

# DOING BUSINESS WITH THE COUNTY OF SIMCOE

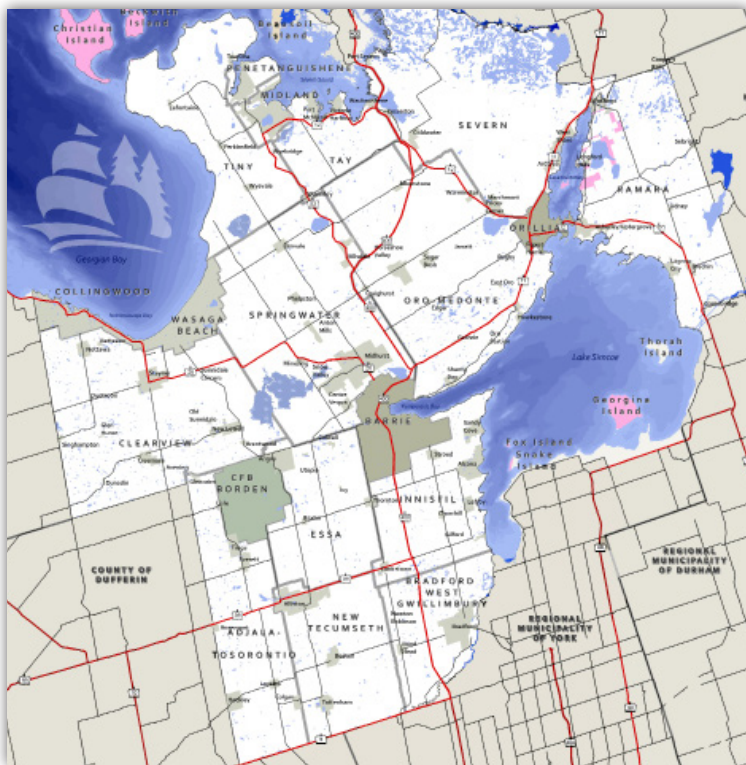
## About the County

The County of Simcoe is an upper tier municipality located north of the Greater Toronto Area and is comprised of 16 towns and townships with the Cities of Barrie and Orillia located in our geographic boundary.

The largest County based on population (480,000) and third largest based upon physical size (4,668.70 square kilometres) in Ontario, the County is responsible for a wide range of municipal services

The County's programs and essential services include social housing, land ambulance and emergency planning, environmental services, public transportation, a County road system, Ontario Works, Lake Simcoe Regional Airport, Children's Services, Long Term Care and Seniors Services, Museum, Archives, County forest management, Tourism, a Geographic Information System, and land use policy planning.

The County operates numerous locations, including paramedic stations, roads garages, Ontario works offices, landfill sites and transfer stations, truck maintenance shops, a museum, an archives facility, an administration centre, an airport, and four long-term care homes.



## County Divisions & Departments

### CAO and Warden

- Clerk's Office
- Archives
- Economic Development
- Lake Simcoe Regional Airport

### Service Simcoe

- Communications and Events
- Marketing and Creative Services
- Public Engagement /Customer Service
- Tourism
- Museum

### Corporate Performance

- Finance
- Human Resources
- Information Technology
- Legal Services
- Procurement, Fleet and Property

### Social and Community Services

- Children Services
- Community Partnerships and Programs
- Ontario Works
- Social Housing – Non Profit
- Simcoe County Housing Corporation

### Health and Emergency Services

- Emergency Management
- Long Term Care
- Seniors Services
- Paramedic Services

### Engineering, Planning and Environment

- Municipal By-Law
- Forestry
- Planning
- Solid Waste Management
- Transportation and Engineering
- Transit

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## Commodities Purchased

- Road and bridge construction, repair, and maintenance
- Business services and consulting
- Facilities construction, commissioning, renovations, repair, and maintenance
- Environmental, architectural, and engineering services
- Building equipment and materials
- Office equipment, supplies, and furniture
- Heavy, light duty, public transit and off-the-road (OTR) vehicles, repair, maintenance, and fuel
- Museum exhibits, supplies, and services
- Archival systems and equipment
- Airport maintenance equipment
- Computer networking, hardware, software, and information services
- Branded merchandise and apparel
- Telecommunications
- Education and training
- Advertising, printing, signage, and creative services
- Waste management and recycling
- Forestry products and services
- Food and kitchen equipment
- Health and medical supplies, PPE, equipment, and services
- Life safety supplies, equipment, and services
- Property maintenance
- Security and surveillance
- Plumbing, electrical and HVAC service and supplies
- Renewable energy systems
- Electric vehicle charging stations
- Energy efficient designs and products
- Land surveyors and appraisal services

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## Helpful advice for bid submission

- bids&tenders™ is the only valid online source of information for County bid opportunities.
- Submit all bid questions via bids&tenders™ prior to the stated deadline.
- Bid responses must be submitted electronically through bids&tenders™ unless otherwise indicated.
- Ensure sufficient time is allotted to submit your response. The timing of your submission is based on the time it is received by bids&tenders™.
- bidsandtenders™ will send you a confirmation email upon successful submission of a bid.
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