

# Council tab for 2006 nearly \$300K

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Close to \$300,000 was spent on salaries and expenses for the Town's 11-member council in 2006.

The Municipal Act 2001 requires the Finance Department submit each year a statement to council itemizing remuneration and expenses paid to council members and appointees to local boards and committees.

Mayor Rick Bonnette topped the list with \$59,307.99. That included salary and benefits of \$56,756.35, conferences and seminar expenses of \$1,219.19 and 'other' (parking, ETR 407 and gas mileage) of \$1,332.45. Bonnette also earned \$42,445.58 for his service around the Halton Regional Council table. That included \$1,166.52 for gas mileage.

Former Ward 3 Councillor Mike Davis, who lost his seat in last fall's municipal election, posted the highest remuneration of the 2003-2006-term councillors.

Davis collected \$21,055.53 in salary and benefits, plus claimed \$3,217.39 in expenses for conferences and seminars and \$1,382.29 for 'other' expenses. He collected in total from the municipality: \$25,655.21.

In contrast his ward mate, Councillor Moya Johnson was paid \$23,233 including \$1,266 for conferences and \$47 in 'other' expenses.

Wards 1 & 2 Regional Councillor Clark Somerville earned \$23,900.66 from the Town of Halton Hills and \$44,370.08 from Halton Region. He claimed \$1,067 and \$1,220 in car mileage and other expenses from the Town and Region respectively. Plus he claimed \$1,934 in conference expenses from the region and \$1,303 for representation on the police services board (\$511 for conferences and \$792 for mileage).

Wards 3 & 4 Regional Councillor Jane Fogal received \$1,219 for conference expenses for a total Town remuneration of \$23,139. She also earned \$45,196 as a regional councillor, which

included \$1,668 for conference expenses and \$2,313 for car mileage expenses.

Ward 2 Councillor Bryan Lewis claimed no conference or 'other' expenses from the Town, earning \$21,398 in 2006. However as a member of the Conservation Halton board of directors, he collected a total \$750 in per diem and \$432 in car mileage and other expenses.

His ward colleague, Joan Robson, also collected an \$827 honourarium and \$335 in car mileage expenses as a Credit Valley Conservation board director. From the Town coffers, she paid \$23,611, including \$1,299 for conference expenses. She claimed no 'other' Town expenses.

Acton Councillor Jon Hurst also claimed no 'other' expenses from the Town, and \$1,196 for conferences for a total \$24,036 in remuneration.

His ward mate, Michael O'Leary claimed \$1,050 in 'other' expenses for a total remuneration from the Town of \$22,971.

Ward 4 Councillor Bob Inglis received \$24,920 including \$642 for 'other'. As a member of the Conservation Halton board of directors he was paid \$850 in a per diem and received \$688 for car mileage.

Ward 4 Councillor Ron Chatten, who retired at the end of 2003-2006-term, was paid only \$19,752 and claimed no conference or 'other' expenses.

For the month and half they were on the town payroll, newcomers to the Halton Hills council table, Ward 4 Councillor John Duncan and Ward 3 Councillor Dave Kentner collected \$1,686 and \$1,867 respectively in salaries and benefits.

Committee of Adjustment members' remuneration ranged, primarily due to varying mileage expenses, from a high of \$1,373 for chair Al Cook to \$800 for member Paul Dray. Payment to the other members was: Dave Adair, \$935; Ramsay Barr, \$1,129; and Erik Kowal, \$1,029.

Fence Viewers and Property Standards Committee members Erik Kowal, Edward C. Lawson and Brian Maltby all received \$50 each for their work in 2006.

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Register your child at the school he or she will attend.

To find out which school your child will attend, please call 905-890-1010/1-800-668-1146, ext. 2212.

### For more information

For more information about the kindergarten program in Peel schools, contact your local school or the Peel board 905-890-1010/1-800-668-1146, ext. 2548, 2570.

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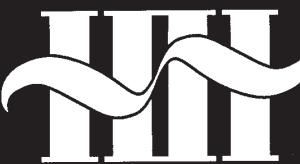
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### NOTICE OF TENDER

#### TOWN OF HALTON HILLS CONTRACT P-2007-C-03

Sealed tenders, clearly marked as to the contents, will be received by the Finance Department at the Civic Centre, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills (Georgetown), until 2:00 p.m., local time,

**Tuesday, April 10, 2007**

for the Town's 2007 Pavement Management Program (Georgetown).

The major items of construction are:

• Remove asphalt	21,600 m <sup>2</sup>
• Earth excavation	2,000 m <sup>3</sup>
• 150 mm subdrains	2,235 m
• Granular 'A'	4,340 t
• Remove & replace concrete curb & gutter	1,400 m
• Hot mix asphalt	5,040 t

Plans, specifications and Form of Tender may be obtained from the office of the Town's Finance Department upon payment of \$80.00 (GST included), non-refundable deposit.

A certified cheque or bid bond in the amount specified in the tender documents must accompany each tender.

Inquiries relating to the project should be directed to Mr. Kevin Chalmers, C.E.T., Senior Capital Works Technologist at 905-873-2601 ext. 2303. Tenders will be opened at 2:00 p.m. **Tuesday, April 10, 2007** at the Civic Centre. Those submitting tenders are invited to attend. Lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

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### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

#### FULL TIME LABOURER, PUBLIC WORKS OPERATIONS Posting No. 200709

Directed by Public Works Supervisory staff, the successful applicant will perform Public Works maintenance activities in a professional, productive and efficient manner on road allowances, infrastructure, drainage systems, parking lots, equipment, traffic control devices and other Town properties.

#### General Qualifications:

- Provide labour assistance to other staff to work on all public works activities and follow prescribed methods and established procedures for maintenance of roads, shoulders, gravel surfaces, bridges, culverts, trees, boulevards, ditches, storm sewer systems, concrete sidewalks, interlocking paving stones, concrete curbs, asphalt repairs, spray patching, sweeping, flushing and traffic control devices.
- Operate and maintain all wheel drive front-end loader with computerized load weighing system, wood chipper, single axle vehicles and tractors with attachments, including broom and mower.
- Operate and maintain a 3 and 5 tonne snow plow truck and learn to operate computerized material spreading devices. Operate a 4x4 pick-up truck with a snow plow and tractors with attachments, including plow and sander to safely and efficiently clear snow from roads, cul-de-sacs, cemeteries, sidewalks and parking lots completing all winter control activities to Town standards.
- Competently perform all flag person activities in accordance with traffic safety regulations.
- Operate hand and power tools in a safe and productive manner to complete maintenance activities.
- Provide excellent quality customer service to staff, outside agencies and the public.
- Interact in a positive manner at all times both with staff and the public.

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### NOTICE OF CONSTRUCTION

#### CONTRACT P-2007-C-03 PAVEMENT MANAGEMENT

The Town of Halton Hills is proposing to resurface the following roadways under the 2007 Pavement Management Contract:

1. College Street – Ontario Street to John Street
2. John Street – C.N. Underpass to Victoria Street
3. Marilyn Crescent
4. Wesleyan
5. Market Street – Wesleyan to Mill Street
6. Prince Charles Drive (Rexway Drive to Delrex Drive)
7. Campbell Gate
8. Torino Gate
9. Alcott Drive
10. Gray Gate

The work on each section of roadway will vary but will generally include, asphalt removal/replacement, drainage improvements, curb and structure repairs and landscaping, as required.

The Pavement Management project is expected to begin in mid May with completion early this fall.

Plans detailing this project are available for viewing during normal business hours at the Engineering, Public Works & Building Services Department office. Inquiries should be directed to Mr. Ron Goddard, C.E.T., Manager of Engineering Design & Capital Works, at extension 2310.

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