

Dear Reeve Vincent:

I am pleased to provide you with a link to [AMO's federal Gas Tax Fund Annual Report](#) for the year ending December 31, 2016 and I encourage you to share it with your local Council.

To highlight its importance, in 2016, the Township of North Huron:

- Received \$148,489 from the federal Gas Tax Fund;
- Invested \$92,452 to enhance the community; and
- Carried \$417,523 forward to finance future projects.

Since the Fund was established in 2005, the Township of North Huron has leveraged \$1,052,080 to support 15 infrastructure and capacity building projects worth \$13,890,114.

AMO's next report on the federal Gas Tax Fund will describe the outcomes achieved by your municipality's investments.

In 2016, Ontario's municipal governments, excluding Toronto, invested \$647 million from the Fund in more than 1,200 local infrastructure and capacity building projects. Investments reported on in 2016 include:

- \$103 million to support the construction and repair of 1,522 lane km of roads serving 1,506,687 residents;
- \$26 million to support the purchase or refurbishment of 186 public transit buses, contributing to a 7.5% increase in ridership, and 100,000 more hours of service; and
- \$7.5 million to support the installation of 15,601 high-efficiency LED streetlights, contributing to a reduction of 6.62 GWh in annual energy consumption.

By [tracking our progress](#), we can demonstrate that local investments are fostering economic growth, promoting a cleaner environment, and building stronger communities. AMO's report on project outcomes will be released in 2018.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact AMO's Executive Director, Pat Vanini at 416-971-9856 or [pvanini@amo.on.ca](mailto:pvanini@amo.on.ca).

Sincerely,

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