



Hamilton

# INFORMATION UPDATE

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Members of City Council
<b>DATE:</b>	July 2, 2019
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	Annual Submission for Broader Public-Sector Reporting O.Reg. 507/18 (EFFM1904) (City Wide)
<b>WARD(S) AFFECTED:</b>	City Wide
<b>SUBMITTED BY:</b>	Rom D'Angelo, C.E.T.; CFM Director, Energy, Fleet and Facilities Management Public Works Department
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	

The purpose of this Information Update is to advise Council that staff have completed the City's annual submission requirements as mandated by Ontario Regulation 507/18 (Broader Public Sector: Energy Reporting and Conservation and Demand Management Plans) for the City's 2017 energy usage and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. For 2019, organizations were also required to submit an update to their five-year Conservation and Demand Management (CDM) plans.

On January 1, 2019, the Green Energy Act, 2009 was repealed, along with its regulations. Select conservation and energy efficiency initiatives, such as the Broader Public Sector (BPS) energy reporting regulation, were moved to the Electricity Act, 1998 and O. Reg. 397/11 (Energy Conservation and Demand Management Plans) was replaced by O. Reg. 507/18 (Broader Public Sector: Energy Reporting and Conservation and Demand Management Plans).

As required under the Electricity Act, all municipalities, municipal service boards, post-secondary educational institutions, hospitals and school boards are required to submit annual reports on their energy usage and GHG emission data for each owned facility. This includes all utility account information and energy (e.g. electricity, natural gas, district energy). Information is only required for facilities that have conditioned space (e.g. heating or cooling). Some Hamilton Water facilities and operations are included in the reporting. City Housing Hamilton and City leased space (e.g. City Centre) are excluded from the reporting requirements.

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This information comes from utility invoices and is used to calculate and report on the City's GHG emissions and energy intensity (ekWh/sqft and/or ekWh/Mega Litres) for each location by the Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines. The data reported will be posted to the Ministry's website and the City's website at [www.hamilton.ca/energy](http://www.hamilton.ca/energy).

For further information, please contact Tom Chessman, Manager, Energy Initiatives at Extension 2494.

**APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED**

Not applicable.

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