
Term	Acronym	Description
Cash in Lieu	CIL	Term for revenue received in lieu of something else: for example, parkland and parking
City		Corporation of the City of Mississauga
Communication Expenses		In Operating Overview tables in Volume III, Communication refers to expenses for the City's telephone system, long distance calls, maintenance of the base radio stations and fax charges, as well as postage charges for the distribution of City mail
Community Benefits Charges	CBC	Charges imposed against land by by-law to pay for the capital costs of facilities, services and matters required because of (re)development of at least five storeys at or above ground and 10 new or additional residential units
Contingency		Appropriation of funds available to cover unforeseen events that occur during the fiscal year
Contractor & Professional Services		In Operating Overview tables in Volume III, Contractor & Professional Services refers to the cost of services which have been purchased on a contract basis such as road maintenance, tree planting, and snow removal, as well as cost of professional and consulting services such as auditors, architects, and consultants
Cost		Expense for resources required for a business program, product, activity or service to produce an output
Council		Main elected governing body for the City of Mississauga, comprised of the Mayor and 11 Councillors
Debenture (or debt)		Medium- to long-term debt instrument used to borrow money for a capital project at a fixed rate of interest. Also known as debt, or debt financing
Debt Charges		Amount of principal and interest payments on borrowed funds
Debt Repayment		Principal and interest payments necessary to retire debentures issued for City purposes
