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2016: A Year in Review

Happy People!

Greater Sudbury has some of the happiest people in the country!
A recent Statistics Canada study found that approximately 45 % of residents rate their life satisfaction a nine or a 10.



The first Annual Report to the Community highlights City projects, initiatives and accomplishments that align with the priorities outlined in the 2015-2018 Corporate Strategic Plan, Greater Together.

2016 laid the foundation for several large projects and investments in the future of our community. Early on, Council reaffirmed its support for the Maley Drive Extension Project. The project aims to provide an improved and safe roadway for residents to travel, while creating jobs in the construction sector. In 2016, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau visited Greater Sudbury to announce \$26.7 million in funding by the federal government for the project. This was in addition to the investment from the Province of Ontario through the Building Canada Fund. One month after the announcement, we awarded the contract. In October, we broke ground, and construction began on the \$80.1 million project, 30 plus years in the making.

We continue to take steps forward in many areas to improve services for residents. We help businesses grow and expand, offer student employment opportunities, and support a booming film industry in our community. We increase greening efforts and implement energy efficient initiatives, launch public safety and healthy living programs, and support community pride. We invest in our infrastructure with improved roads, bridges, culverts, water and sewer systems, and make sure you know where construction is happening, and when, to plan your route.

Every day, municipal employees deliver core services across numerous different service areas, with the aim of creating and maintaining a greater quality of life for citizens. We are proud of what we've accomplished in 2016 and look forward to more success in 2017!

Greater Together in 2016 By the Numbers:

Growth and Economic Development	Quality of Life and Place	Responsive, Fiscally Prudent, Open Governance	Sustainable Infrastructure
1.2M Visitors to the City of Greater Sudbury	1,476 Sightings reported via Report-a-Bear	99 Council/Committee Meetings	49 Infrastructure capital projects tendered totaling
\$179.9M Total visitor spending	700k Visits to Libraries and Citizen Service Centres	280 Freedom of Information requests	\$55M In capital investment
2,083 Building permits issued	110k Trees and shrubs planted	35 Open Data sets	4k Visitor sessions
80km Single lane kms of roadway rebuilt or repaired	9.6M Total planted since 1978	2.9k Citizens took part in the Citizen Satisfaction Survey	1.8km Sidewalk and curb repaired
108 Businesses assisted in starting up and expanding, resulting in	89 Flags on the Bridge of Nations	244k Calls to 311	15 Bridges/culverts repaired
126 Jobs created	1,896 Children registered in summer day camp and programs	20 Pedestrian crossings installed	\$2.3M Funding for nine watershed studies
604 External job postings	100 Fire education visits to schools, daycares and events	21.4k Total views via Livestream	5km New water mains plus 5km new sanitary sewer systems
288 Summer student employment opportunities	17 Concerts and events at the Sudbury Community Arena	9.4k Facebook page likes	4.2M Riders on conventional transit
18 Film and television projects filmed locally	400 Residents trained in Hands Only Bystander CPR	9k Twitter Followers	1,361 Fire inspections conducted at various properties
\$21.1M Spent on local film and television projects	25.6k Calls to Paramedic Services	425 Public Releases including traffic notices/updates	85 Emergency water main repairs
100 Festival and events throughout the community	4.5k Calls to Fire Services	200 Projects tendered, including Police and Airport	18.8k Tonnes of recyclables diverted from the landfill
62 Tournaments held in Greater Sudbury. Notably: Silver Stick	2 New Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) (122 total)	249 New or revised By-laws	360 Tonnes of household hazardous waste diverted
360 Land use-planning applications	85 Wedding ceremonies performed	450 Submissions during budget public engagement	
\$550k Investment in Arts and Culture			

Service Highlights



- Launch of Healthy Kids Community Challenge, a provincial initiative delivering local programs and activities to support children in being more active and healthy.
- Implemented the Affordable Transit Pass Pilot Program for residents living with a low income or in receipt of Ontario Works/Ontario Disability Support Program.



- Visit by Prime Minister Justin Trudeau to announce funding in the amount of \$26.7 million from the Federal Government for Maley Drive.
- Launch of Waste Wise program, offering tools to help reduce, reuse, recycle and rethink how and where waste is discarded.

January to June



- Awarded Blue Flag designation for Bell Park, an eco-label for beaches, awarded on strict criteria in water quality, environmental education and management, and safety and services.
- Grand opening of the Northern Water Sports Centre.
- Launched online booking/application for marriage licences.

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- Memorial the DJ Hancock Park, a community sponsored splash pad.
- Increased accessible swim opportunities at Bell Park.
- Received \$3,248,600 in federal funding through the Social Housing Improvement Program to retrofit/repair existing social housing projects.



- Groundbreaking on Maley Drive.
- Began construction of the Morel Family Foundation Park, a 100 % donated park, playground and splash pad in the Minnow Lake area.
- Opened Greater Sudbury Animal Shelter.



- Received the 2016 Ontario Tourism Award of Excellence for Tourism Marketing Partnership for hosting CTV's The Amazing Race Canada.
- Implemented the Peer Support Network for Paramedic and Fire Services.



- Further committed to environmental sustainability and leadership with implementation of the reduced garbage bag limit from three bags to two.
- Launched Transit wayfinding strategy.