

City Hall Illumination/Lighting Request Form

For full policy details outlining City Hall Illumination requests please [see the Flag Flying Proclamations and Public Awareness Campaigns policy here](#) (City Hall Illumination starts on page 7).

Name of Requesting Organization *

Ontario Medical Association

Contact Information

Name *

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Home/Cell Phone Number *

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City Hall Lighting Date(s)

Illumination requests will be granted for a maximum duration of seven (7) days unless there are no conflicting requests in which case the duration may extend to a maximum duration of fourteen (14) days, at the discretion of the City Manager.

Requests will be considered on a first come, first served basis, based on the date the request is received by the City Manager's office; requests should be made at least two (2) weeks in advance of the desired lighting date.

Please note that the changing of City Hall lights will take place on regular business days.

Starting Date of Illumination: *

5/1/2026



End Date of Illumination: *

5/1/2026



Requested Light Colours

At this time, the only colour options available are: Green, Blue, Red, White, and Pink/Purple.

No other colours are available at this time.

Please select the colour of your illumination request: *

- Green
- Blue
- Red
- White
- Pink/Purple

Details/Purpose of the illumination event: *

Every year, the Ontario Medical Association asks Ontarians to celebrate Doctors' Day and thank the amazing doctors who work tirelessly to keep us healthy and safe. From doctors in the emergency room to specialists in a clinic, Ontario's physicians care for all of us, even during health system issues and systemic barriers to care. First recognized by the provincial government in 2011, the date was chosen to mark the birthday of Canada's first female physician, Dr. Emily Stowe. In recent years, various landmarks, city halls, and other municipal centers have lit up blue to celebrate our physicians, and we hope this year will be the biggest yet.

Description of your organization including a brief history and any other relevant information: *

The Ontario Medical Association is a not-for-profit organization that represents Ontario's 50,000+ physicians, medical students, and retired physicians. The OMA advocates for and supports doctors while strengthening their leadership role in patient care. We support doctors in their vision to be a trusted voice in transforming Ontario's healthcare system. The OMA has members across the province, from Niagara Falls to Sioux Lookout. The OMA will be promoting this event on our website and social media pages. For Doctors' Day 2026, the sign's likeness may appear in communications on both our website and our social media pages, should a physician in Owen Sound send us a photo of the illumination of City Hall.

Would you like to submit your City Hall illumination request to happen annually? *

- Yes, please repeat on an annual basis
- No, this one time only

Please note that it is up to the person/group submitting the request to contact the City if the annual date changes or discontinues for any reason.

By submitting this form, you affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. All City Hall illumination requests must adhere to the [Flag Flying, Proclamations and Public Awareness Campaigns Policy](#).

The personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, 2001, 227 and City Policy CMA34. The information is used for the City Hall lighting process including, but not limited to, evaluating requests for illumination events and contacting the requestor.

City Manager Approval - signature & date

Date on Council Consent Agenda