

# Traffic & Transportation

## Traffic Inquires

Frequent inquiries include:

- Active Transportation
- All-Way Stop Sign Control Reviews
- Heavy Truck Traffic
- Parking Studies
- Pavement Markings
- Railway Crossing Safety
- Road Closures and Detour Routes
- Road Safety Reviews
- Roundabouts
- Signal Timings
- Spot Speed Radar Studies
- Streetlight Infrastructure
- Traffic Calming
- Traffic Control Signals
- Traffic Counts
- Traffic Impact Studies
- Traffic Signs
- Transportation Policies & Studies
- Uniform Traffic Control By-law

If your inquiry relates to any of the above-noted subjects, please contact the following number: 905-873-2601 ext. 2215.

## Traffic Signs & Signals

If there are any damaged or missing traffic sign or signals, please contact Public Works at 905-873-2601 ext. 2603.

The sooner the Town knows about the problem, the faster corrective action can be undertaken and accident potential is minimized.

## Oversize/Overweight Permit & Load Exemption Permits

To apply for the Oversize/Overweight or Load Exemption permits, please contact Public Works at 905-873-2601 ext. 2610.

## Traffic Calming

The main purpose of the traffic calming program is to improve neighbourhood safety and liveability through the reduction of speed and volume of traffic by the use of traffic calming devices.

## Streetlight Maintenance

The Town of Halton Hills Infrastructure Services Department maintains streetlights on highways under the Town's jurisdiction.

The Town of Halton Hills retains an electrical contractor to perform maintenance work on streetlight infrastructure. Repairs are only made after the deficient streetlight is brought to the Town's attention. Separate streetlight inspections are not completed by staff.

To ensure adequate operations of the streetlight infrastructure, please contact Halton Hills Hydro at the following number: 519-853-3700 ext. 226

If you have questions related to new streetlight installations, pedestrian safety and streetlight technology, please contact the following number: 905-873-2601 ext. 2215.

## Who to talk to regarding Adopt-a-Road Program?

Adopt-a-Road Program is a public service program for volunteers to pick-up litter and debris on certain Town roads. The program offers two options for those wishing to participate. Groups may perform litter pick-up and grass cutting themselves on designated roads or contribute financial support for these services to be performed by Town staff. Public Works 905-873-2601 ext. 2603.

<https://www.haltonhills.ca/RoadMaintenance/index.php>

## Parking Enforcement and Control?

If you have concerns with on-street parking, please contact the Community Standards Coordinator in the Corporate Services Department at 905-873-2301 ext. 2330 or visit [www.haltonhills.ca/parking](http://www.haltonhills.ca/parking).

## **Concerned about the traffic speed on your road?**

The Halton Regional Police Service (HRPS) implements the Community Road Watch Program to promote road safety. Citizens can report aggressive driving to the HRPS by completing the Road Watch form. Also, the HRPS implements the Radar Message Board (RMB) program. RMBs can display and record vehicle speeds. The equipment is available free of charge. Please contact the HRPS at 905-878-5511 ext. 2105.

Community Road Watch Program:

<https://www.haltonpolice.ca/services/reporting/roadwatch.php>

## **Accessible Pedestrian Signals (APS)**

Pushing the button of an Accessible Pedestrian Signal will activate audible routes for crossing the intersection.

Visually impaired persons are required to press the APS push button for three (3) seconds until the confirmation click is heard. For North/South directions the audible sound is a “cuckoo” sound and “Canadian Melody” or “bird chirp” is for crossing East/West directions.

## **Light Emitting Diode (LED)**

Municipalities in Ontario, including the Town of Halton Hills, are actively replacing High Pressure Sodium (HPS) streetlights to LED (Light Emitting Diode) streetlights to reduce energy use and gas emissions. The LED Streetlight Replacement program is expected to reduce the overall energy consumption by approximately 55% to 60%, which will reduce the greenhouse gas emissions.

LED streetlights are installed on all new roads within the subdivisions. In addition, over the last few years, the Town has been installing LED streetlights at individual rural intersections, new traffic signal locations and along Maple Avenue.

With successful implementation of this program, the next phase will be to extend the LED replacement program to municipal parks, trails, pathways, parking lots and facilities.

## **Transportation Master Plan**

The Transportation Master Plan (TMP) study provides the strategies, policies and tools required to meet the Town's transportation needs safely, effectively and cost efficiently. The TMP study identified an optimum transportation system that can accommodate the transportation needs of existing and future developments.

An established community of over 58,000 persons, the Town of Halton Hills has residential and industrial lands in the urban areas of Acton, Georgetown, the Hamlets of Glen Williams, Stewarttown, Norval and the Highway 401/407 Gateway Business Park. It is anticipated that the population will increase to 94,000 persons by 2031 with employment levels expected to double to 43,000 employees. Contact: 905-873-2601 Ext. 2300

## **Cycling Master Plan**

The Town of Halton Hills has developed a comprehensive Cycling Master Plan to guide the Town in implementing a Town-wide cycling network over the next 10 years and beyond. The Town of Halton Hills is a cycling supportive community that embraces “complete streets” concept and encourage both utilitarian and recreational travel.

An off-road cycling network will:

- Improve safety and reduce risks for cyclists
- Improve quality of life and health of Halton Hills residents
- Provide opportunities to cycle within local communities
- Provide access to natural areas
- Reduce impacts on the environment
- Improve cycling connectivity between communities

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## **Town of Halton Hills Transportation Services**

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