

existing building, which will provide the indoor aquatic centre with spectacular views of the neighbouring woodlot. The renovated facility will be reopening to the public in Spring 2025.



Over 120,000 additional service hours are requested for MiWay starting in 2025 in order to meet growing demand for transit service in Mississauga. Consistent with the City's Strategic Plan, this initiative will allow MiWay to increase service levels along major transit corridors and align service with growing customer demand that has surpassed 2019 levels by over 10 per cent. With this increase, MiWay can more effectively provide access to major employment areas near Toronto Pearson Airport, serve new growth areas such as Brightwater and Lakeview, connect to new TTC rapid transit, build a network to support the Hazel McCallion Line and future Dundas/Lakeshore Bus Rapid Transit projects, and better connect to post-secondary institutions such as UTM. Not only is this expansion of hours not resulting in a fare increase, but Council also approved free PRESTO senior fares effective July 1, 2025, and approved the existing pilot program of free PRESTO fares for children (age 12 and under) to become permanent effective January 1, 2025.

Initiatives to improve community safety feature prominently in the 2025 Budget. New By-law Enforcement Officers are requested starting in 2025 to support programs like Apartment Rental Compliance and Proactive Inspections, and to be able to respond to emerging safety issues across the city. New Animal Services Officers are also requested starting in 2025 to address increased service demands, including requests for public education around coyotes.