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Getting back to business as normal starts with each one of us doing our part! We can all make a difference that counts. ~MAYOR TONY FRASER

Purchase a Gift Card

If a business can't be open to the public at this time, you can still support them by purchasing a gift card to use later.



NorthDundas.com

Stay informed with recent announcements and helpful resources.

NationValleyNews.com

Keeping the community connected and providing updates. f

The North Dundas Business Community Needs Our Support **CALLING EVERYONE TO SHOP LOCAL**

During these unprecedented times, we need to come together. Our local businesses have been working tirelessly to adapt and meet provincial restrictions and their customer's needs. We need to step up, shop local and do all that we can to show our support and appreciation for these businesses. They are at the heart of our local economy and our community.



Modified Services May be Available







CURBSIDE PICKUP

TAKE OUT HOME DELIVERY

Connect with your Local Businesses

Order Online through their website, Like them on Social Media to see updates, Call or Email



By procuring goods and services in your local community, you're supporting the businesses that hire the people you know, that pay taxes to the municipality in which you reside. and that contribute to the local causes that matter directly to you. Now more than ever, let's keep those dollars at home!

~NELSON ZANDBERGEN. PRESIDENT, NORTH DUNDAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Who's Open, What's Available, How to Buy MyShopLocal.ca

Check out what businesses are offering, shop local and let's get through this together!

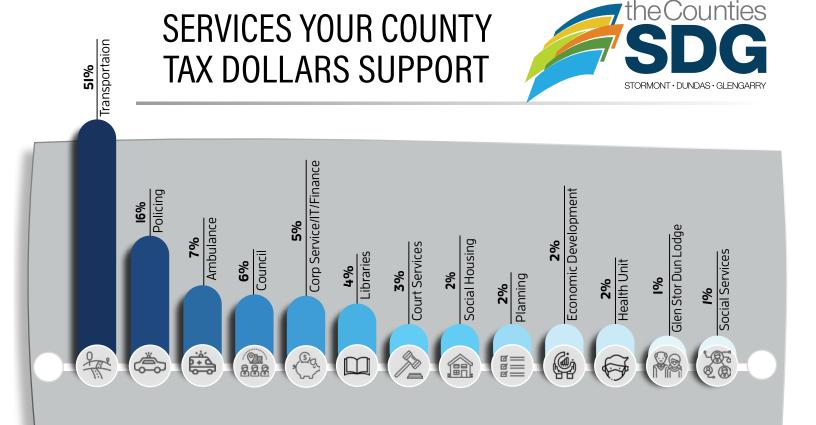




Community Food Share

Even during these difficult times, North Dundas has remained Community Strong and helped those that are most in need. Within a week of announcing our matching funds campaign to benefit Community Food Share, donations of \$13,000 were received. With the Township's \$7,000 donation, our community donated

\$20,000 to Community Food Share to support those in need! Thank you for being such a supportive community and let's keep it up!



Discover

The SDG Discover guide is being printed and will be delivered this spring. This will be an uplifting marketing tool post-COVID-19. The 2020 SDG **Discover Guide features rich** editorial content and drives the reader to the new tourism website. The updated regional tourism website whereontariobegan.ca, will launch soon as well. This fresh new site will be easy to navigate for users and meet all their needs for planning a visit to SDG.



The County will invest \$11.4 million in road resurfacing in 2020. \$4.6 million is allotted for bridge repair work and a little more than \$1.2 million is being invested in culvert and drainage infrastructure.





facility.

Maxville Manor will receive \$2.5 million in funding to help with its plan to add 38 long-term care beds, bringing the total to 160, while also meeting new provincial government guidelines. Dundas Manor will receive \$4 million to help

facilitate the construction of a new building that will complement and alleviate space concerns in the existing

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The Stay Discover Grow Regional Incentives Program was created in 2018 by the County to provide financial incentives to local businesses and non-profits to develop projects that create jobs, increase assessment, and grow our economy. County Council has agreed to continue the program in 2020 despite the coronavirus pandemic to ensure we create a solid foundation for business growth. Businesses and non-profits can apply for grants that cover eligible costs up to \$50,000 per property, per year.



SDG is policed under a single contract with the OPP-a regional approach that provides consistent service at a cost-effective price.

Warden's Message

2020 is a challenging year, physically, emotionally and financially. Prior to the coronavirus pandemic, County Council approved a responsible budget that speaks to our commitment to our seniors while also providing value to ratepayers in SDG. County Council is focused on making sound fiscal decisions that lay a solid foundation for economic growth. The work being undertaken at Maxville Manor and Dundas Manor is necessary and important to the long-term care of some of our most valued citizens. As a council we are aware of external pressures in this difficult time, and we remain committed to administering the County budget in a prudent, responsible and cost-effective manner.

