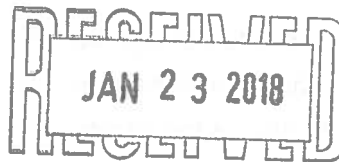


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Thought this may be of interest.

Regards,  
Anne Marie

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*News Release*

**Ontario Revitalizing Main Streets, Helping Small Businesses Grow**

January 23, 2018

**Province Helping Boost Tourism, Create Jobs, Enhance Economic Growth**

Ontario is helping rural communities attract investment and tourism, create jobs and enhance regional economic growth by supporting the revitalization of downtown and main streets across the province.

Jeff Leal, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs and the Minister Responsible for Small Business, made the announcement today at the Rural Ontario Municipal Association conference in Toronto.

Vibrant main streets help attract visitors, create jobs and increase the competitiveness of small businesses, which are the backbone of small, rural communities. That's why the province is helping municipalities enhance and revitalize their downtown and main streets through improvements such as the installation of pedestrian crosswalks or landscaping. Municipalities can also direct funding to local businesses to improve the appearance of their storefronts by installing lighting or new signage.

Supporting small businesses and communities across the province is part of Ontario's plan to create fairness and opportunity during this period of rapid economic change. The plan includes a higher minimum wage and better working conditions, free tuition for hundreds of thousands of students, easier access to affordable child care, and free prescription drugs for everyone under 25, through the biggest expansion of medicare in a generation.

## QUICK FACTS

- Ontario is investing up to \$26 million in the Main Street Revitalization Initiative, which will be administered by the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and its rural arm, the Rural Ontario Municipal Association.
- This initiative is part of a \$40 million investment over three years in the Main Street Enhancement Fund, which will help strengthen small businesses in downtown and main street areas and enhance the digital presence and capabilities of small businesses through increased access to digital tools like e-commerce.
- The revitalization initiative expands upon and complements the Downtown Revitalization Program that supports main street revitalization in rural areas.
- Funding will be allocated to municipalities based on population size, using the most recent data from the 2016 Statistics Canada Census of Population.
- The formula includes an adjustment for those municipalities that have fewer than 25,000 residents. This adjustment ensures that small communities are provided an appropriate level of funding where their population figures would otherwise limit their respective funding allocations within the parameters of the program.
- About one-third of Ontario workers are employed by small businesses, which are businesses that employ less than 100 paid employees.
- To strengthen Ontario small businesses, the province is providing more than \$500 million over three years in new initiatives that include lowering the small business tax rate by 22 per cent from 4.5 per cent to 3.5 per cent, investing in youth employment, providing support for downtown main street businesses and reducing red tape.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- [Municipal Funding Allocations](#)
- [2017 Ontario Economic Outlook and Fiscal Review](#)
- [ontario.ca/agriculture-news](http://ontario.ca/agriculture-news)

## QUOTES

"Main streets are at the core of small, rural communities and are home to thousands of small businesses across the province. That's why our government is committed to ensuring they continue to remain vibrant hubs where residents meet, tourists visit and small businesses grow and prosper."

— *Jeff Leal, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs and the Minister Responsible for Small Business*

"AMO welcomes new funding through the Main Street Revitalization Initiative and we are pleased that municipal governments won't have to provide matching funds to access the program. Municipal governments know how to get things done. This funding will help move projects forward on Ontario's Main Streets, helping to attract residents, visitors and support the business community."

— *Lynn Dollin, President of the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and Deputy Mayor of the Town of Innisfil*

"Many smaller communities have downtown business areas that play a special and critical role in building strong local economies. Programs like the Main Street Revitalization Initiative benefit our Main Street businesses which are important to rural Ontario."

— *Ronald Holman, Chair of the Rural Ontario Municipal Association and Mayor of the Township of Rideau Lakes*

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## **Main Street Revitalization Initiative: Overview of Municipal Funding Allocations**

The \$26 million Main Street Revitalization Initiative will support capital improvements in small businesses, and generate strategic public investments in municipal and other public infrastructure that will benefit small businesses within Ontario's main street areas.

Funding under the initiative will be allocated to municipalities based on population size. The following table provides the allocations for each eligible municipality, as determined by population size in the 2016 Census of Population.

### **Municipal Funding Allocations**

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
City of Barrie	148,125
City of Belleville	71,286
City of Brampton	531,146
City of Brantford	110,909
City of Brockville	54,124
City of Burlington	183,598
City of Cambridge	138,373
City of Clarence-Rockland	56,805
City of Cornwall	67,791
City of Dryden	42,607
City of Elliot Lake	45,141
City of Greater Sudbury	165,147
City of Guelph	139,960
City of Hamilton	483,103
City of Kawartha Lakes	92,213
City of Kenora	48,830
City of Kingston	133,187
City of Kitchener	225,870
City of London	353,430
City of Markham	306,966
City of Mississauga	639,530
City of Niagara Falls	102,926
City of North Bay	71,995
City of Orillia	54,727
City of Oshawa	163,392
City of Ottawa	819,641
City of Owen Sound	54,120
City of Pembroke	47,802
City of Peterborough	96,964
City of Pickering	106,060
City of Port Colborne	51,549

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
City of Quinte West	65,239
City of Sarnia	88,970
City of Sault Ste. Marie	90,473
City of St. Catharines	141,077
City of St. Thomas	61,286
City of Stratford	54,980
City of Temiskaming Shores	44,446
City of Thorold	51,968
City of Thunder Bay	119,729
City of Timmins	63,724
City of Vaughan	287,711
City of Waterloo	117,253
City of Welland	72,622
City of Windsor	212,289
City of Woodstock	62,974
Corporation of The Municipality Of Mississippi Mills	47,193
County of Brant	59,420
County of Prince Edward County	56,994
Haldimand County	66,960
Municipality of Arran-Elderslie	41,806
Municipality of Bayham	42,308
Municipality of Bluewater	42,088
Municipality of Brighton	46,076
Municipality of Brockton	44,057
Municipality of Brooke-Alvinston	38,086
Municipality of Callander	39,316
Municipality of Central Elgin	46,722
Municipality of Central Huron	42,461
Municipality of Centre Hastings	40,087
Municipality of Charlton And Dack	36,625
Municipality of Chatham-Kent	114,425
Municipality of Clarington	106,265
Municipality of Dutton/Dunwich	39,318
Municipality of French River	38,298
Municipality of Gordon / Barrie Island	36,459
Municipality of Greenstone	39,970
Municipality of Grey Highlands	44,348
Municipality of Hastings Highlands	39,498
Municipality of Highlands East	38,875
Municipality of Huron East	43,784
Municipality of Huron Shores	37,453
Municipality of Killarney	36,371
Municipality of Kincardine	45,690

Municipality	Funding Allocation Up To (\$)
Municipality of Lambton Shores	45,048
Municipality of Leamington	51,703
Municipality of Magnetawan	37,221
Municipality of Markstay-Warren	38,293
Municipality of Marmora And Lake	39,392
Municipality of Mcdougall	38,332
Municipality of Meaford	45,353
Municipality of Middlesex Centre	50,665
Municipality of Morris-Turnberry	39,005
Municipality of Neebing	37,784
Municipality of North Grenville	49,978
Municipality of North Middlesex	41,424
Municipality of North Perth	47,165
Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula	39,431
Municipality of Oliver Paipoonge	41,060
Municipality of Port Hope	50,234
Municipality of Powassan	38,970
Municipality of Red Lake	39,522
Municipality of Shuniah	38,414
Municipality of Sioux Lookout	40,509
Municipality of South Bruce	40,820
Municipality of South Dundas	45,219
Municipality of South Huron	44,595
Municipality of Southwest Middlesex	40,891
Municipality of St.-Charles	37,118
Municipality of Temagami	36,723
Municipality of Thames Centre	47,216
Municipality of The Nation	46,892
Municipality of Trent Hills	46,970
Municipality of Trent Lakes	40,615
Municipality of Tweed	41,163
Municipality of Wawa	38,504
Municipality of West Elgin	40,274
Municipality of West Grey	46,646
Municipality of West Nipissing	48,210
Municipality of West Perth	43,552
Municipality of Whitestone	36,819
Norfolk County	82,575
The Corporation of The Municipality Of East Ferris	40,067
Town of Ajax	129,697
Town of Amherstburg	54,624
Town of Arnprior	43,493
Town of Aurora	75,292
Town of Aylmer	42,389

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Town of Bancroft	39,331
Town of Blind River	38,984
Town of Bracebridge	49,604
Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury	58,250
Town of Bruce Mines	36,537
Town of Caledon	84,657
Town of Carleton Place	45,059
Town of Cobalt	36,999
Town of Cobourg	52,509
Town of Cochrane	40,551
Town of Collingwood	54,502
Town of Deep River	39,524
Town of Deseronto	37,546
Town of East Gwillimbury	56,364
Town of Englehart	37,296
Town of Erin	45,733
Town of Espanola	40,275
Town of Essex	53,345
Town of Fort Erie	54,341
Town of Fort Frances	42,599
Town of Gananoque	40,413
Town of Georgina	66,799
Town of Goderich	42,505
Town of Gore Bay	36,778
Town of Grand Valley	38,547
Town of Gravenhurst	46,471
Town of Greater Napanee	49,504
Town of Grimsby	51,464
Town of Halton Hills	80,133
Town of Hanover	42,555
Town of Hawkesbury	44,736
Town of Hearst	40,338
Town of Huntsville	52,828
Town of Ingersoll	46,849
Town of Innisfil	59,301
Town of Iroquois Falls	39,886
Town of Kapuskasing	43,067
Town of Kearney	36,791
Town of Kingsville	54,298
Town of Kirkland Lake	42,804
Town of Lakeshore	59,339
Town of Lasalle	53,892
Town of Latchford	36,309
Town of Laurentian Hills	38,552

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Town of Lincoln	56,191
Town of Marathon	38,816
Town of Mattawa	37,732
Town of Midland	50,328
Town of Milton	121,609
Town of Minto	43,388
Town of Mono	43,335
Town of Moosonee	37,298
Town of New Tecumseth	57,333
Town of Newmarket	99,668
Town of Niagara-On-The-Lake	50,876
Town of Northeastern Manitoulin And The Islands	38,341
Town of Oakville	192,507
Town of Orangeville	52,808
Town of Parry Sound	41,471
Town of Pelham	50,536
Town of Penetanguishene	43,634
Town of Perth	41,066
Town of Petawawa	50,601
Town of Petrolia	40,907
Town of Plympton-Wyoming	42,646
Town of Prescott	39,620
Town of Rainy River	36,727
Town of Renfrew	43,009
Town of Richmond Hill	193,515
Town of Saugeen Shores	47,660
Town of Shelburne	42,926
Town of Smiths Falls	43,480
Town of Smooth Rock Falls	37,170
Town of South Bruce Peninsula	43,172
Town of Spanish	36,647
Town of St. Marys	42,197
Town of Tecumseh	55,719
Town of The Blue Mountains	41,994
Town of Thessalon	37,133
Town of Tillsonburg	49,487
Town of Wasaga Beach	53,555
Town of Whitby	137,066
Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville	67,154
Township of Addington Highlands	38,011
Township of Adelaide-Metcalf	38,576
Township of Adjala-Tosorontio	45,340
Township of Admaston/Bromley	38,530
Township of Alberton	36,864



<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Township of Alfred And Plantagenet	44,243
Township of Algonquin Highlands	38,035
Township of Alnwick/Haldimand	41,862
Township of Amaranth	39,499
Township of Armour	37,241
Township of Armstrong	37,031
Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh	40,636
Township of Asphodel-Norwood	39,524
Township of Assiginack	36,902
Township of Athens	38,596
Township of Atikokan	38,375
Township of Augusta	42,272
Township of Baldwin	36,569
Township of Beckwith	42,518
Township of Billings	36,554
Township of Black River-Matheson	38,109
Township of Blandford-Blenheim	42,311
Township of Bonfield	37,716
Township of Bonnechere Valley	39,155
Township of Brethour	36,126
Township of Brock	45,904
Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch And Raglan	37,317
Township of Burpee And Mills	36,334
Township of Calvin	36,481
Township of Carling	36,996
Township of Carlow/Mayo	36,775
Township of Casey	36,355
Township of Cavan Monaghan	43,522
Township of Central Frontenac	39,748
Township of Central Manitoulin	37,809
Township of Centre Wellington	52,207
Township of Chamberlain	36,325
Township of Champlain	43,418
Township of Chapleau	37,707
Township of Chapple	36,584
Township of Chatsworth	41,659
Township of Chisholm	37,137
Township of Clearview	48,030
Township of Cockburn Island	36,044
Township of Coleman	36,548
Township of Conmee	36,737
Township of Cramahe	41,426
Township of Dawn-Euphemia	37,710
Township of Dawson	36,440

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Township of Dorion	36,311
Township of Douro-Dummer	41,726
Township of Drummond/North Elmsley	42,627
Township of Dubreuilville	36,563
Township of Ear Falls	36,886
Township of East Garafraxa	38,228
Township of East Hawkesbury	38,835
Township of East Zorra-Tavistock	42,082
Township of Edwardsburgh/Cardinal	42,051
Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley	44,390
Township of Emo	37,173
Township of Enniskillen	38,412
Township of Essa	53,901
Township of Evanturel	36,424
Township of Faraday	37,230
Township of Fauquier-Strickland	36,498
Township of Front Of Yonge	38,252
Township of Frontenac Islands	37,534
Township of Gauthier	36,160
Township of Georgian Bay	38,160
Township of Georgian Bluffs	44,919
Township of Gillies	36,445
Township of Greater Madawaska	38,176
Township of Guelph/Eramosa	46,931
Township of Hamilton	45,312
Township of Harley	36,510
Township of Harris	36,505
Township of Havelock-Belmont-Methuen	39,881
Township of Head, Clara And Maria	36,254
Township of Hilliard	36,232
Township of Hilton	36,304
Township of Hornepayne	36,874
Township of Horton	38,489
Township of Howick	39,324
Township of Hudson	36,470
Township of Huron-Kinloss	42,031
Township of Ignace	37,062
Township of James	36,399
Township of Jocelyn	36,309
Township of Johnson	36,680
Township of Joly	36,301
Township of Kerns	36,347
Township of Killaloe, Hagarty And Richards	38,093
Township of King	56,805

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Township of La Vallee	36,838
Township of Laird	36,930
Township of Lake Of Bays	38,726
Township of Lake Of The Woods	36,238
Township of Lanark Highlands	40,565
Township of Larder Lake	36,662
Township of Laurentian Valley	43,994
Township of Leeds And The Thousand Islands	44,061
Township of Limerick	36,337
Township of Loyalist	50,418
Township of Lucan Biddulph	40,025
Township of Macdonald, Meredith And Aberdeen Additional	37,406
Township of Machar	36,791
Township of Machin	36,866
Township of Madawaska Valley	39,536
Township of Madoc	37,804
Township of Malahide	43,914
Township of Manitouwadge	37,684
Township of Mapleton	44,960
Township of Matachewan	36,234
Township of Mattawan	36,180
Township of Mattice-Val Côté	36,592
Township of McGarry	36,559
Township of Mckellar	36,985
Township of McMurrich/Monteith	36,742
Township of Mcnab/Braeside	42,123
Township of Melancthon	38,591
Township of Minden Hills	41,200
Township of Montague	39,229
Township of Moonbeam	37,086
Township of Morley	36,451
Township of Mulmur	38,989
Township of Muskoka Lakes	41,624
Township of Nairn And Hyman	36,333
Township of Nipigon	37,434
Township of Nipissing	37,489
Township of North Algona Wilberforce	38,513
Township of North Dumfries	44,696
Township of North Dundas	45,596
Township of North Frontenac	37,651
Township of North Glengarry	44,606
Township of North Huron	40,221
Township of North Kawartha	38,143

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Township of Tehkummah	36,413
Township of Terrace Bay	37,408
Township of The Archipelago	36,493
Township of The North Shore	36,465
Township of Tiny	46,027
Township of Tudor And Cashel	36,540
Township of Tyendinaga	39,683
Township of Uxbridge	53,980
Township of Val Rita-Harty	36,689
Township of Wainfleet	41,441
Township of Warwick	39,171
Township of Wellesley	45,581
Township of Wellington North	46,135
Township of West Lincoln	48,325
Township of White River	36,590
Township of Whitewater Region	41,980
Township of Wilmot	53,445
Township of Wollaston	36,611
Township of Woolwich	49,510
Township of Zorra	42,937
United Townships of Dysart, Dudley, Harcourt, Guilford, Harburn, Bruton, Havelock, Eyre And Clyde	41,363
Village of Burk's Falls	36,874
Village of Casselman	39,049
Village of Hilton Beach	36,188
Village of Merrickville-Wolford	38,641
Village of Newbury	36,438
Village of Oil Springs	36,592
Village of Point Edward	37,769
Village of South River	36,987
Village of Sundridge	36,858
Village of Thornloe	36,138
Village of Westport	36,543

<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Funding Allocation Up To (\$)</b>
Township of North Stormont	41,865
Township of Norwich	45,362
Township of O'connor	36,605
Township of Opasatika	36,235
Township of Oro-Medonte	53,861
Township of Otonabee-South Monaghan	41,693
Township of Papineau-Cameron	36,904
Township of Pelee	36,243
Township of Perry	38,122
Township of Perth East	46,429
Township of Perth South	39,271
Township of Pickle Lake	36,372
Township of Plummer Additional	36,603
Township of Prince	36,899
Township of Puslinch	42,257
Township of Ramara	44,080
Township of Red Rock	36,802
Township of Rideau Lakes	44,790
Township of Russell	50,036
Township of Ryerson	36,592
Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers	38,766
Township of Schreiber	36,941
Township of Scugog	54,353
Township of Seguin	39,689
Township of Selwyn	50,494
Township of Severn	47,459
Township of Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls	36,524
Township of South Algonquin	36,972
Township of South Frontenac	51,837
Township of South Glengarry	47,182
Township of South Stormont	47,148
Township of Southgate	42,272
Township of South-West Oxford	42,535
Township of Southwold	39,788
Township of Springwater	52,187
Township of St. Clair	47,975
Township of St. Joseph	37,094
Township of Stirling-Rawdon	40,179
Township of Stone Mills	42,567
Township of Strathroy-Caradoc	53,718
Township of Strong	37,262
Township of Tarbutt And Tarbutt Additional	36,496
Township of Tay	44,542
Township of Tay Valley	40,842