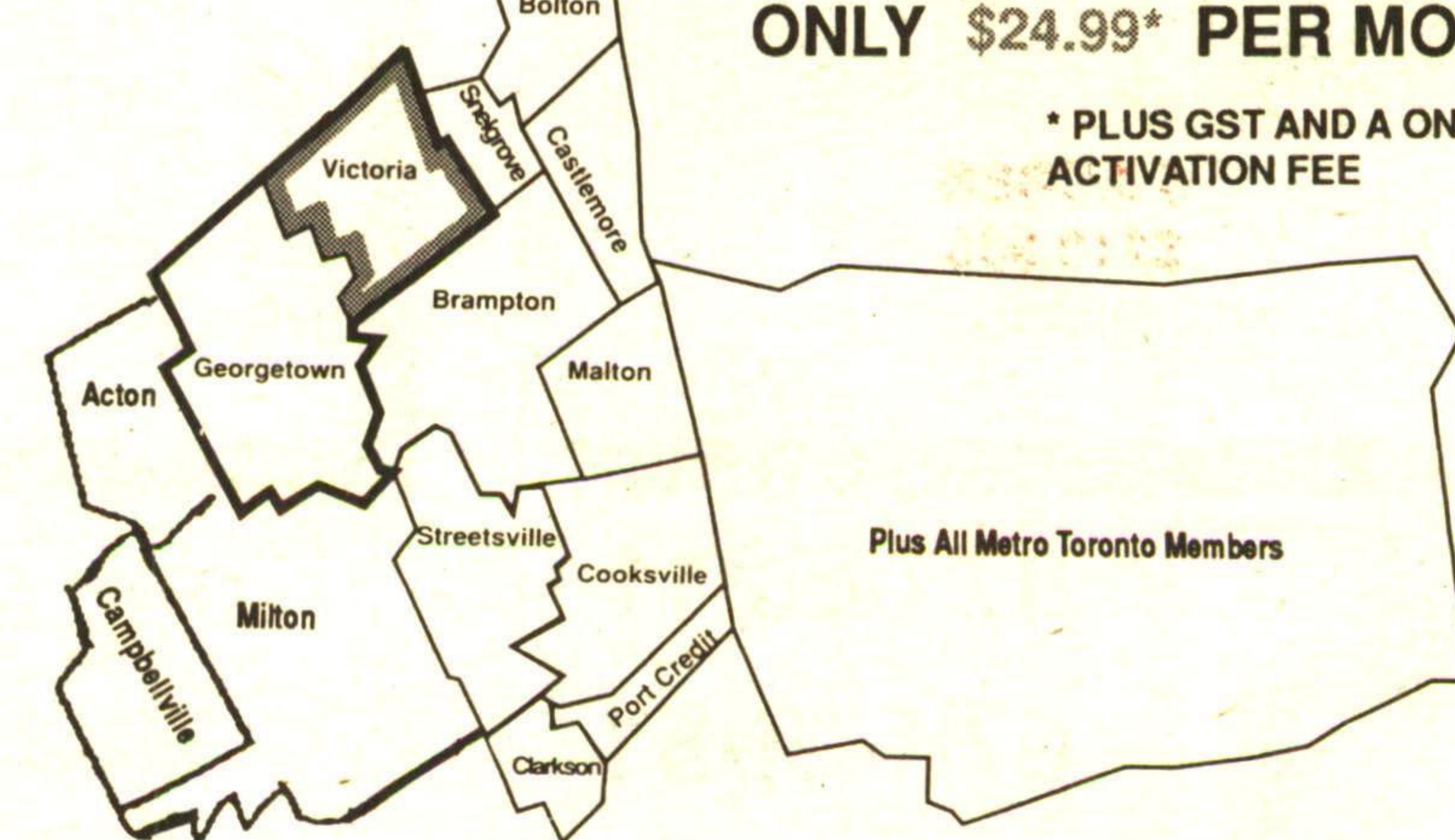
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