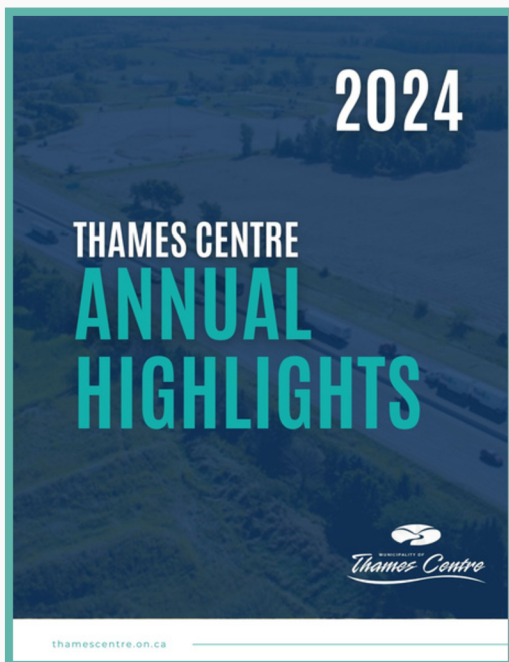


Council Highlights

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Join us at our next Council Meeting on Monday, February 10th, at 5pm

2024 Annual Highlights Now Available



Council was presented with the 2024 Annual Highlights document. This document covers many of the achievements and highlights that took place in our community.

These included several new businesses opening in Thames Centre while the municipality continued to have the lowest tax rates in Middlesex County.

There were also capital improvements like the renovation of the FlightExec Centre, starting phase 2 of the Dorchester Dream Park, and establishing Thorndale's first dog park.

The 2024 Annual Highlights can be viewed online at:
<https://tinyurl.com/ThamesCentre2024>.



Making Government More Accountable

At last night's meeting Council received the 2024 Integrity Commissioner's Report.

While this report was not written in previous years, the Municipality is enhancing transparency in government with annual reports. Furthermore the report will have an online publication so that it can be viewed by members of the public, which keeps local government accountable to residents of Thames Centre.

The 2024 Integrity Commissioner's Report is available for viewing at:
<https://pub-thamescentre.escribemeetings.com/filestream.ashx?DocumentId=12606>

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Accessibility & Inclusion Survey Now Open

At last night's meeting Deputy Mayor Smibert announced that the Accessibility & Inclusion Committee was launching a public survey this week to get your feedback on accessibility and inclusion issues in our community.



The survey is now live at:

surveymonkey.com/r/InclusiveTC

New Reports Now Available

Thames Centre issued its 2025 Health and Safety Policy Statement, which was a result of modernizing several workplace safety policies, tools, and procedures.

Council also received the 2024 Annual Report from Planning & Building Services. Quarterly reports were issued by the Building Division, Drainage, Environmental Services, Fire Department, Legislative Services, the Lions Active Living Centre, and Recreation Services.

These reports can be viewed by [visiting the meeting page](#).

Apply to Join the Thorndale Lions Community Centre Ad-Hoc Committee

We're looking for TWO (2) community members to sit on the *Thorndale Lions Community Centre Expansion Ad Hoc Committee!*

Members of the committee will work with municipal staff to create a detailed design for a potential future expansion of the Thorndale Lions Community Centre that will meet the needs of the community.



Fill out an Expression of Interest Form to explain why you should be a member (available at: <https://tinyurl.com/TLCC-Member> and submit it by e-mail to clerk@thamescentre.on.ca by **Friday, February 28.**