

Intergovernmental Relations Plan

Council

December 18, 2023



Timeline

Strategic Plan
Priority

Clear Direction KR1
Implement a
government
relations plan by
December 2021

Initial
Intergovernmental
Relations Action Plan
Approved by Council
December 2021

Update on Intergovernmental Action Plan
Council Consideration December 2023



2022-2023 Core Activities

Advocacy

 For policy and issue-specific priorities and needs

Collaboration

 With local and regional partners and municipal networks to build broad support for addressing issues and creating change

Education

 For policymakers on issues, needs and community impacts of government policy and programs

2022–2023 Priorities and Actions

- Affordable housing
- COVID-19
- Health (physician recruitment)
- Employment and Workforce Development
- Climate Action
- Escalating municipal and government liability and insurance costs
- Sustainable funding for court security
- Stable funding for municipalities
- Timelines for awarding of grants
- Regional transportation

- Delegations to provincial ministers at AMO and ROMA conferences
- Letters to provincial ministries
- Meetings with Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound MPP Rick Byers and Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound MP Alex Ruff
- Roundtables with neighbouring municipalities



Support and Partner









Priorities: 2024-2025

Sustainable Funding
Physician Recruitment

Affordable Housing

Indigenous Relations

Workforce Development

Land Use Planning

Climate Change

Mental Health And Addictions



2024-2025 Refined Core Activities

Advocacy and Coordination

 Having a united voice enables a small rural city to be more effective

Relationship Support and Development

 Coordinate and facilitate relationships and partnerships with other orders of government, municipalities and advocacy associations

Research and Analysis

 Legislative changes, trends and emerging issues require monitoring and analysis

Thank You!