Term	Acronym	Description
Lower-tier Municipality	•	Local municipality where there is also an upper tier of municipal government involved in providing services to residents
Materials & Supplies		In Operating Overview tables in Volume III, Materials & Supplies refers to the cost of materials and supplies purchased for the administration of the City; books and materials for the Library; personal equipment such as uniforms, overalls, and protective clothing for City employees; materials and supplies purchased for the maintenance and operation of City services and facilities (excluding vehicles and buildings), including gravel, salt, sand, asphalt, paint, cleaning materials, agricultural supplies, and other road maintenance supplies; registration expense of subdivisions, by-laws, and associated expenses; includes any expense of a minor nature for which no other expenditure classification applies
Metrolinx		Agency of the Government of Ontario under the <i>Metrolinx Act, 2006</i> ; created to improve the coordination and integration of all modes of transportation in the GTHA
Mississauga Approval Xpress	MAX	A system used to process building permit applications
Mississauga Celebration Square	MCS	Located in downtown Mississauga, Celebration Square is an open-air public square, urban park and the City's premier venue for outdoor events
Mississauga Fire & Emergency Services	MFES	In the Budget, also referred to as Fire & Emergency Services
Mississauga Transitway		Dedicated east-west, 18-kilometre, bus rapid- transit corridor with 12 stations spanning Mississauga (from Winston Churchill Boulevard to Renforth Avenue), shared by GO Transit and MiWay services