

# 2026 Business Plan and Budget

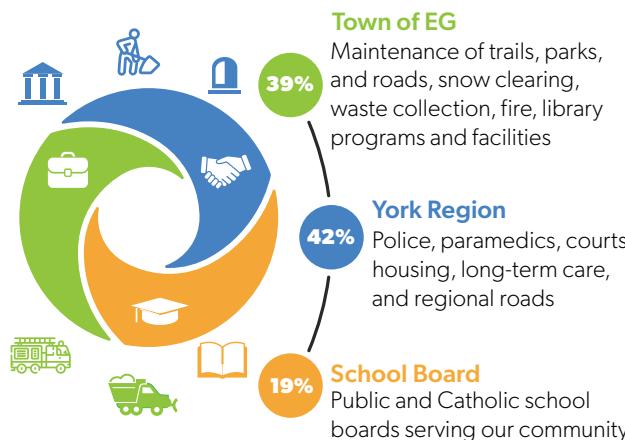
## Where Do Your Tax Dollars Go?

Your property taxes help pay for the services you use every day - road repairs, snow clearing, fire response, parks, recreation programs, community events, and library services.

East Gwillimbury's 2026 Budget has been adopted, supporting key investments in community safety, infrastructure, and the operation of the Health and Active Living Plaza. The budget maintains the lowest relative property taxes in York Region while continuing to deliver high-quality services.

The total 2026 budgeted expenses are \$84.8 million for:

- Capital projects: \$22.8M
- Day-to-day programs and services: \$41.5M
- Water and wastewater services: \$14.5M
- Development-related services: \$6M



## 2026 Projects

### The 2026 Budget includes investments in:

#### Public Safety

Four additional full-time firefighters, a modern pumper truck, and a study for a future fourth fire station.



#### Parks and Recreation

Reconstruction of the Holland Landing Community Centre tennis courts, Vivian Creek and Harvest Hills parks playground structures and the installation of pickleball courts in Anchor Park.



#### Healthy and Active Community

Operation of the new Health and Active Living Plaza.



#### Road Improvements

\$1.8 million invested in the annual Town-wide Road Rehabilitation program.



#### Safer Streets

New radar speed board, upgraded traffic signage, and a new pedestrian crossover at Centre Street and Vivian Creek Park.



#### Modern Technology

New website to enhance communication and resident access to Town services.



## 2026 Budget and Property Taxes



[eastgwillimbury.ca/PropertyTax](http://eastgwillimbury.ca/PropertyTax)



**EG's new Aquatic Centre at the Health and Active Living Plaza**

## E-billing and Online Portal

Sign up to get your tax and water bills by email and securely access your account anytime. You can view balances, transactions, past bills, and make payments.

Visit [eastgwillimbury.ca/OnlinePortal](http://eastgwillimbury.ca/OnlinePortal) and use the 5-digit access code on your bill to register.



## Tax Deferral Program

Seniors and low-income homeowners with disabilities may qualify to defer annual tax increases, interest-free, until the home is sold or ownership changes. A similar program is available for water/wastewater bills. Visit [eastgwillimbury.ca/TaxReductionPrograms](http://eastgwillimbury.ca/TaxReductionPrograms) for more information or contact:

Customer Service

905-478-4282

[customerservice@eastgwillimbury.ca](mailto:customerservice@eastgwillimbury.ca)

## Paying Your Taxes

### Tax Payment Due Dates

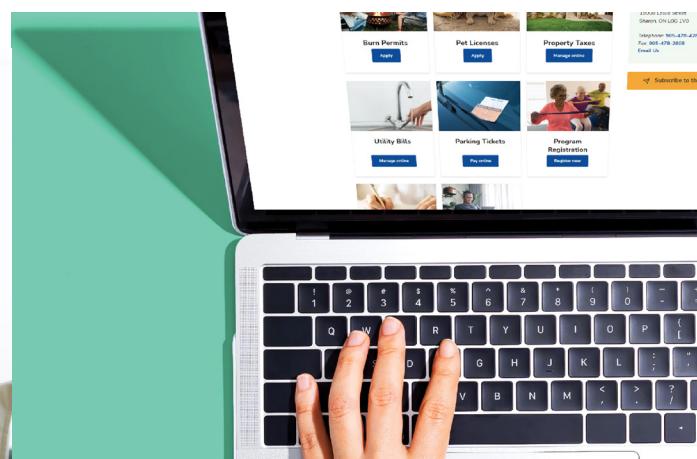
#### Interim Bill

February 27 and April 30



#### Final Bill

August 27 and October 29



### Payment Options



Your Bank



Online\*



In-person



By Mail

19000 Leslie Street,  
Sharon, ON L0G 1V0

\*Service charge applies for online credit card payments.

## Pre-Authorized Payments

Residents can enroll in the Town's pre-authorized payment plan, where payments are automatically withdrawn on the due dates shown on your tax bill. You can also enroll in the Town's 10 month payment plan, which allows you to pay in smaller amounts throughout the year.

Four Annual Tax Installments



10 Month Payment Plan



### Sign Up Now!

Registration forms are available at

[eastgwillimbury.ca/TaxPAP](http://eastgwillimbury.ca/TaxPAP)



Email completed forms and a void cheque to [taxes@eastgwillimbury.ca](mailto:taxes@eastgwillimbury.ca)

OR



Mail forms and a void cheque to:  
Town of East Gwillimbury  
Attn: Finance Department  
19000 Leslie Street  
Sharon, ON, L0G 1V0