

## Budget 2016

The Town of Gibbons delivers programs and services necessary to maintain our high standard of living. Roads, Sidewalks and Trails that move people; Bylaws, Fire Rescue Services and Community Peace Officers to keep people safe; Parks, Trails, Waste Management and Utilities for clean and healthy communities; Social Programs and Leisure Activities that make Gibbons a community “Rooted in Family”.

The 2016 budget will require an average increase of 3.3% in property taxes.

### 2016 Impact on Typical Homeowner

2016 \$309,000 Assessed Value w/1.8% Inflation      2015 \$303,500 Assessed Value – Single-Family Res

	2016 TOTAL	2015 TOTAL	ANNUAL INCREASE	INCREASE PER MONTH
① Municipal Services	\$ 1843.50	\$1816.24	\$ 27.26	
② Provincial School Tax Requisition	765.33	739.50	25.83	
③ Seniors Foundation Requisition	29.42	28.80	.62	
<b>Total Property Tax Bill ①+②+③</b>	<b>2638.25</b>	<b>2584.54</b>	<b>53.71</b>	<b>\$ 4.48</b>
<b>Water Consumption – 20 cubic meters per month</b>				
WATER – Basic Flat Rate	20.25	13.75	78.00	6.50
Purchased Rate- Regional Water Commission	27.76 1.388/cm	27.20 1.36/cm	6.72	.56
SEWER – Basic Flat Rate	20.75	20.00	9.00	.75
Purchased Rate – Regional Sewage Commission	20.20 1.01/cm	19.20 .96/cm	12.00	1.00
Waste/Garbage Basic Flat Rate	21.50	19.50	24.00	2.00
① Total Monthly Utility Bill	<b>110.46</b>	<b>99.65</b>	<b>129.72</b>	<b>\$ 10.81</b>

② School Tax – Provincial legislation mandates Municipalities to collect Education Tax on behalf of the Alberta Government. This is not revenue for the Town, but must be paid to the Province. Inquiries regarding School Tax should be made to Alberta Education (780) 422-7125

③ The Seniors Foundation Requisition is collected by the Town and paid to Sturgeon Foundation to provide subsidized housing for Seniors.