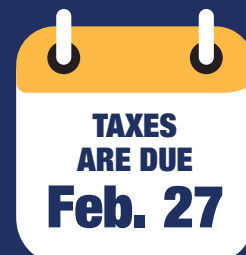




# City of Kingston

## 2026 Interim tax bill



### How was my 2026 interim tax bill calculated?

Your 2026 interim tax bill is based on 50 percent of your 2025 annual tax levy. If applicable, past due amounts shown on this tax bill include pre-calculated interest, which is due if your account was not paid in full on or before Jan. 31, 2026. If you made a payment on your account between the billing date (shown in the top right corner of your bill) and Jan. 31, 2026, please call customer service at 613-546-0000 for an updated balance before paying your 2026 interim tax bill.

### Payment Options

Payment options are listed on the back of the property tax bill or visit [CityofKingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Paying-Your-Property-Taxes](https://www.cityofkingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Paying-Your-Property-Taxes). You are encouraged to join the **Pre-authorized Payment Plan**. This plan is a convenient, worry-free and secure option to pay property taxes across 10 monthly installments.

### Receive Tax Notifications by Email

Register your property with MyTax today to enjoy convenient online access to check account balances, subscribe for electronic billing, download a statement of account and more. Visit [MyKingston.ca](https://www.cityofkingston.ca) and choose **My property taxes** under **Services**, or scan the QR code below. Have your access code ready which can be found on the front of your 2026 Interim Tax Bill.

**Important note:** You are responsible for paying your property taxes by the due date, even if a bill is not received by mail. Late payments are subject to regular penalties.



### Property tax assistance programs

The City has the following property tax assistance programs for property owners. Please note that ratepayers may need to meet specific criteria.

#### Tax deferral program (up to \$1,000) and tax increase deferral program for assessment-related increases

This program is for property owners receiving benefits under the Ontario Disability Support Program or the *Ontario Works Act*, or senior citizens receiving the Guaranteed Income Supplement. The deadline to apply for the 2026 tax year is April 30, 2026.

#### Seniors property tax grant program (\$100)

This program is for senior citizens receiving the Guaranteed Income Supplement. The deadline to apply for the 2026 tax year is April 30, 2026.

### Registered charity property tax rebate

This rebate is for registered charities that pay commercial or industrial property taxes for premises they lease or own. The deadline to apply for the 2025 tax year is Feb. 27, 2026.

### How can I apply?

Applications for all tax rebate and tax assistance programs are available at:

[CityofKingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Tax-Assistance-and-Rebates/](https://www.cityofkingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Tax-Assistance-and-Rebates/)

You can also contact customer service at **613-546-0000** or [ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca](mailto:ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca)



## Make paying your property taxes easier.

Pay your property taxes in manageable installments with our pre-authorized payment plan, a secure, convenient, and worry-free option that spreads payments over 10 monthly installments. With some banks no longer paying property taxes through mortgages, this plan may be right for you.

Visit [CityofKingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Paying-Your-Property-Taxes](https://www.cityofkingston.ca/Property-Taxes/Paying-Your-Property-Taxes) for more details.

### Tax Department

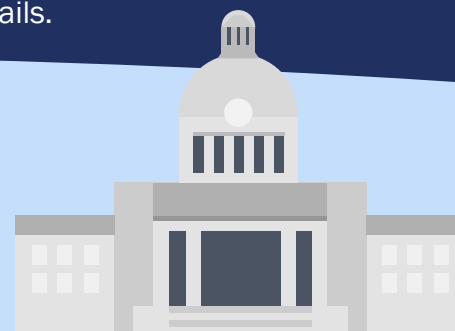
City Hall, 216 Ontario St.

[ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca](mailto:ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca)

Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

City of Kingston – Taxation

PO Box 640, Kingston ON K7L 4X1



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## Contact Us

Customer Experience agents are here to help you. Submit a service request, ask about hours of operation, and more!

**613-546-0000**

**[ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca](mailto:ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca)**

**Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

## City Meetings

Learn more about your Council and stay up to date at **[CityofKingston.ca/Council-Meetings](http://CityofKingston.ca/Council-Meetings)**

See agendas, live-stream Council meetings, read about how to participate and more!

## Get Involved Kingston

Engage with us online, by phone or by mail.

To learn more, call **613-546-0000** and ask about public engagement or visit **[GetInvolved.CityofKingston.ca](http://GetInvolved.CityofKingston.ca)**



## Be prepared for the 2026 municipal election

Visit **[RegisterToVoteON.ca](http://RegisterToVoteON.ca)** to confirm, update or add your name to the voter's list in advance of the 2026 municipal election. Being on the voter's list ensures you receive your voter card in the mail.

Thinking of running? Get ready with two free virtual training opportunities from the Association of Municipalities of Ontario.

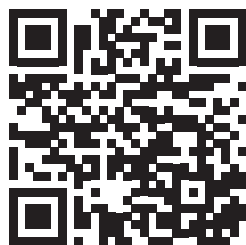
- Running for Municipal Office - Everything you need to know as an underrepresented candidate
- Healthy democracy leadership series - Stronger leaders, stronger communities

Learn more at

**[CityofKingston.ca/City-Hall/Elections](http://CityofKingston.ca/City-Hall/Elections)**.

## Combat the silent killer: Carbon monoxide

The Ontario Fire Code has introduced new requirements for carbon monoxide (CO) alarms in residences, as of Jan. 1, 2026. CO is known as the silent killer due to its nature - it's odourless, colourless and tasteless. It can lead to serious health issues and death and can only be detected with a working CO alarm. Visit **[Ontario.ca/Page/Carbon-Monoxide-Safety](http://Ontario.ca/Page/Carbon-Monoxide-Safety)** for full details on the new requirements.



## Non-resident recreation fees and registration changes

The City levies a 15% surcharge and/or a 72-hour delay in registration for non-residents using municipal recreation facilities. This surcharge and/or delay applies to fees for swimming lessons, facility rentals, memberships and other recreational programming.

To avoid being charged as a non-resident, Kingston residents must verify their address in person at any City recreation centre before May 31, 2026, with a piece of photo ID and proof of residency.

Visit **[CityofKingston.ca/Recreation](http://CityofKingston.ca/Recreation)** for more details.

## Kingston Transit winter schedules

Riding transit this winter? Wherever you're going, Kingston Transit is on the way. As of Jan. 5, we adjusted our seasonal service to maintain reliable transit coverage for you across the city.

- Plan your next trip on the Transit app or at **[KingstonTransit.ca](http://KingstonTransit.ca)**.
- Subscribe to email notices about transit service at **[CityofKingston.ca/Subscribe](http://CityofKingston.ca/Subscribe)** and click Transit News and Service Alerts.

## Stay in the know about snow!

Kingston takes a dual approach to winter parking to meet maintenance needs. During January and February, there is no parking overnight on city streets. During the months of December and March, overnight parking bans are called as needed. Learn more about restrictions and keep up to date by visiting **[CityofKingston.ca/WinterParking](http://CityofKingston.ca/WinterParking)**



## Stay in the know about City news

Sign up for City news releases and stay connected about everything happening in Kingston. Scan the QR code or visit: **[CityofKingston.ca/City-Hall/News-Public-Notices/Subscription](http://CityofKingston.ca/City-Hall/News-Public-Notices/Subscription)**



If you require accessibility information about a City of Kingston service or facility, or if you require information in an alternative format, contact 613-546-0000, weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or email **[ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca](mailto:ContactUs@CityofKingston.ca)**

