## For residential taxpayers in Cobourg, this year's tax rate of .0085369 represents a 3.8% decrease from the 2010 tax rate.

The impact of this decrease coupled with an average 5% assessment increase is set out below. There is also a comparison of your 2010 and 2011 tax bills on Schedule 2 of your bill.

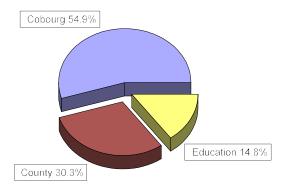
#### RESIDENTIAL TAX BILL

(based on a 5% Assessment Increase)

(ASSESSED VALUE)

	\$210,000	\$220,500
	2010	2011
Municipal	\$1,855	\$1,882
County	1,022	1,039
Education	<u>506</u>	509
TOTAL TAXES	\$3,383	\$3,430

#### RESIDENTIAL TAX DISTRIBUTION



Where do my Municipal Tax dollars go?

The Municipal portion of the median \$3,430.00 tax bill is \$1,882.00 or 54.9% of the bill. This represents a monthly charge of \$156.84

Below are **some** of the services you receive for your tax dollars.

Service	\$/Year	\$/Month
Police	534	44.50
Roads & Engineering	326	27.17
Fire	231	19.25
Governance &		
Administration	197	16.42
Parks	128	10.67
Recreation	77	6.41
Victoria Hall/		
Concert Hall	68	5.67
Library	56	4.67
Tourism/		
Economic Developme	ent 44	3.67
Winter Road Maintenan	nce 43	3.58
Transit	41	3.42
Community Grants &		
Services	30	2.50
Streetlights	28	2.33
Planning/		
<b>Building Standards</b>	28	2.33
Waste Disposal	25	2.08
Conservation Authority	17	1.42
Animal Control	6	.50
Crossing Guards	3	.25

#### **Illegal Dumping**

Report illegal dumpers of garbage to the County of Northumberland toll-free hotline at **1-866-293-8379** and give the location, the type of materials that were dumped, and any other information you have regarding the incident. In all cases, the more information you have, the better chance of us catching the culprit! A license plate number and description of the person and vehicle helps tremendously. A reminder to never open bagged garbage in search of evidence - leave this for our by-law officers.

#### **Household Hazardous Waste**

Bring old paint, aerosols, diabetic insulin needles, pesticides, batteries, oil, fluorescent tubes and more to one of our four Household Hazardous Waste Depots in Northumberland County. The Cobourg Depot will be open from 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. on the following dates:

May 4, 5 and 7 June 1 and 4 July 6 and 9 August 3 and 6 September 7 and 10 October 5 and 8

Please no empty paint cans or containers. To find out what else you can bring to a depot or for information about additional locations and dates, please refer to your 2011 Waste & Recycling calendar, visit <a href="https://www.northumberland.ca">www.northumberland.ca</a> or call 1-866-293-8379. Take Advantage of the **Electronics Drop-Off** at the Depots as well - TVs, computers, monitors, cell phones, VCRs and more can be brought free of charge when the Depot is open.

#### **More Information Available**



Town of Cobourg Tax Office staff would be pleased to answer any questions you may have about your tax bill. For assistance please call us at **905-372-8944.** 



Please remember that the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) establishes the assessed values of properties. Questions you may have involving assessed values of your property should be directed to the **MPAC** at 1-866-296-6722.



You should also keep in mind that Tax Regulations are set by the Ontario Government. If you have any questions about tax policies our local M.P.P. Lou Rinaldi can be reached at 905-372-4000.



For enquiries about the County portion of the tax bills or County Tax policies please phone the County of Northumberland at 905-372-3329.

	1	Town of Cobourg 2011 Tax Rates	111 Tax Rates		
Class		Town	County	Education	Total
Residential	RT	0.0085369	0.0047105	0.0023100	0.0155574
Multi-Res	MT	0.0189178	0.0104384	0.0023100	0.0316662
Commercial-Occ	CT	0.0129351	0.0071373	0.0166775	0.0367499
Commercial-Vac	cv	0.0090546	0.0049961	0.0116743	0.0257250
Commercial-Occ New	XT	0.0129351	0.0071373	0.0133000	0.0333724
Commercial-Vac New	XU	0.0090546	0.0049961	0.0093100	0.0233607
Industrial-Occ	IT	0.0224521	0.0123885	0.0193000	0.0541406
Industrial-Vac	IU	0.0145939	0.0080525	0.0125450	0.0351914
Farmlands	FT	0.0021342	0.0011776	0.0005775	0.0038893
Pipeline	PT	0.0102281	0.0056436	0.0142874	0.0301591
Managed Forest	TT	0.0021342	0.0011776	0.0005775	0.0038893



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### 2011 TAX INFORMATION

