

2015 Performance Measurement Report

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report marks the tenth year of reporting results to the public, and the first year under the new name—Municipal Benchmarking Network Canada (MBNCanada). There are 10 single-tier and 5 upper-tier municipalities, from across Canada, who have contributed to this report.

The 2015 MBNCanada Performance Measurement Report includes 156 measures representing 36 municipal services. It is important to recognize that each municipality has different responsibilities for service delivery and as such, may not report in all service areas. In addition, each municipality has unique characteristics related to socio-demographics, geographic location, and population as well as various influencing factors that affect their results. The majority of measures display 2013, 2014 and 2015 data wherever possible; however there are instances where only one or two years of data is available.

Each year, the annual data cycle consists of Expert Panel meetings in the Fall/Winter to review past years data, look at best practices and evaluate the metrics being collected. This is followed by a review of all measures by the Municipal Leads in preparation for the official Data Call Launch each May. All results are peer-reviewed to ensure the data has been collected in a consistent manner. The 2015 MBNCanada Performance Measurement report will be released on November 1, 2016, via www.mbncanada.ca.

For MBNCanada partners, the opportunity to work together, learn from, and network with fellow peers across the country is proving to be invaluable. It is not just about collecting and comparing data. It is about sharing data, identifying best practices and starting the conversation by asking "Why did we get these results?" "How can we improve?" It is this collaboration that continues to strengthen MBNCanada's partnership, while improving the level of transparency within municipal government.

The Report is meant to share results in the spirit of learning from one another. It does not provide an evaluation of, or an explanation for, each municipality's results; however there may be instances where an explanation is provided in order to support the results. Questions about specific results should be directed to the respective municipality through the Municipal Lead or the MBNCanada Program Manager.

NB: The results presented in the report were downloaded on SEPTEMBER 16, 2016. Changes made in the Data Warehouse after this date are not reflected in the report.

WHO REPORTS WHAT

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1	Accounts Payable	1		*	~	*	*	*	*		~	~	~	4	*	✓	13
2	Building Permits and Inspection	✓			~	✓	1		√	✓	1	1		1	1		10
3	By-Law Enforcement	✓			~	✓			✓		1	~		✓	~		8
4	Child Care		✓	*	~	*		*	*			1	✓	*		✓	10
5	Clerks	~	~	✓	~	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	~	~	✓	~	✓	14
6	Culture	✓			*	4	1		✓		1	1		4			8
7	Emergency Hostels		4	*	~	*		*	*			~	~	4		✓	10
8	Emergency Medical Services (EMS)		1	4	~	*		*	*		1	1	✓	4	1	✓	12
9	Facilities	~	~	✓	~	✓	1	•	✓	✓	1	~	~	✓	✓	✓	15
10	Fire Services	~			1	*	1		*		1	1		1	1		9
11	Fleet	✓		✓	~	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	1	~	~	✓	~	✓	14
12	General Government	✓	✓	1	✓	*	1	*	*		1	1	✓	*	✓	✓	14
13	General Revenue	✓		*	*	*	*	*	*		1	*	~	✓		✓	12
14	Human Resources	~	*	4	1	*	1	*	*	4	1	1	√	4	1	✓	15
15	Information Technology	✓	*	4	*	*	*	*	√	4	1	~	~	4	*	√	15
16	Investment Management	4	1	1	~	*	1	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	~	15
17	Legal	~	*	4	·	*	1	*	*	4		1	~	1	1	√	14
18	Libraries	✓			~	*	1		✓		1	1	✓	1	1		10

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20	Long Term Care		*	4	1	4		*	4		1	4	1	4		✓	11
21	Parking	*			1	1	1		√	✓	1	1		4	~		10
22	Parks	*			1	4	1		✓	4	1	1		4	~		10
23	Payroll	*	*	*	*	*	1	*	*	*	1	1	1	*	~	✓	15
24	Planning	*	*	*	*	>		>	>		1	1	✓	*	~	✓	13
25	POA (Court Services)		✓		1	1		*			1	1	1	4		✓	9
26	Police Services		*	4	1	4	1	*	✓	4	1	1	1	4	~	✓	14
27	Purchasing	*		*	*	*	1	*	*		1	1	1	*		✓	12
28	Roads	*	*	*	*	*	1	>	>		1	1	✓	>	~	✓	14
29	Social Assistance																0
30	Social Housing		✓	4	1	4		*	✓			1	1	4		✓	10
31	Sports and Recreation	*			*	4			✓		1	1		1	~		8
32	Taxation	*			*	*	1		*	*	1	1		*	~		10
33	Transit	*	*		*		*		>	>	1	1	✓	*	~	✓	12
34	Waste Management	*	✓	*	1	*	1	*	*	✓	1	1	1	*	~	✓	15
35	Wastewater	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	*		1	1	1	*	~	✓	14
36	Water	*	1	4	1	4	1	1	*		1	4	1	4	~	~	14

HOW TO READ THE GRAPHS

The graphs are designed to show how our partner municipalities compare with each other on selected service measures.

Results are shown for 2015 along with results from 2014 and 2013, wherever available.

Each graph will also include:

- The Figure Number to indicate the order of the graph's appearance within the report.
- The Measure Name as it appears in the MBNCanada Data Warehouse.
- The **Median Line** marking the middle value in the set (or range) of data, i.e. the median of 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9; is 5.

Partner Municipalities and Abbreviations							
City of Calgary	CAL						
Region of Durham	DUR						
Halton Region	HAL						
City of Hamilton	HAM						
City of London	LON						
City of Montreal	MTL						
Niagara Region	NIAG						
City of Ottawa	OTT						
City of Regina	REG						
City of Thunder Bay	TBAY						
City of Toronto	TOR						
Region of Waterloo	WAT						
City of Windsor	WIND						
City of Winnipeg	WINN						
York Region	YORK						
Median	MED						

- The Reporting Year and the Result as provided by each partner reporting data for that measure.
 - NOTE: An "N/A" will appear within the data table if data is not available. Data may not be available because the Municipality:
 - a. Does not collect data for that specific measure
 - b. Did not collect data for that specific year
 - c. Did not have data available at time of printing.
- The Data Source and Measure
 Type as per the MBNCanada
 Framework.
- A Comment, if the data for a specific municipality shows an anomaly, a large variance or is needed to explain the absence of data.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Influencing Factors

Results can be influenced by a number of factors and an abbreviated version of influencing factors is located on the Snapshot page for each service area. The full description of influencing factors for each service area can be found at: www.mbncanada.ca.

The influencing factors allow for the uniqueness of each municipality such as population, geographic size, organizational form, government type and legislation, and can also include other specific service area or municipal impacts. For example, where measures include *Municipal Purchases* (*Operating and Capital*), the total purchases made by a municipality in any given year can fluctuate significantly based on available budgets, timing of large capital expenditures, funding provided by third parties and external agencies, and other one-time factors. When used as a component of a measure, it can lead to variances in year-over-year results, without necessarily reflecting a change in service levels.

Total Cost Measures

MBNCanada reports the Total Cost wherever possible. These results are calculated and presented using MBNCanada's total cost methodology which includes the operating cost plus amortization. The amortization rates and capitalization thresholds are unique to each individual municipality and can lead to significant differences between operating cost and total cost for each municipality.

City of London

The City of London had a work stoppage that impacted 750 staff members in 2015, therefore larger variances than previous years may be noticed for some of London's 2015 results.

City of Regina

The City of Regina joined MBNCanada in the Fall of 2015, and are reporting publicly for the first time in the following service areas: Building Permits & Inspections, Clerks, Facilities, Fleet, Human Resources, Information Technology, Investment Management, Legal, Parking, Parks, Payroll, Police Services, Taxation, Transit and Waste Management.

MUNICIPAL DATA

	MUN001	MUN002	MUN005	MUN010	MUN025	MUN030
Municipality	Population	Households	Geographic Area	Total Budgeted FTE	Municipal Expenses (Operating and Capital)	Municipal Purchases (Operating and Capital)
Calgary	1,230,915	462,461	848.19	15,427.30	\$4,510,286,635	\$2,174,083,539
Durham	660,756	233,000	2,537.00	6,116.00	\$1,215,199,623	\$514,935,250
Halton	543,557	200,016	969.25	3,120.75	\$1,008,894,345	\$587,034,519
Hamilton	550,700	223,800	1,127.75	6,597.00	\$2,348,267,870	\$792,172,588
London	381,310	173,415	423.43	4,931.10	\$1,082,922,621	\$447,862,460
Montreal	1,753,034	794,395	365.20	24,244.41	\$6,617,950,670	\$2,877,019,778
Niagara	449,098	195,451	1,896.00	4,380.00	\$962,109,113	\$410,285,494
Ottawa	960,754	403,916	2,796.10	15,092.38	\$3,614,704,713	\$1,589,469,373
Regina	221,407	91,300	182.35	2,561.10	\$610,645,056	N/A
Thunder Bay	108,359	49,547	328.24	2,034.00	\$570,672,407	\$279,095,012
Toronto	2,826,498	1,132,602	634.06	51,143.40	\$12,530,738,208	\$5,442,953,816
Waterloo	575,000	207,000	1,382.17	3,994.40	\$1,159,689,291	\$576,936,814
Windsor	210,891	87,840	146.91	3,012.00	\$728,796,716	\$218,301,619
Winnipeg	718,400	292,127	475.50	8,911.21	\$1,677,714,000	\$819,665,000
York	1,166,321	360,298	1,776.00	5,442.00	\$2,239,760,015	\$1,329,311,157

ACCOUNTS SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015 PAYABLE

Processing an invoice costs:

> per invoice fig. FINV317 (EFFICIENCY)

< JANUARY2015 > fig. FINV410 (CUSTOMER SERVICE) OF INVOICES ARE PAID WITHIN 30 DAYS

EMPLOYEES PROCESS

fig. FINV325 (EFFICIENCY)



KEEP IN MIND: **Influencing Factors**

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Organizational Form

Centralized vs. decentralized functions



Policy & Practices

Objectives on stretching payables differ



Processes & Systems

Differences in: system vs. manual invoices, records manangement; the nature of the payment approval process



For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 1.1 Total Number of Invoices Paid per \$1,000,000 of Municipal Purchases (Operating and Capital) for Goods and Services

The measure represents how many invoices are paid in the reporting year per \$1,000,000 of municipal purchases (processed by the Accounts Payable division). Invoices counted in this calculation include paper and electronic purchase orders, non-purchase orders, and P-card (purchasing or procurement card) payments.

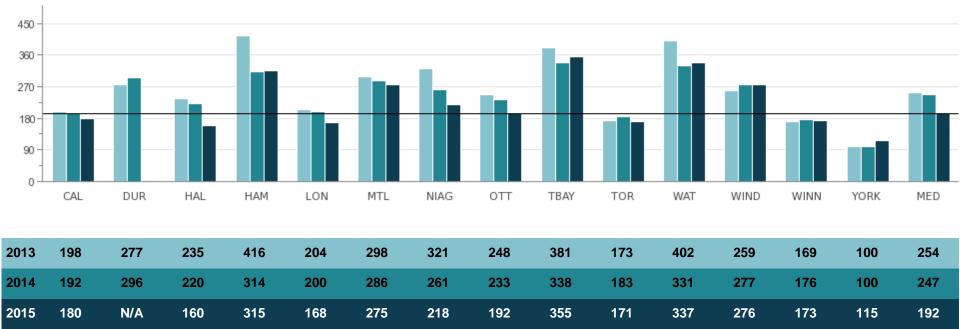


Fig. 1.2 Accounts Payable Operating Cost per Invoice Paid

The measure takes into account salaries, wages and employee benefits, materials, contracted services, rents and financial expenses, external transfers, inter-functional adjustments, the allocation of program support and inter-functional revenues.



Source: FINV317 (Efficiency)

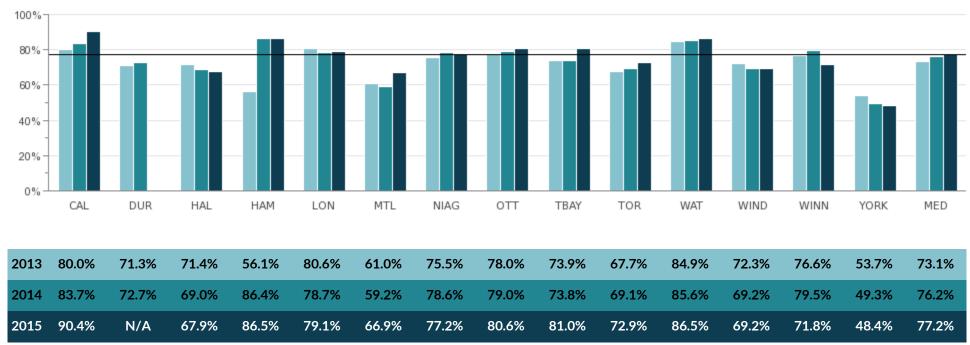
Fig. 1.3 Number of Invoices Paid per Accounts Payable FTE

The measure represents the number of invoices processed by each accounts payable staff member. The types of invoices included are paper and electronic purchase orders, non-purchase orders, and P-card (purchasing card or procurement card) payments.



Fig. 1.4 Percent of Invoices Paid Within 30 Days

This measure represents the proportion of invoices paid within a certain number of days between the invoice date and cheque date.



Source: FINV410 (Customer Service)

BUILDING PERMITS & INSPECTIONS

How much does it cost to process building permits & provide inspection services?

\$7.74 / per \$1000 in construction value

441 new residential dwelling units created

7,706
BUILDING
PERMITS
ISSUED

fig. BLDG206 (SERVICE LEVEL)

fig. BLDG221 (SERVICE LEVEL)

Influencing Factors

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Complexity

Size and technical complexity of permit applications and construction work



Geography

More travel time and fewer inspections can result in higher costs per permit



Inspection Services

Nature of inspection process may vary



Legislative Changes

Revisions or new Acts and Regulations adds time to the review and inspection process



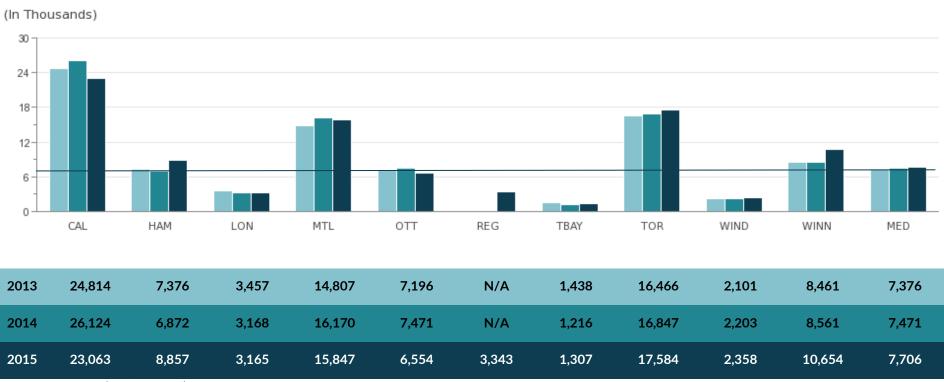
Municipal Policy

Varying permit requirements per jurisdiction

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Fig. 2.1 Number of Building Permits Issued in the Calendar Year

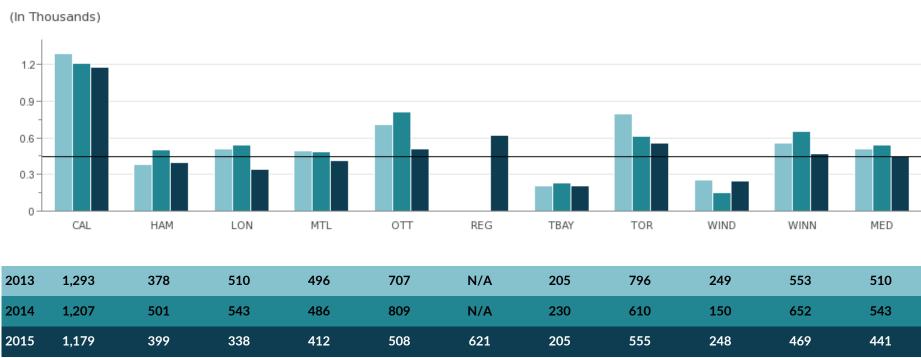
Building permits include residential, ICI (Industrial, Commercial and Institutional) and other (agriculture and tents) categories. Building Permits are defined as "permits required for construction" and is subject to the respective Building Code Act for each province.



Source: BLDG206 (Service Level)

Fig. 2.2 New Residential Units Created per 100,000 Population

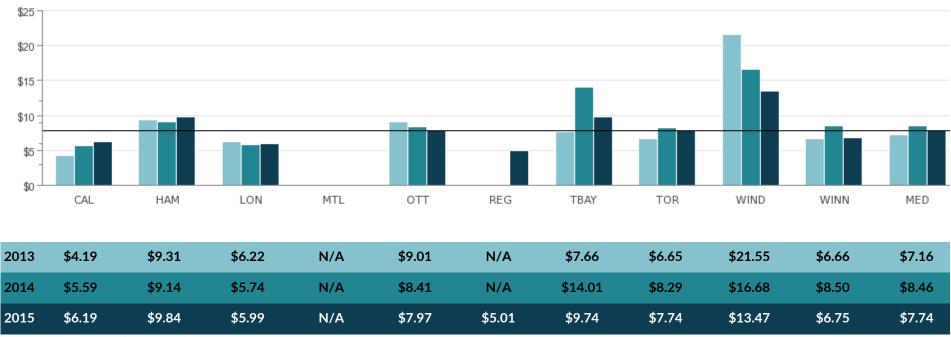
This measure highlights development trends in a municipality. Typically, there is a correlation between the number of new residential dwelling units, population growth and the overall economic growth of a municipality.



Source: BLDG221 (Service Level)

Fig. 2.3 Operating Cost of Building Permits and Inspection Services per \$1,000 in Construction Value

Fluctuation in year over year results is impacted by construction values.



Source: BLDG325M (Efficiency)

BY-LAW

SNAPSHOT MEDIAN FOR 2015

ENFORCEMENT









make up 70% of COMPLAINTS



1.98 INSPECTICONDUCTION CONDUCTION CONDUCTIO INSPECTIONS CONDUCTED

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

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Age of Housing Stock

Impacts the type and quantity of improvements required over time



Contracted Services

Components may be contracted out or provided by municipal staff



Enforcement

Differing service delivery models and organizational forms



Geography

Total square kilometres and population density of the municipality



Inspections

Extent and complexity of the inspections done by each municipality



Service Levels

Different service standards set by each municipality's Council



Socio-Economic Indicators

Residents' ability to maintain property to required standards



Processes & Systems

Type and quality of systems used to track complaints, inspections and other data

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 3.1 Number of Noise, Property Standards, Yard Maintenance and Zoning By-Law Complaints per 100,000 Population

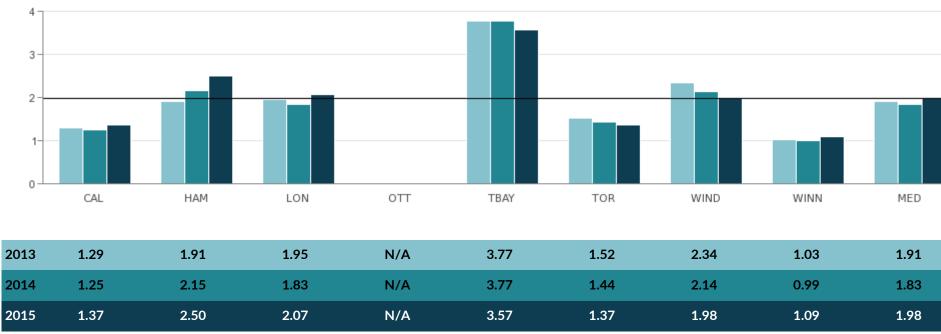
Measure includes reactive (citizen-initiated) and proactive investigations logged.



Source: BYLW205 (Service Level)

Fig. 3.2 Number of Inspections per Noise, Property Standards, Yard Maintenance and Zoning By-Law Complaint

Inspections are used to verify the validity of a complaint. Lower results may be due to alternative methods of citizen interaction, e.g. sending a letter, calling a citizen and/or following up in person.

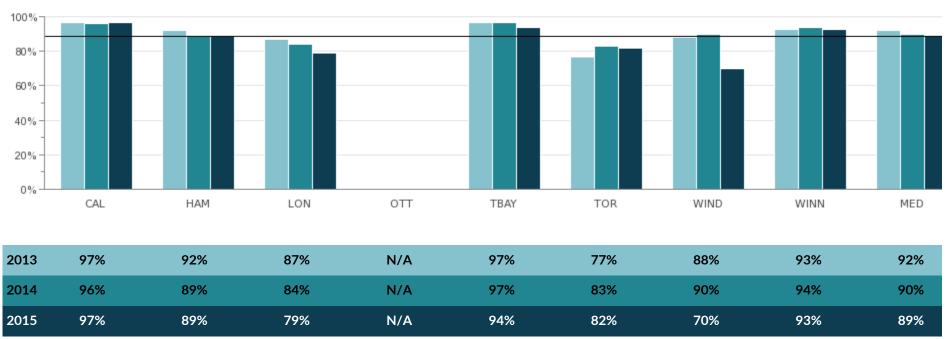


Source: BYLW226 (Service Level)

Comment: The City of Ottawa does not report due to technology restrictions.

Fig. 3.3 Percent of Compliance to Noise, Property Standards, Yard Maintenance and Zoning By-Laws

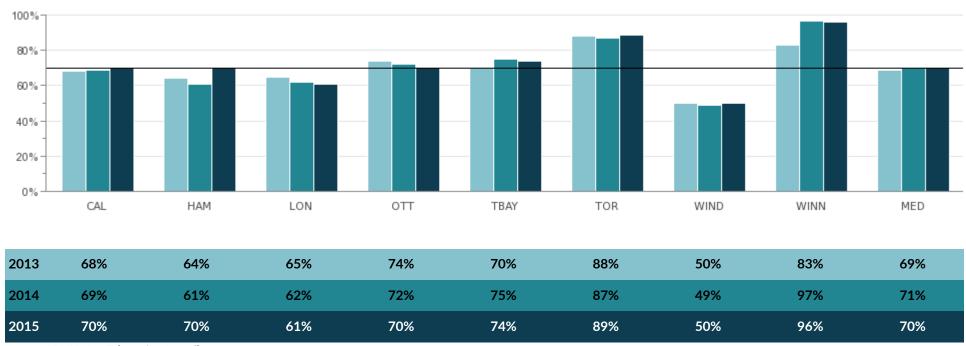
Experts interpret compliance to mean no municipal action or prosecution required. If a contractor is hired by a City, or court action is taken, this would be considered as non-compliance.



Source: BYLW120 (Community Impact)

Comment: The City of Ottawa does not report due to technology restrictions.

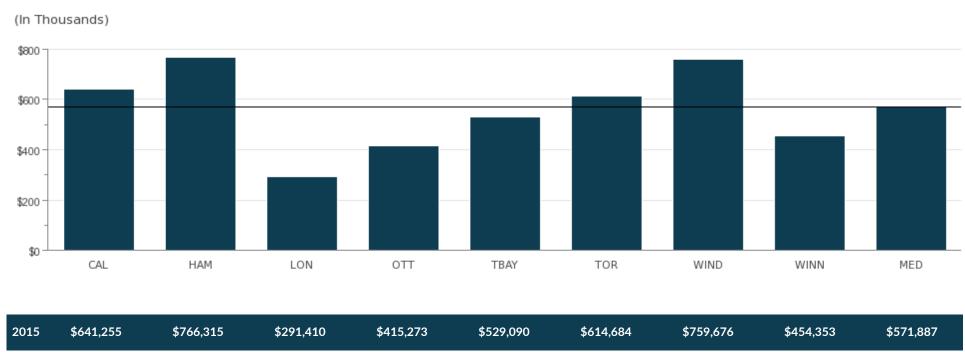
Fig. 3.4 Percent of All By-Law Complaints Represented by Noise, Property Standards, Yard Maintenance and Zoning By-Laws



Source: BYLW207 (Service Level)

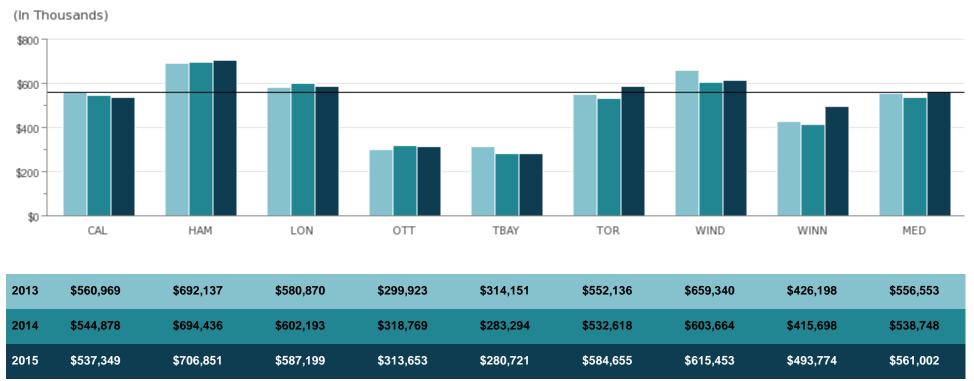
Fig. 3.5 Enforcement Operating Cost for Noise, Property Standards, Yard Maintenance, Zoning By-laws per 100,000 Population

This is a new measure in 2015; therefore there is only one year of data.



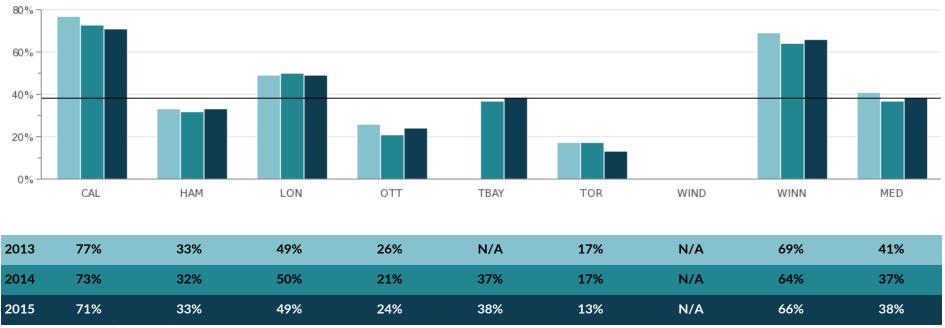
Source: BYLW273 (Efficiency)

Fig. 3.6 Enforcement Operating Cost for Animal Control By-laws per 100,000 Population



Source: BYLW275 (Efficiency)

Fig. 3.7 Percent of Recovery of Animal Control Costs



Source: BYLW318 (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Windsor contracts animal control services to the local Windsor/Essex County Humane Society; therefore no revenues are returned to the City.

CHILD CARE

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

\$693/YR municipal investment

<16% of available spaces are subsidized

cost per subsidized ild care space fig. CHDC305 (EFFICIENCY)

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

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Demographics

Population density and dispersion varies by municipality



Licensed Spaces

Municipalities do not independently direct or drive growth of licensed spaces



Mix of Child Care Spaces

Different levels of service and cost per age group



Funding

Dependent on Provincial budgets and Municipal funding



Data Availability

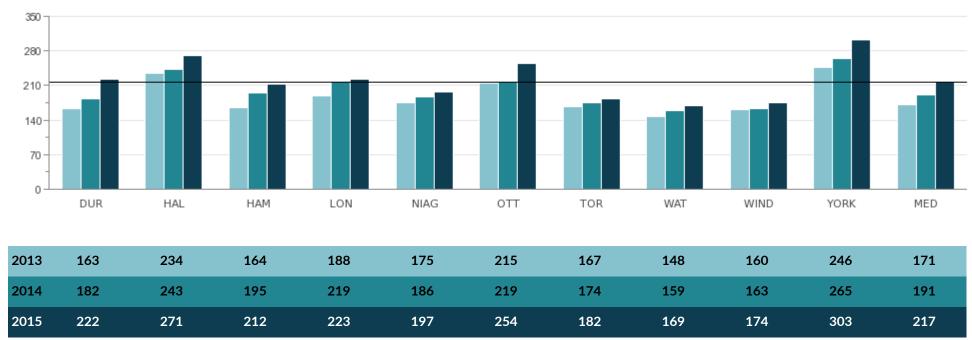
LICO (Low Income Cut-off) and National Household Survey data may not be current, and future predictions may not be accurate

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

fig. CHDC112 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

Fig. 4.1 Regulated Child Care Spaces in Municipality per 1,000 Children (12 and under)

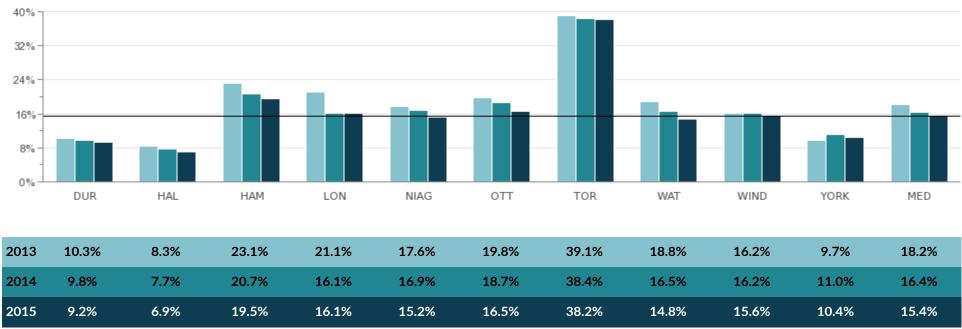
Total Regulated Spaces is the number of licensed spaces in child care centres, preschools and home child care agencies.



Source: CHDC105 (Community Impact)

Fig. 4.2 Percent of Spaces that are Subsidized

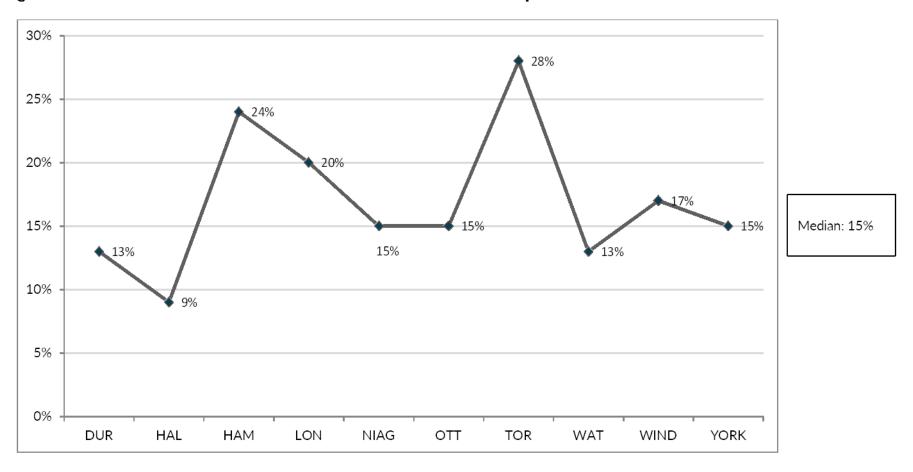
The results illustrate that high demand can be indicative of the number of lower-income families requiring child care. Other factors contributing to the results include total funding, the growth in total number of spaces created. This measure reflects the number of full day equivalents (FDE) as opposed to the actual number of children served.



Source: CHDC112 (Community Impact)

Fig. 4.3 Percent of Children in the Municipality (12 and under) that are from Low Income Families

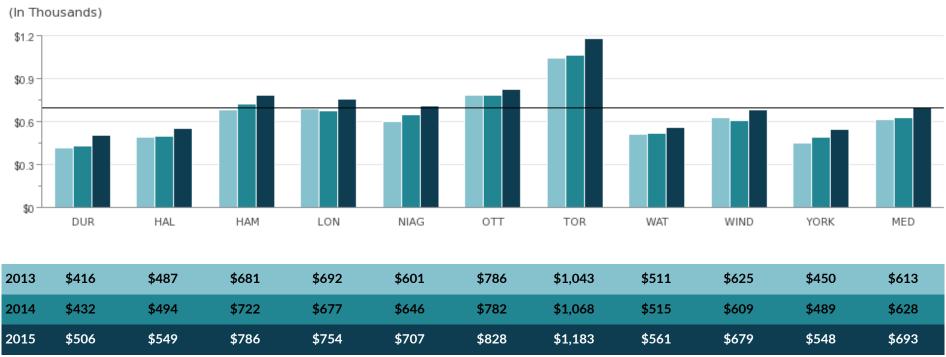
LICO (Low-Income Cut-off) population is extrapolated based on 2011 National Household Survey data and population growth. Lower-income families tend to drive the demand for subsidized spaces for children 12 and under.



Source: CHDC115 (Community Impact)

Fig. 4.4 Total Cost per Child (12 and Under) in the Municipality

The results include provincial funding and any additional municipal contributions.



Source: CHDC220T (Service Level)

Fig. 4.5 Annual Child Care Cost per Normalized Subsidized Child Care Space

The annual gross fee subsidy cost has been normalized to reflect the mix of age groups and required staff ratios. A high cost result could reflect spaces that are being directly operated by a municipality as well as a higher cost of care in urban cities. There are opportunities to help support the cost of fee subsidy through other funding grants which may not be reflected in this measure.



Source: CHDC305 (Efficiency)

CLERKS

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



35 FOI

REQUESTS RECEIVED

fig. CLKS270 (SERVICE LEVEL)

COST PER
FOI request

\$798

64% of formal FOI requests are handled within 30 days

fig. CLKS470 (CUSTOMER SERVICE

FOI = FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

KEEP IN MIND:

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Citizen Engagement

State of interaction with citizens



Complexity

Type and number of Freedom of Information (FOI) requests



Contentious Issues

Prevailing major issues in the municipality



Nature of Requests

Media, special interest groups, individuals and businesses



Organizational

Centralized vs. decentralized functions, organizational culture and the training of staff



Political Climate

Availability of information from elected officials



Policy & Practices

Responsiveness to requests and number of routine disclosure policies



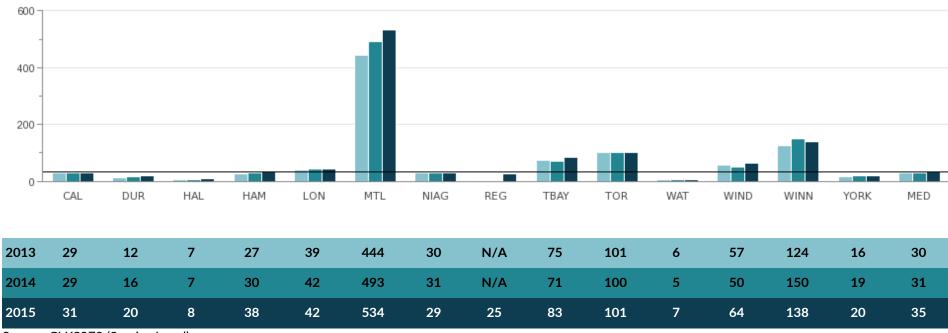
Privacy Protection

Growing trend to address and assess privacy concerns

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Fig. 5.1 Number of Formal Freedom of Information Requests per 100,000 Population

This measure identifies the number of legislated freedom of information (FOI) requests, including Councillor requests that have gone through the FOI process in the reporting year.



Source: CLKS270 (Service Level)

Comment: The City of Montreal reports on 19 boroughs, which significantly increases the number of requests.

Fig. 5.2 Operating Cost for Freedom of Information Program per Formal Request

The complexity and number of requests varies from municipality to municipality.

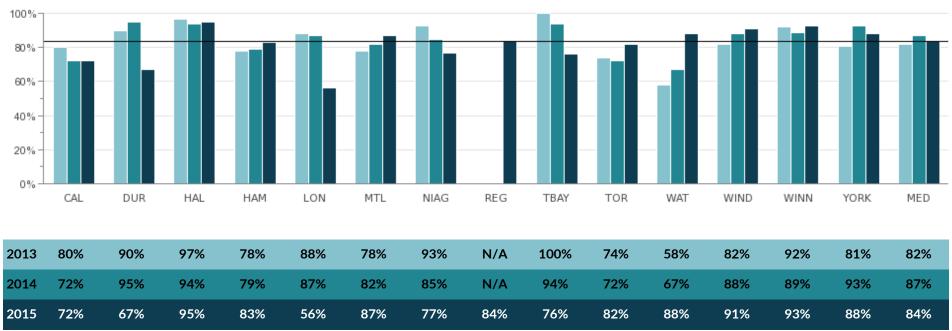


Source: CLKS370 (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Winnipeg does not report on this measure because it uses a decentralized model where departments manage their respective FIPPA Requests.

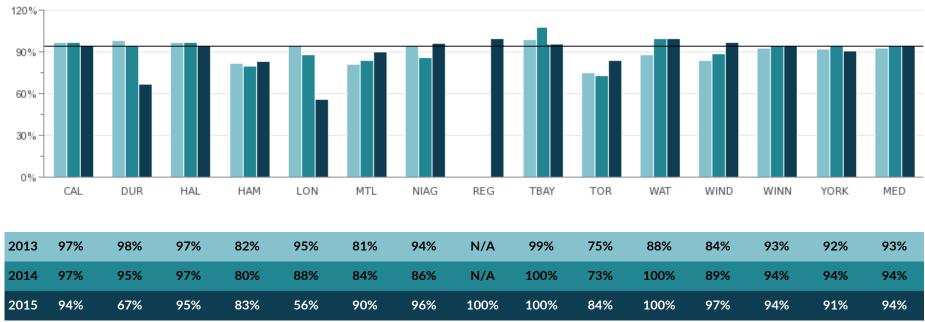
Fig. 5.3 Percent of Regular Formal Freedom of Information Requests Handled within 30 Days

The measure speaks to the number of formal freedom of information requests, including Councillor requests, that have gone through the FOI process, and were handled within 30 days.



Source: CLKS470 (Customer Service)

Fig. 5.4 Percent of Regular Formal Freedom of Information Requests, Extensions and 3rd Party Notices Handled within Legislated Timelines



Source: CLKS475 (Service Level)



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



In-kind Services

Non-reported or non-quantifiable services



Municipal Policy

Whether a municipality has adopted a cultural policy or plan, i.e. public art, special events, etc. and how the municipality has defined its roles and responsibilities, may affect the way programs and services are delivered and the size of funding invested in the community



Non-Resident Use or Tourism

Tourism vs. per capita denominator



Provincial Policy

How the provincial government has defined its roles and responsibilities and has integrated or not its operations with municipalities may affect the size of funding invested in the community, and the way programs and services are delivered

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 6.1 Arts, Heritage & Festival Grants Only per Capita

The measure represents the funding dollars provided for Arts, Heritage and Festivals grants only. The grants provided are influenced by the funding envelope and size of arts community.

The direct municipal investment in arts funding is relative to a city's service delivery model, size of its arts community and its funding envelope. For example, some municipalities provide funding to their "anchor" organizations, e.g. art gallery, community auditorium, theatre and symphony via grants versus municipally owned/operated facilities.



Source: CLTR125 (Community Impact)

Comment: The City of Montreal's result is impacted by contributions from the Provincial government, as well as by large heritage projects in preparation for Montreal's upcoming 375th anniversary.

Fig. 6.2 Culture Operating Cost - All Grants per Capita



Source: CLTR200 (Service Level)

Fig. 6.3 Total Cost for Culture Services including Grants per Capita

The measure represents the total cost of providing all cultural services including grants and the funding of cultural venues, e.g. art galleries, historical sites, cultural centres and museums per person.



Source: CLTR205T (Service Level)

Comment: The City of Montreal's result is impacted by contributions from the Provincial government, as well as by large heritage projects in view of Montreal's upcoming 375th anniversary.

EMERGENCY SNAPSHOT **HOSTELS**

MEDIANS FOR 2015



Nightly supply of available beds:

PER 100,000 RESIDENTS

fig. HSTL205 (SERVICE LEVEL)



KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Economic Impacts
Employment and unemployment impact demand



Funding Model Per diem vs. block funding models



Immigration

Federal policies and processing times for Refugee claims



Information SystemsDatabase systems used can impact

reporting capabilities



Migration within Canada Population shifts between provinces/municipalities



Other Housing Services Availabilty of housing types and support services



Political Climate

Policies and support for homelessness can impact service levels



Supply vs. Demand

Individuals in need may decide not to take up offers of shelter



Vacancy Rates in Rental Markets Housing availability and affordability



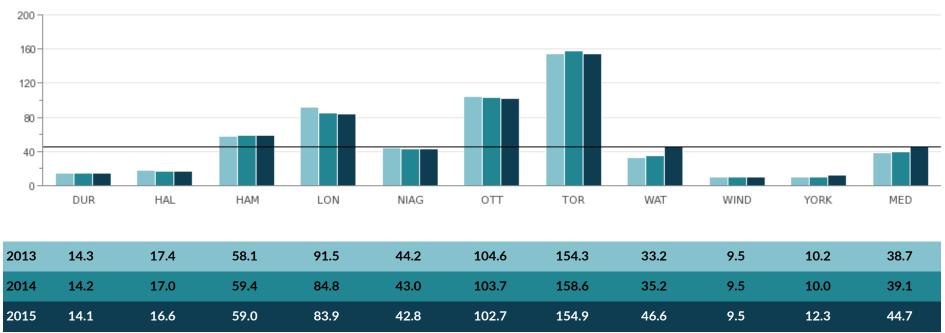
Weather Conditions

Increase or decrease in occupancy and length of stay

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 7.1 Average Nightly Number of Emergency Shelter Beds Available per 100,000 Population

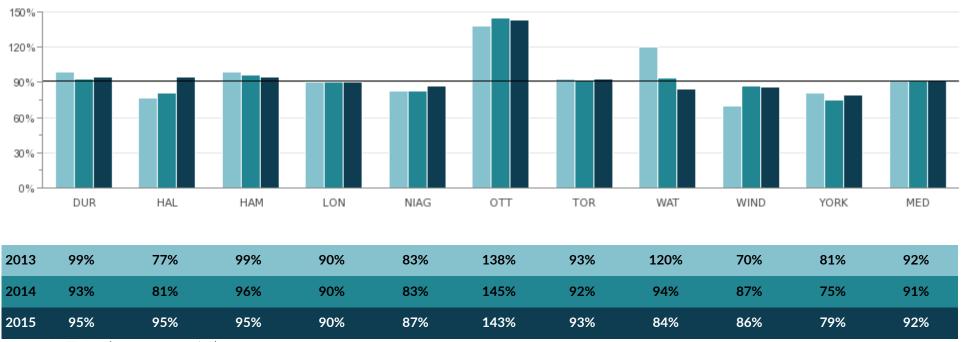
Results reflect various approaches to counting motel rooms in inventory.



Source: HSTL205 (Service Level)

Fig. 7.2 Average Nightly Bed Occupancy Rate of Emergency Shelters

Rooms can be fully occupied at less than 100% capacity depending on the family size. A result of greater than 100% is also possible through the use of overflow spaces.



Source: HSTL410 (Customer Service)

Fig. 7.3 Average Length of Stay in Days per Admission to Emergency Shelters

Adult and Child Count											
Addit all											
	DUR	HAL	HAM	LON	NIAG	OTT	TOR	WAT	WIND	YORK	MED
2013	14.5	25.6	9.3	11.5	12.3	11.2	19.5	12.7	6.5	11.0	11.9
2014	12.7	18.8	8.9	38.0	11.7	12.2	19.4	10.0	7.5	12.3	12.3
2015	13.0	23.3	8.7	41.0	12.5	12.7	19.2	10.8	6.9	12.6	12.7
Source: HSTL105 (Community Impact)											
Singles (Count										
	DUR	HAL	НАМ	LON	NIAG	ОТТ	TOR	WAT	WIND	YORK	MED
2013	10.6	16.5	7.1	11.2	12.1	6.7	15.6	9.6	7.4	9.8	10.2
2014	10.3	14.4	6.9	38.0	10.2	7.3	15.2	8.9	8.3	11.3	10.3
2015	10.3	10.8	6.6	41.0	10.7	7.4	15.1	9.7	8.1	11.1	10.5
Source: H	STL110 (Coi	mmunity Imp	act)								
Families	- Head of	f Househol	d Count								
	DUR	HAL	НАМ	LON	NIAG	ОТТ	TOR	WAT	WIND	YORK	MED
2013	34.8	40.2	55.9	13.9	13.1	57.5	86.4	41.3	5.2	22.7	37.5
2014	24.5	31.1	54.3	38.0	17.8	66.5	104.1	27.6	6.2	22.4	29.4
2015	26.2	35.7	59.3	41.0	18.6	61.0	97.0	27.8	9.3	25.5	31.8
Source: H	Source: HSTL115 (Community Impact)										

EMERGENCY SN MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS)

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

RESPONSE TIME

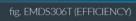


Ambulances spend

20.3% of operational time at the hospital

fig. EMDS150 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

Ambulance service cost: \$218/hour





KEEP IN MIND:

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demographics

Age and health status of population have an impact on calls



Dispatch

System, processes and governance impact effectiveness and efficiency



Geography

Urban vs. rural areas



Governance

Local strategy and Provincial regulations



Hospital Delay

Lengths of delays off-loading patients



Non-Residents

Measures are based on municipal population and do not include non-residents



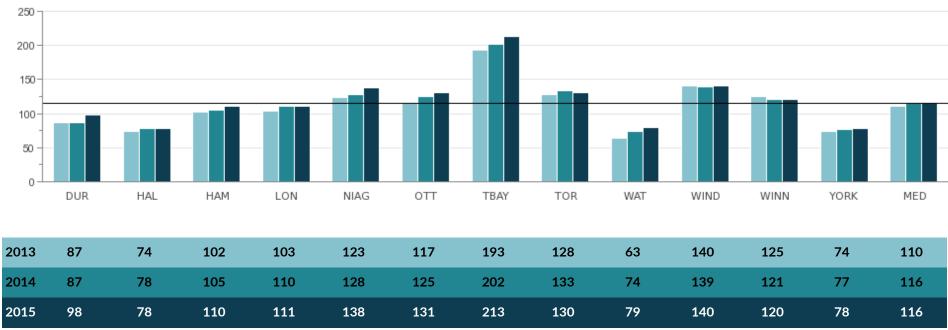
Vehicle Mix

Vehicle type and staffing requirement

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Fig. 8.1 Unique Responses per 1,000 Population

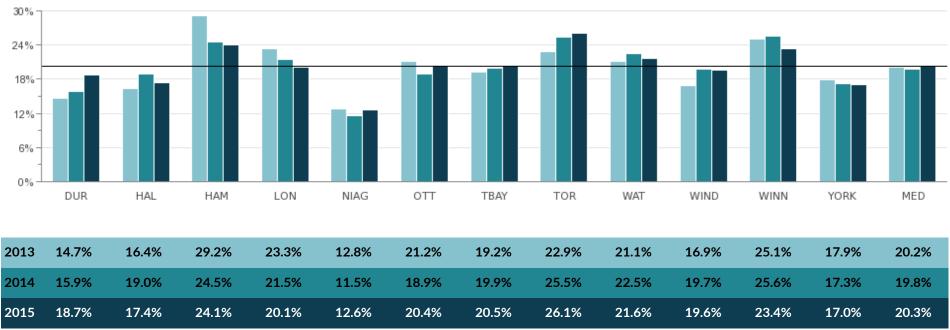
This measure refers to the number of unique events responded to by Emergency Medical Services (EMS). This does not reflect the total number of EMS vehicles responding to events.



Source: EMDS229 (Service Level)

Fig. 8.2 Percent of Ambulance Time Lost to Hospital Turnaround

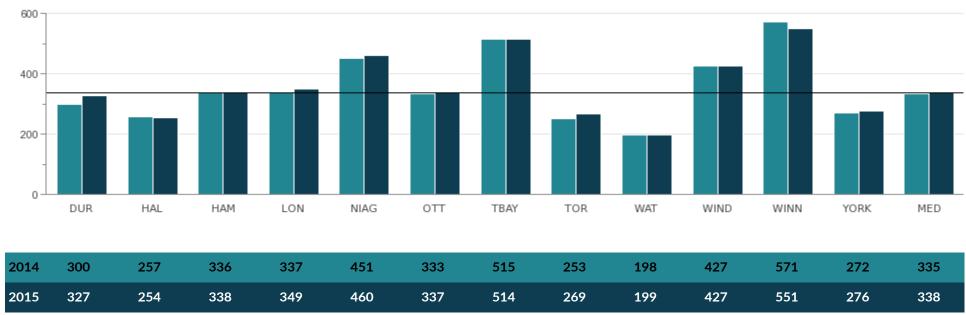
Time spent in hospital includes the time it takes to transfer a patient, delays in transfer care due to lack of hospital resources (off-load delay), paperwork and other activities. The more time paramedics spend in the hospital process equates to less time they are available to respond to calls.



Source: EMDS150 (Community Impact)

Fig. 8.3 EMS Weighted Vehicle In-Service Hours per 1,000 Population

"Hours" refers only to the hours that vehicles are available for service.



Source: EMDS226 (Service Level)

Fig. 8.4 EMS Total Cost per Weighted Vehicle In-Service Hour

"Hour" refers only to the hours that vehicles are available for service. Costs include paramedic, administrative, medical supply, building, operating, supervision and overhead.



Source: EMDS306T (Efficiency)

Fig. 8.5 Response Time Performance Standard-Canadian Triage & Acuity Scale 1

Response Time Performance Standard: CTAS 1									
Municipality	Target Per- centage	Actual Per- centage 2014	Actual Per- centage 2015	The Canadian Triage & Acuity Scale is a standardized tool that enables emergency departments and Paramedic services to prioritize care requirements according to the type and severity of the presenting signs and					
DUR	75%	77.28%	78.52%	symptoms. Patients are assigned a CTAS level between 1 – more severe,					
HAL	75%	73.50%	76.00%	life threatening; and 5 – least severe.					
HAM	75%	76.00%	78.00%	Target Percentage: Each service is able to determine and set the percent-					
LON	50%	82.59%	83.78%	age of compliance for this measure.					
NIAG	80%	72.10%	77.15%	The response time is calculated based on the crew notified (T2) time of the					
OTT	75%	79.50%	72.50%	first vehicle being notified of the call and the arrived scene (T4) time of the first vehicle to reach the scene.					
TBAY	70%	81.00%	79.00%	first venicle to reach the scene.					
TOR	75%	77.40%	78.70%	Actual Percentage: The percentage of time that an ambulance crew has					
WAT	70%	66.00%	68.00%	arrived on-scene to provide ambulance services to sudden cardiac arrest patients or other patients categorized as CTAS 1 within eight minutes of					
WIND	75%	77.00%	75.00%	the time notice is received respecting such services.					
WINN	90%	75.06%	76.29%						
YORK	75%	76.00%	78.70%	Source: EMDS431 (Customer Service)					

Fig. 8.6 Response Time Performance Standard: Sudden Cardiac Arrest Within Six (6) Minutes

Response Time Performance Standard: SCA Within Six (6) Minutes									
Municipality	Target Per- centage	Actual Per- centage 2014	Actual Per- centage 2015	Target Percentage: Each service is able to determine and set the percenage of compliance for this measure. Any person with a defibrillator stop					
DUR	60%	66.67%	66.32%	the clock on this measure so the paramedic (service) is required to capture the time of arrival for any defibrillator by a non-paramedic party. These					
HAL	55%	52.90%	71.00%	times are reflected at procedure code 385 with a soft time (best estimate) provided by the attending paramedic. The response time is calculated					
HAM	75%	74.00%	75.00%	based on the crew notified (T2) time of the first vehicle being notified of the call and the arrived scene (T4) time of the first vehicle to reach the					
LON	50%	79.25%	78.82%	scene.					
NIAG	55%	58.80%	57.72%						
OTT	65%	63.00%	63.70%	Actual Percentage: The percentage of time that a person equipped to provide any type of defibrillation has arrived on-scene to provide defibrilla-					
TBAY	50%	69.00%	72.00%	tion to sudden cardiac arrest patients within six minutes of the time no- tice is received from dispatch. Refer to Ministry Guidelines to see what is					
TOR	60%	87.30% 89.60%		included and/or excluded.					
WAT	50%	39.00%	37.90%						
WIND	55%	58.00%	54.00%	Source: EMDS430 (Customer Service)					
WINN	90%	73.33%	79.09%						
YORK	60%	67.00%	65.50%						

Fig 8.7 90th Percentile Call Processing Time (Dispatch) – EMS TO-2 Code 4 (AMPDS 1 and 2/DE, optional in C)

90th Percentile: Call Processing Time (Dispatch)										
	EMS TO-2, Code 4									
	(min:sec)									
Municipality	2014	2015								
DUR	3:07	3:17	The Ministry of Health and Long Term Care (MOHLTC) directly operates all land ambulance dispatch service in Ontario with the exception of Niagara and Toronto.							
HAL	2:49	2:49								
HAM 2:59 3:01		3:01	Dispatch time is the time from a phone call being received to the EMS unit being notified.							
LON	2:59	3:06	Code 4 refers to the highest priority calls.							
NIAG	1:58	2:00	soue + refers to the highest priority calls.							
ОТТ	N/A	N/A	90 th percentile means that 90% of all calls of the service have a dispatch time within the							
TBAY	2:50	2:46	period reflected in the graph.							
TOR	OR 3:04 2:57									
WAT	3:53	4:08	Source: EMDS480 (Customer Service)							
WIND	2:47	3:13								
WINN	2:41	2:36								
YORK	2:57	2:56								
MED	2:57	2:57								

FACILITIES SNAPSHOT MEDIANS

MEDIANS FOR 2015

fig. FCLT335T (EFFICIENCY)

4,770,967

total average square footage of buildings owned or leased by municipality

fig. FCLT805 (STATISTIC)

245,562 HALL total average square footage of headquarter buildings fig. FCLT820 (STATISTIC) \$13.68/sq. ft. **HEADQUARTER BUILDINGS**

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

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Building Stock

Variety of buildings and facilities



Capital

Accounting policy/dollar threshold for capital expenditures impacts maintenance activities



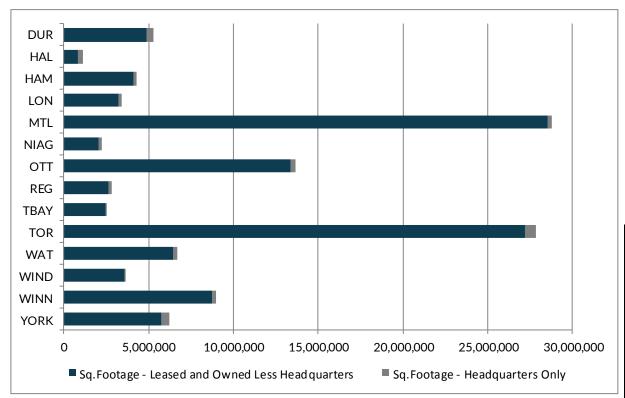
Organizational Form

Extent to which asset management is centralized or decentralized



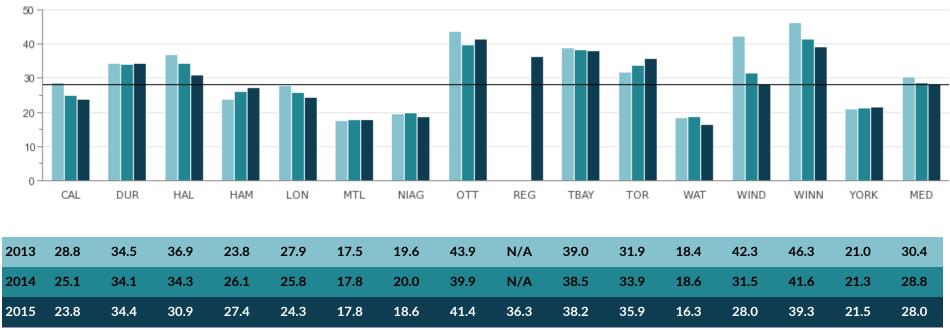
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Fig 9.1 Gross Square Footage of Headquarter Buildings Relative to All Buildings Owned and Leased by Municipality



	Sq.Footage -		
	Leased and	Sq.Footage -	
	Owned Less	Headquarters	
Municipality	Headquarters	Only	Sq.Footage - All
DUR	4,891,927	361,441	5,253,368
HAL	849,236	297,812	1,147,048
НАМ	4,120,570	167,995	4,288,565
LON	3,219,672	188,200	3,407,872
MTL	28,534,483	245,562	28,780,045
NIAG	2,038,465	195,310	2,233,775
OTT	13,376,365	294,705	13,671,070
REG	2,628,205	179,566	2,807,771
TBAY	2,476,034	43,500	2,519,534
TOR	27,213,796	636,215	27,850,011
WAT	6,437,732	259,593	6,697,325
WIND	3,565,461	66,300	3,631,761
WINN	8,753,866	206,572	8,960,438
YORK	5,747,534	452,302	6,199,836
MED	4,506,249	226,067	4,770,967
Source:	Calculated for Report Only	FCLT820 (Statistic)	FCLT805 (Statistic)

Fig. 9.2 Total Equivalent kWh Energy Consumption for Headquarter Building (HQ) per Square Foot of HQ Building



Source: FCLT240 (Efficiency)

Fig. 9.3 Total Cost of Facility Operations for Headquarter Building (HQ) per Square Feet of HQ Building

Generally, all facility operating costs include four cost categories: internal and external facility repairs & maintenance, custodial, utilities and security costs.



Source: FCLT335T (Efficiency)

SNAPSHOT FIRE **MEDIANS** SERVICES



RESIDENTIAL FIRES

Injuries 5.25 Fatalities 0.26 per 100,000 population

fig. FIRE105;FIRE110 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

Response time

FOR 2015

13:87 RUR





KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

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Collective Agreements

Wage differences can happen between municipalities based on the cycle of the collective agreements



Fire Prevention & Education

Enforcement of the Fire Code and the presence of working smoke alarms



Geography

Station locations, topography, road congestion and urban/rural mix can impact response times



Nature & Extent of Fire Risk

Type of building construction or occupancy



Response Agreements

Depending on response agreements between emergency services, responses to medical calls can be a significant activity



Service Levels

Set by local Councils based on local needs and circumstances



Service Standards

Service level standards may affect the number/locations of stations, vehicles and number of firefighters required



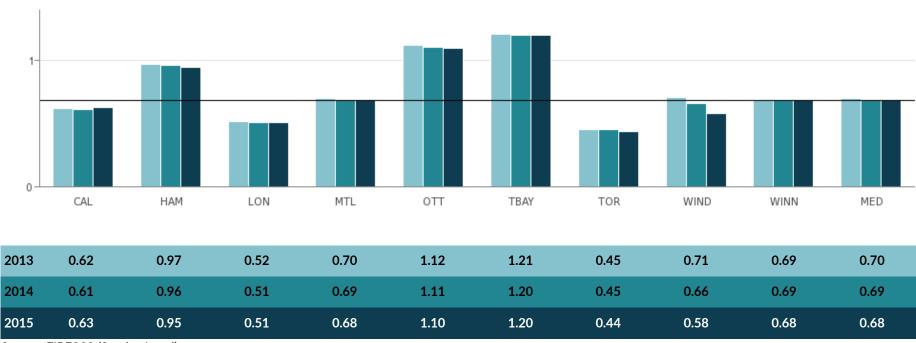
Staffing Models

Mix of full-time, or full-time and part-time volunteer firefighters

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 10.1 Number of Staffed Fire In-Service Vehicle Hours per Capita (Entire Municipality)

The City of Hamilton and the City of Ottawa have urban and rural components of service delivery, whereas all other municipalities only have an urban component. Urban areas are defined as the area served by full-time firefighters stationed with their vehicles on a continuous basis. Rural areas are served by volunteer firefighters who are on-call to respond to emergencies as they arise. Rural areas also tend to have higher vehicle hours per capita because there is a proportionately smaller number of residents in those response areas.



Source: FIRE230 (Service Level)

Fig. 10.2 Residential Fire Related Injuries per 100,000 Population and Residential Fire Related Fatalities per 100,000 Population (Entire Municipality)

Municipality	Residential Fire Related Injuries per 100,000 Population (Entire Municipality)				Residential Fire Related Fatalities per 100,000 Population (Entire Municipality)			
	2013	2014	2015		2013	2014	2015	
CAL	0.78	1.67	1.71		0.43	0.42	0.00	
НАМ	7.22	4.95	4.18		0.19	0.18	0.18	
LON	6.96	8.74	5.25		0.54	0.26	0.26	
MTL	3.29	1.50	1.15		0.57	0.46	0.35	
ОТТ	2.44 2.94		3.33		0.32	0.11	0.52	
TBAY	3.66 7.33		13.74	0.00	0.00	0.00		
TOR	4.00	5.48	5.34		0.40	0.32	0.42	
WIND	21.81	13.75	18.97		0.95	0.95	0.47	
WINN	13.30	11.70	8.35		0.72	0.14	0.14	
MED	4.00	5.48	5.25		0.43	0.26	0.26	
Source:	FIRE	105 (Community Im	pact)		FIRE110 (Community Impact)			

Fig. 10.3 Rate of Residential Structural Fires with Losses per 1,000 Households (Entire Municipality)



Source: FIRE115 (Community Impact)

Fig. 10.4 Actual 90th Percentile- Fire Station Notification Response Time in Minutes (Urban and Rural)

Each municipality has a different mix of vehicle types and staffing modes, reflecting its fire and community risks. Hamilton and Ottawa are the only municipalities with both urban and rural components.

Municipality	Station Notification Response Time 90th Percentile (min:sec) Urban				Station Notification Response Time 90th Percentile (min:sec) Rural			
	2013	2014	2015		2013	2014	2015	
CAL	7:08	6:44	5:29					
НАМ	6:45	6:55	6:52		13:20	13:06	13:43	
LON	6:05	6:03	5:59					
MTL	5:39	6:20	6:02					
ОТТ	6:50	6:35	6:37		13:53	14:59	14:32	
TBAY	6:40	6:46	6:38					
TOR	6:44	6:38	6:34					
WIND	6:58	7:15	7:21					
WINN	6:49	6:55	6:51					
MED	6:45	6:44	6:37		13:37	14:02	14:07	
Source: FIRE405 (Customer Servi			ervice)		FIRE406 (Customer Service)			

Fig. 10.5 Total Fire Cost per In-Service Vehicle Hour (Entire Municipality)

In order to respond to emergencies, each municipality has a different mix of vehicle types and staffing modes, reflecting its fire and community risks.

When there is mix of urban and rural areas served by volunteer firefighters, the cost tends to be much lower than urban areas served by full-time firefighters because volunteer firefighters are paid only for the hours in which they are actively responding to emergencies.



Source: FIRE305T (Efficiency)

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



11,143 VEHICLES maintained

fig. FLET227, FLET228, FLET229 (STATISTIC)

VEHICLES COST

69 cents/km



fig. FLET326 (EFFICIENCY)



Influencing Factors Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year

KEEP IN MIND:

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demographics

Population differences and rural/urban density variation



Fleet Mix & Usage

Number of vehicles in each class will affect the cost.



Organizational Form

Centralized vs. decentralized

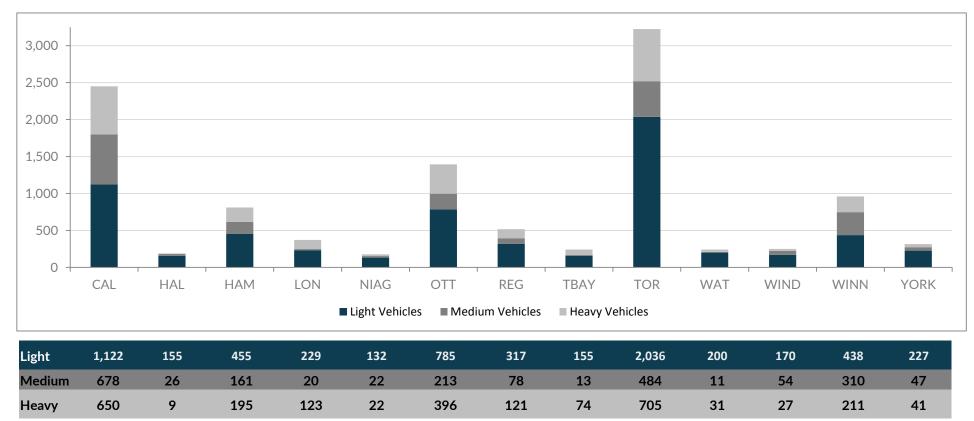


Policy & Processes

Chargeback vs. non-chargeback costs

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Fig. 11.1 Total Number of Light, Medium and Heavy Vehicles (All Municipal Equipment)



Source: FLET227 (Statistic); FLET228 (Statistic); FLET229 (Statistic)

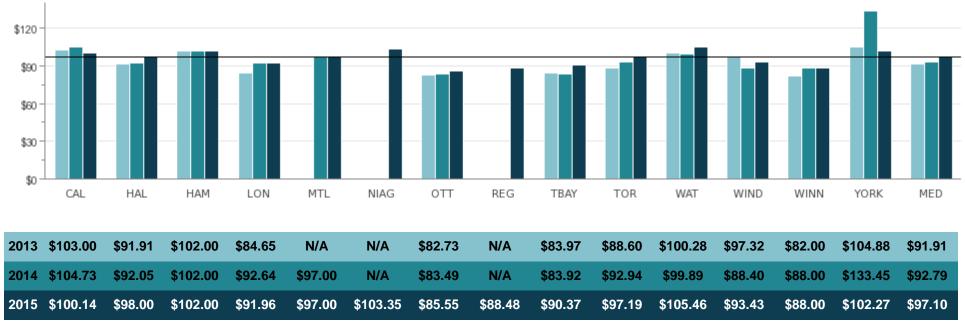
Fig. 11.2 Operating Cost per Vehicle KM (Municipal Equipment)



Source: FLET326 (Efficiency)

Fig. 11.3 Door Rate

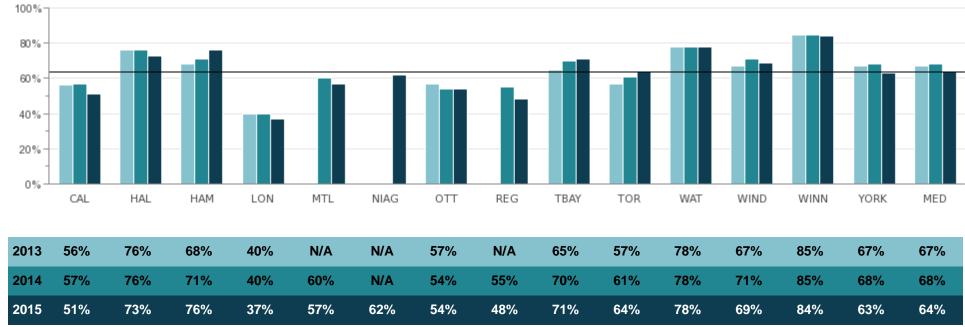
Door Rate refers to the in-house shop rate for vehicle maintenance, repairs, etc.



Source: FLET347 (Efficiency)

Fig. 11.4 Service Request Rate—Percent of Non PM (Planned or Preventative Maintenance) Work Order Hours

The measure represents the percentage of time a vehicle is being worked on in the shop for repairs, other than those associated with preventative maintenance work orders.



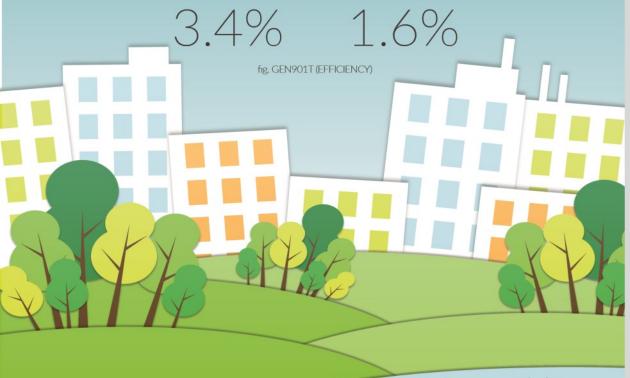
Source: FLET415 (Service Level)

SNAPSHOT GENERAL **MEDIANS** GOVERNMENT FOR 2015

AMOUNT OF TOTAL BUDGET **SPENT ON CORPORATE MANAGEMENT**

municipality municipality

Single-tier Upper-tier



KEEP IN MIND: **Influencing Factors**

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Council

Full-time vs. part-time Councils



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. Upper-tier municipalities

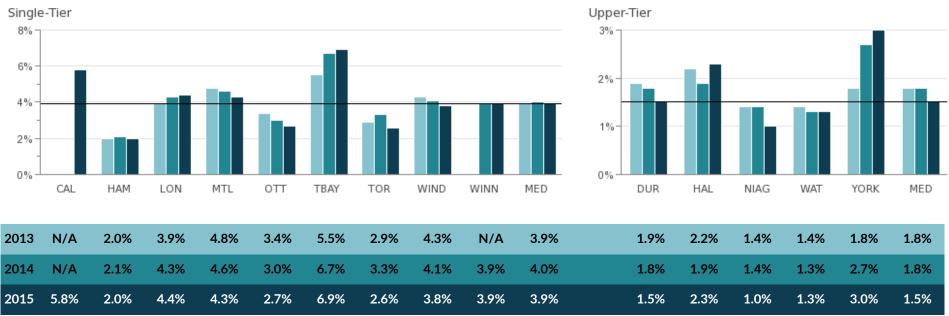


Organizational Form

Centralized vs. decentralized

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Fig. 12.1 Operating Costs for Governance & Corporate Management as a Percent of Total Municipal Operating Costs

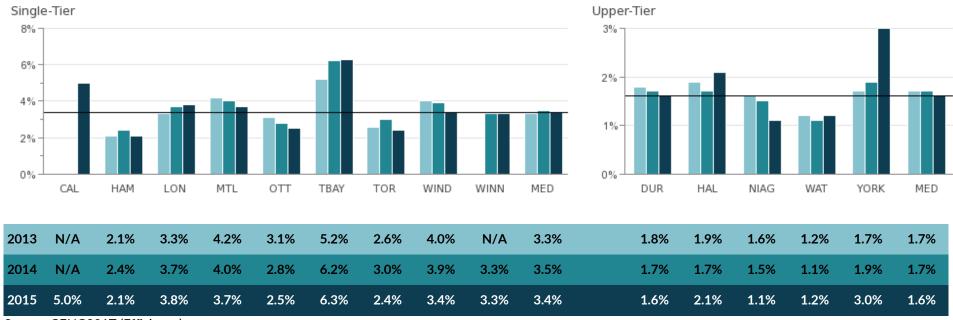


Source: GENG901 (Efficiency)

Comment: York Region is significantly higher in 2015 due to higher expense on interest allocation and Metrolinx projects.

Fig. 12.2 Total Cost for Governance & Corporate Management as a Percent of Total Municipal Operating Cost

This measure includes the operating cost plus amortization.



Source: GENG901T (Efficiency)

GENERAL REVENUE

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

17% total percent of general revenues billed

fig. GREV210 (SERVICE LEVEL)



\$16.23 cost to process one invoice

fig. GREV310 (EFFICIENCY)



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. Upper-tier municipalities



Policy & Practices

Collections, delinquencies and staffing costs differ between municipalities



Processes & Systems

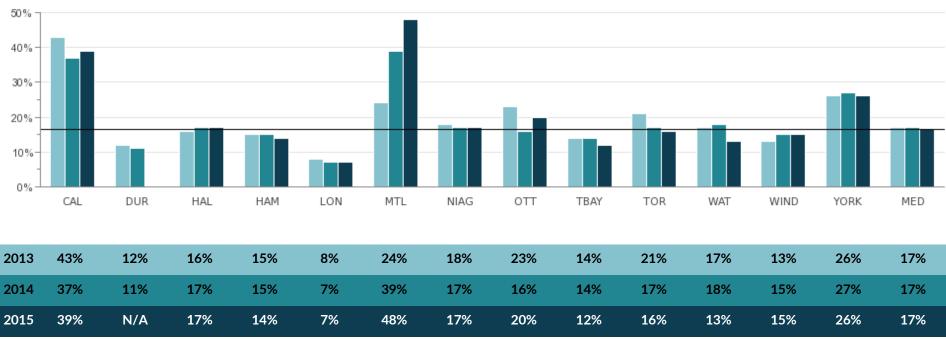
Type and quality of accounts receivable systems



For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 13.1 Total Percent of General Revenues Billed

The measure includes centralized, decentralized and outsourced billings. The results are impacted by revenue sources (user fees, grants), accounting practices and management policies regarding the billing process.



Source: GREV210 (Service Level)

Comment: Prior to 2015, the City of Montreal included centralized billings only in their calculation. However, in 2015, billing of transfer payments (or subsidies) have been included as well, which explains the increase between 2014 and 2015. NB: It is important to note that 2015 is not comparable with prior years data.

Fig. 13.2 Bad Debt Write-off as a Percent of Billed Revenue

Municipalities generally do not write-off bad debt, but in some cases Councils may approve specific write-offs in a given year.



Source: GREV325 (Efficiency)

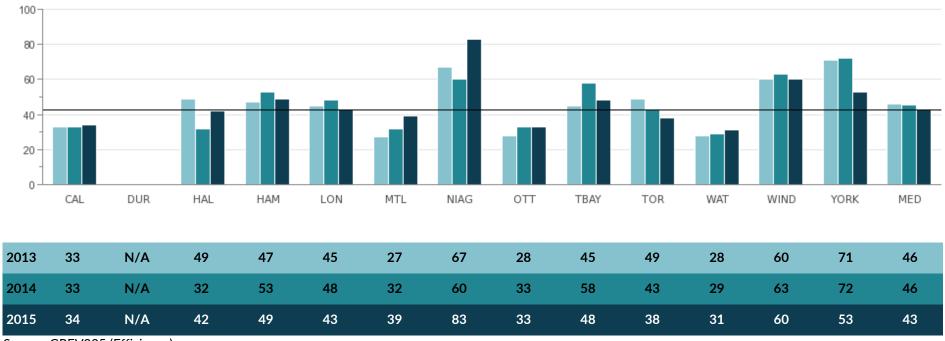
Comment: In 2014, Windsor completed a series of write-offs of historically uncollectable receivables.

Fig. 13.3 Operating Cost of Accounts Receivable Function per Invoice



Source: GREV310 (Efficiency)

Fig. 13.4 Average Collection Period (Days)



Source: GREV335 (Efficiency)

HUMAN SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

Total cost for HR administration per T4 supported

\$978

fig. HMRS305T (EFFICIENCY





4.87%
EMPLOYEE
TURNOVER
RATE

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Degree of Unionization
Impact of labour relations and
collective agreements



Economic Situation
Less or more employment
opportunities and decrease
or increase in retirement rate



Municipal Benefits & Pension Plan

Attract and retain staff to a higher degree than private sector employment



Organizational Form

Varying service delivery of Human Services



Staffing of Services

Demand on staffing for processing high-turnover job service areas

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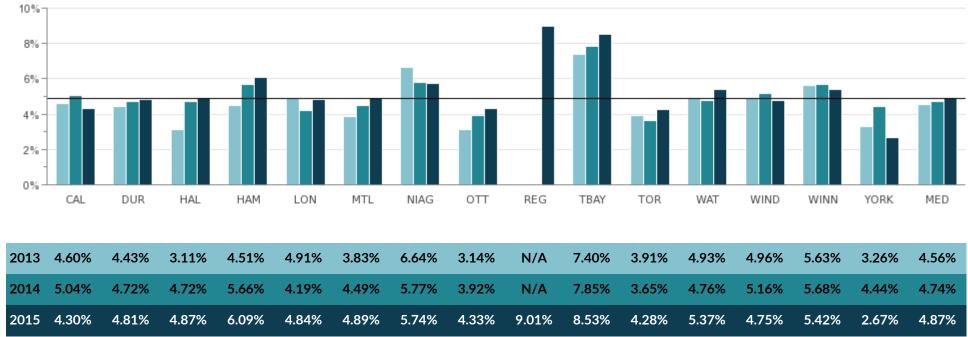
Fig. 14.1 Total Cost for Human Resources Administration per T4 Supported



Source: HMRS305T (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Montreal has been in collective agreement negotiations during the past three years, and in 2015 renegotiated pension plans.

Fig. 14.2 Overall Permanent Voluntary Employee Turnover



Source: HMRS406 (Community Impact)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



AVERAGE MUNICIPAL
WEBSITE VISITS
PER PERSON

11 times SINGLE-TIER 3.7 times UPPER-TIER



\$4,184 per FTE for technology services

Number of technology devices .93 per FTE

TE = FULL-TIME FOUIVALENT



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Devices

Types of services provided and/or organizational culture



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. Upper-tier municipalities



IT Services

Services vary by municipality



Organizational Form

Centralized vs. decentralized



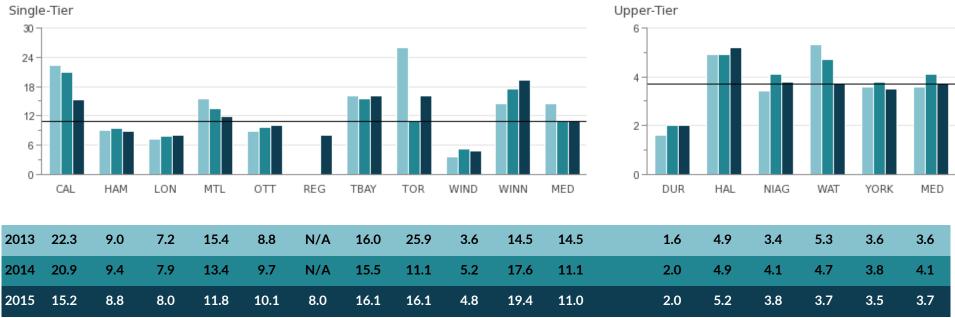
Processes & Systems

Database systems impact reporting capabilities

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 15.1 Number of Visits to Municipal Website per Capita

This measure reflects visits to the main municipal website only, e.g. www.ottawa.ca, www.calgary.ca, etc.



Source: INTN105 (Community Impact)

Fig. 15.2 Number of Information Technology Devices per Total Municipal FTE



Source: INTN205 (Service Level)

Fig. 15.3 Total Cost for Information Technology per Municipal FTE

The measure includes operating cost for information technology plus amortization; and excludes annual capital investment related to information technology assets.



Source: INTN243T (Efficiency)

INVESTMENT SNAPSHOT MEDIANS MANAGEMENT FOR 2015

2.41%

return on investment TOTAL INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

fig. INVT310 (EFFICIENCY)

1.85%

return on investment
INTERNAL INVESTMENT
PORTFOLIO

fig. INVT312 (EFFICIENCY)





fig. INVT314 (EFFICIENCY)

Influencing Factors

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Economic Conditions

Local economy, unionization, state of assets, interest rates, shape of the yield curve and/or availability of product



Geography

Population, density and land mass



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. Upper-tier municipalities



Organizational Form

Department reporting structure



Policy & Practices

Accounting, investment objectives, municipal life stage, investment constraints and cash inflows/outflows to portfolio

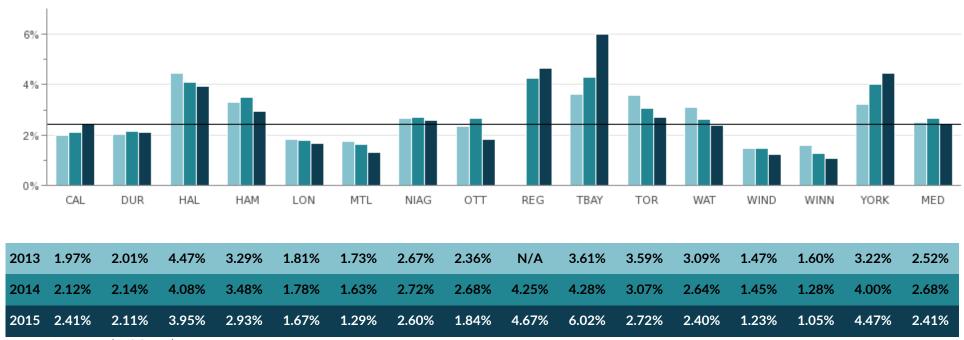


Provincial Legislation

Varies between provinces resulting in different constraints to investment options

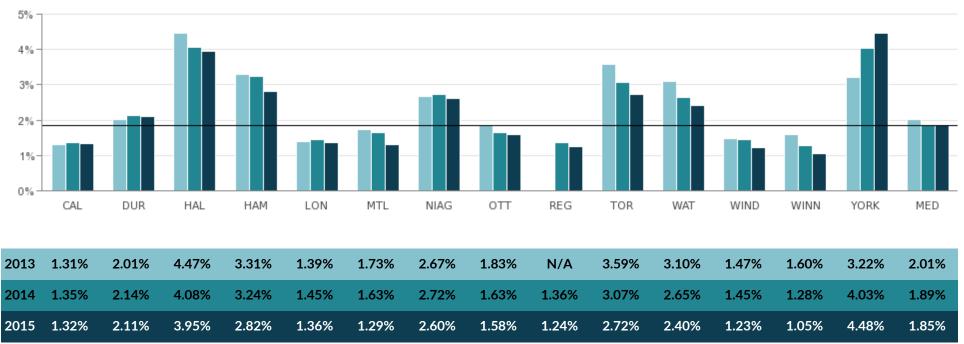
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Fig. 16.1 Gross Percent Realized Return on the Total Investment Portfolio (based on the Average Adjusted Book Value)



Source: INVT310 (Efficiency)

Fig. 16.2 Gross Percent Realized Return on the Total Internally Managed Investment Portfolio (based on the Average Adjusted Book Value)

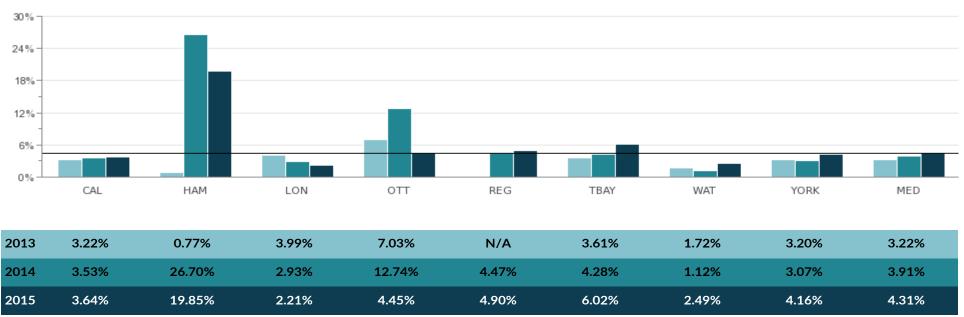


Source: INVT312 (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Thunder Bay does not have an internally managed portfolio; therefore they do not appear on this graph.

Fig. 16.3 Gross Percent Realized Return on the Total Externally Managed Investment Portfolio (based on the Average Adjusted Book Value)

The Regions of Durham, Halton, and Niagara; as well as the Cities of Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Windsor do not have an externally managed portfolio.



Source: INVT314 (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Hamilton's year over year difference is related to the realization of capital gains in the One Fund holdings in 2014.

LEGAL

SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

IN-HOUSE LEGAL OPERATING COST \$2.24 PER \$1,000 municipal operating & capital expenditures

In-house legal operating cost

\$144/ hour in-house lawyer

fig. LEGL315 (EFFICIENCY

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demand Drivers

Requests vary for specific legal services



Organizational Form & Municipal Services Provided

Single-tier vs. upper-tier municipalities; client types supported; how costs are controlled; mix of external vs. in-house lawyers



Council Policy Directs

Services and support available, and handling reimbursements of indemnifications vary per municipality



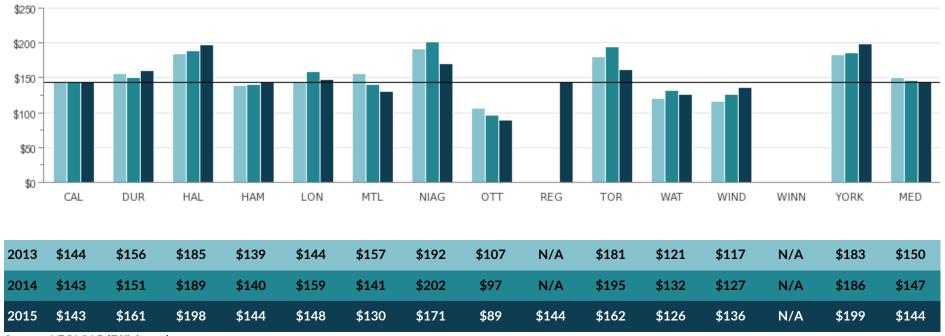
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Fig. 17.1 In-House Legal Operating Cost per \$1,000 Municipal Operating and Capital Expenditures



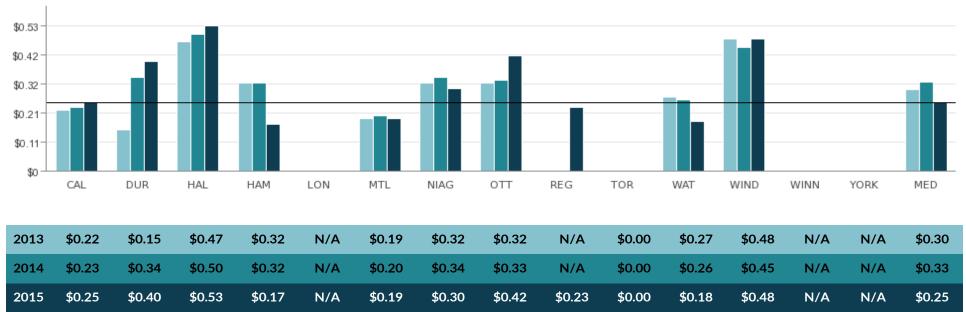
Source: LEGL252 (Service Level)

Fig. 17.2 In-House Legal Operating Costs per In-House Lawyer Hour



Source: LEGL315 (Efficiency)

Fig. 17.3 Total External Cost per Total Municipal Legal Costs



Source: LEGL330 (Efficiency)

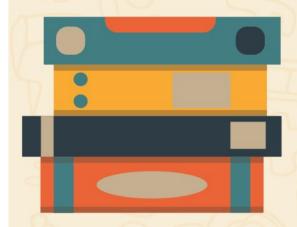
Comments:

The City of London and York Region do not report due to confidentiality.

The City of Winnipeg is unable to capture the data accurately at this time.

The result for the City of Toronto is \$0.00 due to decimal rounding.

LIBRARIES SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



AN ITEM IS BORROWED 4.4 times/yr

fig. PLIB405 (CUSTOMER SERVICE

33.4
LIBRARY
USES

per person

fig. PLIB105M (COMMUNITY IMPACT)



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Access

Number and size of library branches and hours of operation; other service delivery models



Collections

Size mix and number of languages Detailed catalogue and form supported. (digital, audio, video, print)



Demographics

Socio-economic and cultural make-up of local population



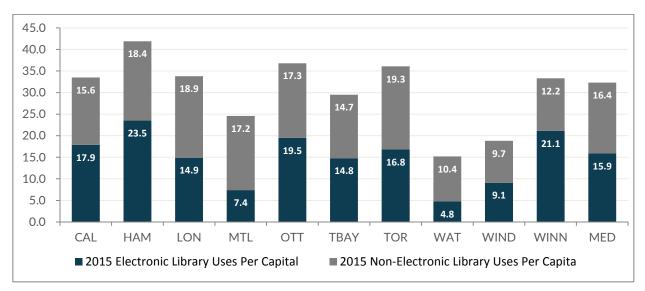
Use Types

Mix and variety of services offered and the resources to track the different uses

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 18.1 Annual Library Uses (Electronic and Non-Electronic) Per Capita

This graph shows the number of electronic and non-electronic library uses which equals the number of annual library uses per capita for 2015; and the tables provide three years of data.

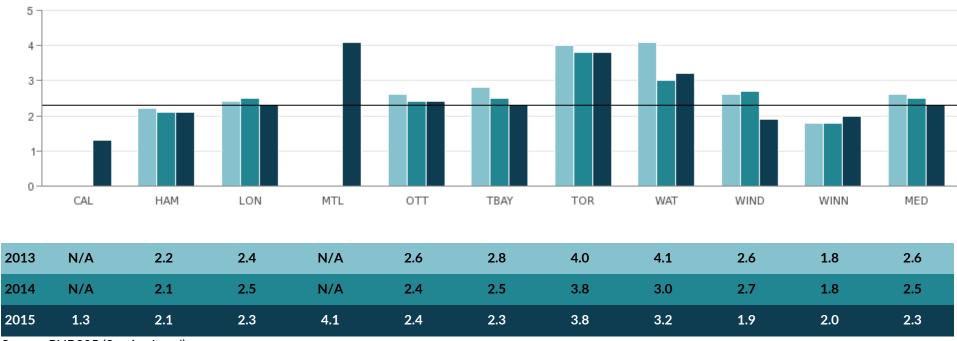


	Electronic Uses			Non-Electronic Uses			Annual Uses		
Municipality	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
CAL	N/A	N/A	17.9	N/A	N/A	15.6	N/A	N/A	33.5
HAM	10.8	11.3	23.5	21.3	19.3	18.4	32.1	30.5	41.9
LON	16.5	14.2	14.9	20.9	19.6	18.9	37.4	33.8	33.7
MTL	4.1	4.7	7.4	12.9	12.9	17.2	17.1	17.7	24.6
OTT	15.0	17.1	19.5	18.5	17.9	17.3	33.5	35.0	36.8
TBAY	14.5	14.8	14.8	15.3	15.6	14.7	29.8	30.4	29.5
TOR	14.1	15.8	16.8	20.9	20.0	19.3	35.0	35.7	36.1
WAT	6.1	4.7	4.8	10.5	10.1	10.4	16.5	14.8	15.3
WIND	8.5	8.3	9.1	11.9	11.1	9.7	20.5	19.5	18.8
WINN	15.2	17.7	21.1	13.1	12.6	12.2	28.4	30.4	33.3
MED	14.1	14.2	15.9	15.3	15.6	16.4	29.8	30.4	33.4

Source: PLIB106 (Community Impact) PLIB107 (Community Impact) PLIB105M (Community Impact)

Fig. 18.2 Number of Library Holdings per Capita

Library holdings come in print form (reference collections, circulating/borrowing collections and periodicals); and electronic media (CDs/DVDs, MP3 materials, audio books and eBooks).



Source: PLIB205 (Service Level)

Comment: The 2015 results for the City of Montreal include the Grande Bibliothèque du Québec (Central Library).

Fig. 18.3 Total Cost per Library Use



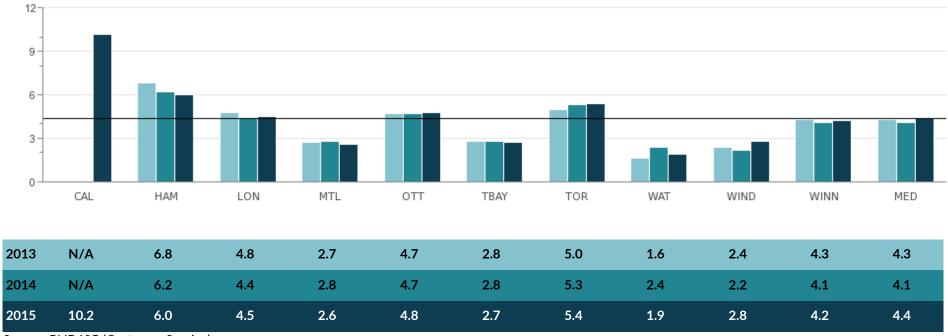
Source: PLIB305T (Efficiency)

Comments:

In 2013, Winnipeg's decrease in cost per use reflects the capture of electronic uses not reported in previous years.

The results for Montreal include the Grande Bibliothèque du Québec (Central Library).

Fig. 18.4 Average Number of Times in Year Circulating Items are Borrowed (Turnover)



Source: PLIB405 (Customer Service)

LICENSING SNAPSHOT MEDIANS

LICENSES



257 driver 121 plate holder

Overall business licenses issued: 1,21

(per 100,000 population)

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Municipal By-Laws

Administration, inspection, regulation process and By-law regulations vary



Policy & Practices

License types, how many are issued and associated regulations



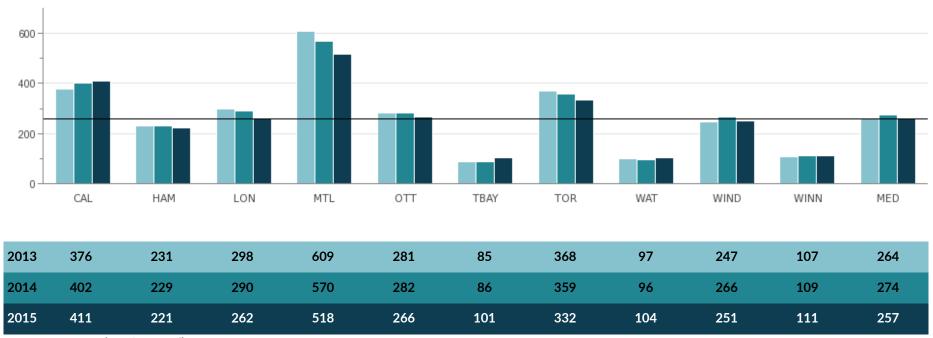
Processes & Systems

Type and quality of systems used to track complaints, inspections and other data



For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 19.1 Number of Taxi Driver Licenses Issued per 100,000 Population



Source: LICN210 (Service Level)

CAL LON MTL TOR HAM OTT TBAY WAT WIND WINN MED N/A N/A N/A

Fig. 19.2 Number of Taxi Plate-Holder Licenses Issued per 100,000 Population

Source: LICN212 (Service Level)

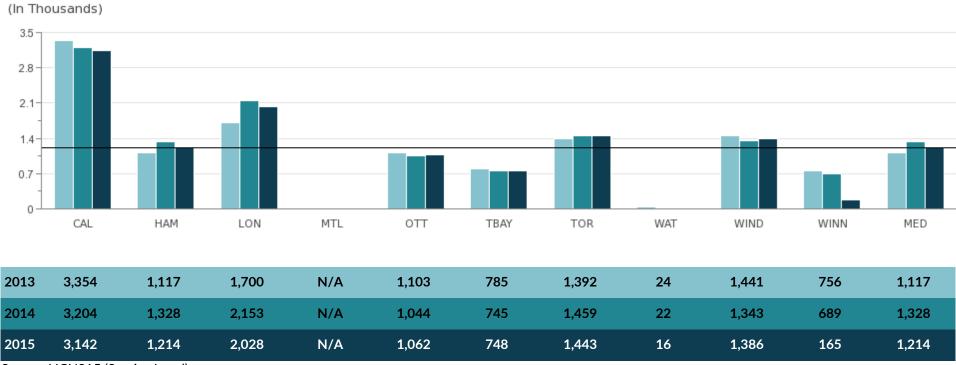
Comments:

In 2014, the City of London released 13 taxi plates and 1 new accessible plate based on StatsCan population numbers. The releasing of non-transferable taxi plates was a new practice to London and resulted in an increase in total plates. Also impacting the figure is a steady decrease in requests for limousine licenses.

The decrease in Thunder Bay was due to the loss of a business operator with approximately eight vehicles.

The City of Winnipeg does not issue plates. This is done by the Manitoba Taxicab Board.

Fig. 19.3 Number of Business Licenses Issued per 100,000 Population



Source: LICN215 (Service Level)

Comment: For the City of Winnipeg, the number of licenses issued is significantly lower in 2015 due to the end of Public Health Licensing Services agreement with the Province of Manitoba.

LONG TERM SNAPSH MEDIA CARE (LTC)

8.9% the percentage of seniors 75 or older who have access to long term care

> \$237/day COST TO PROVIDE A LTC BED

Resident & family satisfaction rate:



KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Costs

Costs are adjusted for acuity levels only



Location/Supply

Availability and supply of municipal LTC beds differ per community



Municipal LTC Home Mix

Home mix and services differ per municipality



Provincial Standards

Funding is dependent on occupancy



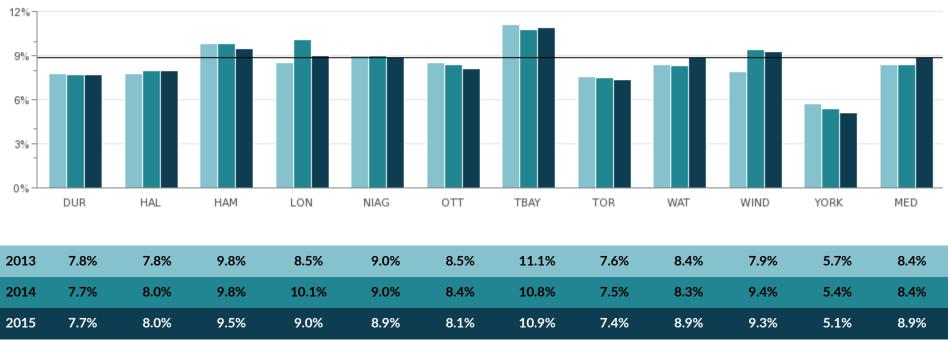
Staffing Mix

Costs change per registered vs. non-registered staff and the case mix index

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 20.1 Percent of Long Term Care Community Need Met

The need for Long Term Care beds is influenced by the availability of other services, e.g. hospital beds, complex continuing care, other community care services, supportive housing, adult day spaces, etc. These services are designed to work together to provide a continuum of health care for residents.

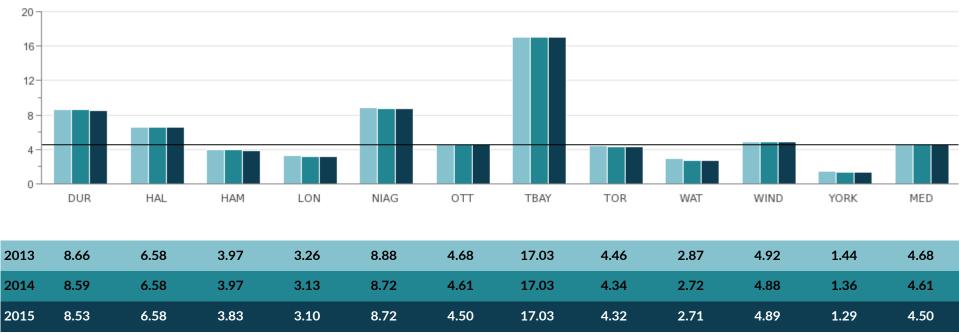


Source: LTCR105 (Community Impact)

Comment: The Region of Waterloo added a new home in 2015.

Fig. 20.2 Municipal Long Term Care Facility Bed Days per Population 75 Years of Age and Over

Northern communities tend to hold a significant proportion of the Long Term Care beds provided in the area. Without municipal participation, some areas of the province would have limited access to Long Term Care beds.



Source: LTCR219 (Service Level)

Comment: Only Ontario municipalities report on Long Term Care.

Fig. 20.3 Long Term Care Facility Operating Cost (CMI Adjusted) per Long Term Care Facility Bed Day based on Ministry of Health and Long Term Care Annual Return

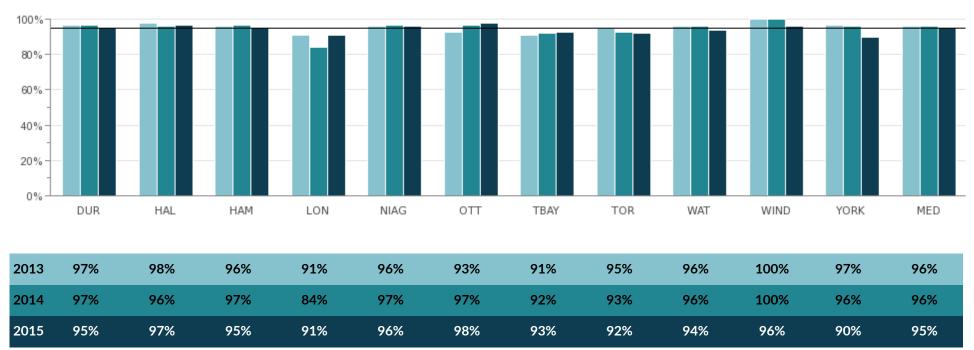
Results are based on calculations using the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care Annual Report data. Many municipalities contribute additional resources to their Long Term Care operations to maintain standards of care that exceed provincial requirements.



Source: LTCR305 (Efficiency)

Fig. 20.4 Long Term Care Resident/Family Satisfaction

Residents and/or their family members are typically surveyed annually to ensure their needs are understood and services are provided to meet those needs.



Source: LTCR405 (Customer Service)

PARKING SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



MUNICIPALITIES PROVIDE

1,246 parking spots

fig. PRKG205 (SFRVICE LEVEL

REVENUE GENERATED \$1.981/parking spot

fig. PRKG305 (EFFICIENC)

Cost to maintain one spot

^{\$}1,295

fig. PRKG320T (EFFICIENCY

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

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Location

Parking availability in proximity to commercial, retail and entertainment establishments



Operating Standards & Policies

Cost recovery policies, operating service hours and maintenance standards



Processes & Systems

Type and quality of technology used to manage operations and enforcement



Service Delivery Model

Level of automation at parking lots; staff vs. contracted attendants; parking space mix; parking ticket processing model



Structural Issues

Parking structures vs. surface lots

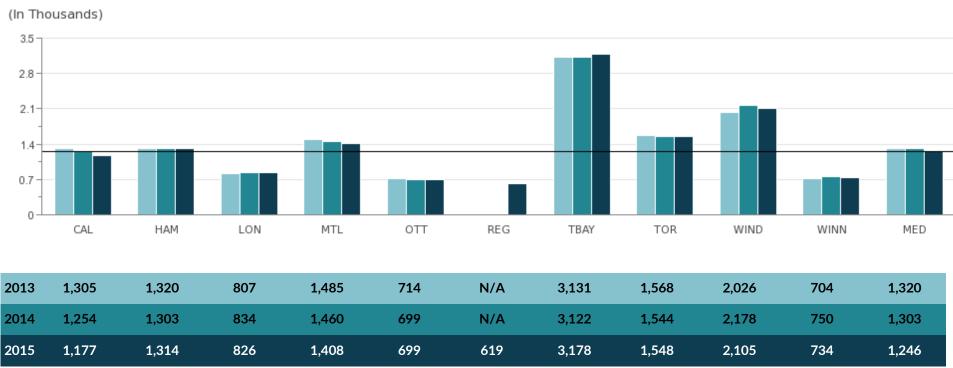


Utilization Levels

Pricing structures, public transit and parking alternatives impact levels

Fig. 21.1 Number of Paid Parking Spaces Managed per 100,000 Population

The number of available parking spaces can be impacted by road construction in any given year and/or the opening or closing of parking structures.



Source: PRKG205 (Service Level)

Fig. 21.2 Gross Parking Revenue Collected per Paid Parking Space



Source: PRKG305 (Efficiency)

Comment: In the City of Montreal, a higher proportion of revenues is derived from parking tickets. The utilization of a web application (P\$) has helped to increase revenues and reduce the non-payment rate.

Fig. 21.3 Total Cost per Paid Parking Space Managed

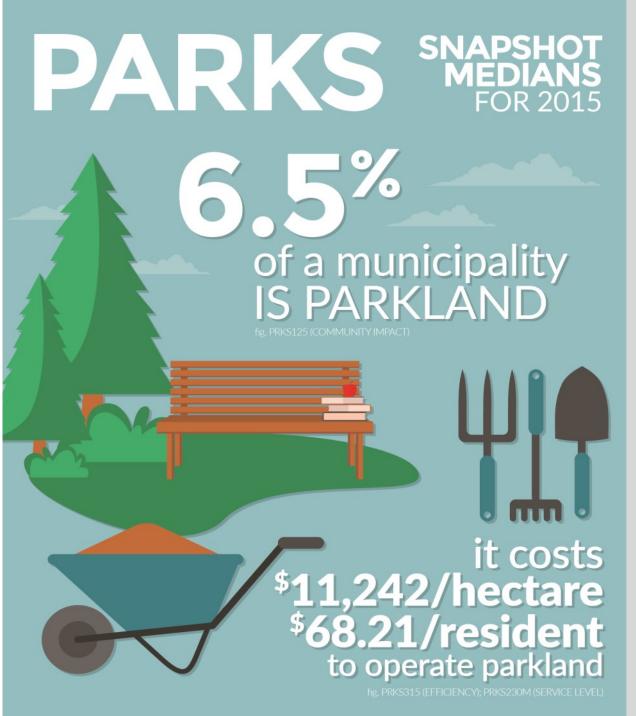


Source: PRKG320T (Efficiency)

Fig. 21.4 Parking Services Revenue to Cost Ratio - Total



Source: PRKG340 (Efficiency)



Influencing Factors

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Demographics & Community Use

Operating costs vary through demand on resources by the community



Geography

Varying topography affects the number of hectares



Maintenance Levels

Level of management applied to natural areas in parks



Mix of Maintained & Natural Parkland

Costs of maintained parkland are typically more costly than natural areas



Service Standards

Amenities available, park maintenance standards and sports field classes

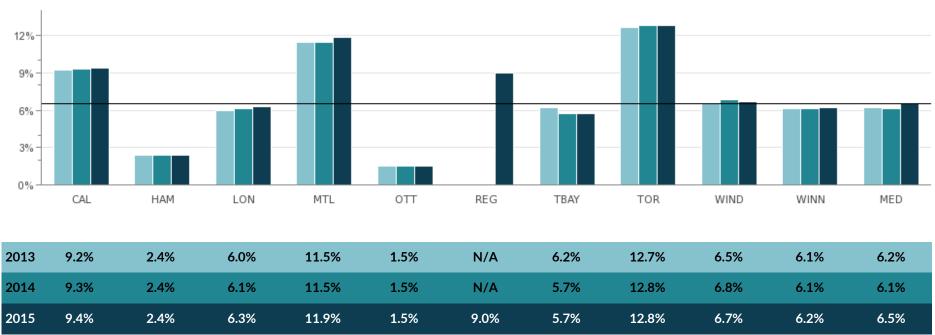


Weather Conditions

Operating costs vary per season and changes in weather

Fig. 22.1 All Parkland in Municipality as a Percent of Total Area of Municipality

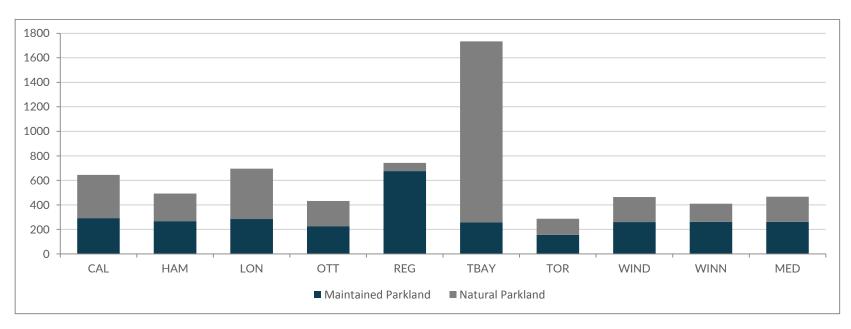
Municipalities with a predominant urban form may find it more difficult to establish new or expand existing parks within the developed core area.



Source: PRKS125 (Community Impact)

Fig. 22.2 Hectares of Maintained and Natural Parkland per 100,000 Population

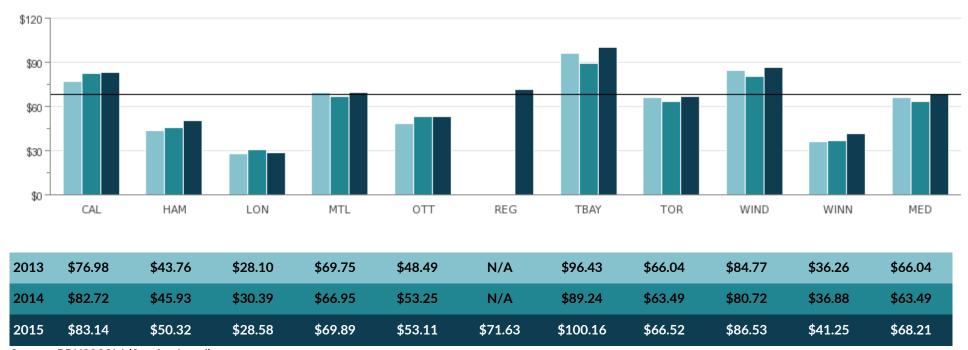
The graph shows the hectares of maintained and natural parkland per 100,000 population for 2015 only.



Maintained	292	267	285	226	675	256	156	260	261	261
Natural	353	226	410	206	68	1,478	131	204	149	205
Total	645	493	694	432	743	1,733	287	464	410	493

Source: PRKS205 (Service Level); PRKS210 (Service Level); PRKS215 (Service Level)

Fig. 22.3 Operating Cost of Parks per Person



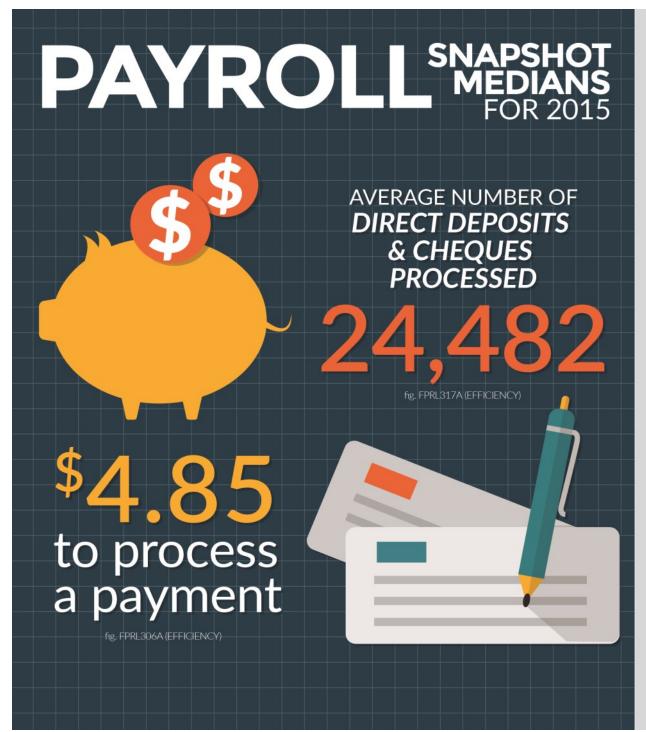
Source: PRKS230M (Service Level)

Fig. 22.4 Operating Cost per Hectare - Maintained and Natural Parkland

It is more costly per hectare to provide maintained parkland vs. natural parkland. In addition, differences in service standards established for maintained parks and variations in level of management applied to natural areas affect the results.



Source: PRKS315 (Efficiency)



Influencing Factors

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Organizational Form

Centralized vs. decentralized



Policy & Practices

In-house vs. external contracted services



Processes & Systems

Pay periods, differing pay schedules, manual cheques, direct deposits and adjustments



Staffing Mix

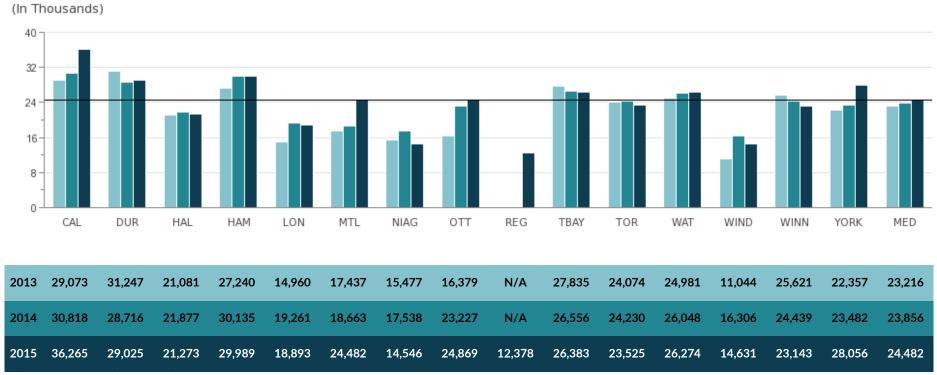
Salary vs. hourly rate; part-time vs. full-time



Unionization

Demands on service: number of unions, contract settlements, complexity of Collective Bargaining Agreement and corporate policies

Fig. 23.1 Number of Payroll Direct Deposits and Cheques per Finance Payroll FTE



Source: FPRL317A (Efficiency)

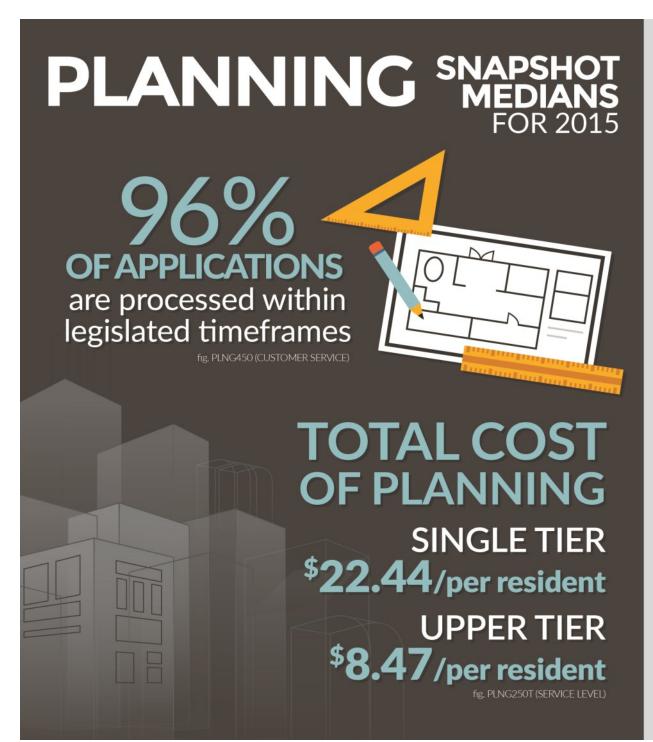
Comment: The City of Windsor took over processing Transit Windsor's payroll (approximately 260 employees) effective January 1, 2014 which contributes to the 47.6% increase from 2013 to 2014.

Fig. 23.2 Operating Cost per Payroll Direct Deposit or Cheque



Source: FPRL306A (Efficiency)

Comment: Halton Region outsources part of their payroll processing to a third party provider.



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Application Variables

Type, mix and complexity of applications received



Complexity

Scope and magnitude of applications received



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. upper-tier municipalities



Legislation

Differences or variations in policy may impact applications



Organizational Form

Differing models may affect application review process

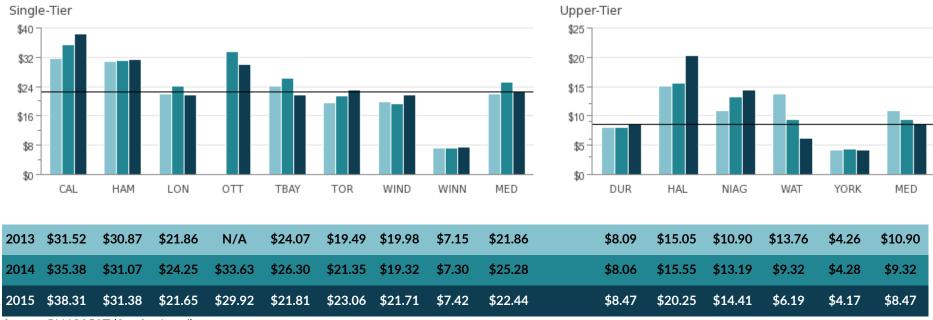


Timing

Process times vary per type of application and approvals

Fig. 24.1 Total Cost for Planning per Capita

The amount spent on planning-related activities and application processing can vary significantly from municipality to municipality based on the types of applications. This reflects the different organizational structures and priorities established by local Councils.



Source: PLNG250T (Service Level)

Fig. 24.2 Percent of Development Applications Meeting Planning Act Timeframes (Ontario - Single-Tier only)

This measure shows single-tier municipalities only and the percentage of development applications processed that meet the Ontario Planning Act timeframe. Factors such as the volume and complexity of applications, revisions and additional information and/or study requirements during consideration of applications received may affect the results.

	HAM	LON	OTT	TBAY	WIND	MED
2015	97%	94%	94%	99%	96%	96%

Source: PLNG450 (Customer Service)

Comment:

Toronto does not track this data.

Ontario Planning Act timelines are not applicable to out-of-province members.

PROVINCIAL SNAPSHOT MEDIANS OFFENCES ACT FOR 2015 (Court Services)

\$77.37 per charge

fig. PCRT305T (EFFICIENCY)

COURT Administration Clerks process

6,745CHARGES

fig. PCRT222 (SERVICE LEVEL)



fig. PCRT310 (EFFICIENCY)

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Charges & Cost Structures

Parking vs. non-parking charges; unique municipal costs and ability to account for true service delivery cost



Enforcement

Enforcement is beyond the control of the Court Administration and is dependent on enforcement staffing and prioritization of resources



Geographic Location

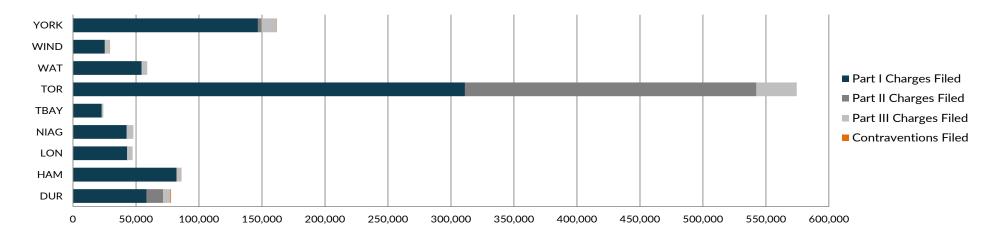
Municipalities with large population of seasonal residents, cross-border location or proximity to 400 series highways may have disproportionate offences



Judiciary Controls

Allocation of court time to municipal courts is unpredictable

Fig 25.1 Number of Charges Filed by Type



Part I Charges Filed - Often referred to as a "ticketing" process, and is used for less serious offences. A defendant who receives an offence has 3 options: pay the fine, meet with prosecutor/walk in guilty plea or request a trial.

Part II Charges Filed - Very similar to the Part I process, except that Part II applies exclusively to parking offences. The defendant has 2 options: pay the fine or request a trial.

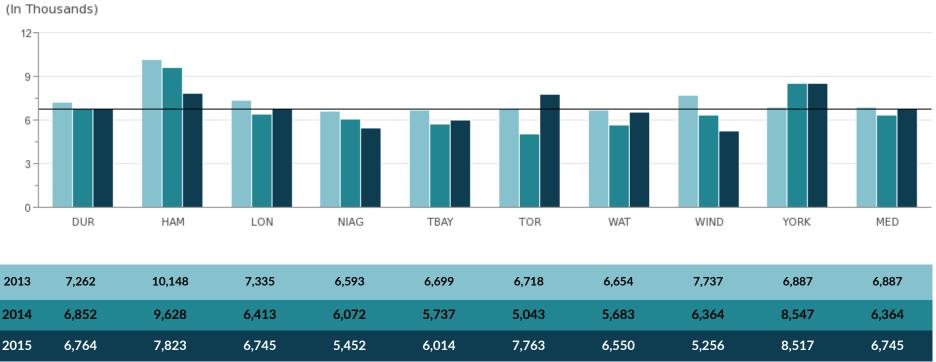
Part III Charges Filed - Used for more serious offences. The defendant must appear before a justice of the peace and has 2 options: resolve the charge(s) or request a trial. It cannot be resolved through the payment of a set fine.

Contraventions Filed - violations of minor federal laws that are allowed to be ticketed using provincial ticketing procedures.

Municipality	Pai	rt I Charges Fi	iled	Part II Charges Filed				Part	t III Charges F	iled	Contraventions			
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015		2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015	
DUR	64,715	61,685	58,438	10,285	9,496	13,109		8,138	7,177	5,850	376	437	385	
НАМ	96,688	91,664	82,249	0	0	0		4,711	4,619	3,774	85	47	25	
LON	46,752	41,126	42,988	45	12	27		4,594	3,763	4,178	17	19	24	
NIAG	52,352	48,077	42,689	0	0	0		5,668	5,355	5,292	0	0	0	
TBAY	25,103	21,382	22,788	0	0	0		1,520	1,412	1,267	172	155	0	
TOR	423,132	289,993	311,105	332,933	287,156	231,254		43,375	28,038	32,069	0	0	0	
WAT	54,530	45,179	54,371	0	0	0		5,352	5,971	4,579	0	0	0	
WIND	32,380	26,334	25,265	107	68	49		4,485	3,989	3,991	165	155	130	
YORK	132,559	149,139	146,717	2,102	2,621	2,904		9,774	10,382	11,876	182	253	317	
MED	54,530	48,077	54,371	76	12	27		5,352	5,355	4,579	85	47	25	

Source: PCRT810A (Statistic) PCRT810B (Statistic) PCRT810C (Statistic) PCRT810C (Statistic) PCRT810D (Statistic)

Fig. 25.2 Number of Charges Filed per Court Administration Clerk



Source: PCRT222 (Service Level)

Comments:

In Hamilton, the decrease in charges filed in 2015 is because of reduced enforcement due to policing of the PanAm games by both OPP and Hamilton Police Services.

York Region installed red light cameras in 2013, with 2014 being the first full year of operation. Increased ticketing due to red light cameras was noted between 2013 and 2014 and is a continuing trend in 2015.

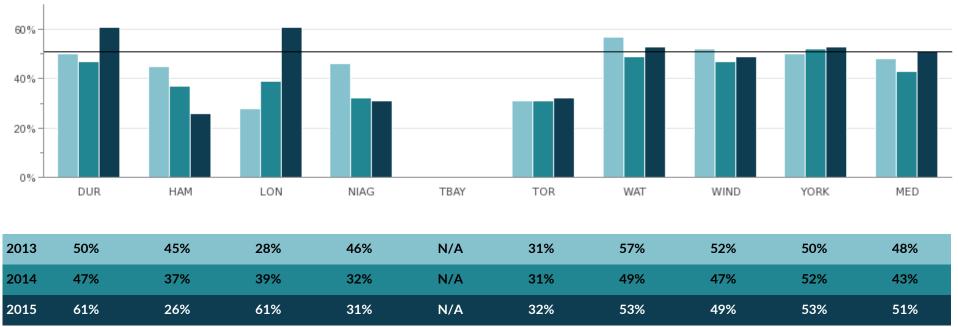
Fig. 25.3 Total Cost of POA Services per Charge Filed



Source: PCRT305T (Efficiency)

Comment: Niagara Region's increased costs can be contributed to capital-related costs of a new court facility.

Fig. 25.4 Defaulted Collection Rate



Source: PCRT310 (Efficiency)

Comments:

The City of London's increase can be attributed to the number of defaulted cases in 2015, most notably in the 0-\$500 range, representing their highest success rate of collection.

The City of Thunder Bay does not report due to technology restrictions.



KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demographic TrendsSocio-economic composition of a municipality's population



Land Use Composition

Variations in land use composition can trigger differing intensities of police related activity



Non-Residents

Visitors are not captured in population based measures



Officer/Civilian Mix

Civilian staff vs. uniformed officers



Public Support

Public participation in reporting crimes and providing information about crimes



Reporting

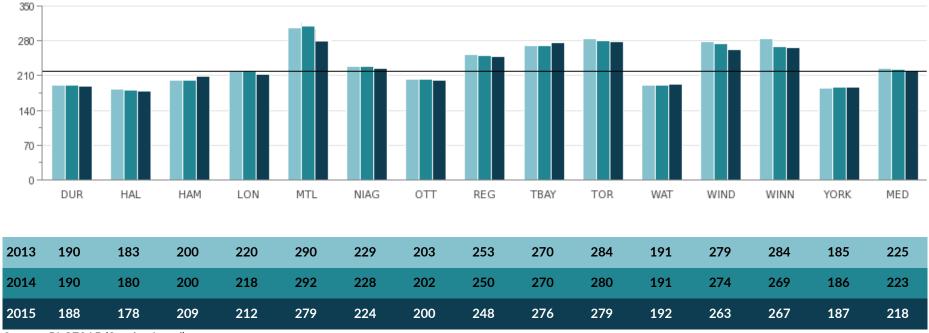
Resources, priorities, policies, procedures and enforcement practices can influence reported criminal incidents



Specialized Services

Additional policing may be needed at certain facilities and events

Fig. 26.1 Number of Total Police Staff (Officers and Civilians) per 100,000 Population



Source: PLCE215 (Service Level)

Fig. 26.2 Total Cost for Police Services per Capita

Costs include police services, prisoner transportation and court security. Since staffing costs make up the overwhelming majority of policing costs, there is a strong correlation between those jurisdictions with higher levels of police staff (Figure 26.1 – PLCE215) and those with higher police costs reflected in this graph.



2013	\$273.85	\$263.82	\$290.89	\$282.43	\$418.76	\$362.64	\$298.26	\$326.32	\$360.20	\$386.86	\$266.64	\$459.54	\$357.12	\$268.48	\$312.29
2014	\$277.59	\$259.47	\$292.25	\$296.60	\$420.33	\$363.01	\$303.07	\$336.08	\$372.20	\$394.86	\$289.75	\$450.19	\$365.35	\$272.37	\$319.58
2015	\$292.71	\$252.94	\$306.53	\$292.05	\$388.75	\$357.03	\$314.66	\$347.42	\$371.59	\$403.72	\$291.42	\$471.33	\$365.25	\$283.05	\$331.04

Source: PLCE227T (Service Level)

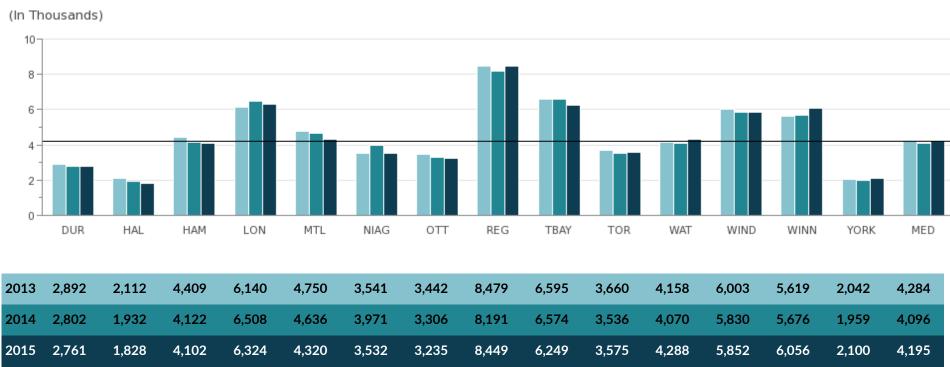
Comments:

Region of Waterloo: The total 2014 costs for Waterloo Regional Police Service show a significant increase due to an actuarial evaluation conducted in 2014 which caused previously unreported liabilities for a self-insured long term sick leave salary and employee benefits continuation plan to be included, thereby increasing costs by \$7.1 M.

City of Windsor: Changes in total cost for the City of Windsor from 2013 to 2015 reflect significant fluctuations in actuarial evaluations related primarily to post-retirement benefit, WSIB, and sick leave liabilities. In 2015, the increase related to post-retirement benefits for police was \$4.5 million and the increase for WSIB was \$2.0 million. While the total costs presented above show an increase of approximately 4.7% in 2015, the direct cost of policing service only increased by 3.4 % over the previous year.

Fig. 26.3 Reported Number of Total (Non-Traffic) Criminal Code Incidents per 100,000 Population

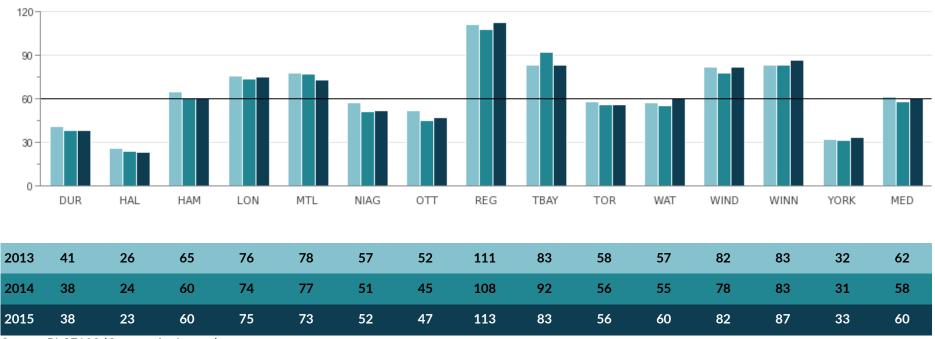
The total crime rate includes violent crime, property crime and other Criminal Code offences (excluding traffic), as defined by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistic (CCJS). Actual incidents of reported crime are based on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Survey. Sourced from CANSIM.



Source: PLCE120 (Community Impact)

Fig. 26.4 Total Crime Severity Index

The Crime Severity Index (CSI) includes violent crime, property crime, other Criminal Code offences, as well as traffic, drug violations and all Federal Statutes, as defined by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistic (CCJS). The CSI takes into account not only the change in volume but the relative seriousness of the crime. Sourced from CANSIM.



Source: PLCE180 (Community Impact)

Fig. 26.5 Reported Number of Violent - Criminal Code Incidents per 100,000 Population

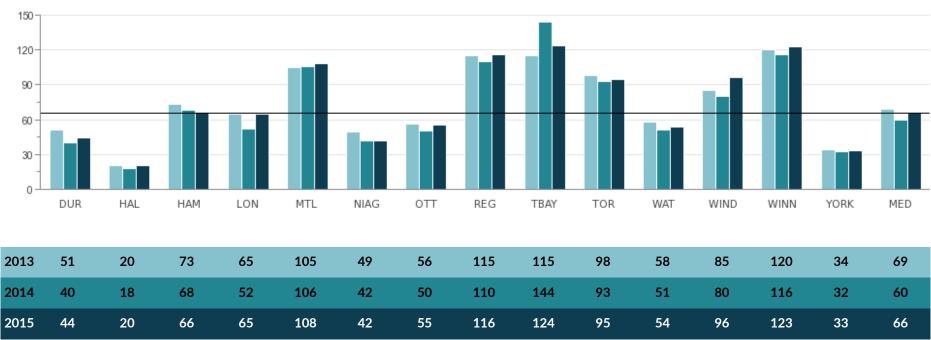
The violent crime rate includes the category of violent offences which involve the use of force or threat against a person, as defined by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistic (CCJS). Actual incidents of reported violent crime are based on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Survey. Sourced from CANSIM.



Source: PLCE105 (Community Impact)

Fig. 26.6 Violent Crime Severity Index

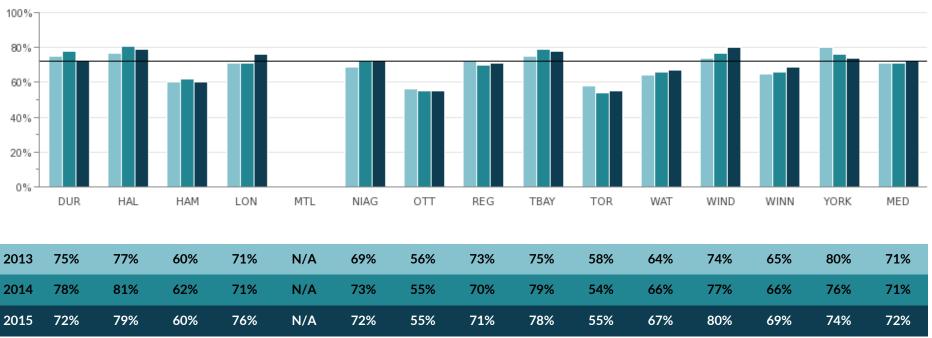
The violent crime severity index (CSI) includes all violent offences which involve the use of force or threat against a person, as defined by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistic (CCJS). The Violent CSI takes into account not only the change in volume but the relative seriousness of the crime. Sourced from CANSIM.



Source: PLCE170 (Community Impact)

Fig. 26.7 Clearance Rate - Violent Crime

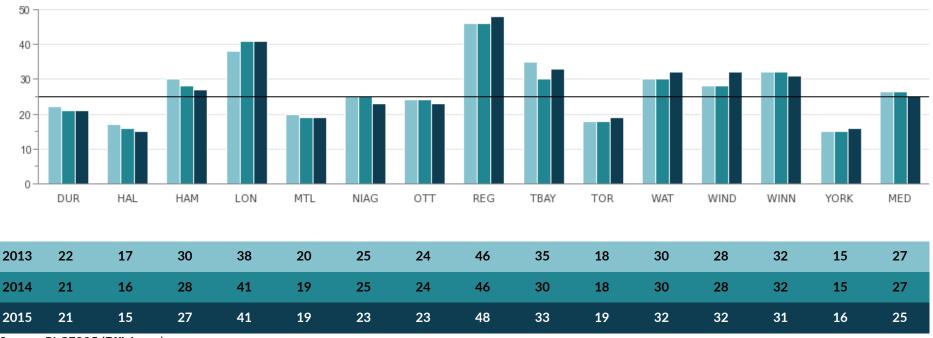
The clearance rate represents the proportion of criminal incidents solved by the police. Police can clear an incident by charge or the accused is processed by other means for one of many reasons, as defined by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistic (CCJS). Sourced from CANSIM.



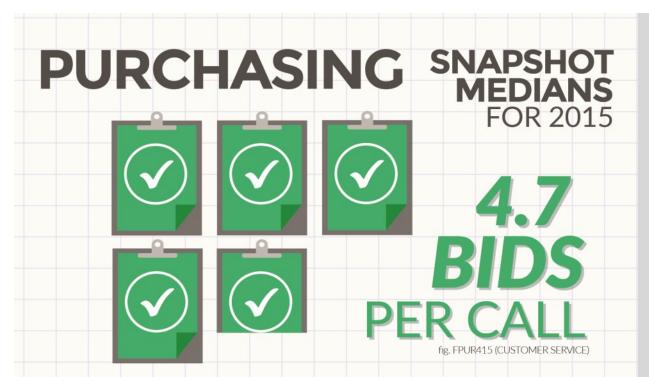
Source: PLCE405 (Customer Service)

Fig. 26.8 Number of Criminal Code Incidents (Non-Traffic) per Police Officer

Although this measure is an indication of an officer's workload, it is important to note it does not capture all of the active aspects of policing such as traffic or drug enforcement, nor does it incorporate proactive policing activities such as crime prevention initiatives or the provision of assistance to victims of crime. A number of factors can affect these results, including the existence of specialized units or the use of different models to organize officers in a community. For example, some jurisdictions have a collective agreement requirement that results in a minimum of two officers per patrol car during certain time periods. In these cases, there could be two officers responding to a criminal incident whereas in another jurisdiction only one officer might respond.

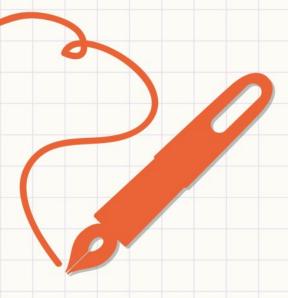


Source: PLCE305 (Efficiency)



60.2%
of municipal purchases
go through a procurement process

fig. FPUR107 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)



Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Organizational Form

Different municipalities may not offer the same services or serve the same customers



Policy & Practices

Time spent, process areas and progressive practices, can differ per municipality



Processes & Systems

Extent of issued procurement cards, blanket orders, contracts, etc.



Provincial/Federal Policies

Grants and tax policies impact spending and costs



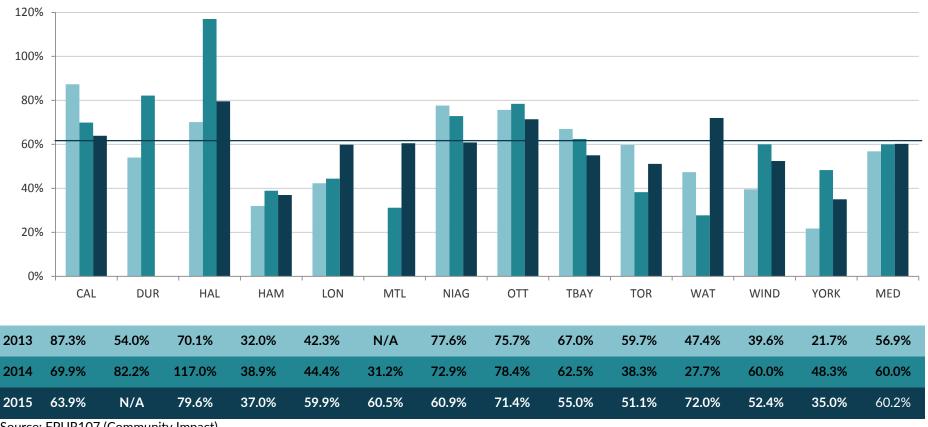
Supply & Demand

Time of purchase can impact costs

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Fig. 27.2 Percent of Goods and Services Purchased (Operating and Capital) through a Procurement Process

The thresholds regarding formal procurement processes within individual municipal purchasing policies and timing of large multi-year contracts will have an impact on the results.



Source: FPUR107 (Community Impact)

Comment: Halton Region's 2014 data reflects a timing difference between the award of two large multi-year capital projects in 2014 and the actual payment for those contracts which will occur in subsequent years. If the 2014 data were to be adjusted for these two capital projects, the result would be 74.6% instead of 117%.

Fig. 27.2 Centralized Purchasing Division Operating Costs per of \$1,000 Municipal Purchases (Operating and Capital) for Goods and Services

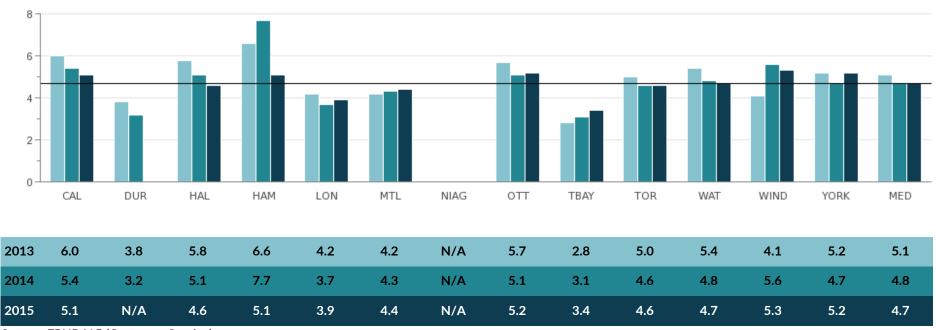
The results for this measure can be impacted by fluctuations in annual operating purchases; as well as the award and/or completion of contracts for large multi-year capital projects.



Source: FPUR362 (Efficiency)

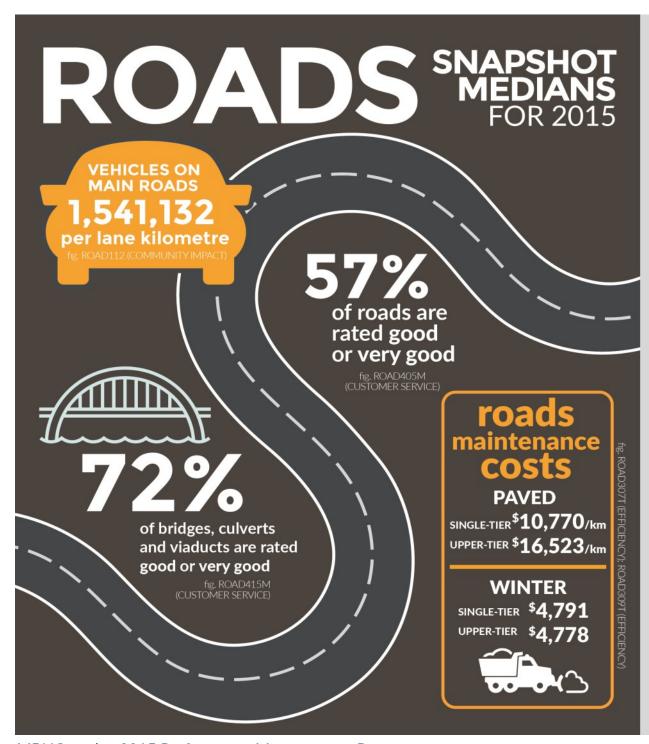
Fig. 27.3 Average Number of Bids per Bid Call

The types of bids issued and general economic conditions can impact the number of bids received.



Source: FPUR415 (Customer Service)

Comment: Niagara Region does not track this data.



Influencing Factors

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Capitalization Policy

Operating vs. capital expenditures



Economic Conditions

Inflationary increases



Level of Government

Single-tier vs. upper-tier municipalities



Maintenance Standards

Road ratings and levels of service



Traffic Volumes & Urban Form

Affects frequency and cost of maintenance



Utility Cut Repairs

Costs can vary significantly year-to-year



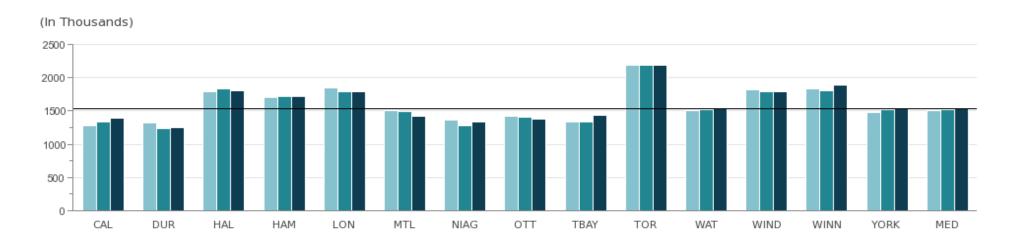
Weather Conditions

Impact operation and maintenance costs

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Fig. 28.1 Vehicle Km Traveled per Lane Km (Class 1, 2, and 3 only)

The measure indicates the number of times a vehicle travels over each lane Km of major road, demonstrating road congestion.



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2014 1,341,766 1,241,319 1,827,649 1,720,598 1,792,853 1,485,565 1,282,862 1,411,522 1,336,375 2,192,307 1,513,979 1,795,127 1,808,530 1,521,583 1,517,781

2015 1,396,747 1,252,575 1,802,430 1,726,344 1,798,144 1,425,839 1,337,229 1,382,414 1,438,841 2,186,344 1,533,336 1,793,551 1,885,653 1,548,927 1,541,132

Source: ROAD112 (Community Impact)

Fig. 28.2 Total Cost for Paved Roads per Lane Km (Hard Top)



Source: ROAD307T (Efficiency)

Comment: The higher cost in Montreal can be attributed to investments in infrastructure.

Fig. 28.3 Total Cost for Roads-All Functions per Lane Km

Total cost per lane Km is impacted by the disposal of capital assets associated with the expansion of existing road assets to meet growth.



Source: ROAD308T (Efficiency)

Comments:

The higher cost in Montreal can be attributed to investments in infrastructure.

The increase in the City of Ottawa is mainly driven by LRT417 widening project and roads resurfacing. In 2014, roads' resurfacing was put towards assets under construction, and in 2015 it was treated as non-tangible capital asset (TCA).

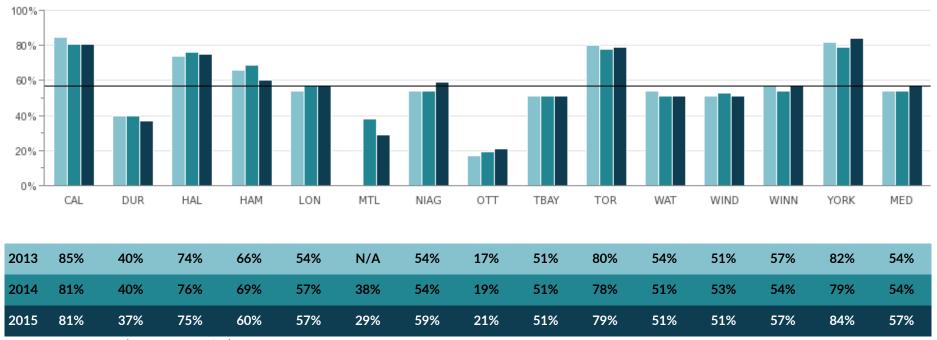
Fig. 28.4 Total Cost for Winter Maintenance of Roadways per Lane Km Maintained



Source: ROAD309T (Efficiency)

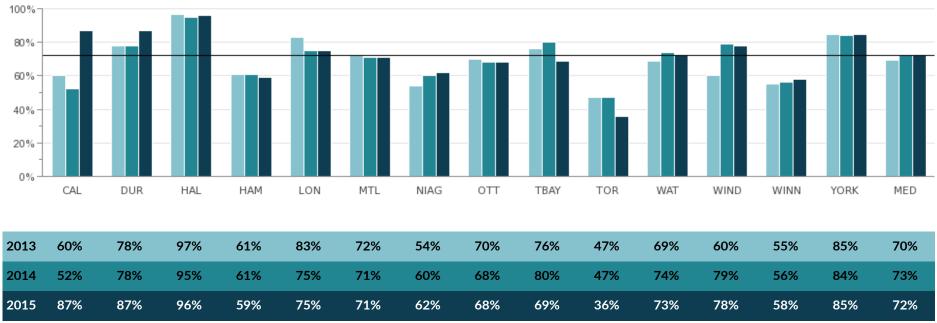
Comment: In Montreal, the service thresholds for responding to weather incidents, and the volume of snow removal required due to population density, contributes to their higher costs.

Fig. 28.5 Percent of Paved Lane Km where the Condition is Rated as Good to Very Good



Source: ROAD405M (Customer Service)

Fig. 28.6 Percent of Bridges, Culverts and Viaducts Where the Condition is Rated as Good to Very Good



Source: ROAD415M (Customer Service)

SOCIAL ASSISTANCE



In November 2014, the Service Delivery Model Technology (SDMT) case management system was replaced with the Social Assistance Management System (SAMS). As a result, operational reports historically used for MBNCanada reporting were not available.

The Ministry of Community and Social Services (MCSS) is in the process of redeveloping and validating how it obtains data from SAMS because SDMT and SAMS store data differently.

Social Assistance will resume reporting on performance at such a time when the integrity of SAMS data improves and allows for comparison across the province.

We are not reporting any Social Assistance figures for 2015

Fig. 29.1 - Social Assistance

NB: This is a holding section, should data become available.

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SOCIAL SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015 HOUSING

\$4,856 Cost per housing unit

ig. SCHG315 (EFFICIENCY)



13.7%

of clients on waiting lists are placed in housing

fig. SCHG110 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Client Profile

Different portfolios may experience a different mobility rate



Economic Conditions

Increase on demand can increase waitlist pressure



Federal End of Operating Agreements

Expiry results in decrease of available housing units



Historical Funding

Community take-up of senior level government program funding



Infrastructure

Complexity, condition, age and supply of the housing stock



Legislation

Minimum base level of program funding and performance



Portfolio Mix

Program portfolio mix affects subsidy levels



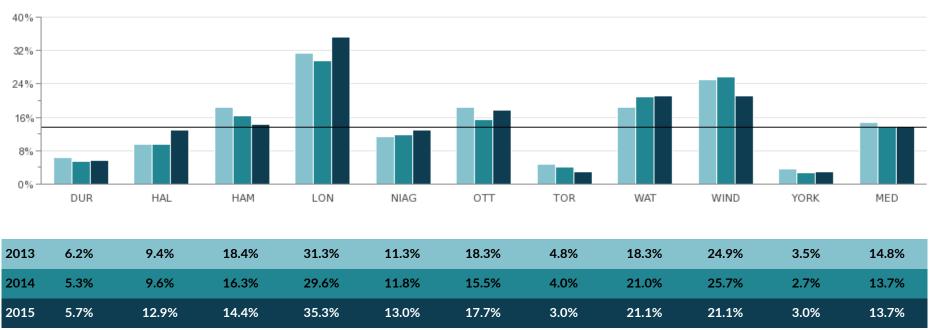
Service Area

Area served may affect cost and delivery models

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Fig. 30.1 Percent of Social Housing Waiting List Placed Annually

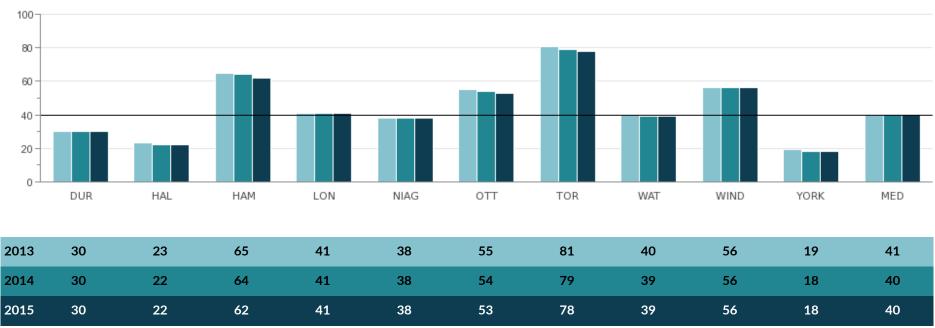
Units include rent-geared-to-income (RGI) units, market rent units and rent supplement units that were available in the year reported.



Source: SCHG110 (Community Impact)

Fig. 30.2 Number of Social Housing Units per 1,000 Households

Units include Rent-Geared-to-Income (RGI) units, market rent units and rent supplement units that were available in the year reported.



Source: SCHG210 (Service Level)

Fig. 30.3 Social Housing Operating Cost (Administration and Subsidy) per Housing Unit

Includes annually adjusted subsidy provided by the municipality, administration costs and any one-time grants, e.g. emergency capital repairs.



Source: SCHG315 (Efficiency)

SPORTS & SNAPSHOT MEDIANS RECREATION FOR 2015



73% utilization rate

registered program capacity

fig. SREC410 (CUSTOMER SERVICE)

1.2
VISITS PER
PERSON
fig. SREC110 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

5.6% of residents participate in registered programs

fig. SREC140 (COMMUNITY IMPACT)

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demographics

Needs of different groups and changes in Provincial legislation



Facilities

Number, age, mix of facilities and access to Board of Education facilities



Partnerships

Degree of third-party partnerships can impact level of participation



Programming

Programs vary based on community need and other services available



Staff Mix

Unionized vs. non-unionized; full-time vs. part-time vs. seasonal staff; availability of certified and qualified staff



User Fees

Council decisions on user fee policies and subsidy programs can impact participation numbers



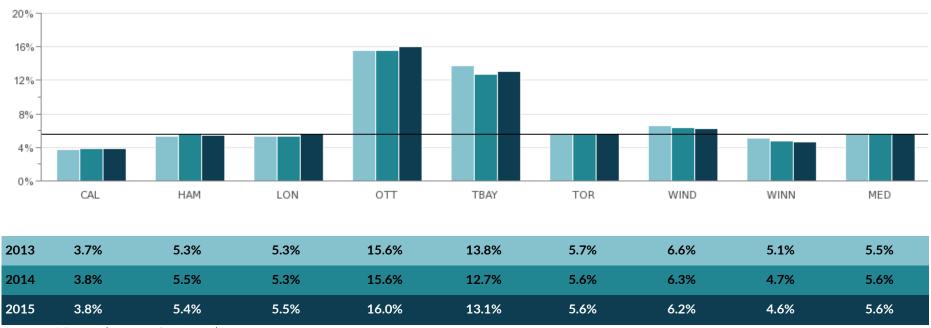
Weather Conditions

Varying weather conditions impact participation numbers and operating costs

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Fig. 31.1 Annual Number of Unique Users for Directly Provided Registered Programs as a Percent of Population

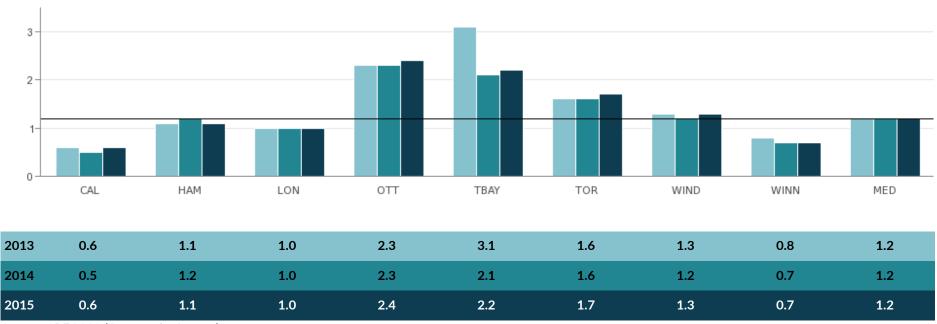
Unique Users are classified as individuals who may register for more than one program; however they are only counted once. The result does not include those who use drop-in, permit based, or programming provided by alternate sports and recreation service providers.



Source: SREC140 (Community Impact)

Fig. 31.2 Number of Participant Visits per Capita - Directly Provided Registered Programs

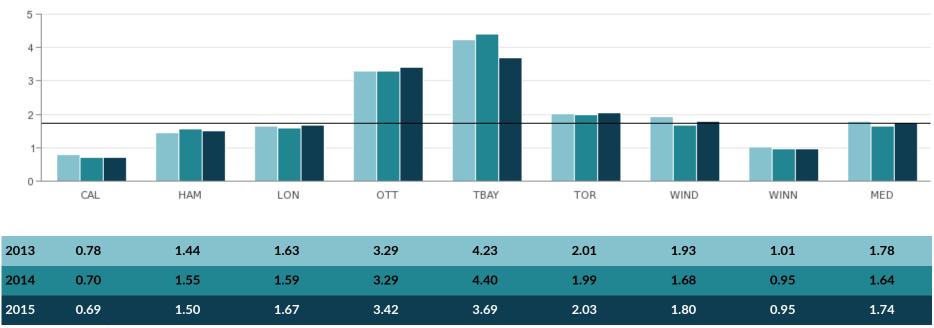
Measure includes the number of registered program participant visits to programs directly provided by municipal staff and utilized by the public.



Source: SREC110 (Community Impact)

Fig. 31.3 Overall Participant Capacity for Directly Provided Registered Programs

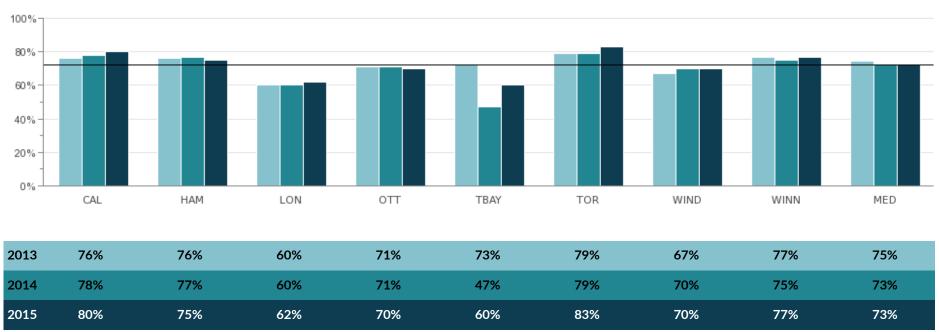
Results can be influenced by variations in program delivery and partnership models.



Source: SREC210 (Service Level)

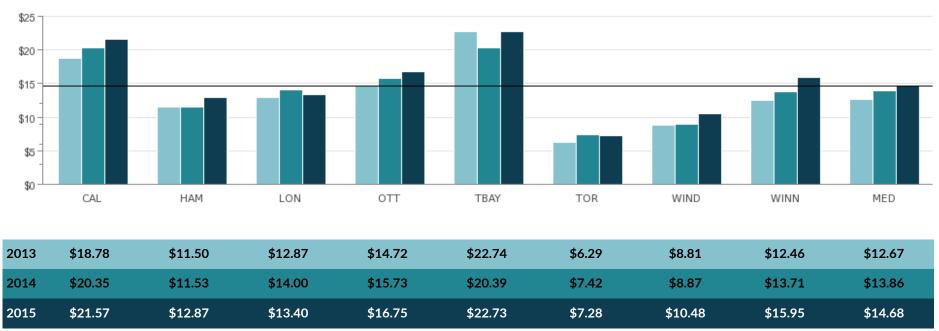
Fig. 31.4 Utilization Rate for Directly Provided Registered Programs

Measure indicates the level of participation in directly provided recreation programs relative to the program capacity.



Source: SREC410 (Customer Service)

Fig. 31.5 Total Cost for Recreation Programs and Facilities per Participant Visit Based on Usage



Source: SREC310T (Efficiency)

TAXATION SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015



\$13.40 cost to maintain a tax account

fig. TXRS310 (EFFICIENCY)

38% of taxes are paid through pre-authorized payments

fig. TXRS405 (CUSTOMER SERVICE)





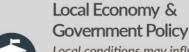
Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Economic Conditions

High growth municipalities may require additional billing processes





Local conditions may influence measures related to receivables and/or collections; continual upgrades of software to maintain compliance; differing levels of service



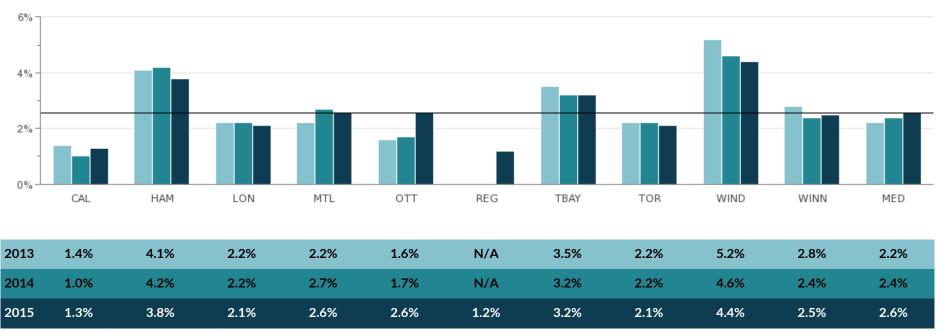
Policy & Practices

Differences in how municipalities define administration of accounts and payments

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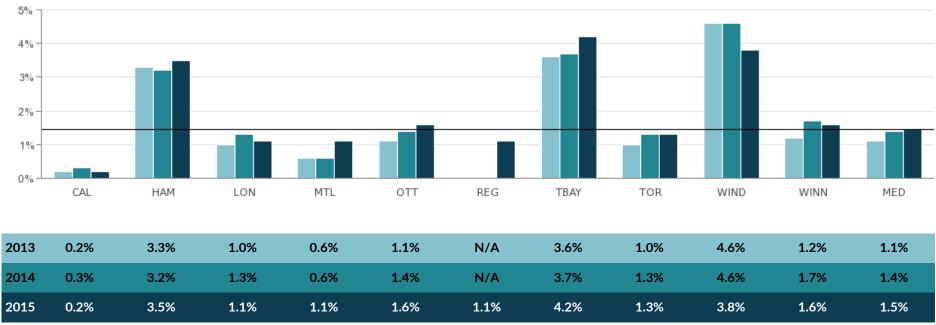
Fig. 32.1 Current Year's Tax Arrears as a Percent of Current Year Levy

The strength of a local economy may impact tax arrears, collections and penalty and interest charges.



Source: TXRS135 (Community Impact)

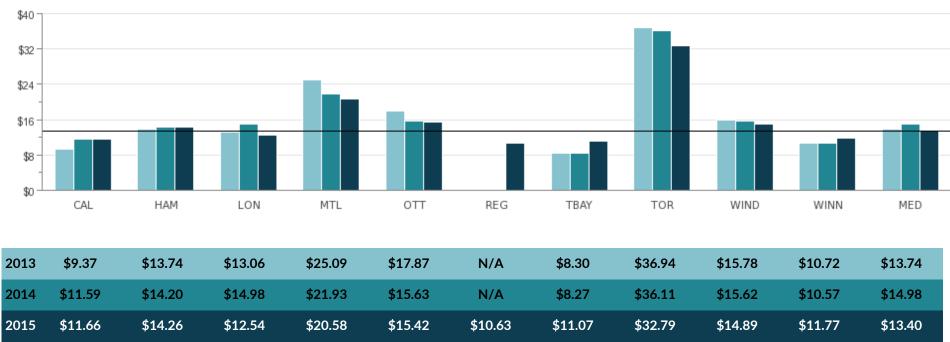
Fig. 32.2 Percent of Prior Year's Tax Arrears NOT Collected in the Current Year as a Percent of the Current Year Levy



Source: TXRS140 (Community Impact)

Fig. 32.3 Operating Cost to Maintain Property Tax Accounts per Property Tax Account Serviced

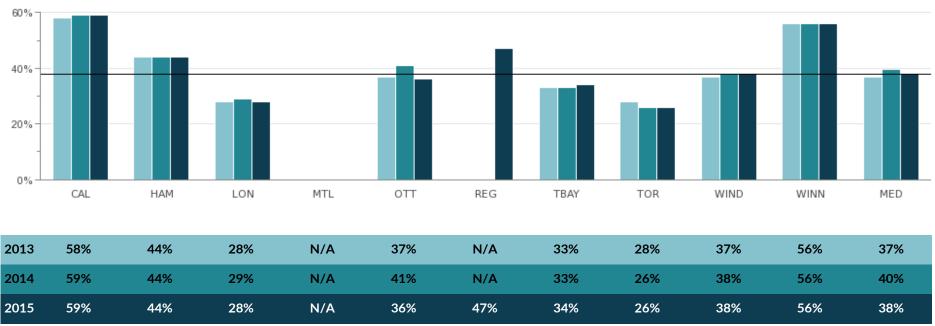
Costs related to the preparation and mailing of all billings, including interim, final and supplementary bills, payment processing and collection, are included in this calculation. Results may be impacted by the extent to which processes are automated.



Source: TXRS310 (Efficiency)

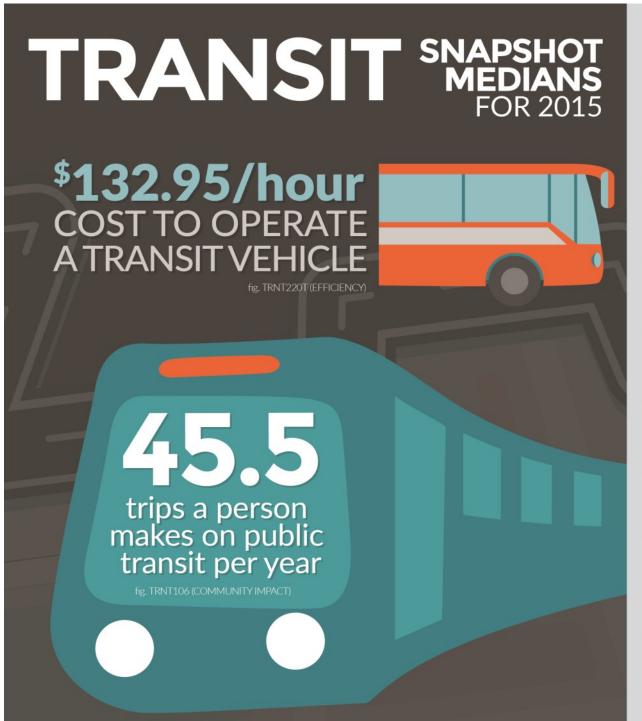
Fig. 32.4 Percent of Accounts (All Classes) Enrolled in a Pre-Authorized Payment Plan

The number of installments/due dates may impact the enrollment in pre-authorized payment plans.



Source: TXRS405 (Customer Service)

Comment: The City of Montreal does not offer a pre-authorized payment plan to its residents; therefore they do not report for this measure.



KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Demographics

Local population household income, auto ownership rates, age and higher immigrant levels impact transit market share



Economic Conditions

Fluctuations in fares, external contractors and energy rates



Environment Factors

Topography and climate



Nature of Transit

Services, operations and traffic can differ per municipality



Non-Residents

Catchment area for transit riders may extend beyond municipal boundaries



Size of Service Area

Population and geographic area contribute to deferring costs per capita



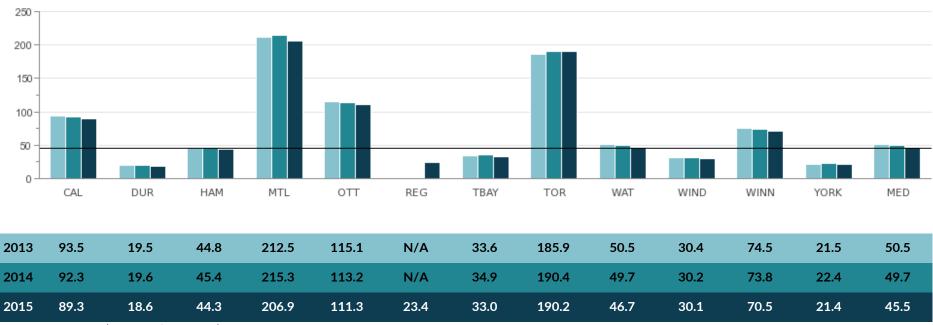
Transit System & Vehicles

Composition of transit vehicle fleet

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Fig. 33.1 Number of Regular Service Passenger Trips per Capita in Service Area

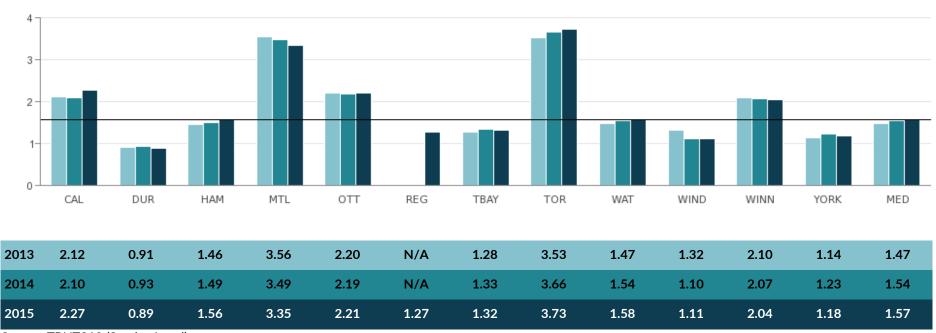
The population used in this measure is based on the service area population as per CUTA (Canadian Urban Transit Association) and represents all passenger trips for which the fare system applies.



Source: TRNT106 (Community Impact)

Fig. 33.2 Revenue Vehicle Hour per Capita in Service Area

The population used in this measure is based on the service area population as reported to CUTA (Canadian Urban Transit Association).



Source: TRNT210 (Service Level)

Fig. 33.3 Total Cost (Expenses) per Revenue Vehicle Hour

Revenue vehicle hour includes revenue passenger service hour and layover hours. Amortization rates and capitalization thresholds are unique to each municipality. The variation in municipal amortization policies partly explains the differences in performance between municipalities.



Source: TRNT220T (Efficiency)

WASTE SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015 MANAGEMENT



0.90 TONNES
PER HOUSEHOLD
of residential waste
is collected

fig. SWST205 (SERVICE LEVEL)

0.41 TONNES PER HOUSEHOLDof residential waste is diverted



fig. SWST235 (SERVICE LEVEL)

ONE TONNE OF **DIVERTED** GARBAGE COSTS = \$208

fig. SWST330T (EFFICIENCY)

Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Diversion Efforts

Nature and extent of municipality's diversion efforts



Education

How municipalities educate citizens through services and programs



Geography

Service provisions are impacted by various population types



Government Structure

Single-tier vs. upper-tier municipalities



Infrastructure

Accessibility and distance to transfer stations and landfills



Organizational Form

Different service levels and standards

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 34.1 Tonnes of All Residential Material Collected per Household

The measure includes organics, blue box, leaf and yard, municipal hazardous or special waste, other recyclable materials such as wood, metal and tires, as well as construction and demolition materials.



Source: SWST205 (Service Level)

Fig. 34.2 Tonnes of Residential Solid Waste Disposed per Household

Given the life expectancy of several landfills and the number of diversion programs and services in place, there is still a high volume of waste going to landfills.



Source: SWST220 (Service Level)

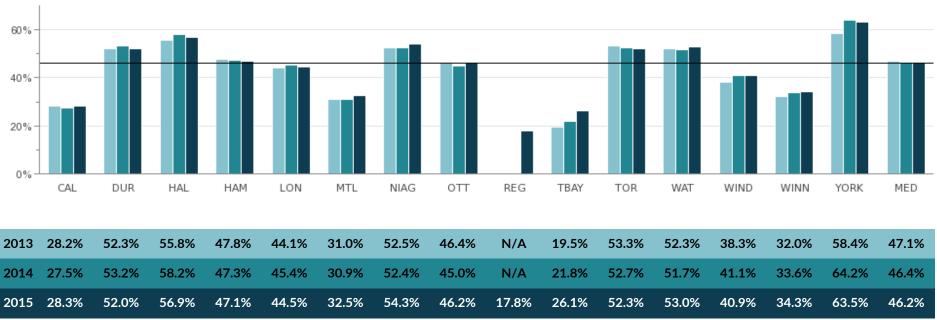
Fig. 34.3 Tonnes of Residential Solid Waste Diverted per Household



Source: SWST235 (Service Level)

Fig. 34.4 Percent of Residential Solid Waste Diverted

The measure demonstrates the percent of residential waste diverted away from landfills and incineration through programs such as organics, blue box, leaf and yard, municipal hazardous or special waste and other recyclable materials, e.g. wood, metal, tires.



Source: SWST105M (Community Impact)

Fig. 34.5 Total Cost for Garbage Collection per Tonne - All Property Classes

All Property Classes includes residential and ICI (Industrial, Commercial and Institutional) locations.



Source: SWST311T (Efficiency)

Comments:

York Region operates a two-tier system, which means they are not responsible for curbside collection; however they are responsible for all processing. Therefore, York is able to report the total tonnes collected (see Fig 34.1 – SWST205); but not able to report the total cost.

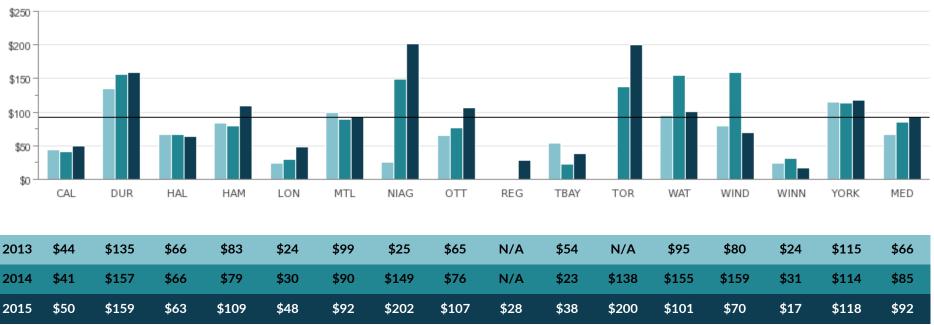
The City of Thunder Bay collected less waste at the curb, while cost remained relatively the same which resulted in an increased cost per tonne.

Fig. 34.6 Total Cost for Solid Waste (All Streams) Disposal per Tonne - All Property Classes

All Property Classes includes residential and ICI (Industrial, Commercial and Institutional) locations.

Other impacts such as additional costs of transporting waste outside a community, aging infrastructure, capital costs, and the cost associated with the incineration of garbage, service agreements, increase in leachate treatment and fluctuating fuel costs can impact the results. In addition, declining landfill capacities typically result in increased landfill rates.

The results can be impacted significantly due to the recording of post-closure landfill liability costs.



Source: SWST325T (Efficiency)

Comment: The City of Toronto used a new cost methodology for 2014 and 2015; and results for 2013 are currently under review.

Fig. 34.7 Total Cost for Solid Waste Diversion per Tonne - All Property Classes

"All Property Classes" includes residential and ICI (Industrial, Commercial and Institutional) locations.



Source: SWST330T (Efficiency)

WASTEWATER SNAPSHOT MEDIANS FOR 2015

AMOUNT OF WASTEWATER

TREATED (per 100,000 people)



\$16,379/megalitre INTEGRATED SYSTEMS

\$42,719/megalitre TWO-TIER SYSTEMS

fig. WWTR305T (EFFICIENCY)

COST TO TREAT & DISPOSE

\$514/megalitre **INTEGRATED SYSTEMS**

\$694/megalitre TWO-TIER SYSTEMS

fig. WWTR310T (EFFICIENCY)

KEEP IN MIND: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Age of Infrastructure

Age, condition and maintenance of wastewater collection system



Government Structure

Integrated-systems vs. two-tier systems



Policy & Practices

Age, condition, pipe material and frequency of maintenance activities



Supply & Demand

Volume generated vs. system demand



Treatment Plants

Number, size and complexity of wastewater collection systems and treatment plants operated



Type of Wastewater **Collection System**

Design of the wastewater collection system & connection of storm sewers to sanitary sewers



Urban Density

Proximity of pipes to other utilities increases the cost for repair and replacement



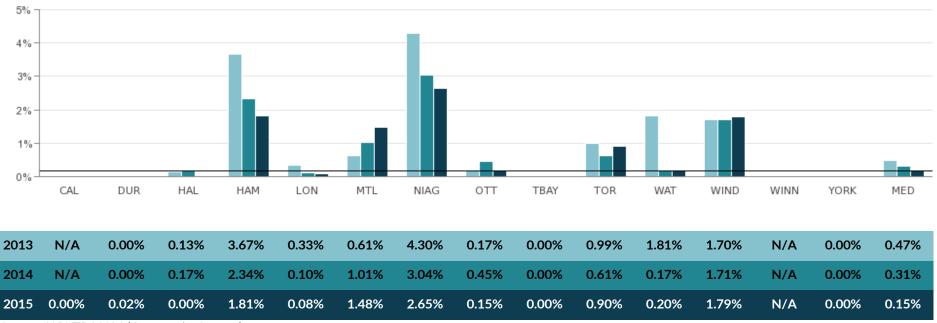
Weather Conditions

Negative impacts associated with more severe and frequent extreme weather events

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Fig. 35.1 Percent of Wastewater Estimated To Have Bypassed Treatment

Frequency and severity of weather events can have a significant negative impact on results.



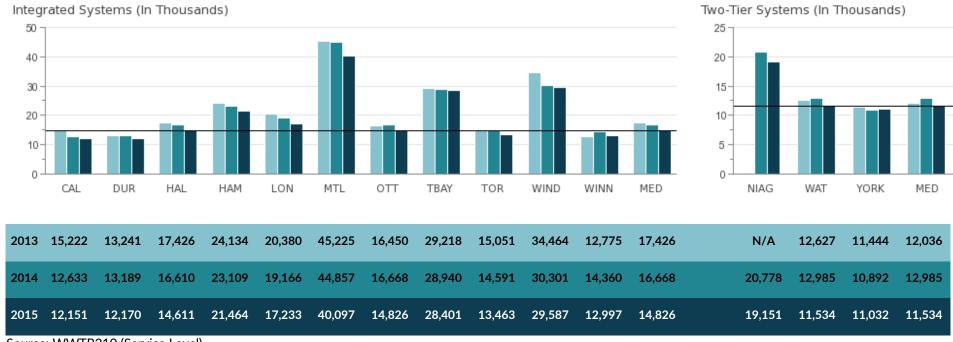
Source: WWTR110M (Community Impact)

Comment:

The results for Durham Region, Halton Region and York Region appear as 0.00% due to decimal rounding. The City of Calgary and the City of Thunder Bay's results are zero.

Fig. 35.2 Megalitres of Treated Wastewater per 100,000 Population

Wastewater flows are weather dependent and the 2015 results reflect a very dry and mild winter.



Source: WWTR210 (Service Level)

Comment: Montreal produces a large volume of water which affects the volume of treated water due to aging infrastructure. Investments are being made to improve the network.

Fig. 35.3 Average Age of Wastewater Pipe / Annual Number of Wastewater Main Backups per 100 Km of Wastewater Main

Average Age of Wastewater Pipe: Older wastewater pipes are often in poor condition and contain cracks, leaking joints and broken sections, contributing to increased pipe blockages and/or an inflow of groundwater into the system causing increased flow. These factors result in an increased frequency of wastewater main back-ups relative to newer systems that do not have such deficiencies and result in higher maintenance costs for older systems.

The annual number of wastewater backups is directly related to the design of the wastewater pipe and the design of the wastewater collection system, i.e. the extent to which storm sewers are connected to or combined with sanitary sewers resulting in increased flow. Design criteria, age and condition of the wastewater collection infrastructure combined with localized major precipitation events can result in flows that exceed system capacity and result in wastewater backups.

The measure includes the municipalities with an integrated system only.

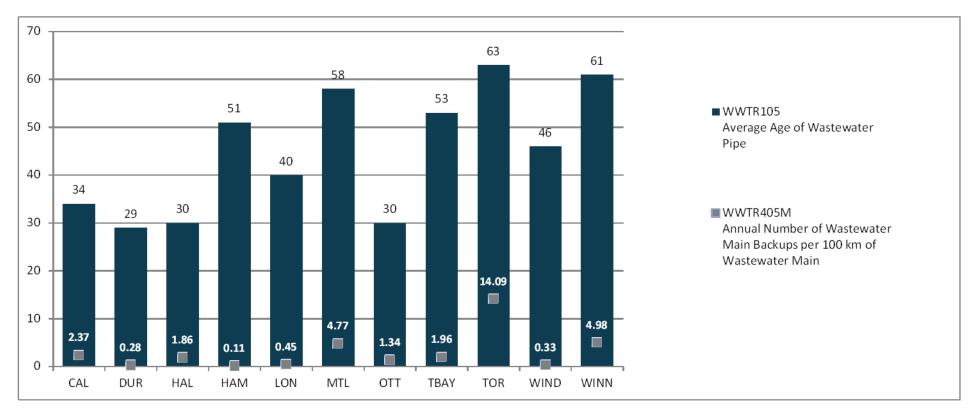


Fig. 35.4 Total Cost of Wastewater Collection / Conveyance per Km of Pipe Relative to the Number of Wastewater Pumping Stations Operated

Municipalities providing services over a broad geographic area generally have higher operating costs due to the number and type of wastewater facilities operated (treatment plants and pumping stations). The distance between the individual systems has an impact on the daily operating costs for both the treatment and distribution of drinking water. Amortization can vary significantly from year to year depending on the type of infrastructure, capital fund expenditures, etc.

Integrated Systems: The term applies to municipalities that have full responsibility for all wastewater activities including collection, conveyance, treatment and disposal.

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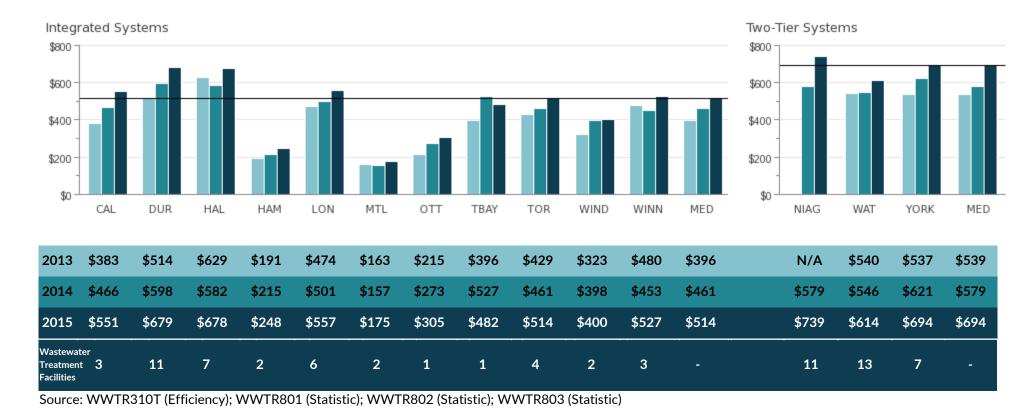


Fig. 35.5 Total Cost for Treatment/Disposal per Megalitre Treated Relative to Number of Wastewater Treatment Facilities Operated

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Fig. 35.6 Total Cost of Wastewater Treatment/Disposal and Collection/Conveyance per Megalitre

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WATER SNAPSHOT MEDIANS

FOR 2015

COST TO DISTRIBUTE DRINKING WATER

WATER TREATED

(PER 100,000 PEOPLE)

12,467 **MEGALITRES INTEGRATED SYSTEMS**

\$21,956/megalitre INTEGRATED SYSTEMS

\$61,522/megalitre TWO-TIER SYSTEMS

11,017 **MEGALITRES TWO-TIER SYSTEMS**

fig. WATR210 (SERVICE LEVEL)

fig. WATR305T (EFFICIENCY)

COST OF DRINKING WATER TREATMENT

\$328/megalitre **INTEGRATED SYSTEMS**

\$539/megalitre **TWO-TIER SYSTEMS**

fig. WATR310T (EFFICIENCY)



KEEP IN MIND:

Influencing Factors Influencing factors can create variances

in comparison data from year-to-year and from municipality-to-municipality.



Age of Infrastructure

Age, condition and type of pipe material and frequency of maintenance of the water distribution system



Conservation Programs

Extent of impact on water consumption



Pumping Stations

Number and size of water pumping stations required to maintain pressure in the water distribution system



Provincial Standards

Municipal water quality requirements may exceed provincial regulations



Supply & Demand

Water source, treatment cost, size of geographic area and different supply areas impact demand



Treatment Plants

Number, size and complexity of the municipality's water treatment plants



Urban Density

Proximity of pipes to other utilities increases the cost for repair and replacement

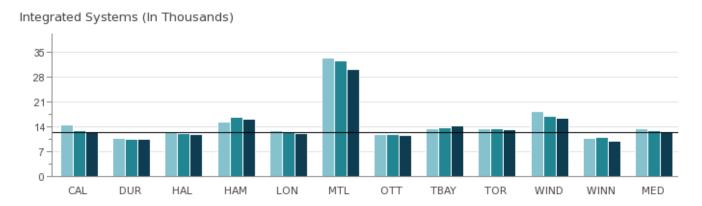


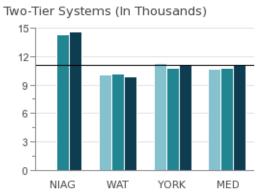
Weather Conditions

Negative impacts associated with more severe and frequent extreme weather events

For a full description of influencing factors, please go to: www.mbncanada.ca

Fig. 36.1 Megalitres of Treated Water per 100,000 Population





2013	14,448	10,614	12,484	15,170	12,756	33,329	11,745	13,400	13,542	18,216	10,633	13,400	N/A	10,086	11,304	10,695
2014	13,004	10,526	12,042	16,656	12,208	32,503	11,687	13,568	13,279	16,818	10,863	13,004	14,326	10,137	10,785	10,785
2015	12,467	10,435	11,929	16,223	11,988	30,027	11,530	14,301	13,103	16,317	9,965	12,467	14,628	9,828	11,017	11,017

Source: WATR210 (Service Level)

Fig. 36.2 Average Age of Water Pipe / Number of Water Main Breaks per 100KM of Water Distribution Pipe

Age of Water Distribution Pipe - Old pipes are usually in poor condition as a result of pipe corrosion, pipe materials (susceptible to fractures), leakage at pipe joints and service connections which contributes to an increased frequency of watermain breaks relative to newer systems that do not have such deficiencies.

Number of Watermain Breaks - excludes service connections and hydrant leads.

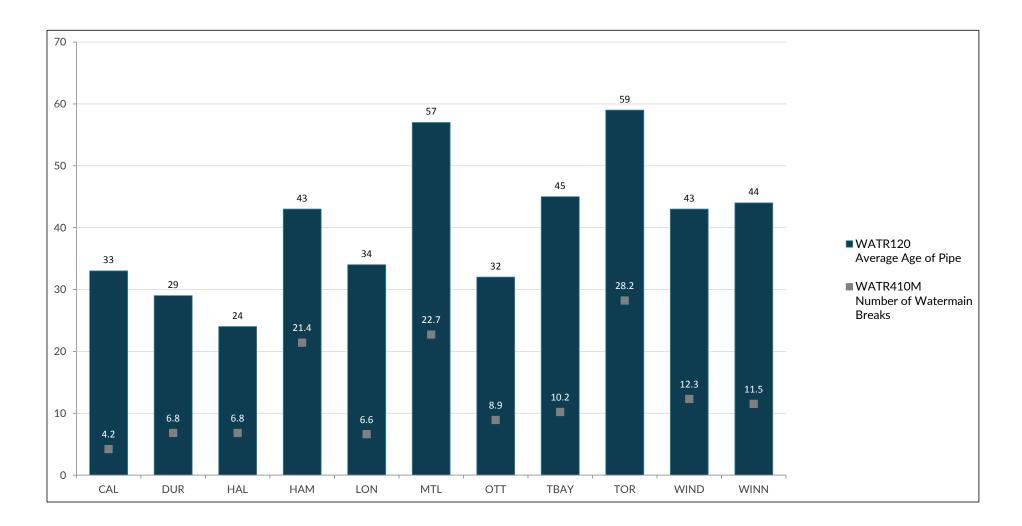


Fig. 36.3 Total Cost for the Distribution/Transmission of Drinking Water per Km of Water Distribution Pipe Relative to the Number of Water Pumping Stations Operated

Municipalities providing service over a broad geographic area generally have higher operating costs due to the number and type of water treatment facilities and water pumping stations operated. The distance between the individual systems has an impact on the daily operating costs for both the treatment and distribution of drinking water. Amortization cost can vary significantly from year to year depending on the type of infrastructure, capital fund expenditures, etc.

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Fig. 36.4 Total Cost for the Treatment of Drinking Water per Megalitre of Drinking Water Treated Relative to the Number of Water Treatment Stations

Cost includes operation and maintenance of treatment plants as well as quality assurance and laboratory testing to ensure compliance with regulations. Amortization can vary significantly from year to year depending on the type of infrastructure, capital fund expenditures, etc. Municipalities providing service over a broad geographic area generally have higher operating costs due to the number and type of water treatment facilities and water pumping stations operated. The distance between the individual systems has an impact on the daily operating costs for both the treatment and distribution of drinking water.

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Source: WATR310T (Efficiency); WATR801 (Statistic)

Fig. 36.5 Total Cost for the Treatment, Distribution and Transmission of Drinking Water per Megalitre of Drinking Water Treated

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Comment: The Region of Waterloo is responsible for treatment only; therefore results are not available for the total cost.

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