

2024

Facts & Stats

About Oxford County

Located in southwestern Ontario at the crossroads of Highways 401 and 403, Oxford County has a population of approximately 140,000 people across **eight area municipalities** that are “growing stronger together.”

A partnership-oriented, two-tier municipal government, Oxford County is committed to 100% renewable energy, zero waste, zero poverty, and being 100% housed. Oxford County is situated in one of Ontario’s richest areas for farmland, with a diversified local economy that is home to an innovative agricultural industry, leading automotive manufacturers, and the **Oxford County Cheese Trail**.

Oxford also offers a thriving local arts and culinary community, as well as conservation parks, natural areas and more than 100 kilometres of scenic trails. The County’s **Strategic Plan** puts forward a vision of “Working together for a healthy, vibrant, and sustainable future.”

 The Oxford County Administration Building is located in Woodstock, Ontario.



2,040
square kilometres



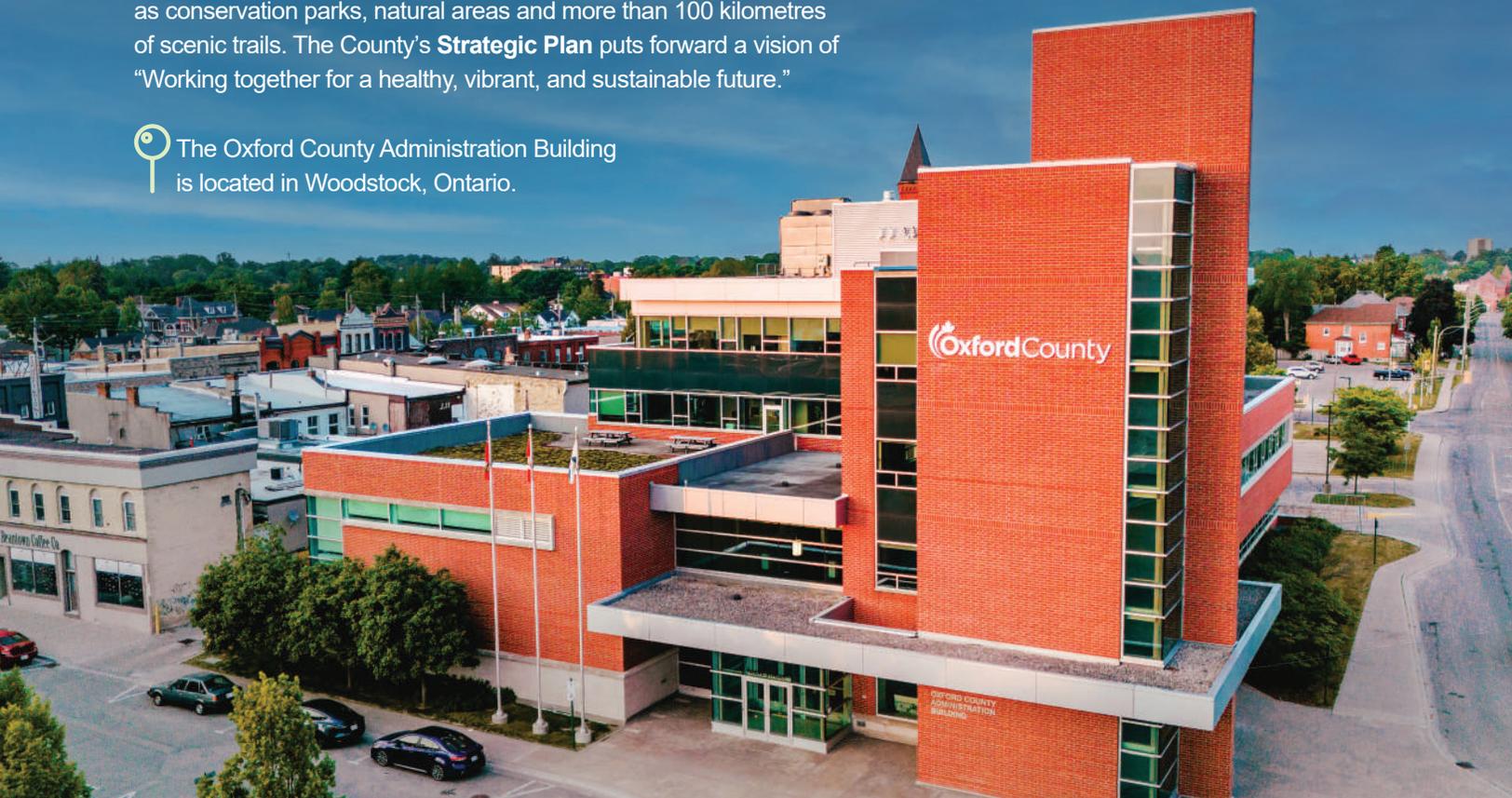
920
employees



140k
total population

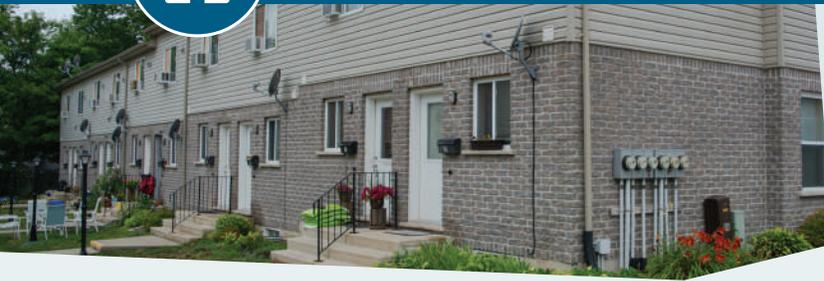


413.3 m
2024 budget





Promoting community vitality



Human Services

628 subsidized public housing units

538 affordable housing units



118 Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit Applications and rent supplements completed

656 not-for-profit housing units

20 Transitional housing units

2,627

spaces in licensed child care centres



38 licensed home child care providers

32,851 visits made by parents/caregivers and children to an EarlyON program

4,366 individuals served through an EarlyON program

261 families receiving child care fee subsidy, with **354** children served

2,100 residents and families aided through financial assistance and employment referral supports

52 families supported through the rent supplement program



Oxford County Library

14 branches



218,000+ branch visits

430,829 items checked out



437 home deliveries for those unable to visit a library branch



33,981 visits for computer and Wi-Fi access

245 stops for Ox on the Run mobile outreach unit



35,960 participants in **2,275** programs



Archives

1,023 research requests



1,925 sq. ft. of archival records



Tourism Oxford



\$60,000

in partnership funding opportunities accessed for new and enhanced product development and marketing opportunities

\$267,000

in additional partnership funding to support development, research and marketing





Promoting community vitality *continued*



Woodingford Lodge



 **228** long-term care beds

170 residents supported on the journey to long-term care through the Family Transition Program

92%  "above average" resident survey satisfaction rate with care and services *(At all care sites)*



Paramedic Services

23,065 paramedic call responses 

4,678 community paramedicine visits to **652** individuals

452  in-home vaccinations for vulnerable, marginalized or homebound populations

620  9-1-1 calls prevented by the Community Paramedicine program



Roads and bridges



 **1,335** lane kms of County roads maintained



9 new community safety zones

31 km  road resurfacing

163  bridges and culverts maintained

15  new pedestrian crossings *(2020-24)*



Community Planning

400+  Oxford County and area municipal development applications processed

2,600+  new residential lots/units approved through applications





Enhancing environmental sustainability



Facilities, fleet and energy management

1,608 kW (AC)

of solar photovoltaic systems across **19** different Oxford County facility sites



5,562,000 kWh

of renewable energy generated



295

buildings and more than **179** fleet assets maintained

Water and wastewater



17 municipal water systems

21 Oxford communities served

10.9m m3 of drinking water treated



9 municipal wastewater treatment plants

11 Oxford communities served

15.9m m3 of wastewater treated



Woodlands and source water protection

774+

hectares of woodland properties managed by and under stewardship of Oxford County

including

345

hectares of forest and lands



288

hectares of wetlands/ source water protection



Waste management



82,840

tonnes of waste processed

51%

curbside waste diversion rate



31 years

remaining in landfill service life

45%

landfill waste diversion rate





Fostering progressive government

Provincial Offences Court



8,305

charges received



8,713

events heard for Provincial Offences Court

Support services



Business Systems



Clerk's Office



Communication and Engagement



Customer Service



Financial and Capital Planning Services



Human Resources



Information Services and GIS



IT Support



Legislative Services



Records Management



Strategic Initiatives and Inter-governmental Relations



Financial sustainability

AAA/Stable



Standard & Poor's credit rating based on prudent financial management practices and strong budgetary performance



Oxford's area municipalities

- Blandford-Blenheim
- East Zorra-Tavistock
- Ingersoll
- Norwich
- South-West Oxford
- Tillsonburg
- Woodstock
- Zorra

