

# Halton Highlights October 2018

## Click, tap or call to access Halton's programs and services

October 1 to 5 is Customer Service Week, and it's a great time to remind you of the many ways you can connect with us. From waste collection, emergency planning and public health to long-term care, child care, Regional roads and water and wastewater, Halton is part of your everyday life. It's as easy as one click, one tap or one call to access our programs and services:



Visit **halton.ca** for online tools, information and service request forms.



Connect with us on social media by following Halton Region on Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn or YouTube.



Email us at [accesshalton@halton.ca](mailto:accesshalton@halton.ca) or call 311 to speak with a customer service representative.



Download the OneHalton app from the App Store or Google Play to get waste collection reminders, access our Simply Local map (your guide to local food and farms) or submit service requests on your mobile device.



Visit a Regional facility to meet with staff, pick up a Green Cart or Blue Box or obtain print resources.

Our goal is to ensure you have a positive, consistent experience across all our channels and that you can find the information you are looking for in the way that works best for you. Ensuring you have access to the programs and services you need, when you need them, helps makes Halton a great place to live.

## Simply fresh. Simply fun. Simply local.

Halton is home to a diverse agricultural community that includes farms, markets, nurseries, stables and recreational activities. The Region is proud to support the farming industry by helping residents connect with nearby agri-businesses, and our Simply Local map makes it easy to buy fresh food and support our local farmers.

Our Simply Local interactive map is your best source for up-to-date information on Halton farms, locally grown produce and agricultural activities for people of all ages. The map also shows pick-your-own locations and indicates which crops are in-season and ripe for picking!

There are many benefits to buying local produce—it helps protect the environment, supports the regional economy and ensures the food on your table simply tastes great. Visit **halton.ca** or download the OneHalton app to use our interactive map and learn more about agriculture in Halton.



## A place for businesses to succeed

Halton's strong and growing regional economy is the result of this community's highly educated workforce, low taxes and easy access to high-quality business services.

Whether you are looking for start-up support, mentorship opportunities or exporting advice, the Region can help your business succeed at any stage.

In an increasingly global marketplace, our Global Business Centre (GBC) offers programs and services for local small- and medium-sized businesses looking to expand to international markets, including:

- export counseling;
- market entry support;
- workshops and seminars;
- information on government programs; and
- networking opportunities.

With our team of experts and wide range of support services, Halton Region is your one-stop destination for resources and information to meet your business needs.

Visit **halton.ca** to connect with a consultant, register for a seminar and learn more about why businesses choose to locate and expand in Halton.

### Meetings at Halton Region

1151 Bronte Rd., Oakville, L6M 3L1

Visit **halton.ca** for full schedule.

Please contact us as soon as possible if you have any accessibility needs at Halton Region events or meetings.

### Building Improvements at Halton Regional Centre

Halton Region is improving the Halton Regional Centre (HRC) to better serve you. Due to renovation work, Regional Council meetings will be relocated to the Auditorium from April to November 2018, and Standing Committee discussions will take place at Council meetings during this time. To learn more, visit **halton.ca** or call 311.

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