



**Let's Talk
City of Winnipeg
2017 Budget Consultation**

What questions do you have?

From Oct 12 & 13 Community Conversations

Question: Please explain how/why the frontage levy is not a tax?

A detailed description of the frontage levy can be found on the City of Winnipeg's website:

<http://www.winnipegassessment.com/AsmtTax/English/Property/FrontLevies.stm>

Question: Please provide a list of revenue source for the City?

Please refer to Page 26 of Volume 2 of the 2016 Capital and Operating Budget for more detail on the City's tax supported revenue sources.

http://winnipeg.ca/finance/files/2016AdoptedBudget_Volume2.pdf

Question: How much provincial funding flows into the municipal budget?

In 2015, the Province of Manitoba provided \$171.6M in operating support and \$117.7M in capital support to the City of Winnipeg.

More details on the level of government transfers received by the City of Winnipeg can be found on page 70 of the 2015 Annual Financial Report:

<http://winnipeg.ca/finance/files/2015AnnualReport.pdf>

Question: Has the federal/provincial governments been bringing in new \$

The level of grants received by the City of Winnipeg from the provincial and federal governments vary from year to year.

In 2015, the City of Winnipeg received almost \$373M in operating and capital transfers from the federal and provincial governments whereas in 2014 the City received almost \$379M from senior levels of Government.

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Question: Why do people have to sign in to provide their comments in the online engagement tool?

You are required to create a login and password to participate online. When you create this sign in, you are asked to confirm that you will abide by the terms of use including the moderation policy, and the privacy policy.

The requirement to sign in ensures that multiple responses cannot be submitted and that internet trolls cannot campaign the input that is gathered in the consultation process.

Your input is anonymous and is not connected to your email address and no personal information is collected about you as a participant.

The email address you submit is collected by the online engagement tool provider, and according to the terms of use, these email addresses cannot be shared with the City of Winnipeg.