



# TOWNSHIP OF MALAHIDE



## Welcome to our Quarterly Recap Newsletter

In this issue, we're bringing you updates on recent projects, community events, milestones, and other highlights that matter most to you.

Each newsletter is designed to give you a clear snapshot of our progress and activities, while keeping you connected to the work happening across Malahide.

We appreciate your continued interest and support – thank you for being part of the journey. There's plenty more ahead and we're excited to share it with you in future editions!

## Malahide Fire Services – Serving, Protecting, & Engaging the Community

MFS: A Busy Fall in Review!

October: Fire Prevention Week-visited 6 elementary schools in the Township to talk to students about Fire & Lithium Ion Battery Safety

November: Raised over \$3,700 in cash and more than 70 boxes of groceries for the local food bank, participated in Aylmer Santa Claus Parade, raised and donated over \$450 in support of men's health

December: Participated in Springfield Santa Claus Parade, partnered with De Brigj Radio for the 12 Days of Holiday Fire Safety.

103 calls for service for the quarter!



## GET ORGANIZED IN 2026 WITH YOUR MALAHIDE BILLS

Start the year off right by signing up for email delivery of your property and/or water/sewer invoices.

- Receive your bills immediately – no mail delays
- Keep your bills stored electronically for easy reference
- Reduce paper use and household clutter

Make email billing part of your 2026 organization plan:

Sign up: <http://www.malahide.ca/ebilling>



## 2026 DRAFT BUDGET

The 2026 draft budget outlines funding for municipal services, infrastructure, and daily operations. Guided by Council's principles – prioritizing needs, supporting business cases, and reality-based budgeting – the budget aims to:

- Maintain stable service levels
- Keep taxes predictable and manageable
- Balance current needs with long-term planning





# CONNECT SUPPORT & ENGAGE

This framework enhances community interaction by fostering strong relationships, providing essential resources, and encouraging resident participation. Together, we create a responsive and vibrant Township that prioritizes well-being and collaboration.

Need support or have feedback? Visit our portal for quick and easy assistance—we're here to help!

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# NEW

## 2026 WASTE MANAGEMENT UPDATES

Starting Jan. 1st, curbside recycling will be managed by Circular Materials Ontario under the new Blue Box Regulation. The Township will no longer operate the program.

Key Points for Residents:

- Collection dates/routes stay the same
- Additional accepted materials
- Customer service for recycling will be handled by Miller Waste Systems: 1-888-852-2376 [area24@millerwaste.ca]
- 2026 Waste Calendars are online, printable, or available at the Township Office



## 2026 Upcoming Invoices:

- Water & Sewer Invoices due Jan. 26th
- Dog Tag Invoices due Mar. 31<sup>st</sup> - Invoices will be issued mid/late January
- Tax Installment due Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> - Invoices will be issued mid/late February

## Recent Grant Applications

Between October – November, staff applied for four grants totaling over \$230,000, including:

- Malahide Green Buildings Pathway: Feasibility Study for Community and Civic Facilities
- Pothole Prevention and Repair Program
- Canada Day EECC Grant
- Seniors Community Grant Program (SCG)

These applications reflect our ongoing efforts to enhance community safety, accessibility, and well-being.

## 2026 COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM

The recipients of the Community Grant program will be announced in mid-January. We extend our thanks to all applicants; this year, we received 18 submissions.

## A Walk Through Springfield: Community Vision in Action

In November, we hosted a community walkabout in Springfield with the Mayor, speaking to community organizations and local developers to understand their vision for the future of the Village.



## 2023–2033 Strategic Plan: A Community-Driven Vision for Malahide's future.

The Strategic Plan guides our vision, priorities, and decision-making. The 2025 Strategic Initiatives Report highlights progress made this year and tracks achievements to ensure transparency and accountability to our community.

## STRATEGIC PLAN

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