

The Regional Municipality of Durham COUNCIL INFORMATION PACKAGE August 19, 2022

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There are no Early Release Reports

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Durham Municipalities Correspondence

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Miscellaneous Correspondence

There are no Miscellaneous Correspondence

Advisory / Other Committee Minutes

There are no Advisory/Other Committees Minutes

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The Regional Municipality of Durham Information Report

From: Commissioner of Finance

Report: #2022-INFO-68 Date: August 19, 2022

Subject:

2021 Annual Investment Report

Recommendation:

Receive for information

Report:

1. Purpose

- 1.1 In accordance with the *Municipal Act, 2001, Ontario Regulation 438/97*, and the Region's "Statement of Investment Policy and Goals" (Policy), the Treasurer is required to report annually on the Region's investment portfolio following the end of each fiscal year, generally to report on performance of the portfolio and its compliance with investment policies and goals.
- 1.2 This report summarizes the performance of the investment portfolio for 2021 and provides the required statement of the Treasurer, based on the Investment Policy in effect for 2021.

2. Background

- 2.1 The Region's Statement of Investment Policy and Goals sets a low risk tolerance level, and the overall investing approach emphasizes security of principal while maintaining liquidity. The Policy permits investment in a variety of securities that meet or exceed the high credit ratings thresholds established therein.
- 2.2 Similar to the past few years, the investment landscape continued to be characterized by low returns. Consequently, the performance of the Region's investment portfolio reflects the lower yields that were available in the investment marketplace and compliant with Policy guidelines.
- 2.3 The Region prioritizes liquidity by investing available cash not required for immediate use in its operations, reserve funds, and capital program. Earnings from the investment portfolio are allocated to each of these areas in proportion to the

cash balances invested.

3. Previous Reports and Decisions

- 3.1 An investment report is prepared annually by the Treasurer to report on the performance of the investment portfolio for the prior fiscal year and compliance with the Region's investment policies and goals.
- 3.2 The 2020 Annual Investment Report (#2021-INFO-90) was provided to Council in August 2021.

4. Performance of the Investment Portfolio

<u>Investment Returns</u>

- 4.1 The approved Statement of Investment Policy and Goals specifically recognizes the Region's role as custodian of taxpayer's money, with safeguarding of funds being of utmost importance. The Policy also recognizes that trade-offs among investment objectives will occur to emphasize security of principal, provide overall liquidity, and, at the same time, maximize investment returns. While investment returns are an important measure of the performance of the portfolio, they are a function of the investment objectives adopted by the Region, as well as market conditions.
- 4.2 The Region's overall investment returns were lower than those obtained in the prior year, reflecting the continuing low returns available in the marketplace for investments and interest bearing accounts. For 2021, the return on the portfolio averaged 1.512% (2020 1.942%).
- 4.3 The average rate of return for investments stratified by the remaining term is shown in the following table:

Investment Returns by Remaining Term

Remaining Term of Investment	2021	2020
Less than 6 months	1.34%	1.55%
6 months to 1 year	2.14%	1.97%
1 year up to 5 years	1.34%	2.09%
5 years up to 10 years	2.49%	2.63%
10 years up to 20 years	4.31%	4.30%

Investment Terms

- 4.4 The Statement of Investment Policy and Goals provides guidelines for the stratification of the Region's portfolio over investment terms ranging from less than six months up to twenty years.
- 4.5 At December 31, 2021, 41.6% (2020 49.1%) of the portfolio was invested in securities maturing in one year or less, 56.4% (2020 48.7%) of the portfolio was maturing within one to five years and the remaining 2.0% (2020 2.2%) had maturities due beyond five years.
- 4.6 The liquidity guideline ensures ready access to funds in order to meet the financial obligations of the Region as they come due and suggests a minimum of 50% of the Region's investments should have a term of one year or less. Short-term investment holdings were slightly below this minimum target at the end of 2021.
- 4.7 An additional term-related objective of the Policy is to hold all investments until maturity unless cash flow is required for operational purposes. This practice continued for 2021 as Regional staff actively monitor cash requirements and inflows to ensure sufficient balances are held for day to day operations.

Investment Portfolio Composition

- 4.8 The Investment Policy establishes general guidelines for minimum and maximum investment targets by type of financial instrument and by issuers, as well as minimum credit ratings for issuers. The portfolio composition at any one point in time tends to reflect the availability of safe investments at rates of return that exceed those being received on surplus operating cash balances.
- 4.9 The composition of the Region's investment portfolio at year end by type of financial institution is shown in the following table:

Investment Portfolio Composition

	Guidelines		
Financial Institution / Instrument	Target Minimum %	Target Maximum %	Actual at Dec 31/21 %
Government of Canada	25	100	0.0
Provincial Governments	15	50	0.9
Large Urban Municipal Debentures	0	25	0.4
Schedule 1 Banks (GIC's, bonds and high interest accounts)	0	50	95.5
ONE Investment	0	20	3.2

- 4.10 Canadian interest rates continued to be historically low in 2021. Investing in high interest accounts and term deposits remained the primary investment vehicles for the Region.
- 4.11 The Investment Policy also permits the Region to invest in its own debt issuances, with the requirement to report such investments in each annual investment report. The following table provides details of \$13,837,196 Region of Durham debentures held in the investment portfolio as at December 31, 2021:

Investment in Own Debt

Broker	Coupon Rate	Maturity Amount	Issue Date	Purchase Date	Maturity Date
RBC	4.588%	\$5,474,196*	Oct. 6/05	Feb. 14/11	Oct. 6/28
RBC	4.15%	\$1,538,000	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/29
RBC	4.20%	\$1,602,000	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/30
RBC	4.25%	\$1,669,000	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/31
RBC	4.30%	\$1,740,000	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/32
RBC	4.30%	\$1,814,000	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/13	Oct. 16/33

^{*}Amortizing bond – amount will reduce over the term

4.12 The total value of the Region's investment portfolio was \$3,533,158,767 as at December 31, 2021. Below is a summary of the portfolio composition by type of security at year end:

Portfolio Composition by Type of Security

Type of Investment	\$ ('000's)	Yield % Range	Maturity Range
Bonds / Coupons / Deposit Notes / GICs			
Provinces	32,726	2.66 – 2.88	2022
Municipalities	15,051	1.725 – 4.75	2022 - 2033
Schedule 1 Banks	3,000,000	0.96 – 2.60	2022 - 2025
High Interest Accounts	429,887	0.715 – 0.85	On demand
ONE Canadian Equity Fund	55,495	Not applicable	not applicable

5. Compliance with Investment Policies and Goals

- 5.1 Internal controls established by Finance Department staff are an integral component in ensuring that all investment transactions are made in accordance with the Region's Statement of Investment Policies and Goals. They include those outlined in the Policy as well as the ethics and conflict of interest guidelines.
- 5.2 The Region's investments are also audited annually by Deloitte LLP, the independent external auditor, as part of the audit of the Region's Consolidated Financial Statements.

6. Forecast

- 6.1 The low interest rate environment of the past few years has made it exceedingly difficult to earn returns at or above the rate of inflation. However, the Bank of Canada has increased the target for the overnight rate on several occasions in 2022 (with additional increases anticipated for Bank of Canada announcements in September and October). The interest rate increases are anticipated to reduce excessive consumer demand, decrease inflationary pressures and return to historical Consumer Price Index (CPI) norms over late 2022 and 2023. These rate increases will positively impact investment earnings on the Region's available cash balances and investments, as well as benefit reserve funds and capital programs that rely on investment earnings to supplement funding for tangible capital asset investments.
- 6.2 In January 2022, Regional Council approved an update to Durham's Statement of Investment Policy and Goals. Changes were made to allow access to a broader range of legislated securities, support the strategy of diversifying the Region's investments to improve portfolio returns, enhance the ability to achieve stated objectives, and facilitate the implementation of a more active investment strategy. The updated Policy is expected to improve access to higher yielding investments while demonstrating the Region's commitment to its fiduciary duty when investing public funds. This added flexibility supports a process where long-term financial plans inform cash flow forecasts associated with approved growth capital projects or asset management requirements, ultimately improving the quality of investment decisions.

7. Relationship to Strategic Plan

- 7.1 This report aligns with/addresses the following strategic goals and priorities in the Durham Region Strategic Plan:
 - a) Goal 5.4 Service Excellence This investment report demonstrates the commitment to financial stability and transparency by communicating the annual performance of the portfolio along with compliance results.

8. Conclusion

- 8.1 The Region continues to invest in a diverse portfolio of high credit quality securities delivering a suitable rate of return considering the 2021 market conditions.
- 8.2 In my opinion, all investment transactions for 2021 continue to conform to the Region's investment policies and goals as adopted by Regional Council, reflecting a low risk tolerance and overall conservative investing approach to emphasize the security of principal, while maintaining ample liquidity.

Respectfully submitted,

Original Signed By

Nancy Taylor, BBA, CPA, CA Commissioner of Finance



Interoffice Memorandum

Date: August 19, 2022

To: Health & Social Services Committee

From: Dr. Robert Kyle

Health Department

Subject: Health Information Update – August 12, 2022

Please find attached the latest links to health information from the Health Department and other key sources that you may find of interest. Links may need to be copied and pasted directly in your web browser to open, including the link below.

You may also wish to browse the online Health Department Reference Manual available at Board of Health Manual, which is continually updated.

Boards of health are required to "superintend, provide or ensure the provision of the health programs and services required by the [Health Protection and Promotion] Act and the regulations to the persons who reside in the health unit served by the board" (section 4, clause a, HPPA). In addition, medical officers of health are required to "[report] directly to the board of health on issues relating to public health concerns and to public health programs and services under this or any other Act" (sub-section 67.(1), HPPA).

Accordingly, the Health Information Update is a component of the Health Department's 'Accountability Framework', which also may include program and other reports, Health Plans, Quality Enhancement Plans, Durham Health Check-Ups, business plans and budgets; provincial performance indicators and targets, monitoring, compliance audits and assessments; RDPS certification; and accreditation by Accreditation Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

Original signed by

R.J. Kyle, BSc, MD, MHSc, CCFP, FRCPC, FACPM Commissioner & Medical Officer of Health

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UPDATES FOR HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE August 12, 2022

Health Department Media Releases/Publications

tinyurl.com/3pts3avn

COVID-19 Vaccination: It's a Great Time to Get on Board (Aug 2)

tinyurl.com/347eeyju

Durham Region Weekly Beach Report (Aug 4)

tinyurl.com/yckzafev

• Shining a spotlight on the work of public health inspectors (Aug 8)

tinyurl.com/ycx5c2b3

Durham Region Weekly Beach Report (Aug 11)

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

Canada Border Services Agency

tinyurl.com/ywb27uas

• Make your customs and immigration declaration in advance and save time at the border (Aug 3)

Employment and Social Development Canada

tinyurl.com/2c3ja6hp

• Government of Canada announces improved financial supports for students with disabilities (Aug 2)

Environment and Climate Change Canada

tinyurl.com/yxswc9f7

 Government of Canada appoints Catherine Stewart as Canada's Ambassador for Climate Change (Aug 2)

tinyurl.com/yc7pc43j

 Environment and Climate Change Canada Youth Council members announced on International Youth Day (Aug 12)

Global Affairs Canada

tinyurl.com/2p9ezdwk

Canada puts in place temporary handgun import ban (Aug 5)

Health Canada

tinyurl.com/yejvrp4d

 Canada's Ministers wrap up meetings at 24th International AIDS Conference in Montreal (Aug 2)

Indigenous Services Canada

tinyurl.com/mreyv9wx

Indigenous Services Canada COVID-19 monthly update – August 2022 (Aug 5)

Natural Resources Canada

tinyurl.com/mpm65rhs

Minister Wilkinson Announces 500 New EV Chargers Across Canada (Aug 9)

Public Health Agency of Canada

tinyurl.com/ccpvpukc

Statement from the Chief Public Health Officer of Canada on August 5, 2022

tinyurl.com/ysxtpps3

 Government of Canada supports improving healthy living behaviours for priority populations across Canada (Aug 8)

Transport Canada

tinyurl.com/4h8udwa6

 The Government of Canada and industry partners continue to take action and make progress on reducing wait times at Canada's largest airports (Aug 5)

GOVERNMENT OF ONTARIO

Ministry of Finance

tinyurl.com/yu7zvtsc

Ontario's Plan to Build Supporting Stronger Province and Economy (Aug 9)

Ministry of Health

tinyurl.com/26afppjm

Ontario Introduces French Accents on Health Cards (Aug 3)

Ministry of Public and Business Service Delivery

tinyurl.com/yckut3c2

Ontario Making It Easier and Faster to Renew Ontario Photo Cards (Aug 8)

Premier's Office

tinyurl.com/29k548me

• Speech from the Throne (Aug 9)

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Association of Municipalities of Ontario

tinyurl.com/4rxh7we8

An Integrated Approach to Mental Health and Addictions (Aug 2)

Canadian Medical Protective Association

tinyurl.com/322kprzn

 CMPA publishes unique COVID-19 research on 3,800 advice calls received during the first 3 waves of the pandemic (Aug 3)

Lakeridge Health

tinyurl.com/2p8tcexa

• Temporary Relocation of Bowmanville Hospital Intensive Care Unit (Aug 5)

Mental Health Commission of Canada

tinyurl.com/y87atmuu

 2SLGBTQ+ Communities Hard Hit by COVID – Impacts on Mental Health and Substance Use (Aug 3)

Ombudsman Ontario

tinyurl.com/mw96bfjp

Increase in cases means help for more Ontarians: Ombudsman (Aug 10)

Ontario Pharmacists Association

tinyurl.com/3zye7djt

 New Data Suggests a Gap in Access to Care for Ontarians Living with a Chronic Illness (Aug 11)

Public Health Ontario

tinyurl.com/yz2894xn

Ontario COVID-19 Science Advisory Table Leadership Update (Aug 3)

tinyurl.com/mr4dhadm

 Community Opioid/Overdose Capacity Building (COM-CAP) webpage launched (Aug 11)

Registered Nurses' Association of Ontario

tinyurl.com/2p8cx3sc

 Ontario throne speech recognizes nursing crisis; but budget offers baby steps when giant ones are needed to avoid a precipice (Aug 9)



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August 11, 2022

Via email: premier@ontario.ca

The Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier:

Re: Kingston City Council Meeting, August 9, 2022 – New Motion 1 – Request to Provincial Government to release Landlord and Tenant Board Information

At the regular meeting on August 9, 2022, Council approved New Motion 1 with respect to request to the Provincial Government to release Landlord and Tenant Board Information. At the same meeting, the following resolution was approved:

Whereas landlords may issue to a tenant (1) a "Notice to End your Tenancy Because the Landlord, a Purchaser or a Family Member Requires the Rental Unit" (Form N12), or (2) a "Notice to End your Tenancy Because the Landlord Wants to Demolish the Rental Unit, Repair it or Convert it to Another Use" (Form N13); and

Whereas over the last few years there has been significant reporting in Kingston and Ontario of growing use of N12 and N13 Forms through which some landlords have evicted tenants contrary to the provisions meant to protect tenants from illegal evictions and renovictions in order to increase the rent on the vacated unit; and

Whereas the Kingston Community Legal Clinic has reported that they have seen a steadily growing number of N12 and N13 applications between 2018 and 2022 and have noted that the Clinic does not receive all the N12 and N13 Forms issued as many tenants do not report receiving the Notices and many middle-income tenants do not qualify for Clinic services; and

Whereas the media have recently reported that "there has been a substantial surge in overall applications to the Ontario Landlord and Tenant Board to evict a renter for renovations and repairs – not including any cases where tenants are asked to leave, but a formal application is never filed":

Therefore Be It Resolved That in order to assist in understanding the extent of the issue, Council request the Province to have that the Landlord and Tenant Board release its information on N12 and N13 applications from 2018 to 2022; and

That this request be sent to the Premier of the Province of Ontario, Doug Ford, the Minister of Housing and Municipal Affairs, Steve Clark, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), and all Ontario municipalities with populations of 100,000 or more.

Yours sincerely,

John Bolognone City Clerk

/nb

C.C. Minister of Housing & Municipal Affairs Steve Clark

AMO

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Via email: Merrilee.Fullerton@pc.ola.org

The Honourable Merrilee Fulerton Minister of Children, Community and Social Services Suite 100, 240 Michael Cowpland Drive Kanata, ON K2M 1P6

Dear Ms. Fulerton:

Re: Kingston City Council Meeting, August 9, 2022 – New Motion 2 – Provincial Support of Community-Based Sexual Assault Centres and Organizations

At the regular meeting on August 9, 2022, Council approved New Motion 2 with respect to provincial support of community-based sexual assault centres and organizations. At the same meeting, the following resolution was approved:

Whereas Sexual Assault Centre Kingston has provided prevention education, advocacy and support for survivors of recent or historical sexual violence in the area since 1978; and

Whereas the number of survivors needing access to crisis counselling and longterm counselling programs has increased since 1978; and

Whereas in 2018, the then-Ontario government announced an approximately 30% increase to the sexual violence sector in Ontario; and

Whereas the 2018 announcement would have realized a significant increase for Ontario's community-based sexual assault centres, and despite this commitment, under the current provincial government, the funding increase never became reality; and

Whereas in its 2021 budget, the Province of Ontario allocated resources to underserved communities to improve victim and new sexual assault services,

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however none of the funding was directed to Ontario's existing sexual assault centres such as Sexual Assault Centre Kingston; and

Whereas ongoing underfunding of Sexual Assault Centre Kingston has reduced the number of resources available to provide these services due to highly specialized skill requirements that are unmatched by low wages and benefits relative to other mental health funded positions; and

Whereas the current COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in an increase in the number of people in the community requiring the services of Sexual Assault Centre Kingston; and

Whereas a similar resolution has recently been passed by the Waterloo Region Municipality (June 2022) and the Town of Bracebridge (Dec 2021);

Therefore Be It Resolved That increased and sustainable provincial funding for the Sexual Assault Centre Kingston and other community-based sexual assault centres/organizations be supported for priority consideration by the Provincial Government and its agencies; and

That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario municipalities with populations over 50,000, Hon. Merrilee Fullerton, Minister of Children, Community, and Social Services and Hon. Ted Hsu, MPP for Kingston and the Islands.

Yours sincerely,

John Bolognone

City Clerk

/nb

C.C. Honourable Ted Hsu, MPP Kingston and the Islands

Association of Municipalities Ontario

City of Welland

Town of Aurora

City of North Bay

Peterborough County

Lanark County

Dufferin County

Regional Municipality of Muskoka

Town of Halton Hills

Huron County

Town of Caledon

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Bruce County

Municipality of Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry

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Middlesex County

City of Sarnia

Kawartha Lakes

City of Sault Ste. Marie

City of Peterborough

Town of Newmarket

Northumberland County

City of Niagara Falls

Town of Milton

Municipality of Clarington

United Counties of Prescott & Russell

Renfrew County

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Via email: premier@ontario.ca

The Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario
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Dear Premier:

Re: Kingston City Council Meeting, August 9, 2022 – New Motion 3 – Vacancy Decontrol

At the regular meeting on August 9, 2022, Council approved New Motion 3 with respect to request to vacancy decontrol. At the same meeting, the following resolution was approved:

Whereas the Ontario Rent Control law allows the rent on vacated units to be increased by any amount in a legal deregulation known as "vacancy decontrol"; and

Whereas this allowed deregulation and market forces are permitting a significant rise in rents for tenants in Kingston and Ontario, which is making it difficult for people to afford their homes, save for home ownership, and better their situation;

Therefore Be It Resolved That City Council request the Province to tie rent control rules to residential units, rather than to the tenants who inhabit them in order to protect existing affordable housing and preserve affordable and midrange rental housing supply; and

That as per a recent City of Toronto housing report, that Council request that the Province create a centralized data system to collect information on all rental units across Ontario such as rents, ownership, beneficial ownership and N12 and N13 issuance in order that governments and researchers may better understand who makes up market conditions and ownership and to what overall effect; and

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That City staff report back by Q4 2022 on ways the City could ameliorate the market conditions faced by tenants through measures such as a bylaw to change renovation permit rules, eviction protection handbooks and other measures to help protect tenants from illegal and pressurized evictions as suggested in the recent City of Toronto housing report; and

That this request be sent to the Premier of the Province of Ontario, Doug Ford, the Minister of Housing and Municipal Affairs, Steve Clark, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), interim leader of the NDP and the Official Opposition, Peter Tabuns, interim leader of the Ontario Liberal Party, John Fraser, and all Ontario municipalities with populations of 100,000 or more.

Yours sincerely,

John Bolognone

City Clerk /nb

C.C. Minister of Municipal Affairs & Housing, Steve Clark

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Peter Tabuns, Interim Leader of the NDP & Official Opposition

John Fraser, Leader of the Ontario Liberal Party

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August 12, 2022

Mayor Janice Jackson Town of South Bruce Peninsula PO Box 310 315 George Street Wiarton, ON M7A 1A1

Via Email: janice.jackson@southbrucepeninsula.com

Re: Endorsement of Resolution - Physician Shortages In Ontario

Corporate Services Department **Legislative Services Division** Date & August 16, 2022 Time 8:34 am Received: CIP Original To: Copies To: File Take Appropriate Action Notes/Comments:

Further to your correspondence dated July 22, 2022 regarding the above noted matter, please be advised that Hanover Council passed the following resolution at their August 8, 2022 meeting:

Moved by COUNCILLOR HOCKING | Seconded by COUNCILLOR KOEBEL

THAT the Council of the Town of Hanover support the motion from the Town of South Bruce Peninsula requesting that the Province acknowledge the shortage in all health care worker disciplines and that they take steps to increase the number of practicing physicians in the Province of Ontario. CARRIED

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully,

Vicki McDonald

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Clerk

cc: Premier Doug Ford, Premier@ontario.ca

Hon. Sylvia Jones, Minister of Health and Long-Term Care Sylvia.jones@pc.ola.org

Rick Byers, MPP, Bruce Grey Owen Sound rick.byers@pc.ola.org

Hon. Stephen Lecce, Minister of Education stephen.lecce@pc.ola.org

Prime Minister Justin Trudeau justin.trudeau@parl.gc.ca

Hon. Jean-Yves Duclos, Minister of Health jean-yves.duclos@parl.gc.ca

Alex Ruff, MP, Bruce Grey Owen Sound alex.ruff@parl.gc.ca

College of Physician and Surgeons of Ontario feedback@cpso.on.ca

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