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MAYOR'S MESSAGE – TWO WEEKS OF PROGRESS FOR THE TOWN OF TEMISCAMING

Over the past few weeks, the Town of Temiscaming has made steady progress on several key priorities related to public services, economic development, and infrastructure. Here are the main updates.

HEALTHCARE

Despite the reinstatement of facilitating administrative measures announced by the government, few Ontario physicians have resumed accepting Quebec patients. To help advance a long-term solution with Ontario, a working group will be established, as previously announced. We have received the official invitation, and the first meeting will take place on March 23 with representatives from the Ministry of Health, Santé-Québec, CISSAT, local elected officials, and the Premier's office.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Ms. Julie Bernard has been named the first Executive Director of the Corporation Passe du Long-Sault. The Corporation supports economic and entrepreneurial development across the territory by encouraging business growth and investment. Its offices are now located downtown Temiscaming at 456-C Kipawa Road. The Corporation also owns an industrial building at 200, rue de la Carrière with seven rental units, three of which are currently available to welcome new businesses. Maximizing the potential of this asset remains a key driver of local economic development.

ONIMIKI PROJECT

The Onimiki project team has confirmed the abandonment of the southern portion of the project due to higher costs relative to its energy potential and greater environmental sensitivity. This decision allows efforts to focus on the northern portion near McMartin Point. A Council subcommittee worked with the project team to review a new site located approximately 500 metres south of the originally planned location. Feasibility studies are ongoing.

FORESTRY

The Government of Quebec has announced three measures to support the forestry sector and sawmills. Companies across the Temiscamingue region are currently reviewing the details to assess the financial impacts on their operations.

HOUSING

The Town of Temiscaming has submitted an application to participate as a pilot project for an innovative housing financing model. This approach would require adjustments to current financing rules. A financial institution has expressed interest in participating and the government has confirmed receipt of the application, which remains under review.

BORDER GAS STATIONS

The Town of Temiscaming continues its representations with the Premier's office to advance the border gas station file. Several regional partners remain actively mobilized in support of these efforts.

HYDRO-QUÉBEC

Hydro-Québec has announced a major project to modernize the electrical grid in Temiscaming over the next two years. The work will include replacing poles, lines, and transformers across much of the territory to improve system reliability and reduce outage duration. The Urban Planning Department will work closely with Hydro-Québec throughout the project. External crews will be present in Temiscaming during this period.

DAM-BRIDGE

Environmental studies for the construction of a new dam-bridge on the Quebec side are underway. As the rehabilitation of the existing dam has been deemed temporary, this project could move forward around 2027. The work will also bring external crews to Temiscaming for an extended period, generating positive economic spin-offs for the community.

The Town of Temiscaming will continue working with consistency and determination to defend its interests, support its development, and deliver reliable services to residents.

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Mayor of Temiscaming

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NEW JOB POSTINGS PLATFORM

The Town of Temiscaming has launched a new platform to publish its job opportunities.

Would you like to join our team or learn more about current career opportunities?

- Grounds Maintenance Attendant | **Application deadline: March 25, 2026**
- Water Treatment Plant Operator | **Application deadline: March 20, 2026**
- Lifeguard / Pool Supervisor



[View available positions here](#)

OVERNIGHT STREET PARKING | PROHIBITED UNTIL APRIL 15, 2026

Spring is approaching, but snow removal operations are still underway in Temiscaming. To keep streets safe and clear, please follow these rules.

Until April 15

Street parking is prohibited between midnight and 8 a.m.

During snow removal operations

After a snowfall or when signs are posted, please do not leave your vehicle on the street. This allows crews to clear roads and sidewalks safely.

- ✓ You make the crews' work easier
- ✓ You help keep everyone safe
- ✓ You avoid fines and towing

Thank you for your cooperation as we wrap up the winter season.



TAX BILLS | WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Why do we pay municipal taxes?

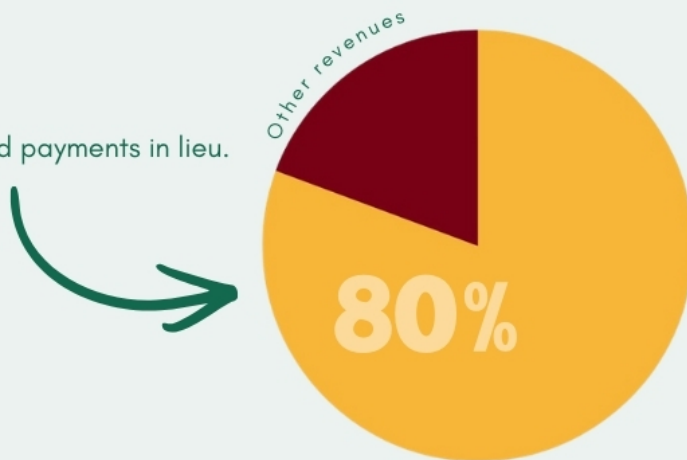
To fund municipal services and maintain infrastructure.

What are they used for?

In 2026, more than 80% of the Town's revenues come from taxes and payments in lieu.

They are used to fund:

- roads and snow removal
- public safety and fire prevention
- drinking water supply and wastewater services
- recreation, culture and parks
- municipal services



Every contribution helps maintain a safe, functional and welcoming living environment for everyone.

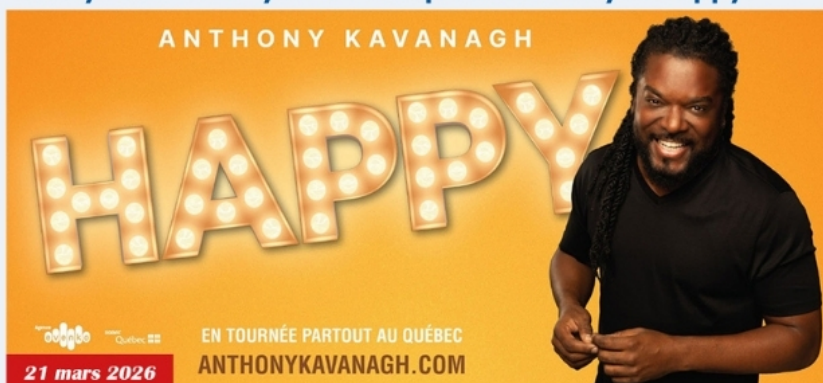
To view the detailed budget document: <https://www.temiscaming.net/en/the-town/taxation>

ANTHONY KAVANAGH — MARCH 21 | DOTTORI HALL

The world needs laughter... and the timing couldn't be better.

After 5 years away, Anthony Kavanagh returns to Quebec and is stopping in Temiscaming for an energetic, heartfelt and hilarious evening.

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