

## Background

Attached is the third quarter Statement of Council Expenses for the period January 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017.

In accordance with the City's by-law on Transparency and Accountability and the Payment of Expenses for Members of Council and Municipal Employees by-law, the City of Greater Sudbury discloses an itemized statement of Council expenses on a quarterly and annual basis.

Each Councillor has an Office expense budget of \$9,000 to pay for expenses that are eligible under Schedule B of the Payment of Expenses for Members of Council and Municipal Employees by-law. The Mayor has an annual operating budget. Also disclosed are Council Memberships and Travel expenses as well as Council expenses. Expenses disclosed relate to non-salary expenditures from these budgets.

The Statement of Council Expenses discloses the total transactions by Members of Council. The appendices disclose the details of each transaction including payee, date paid, amount, general description and name of benefitting organization if applicable.

### List of Resources

By-law 2007-299 Policy regarding accountability and transparency

<https://www.greatersudbury.ca/inside-city-hall/open-government/open-government-pdfs/by-law-delegation-of-powers/>

By-law 2016-16F Payment of Expenses for Members of Council and Municipal Employees

<https://agendasonline.greatersudbury.ca/index.cfm?pg=feed&action=file&attachment=15240.pdf>