

# Archives of Ontario

## **Finding Municipal Records**

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The Archives of Ontario has a significant collection of local government records, dating from approximately 1821 to 1971. The collection contains records from all regions of the province. However, it is not comprehensive. There are more records from southern municipalities than other areas of the province. The Archives' collection includes some township and village records at the county level. Municipal records can include minutes and by-laws, assessment and collectors rolls, and general financial and administrative records.

Many other archives in Ontario hold municipal records. For more information, check with local municipalities, archives or public libraries

At the end of this guide, you will find two lists:

- descriptions of levels of municipalities
- words and terms that you may come across in your municipal records research.

## THE RECORDS

*Table 1* at the end of this guide lists the municipal records in the Archives' collection. It includes instructions for finding and using the records.

## **Confirming the Municipality's Name**

In searching the Archives' municipal records, keep in mind that:

- A municipality's name and its administrative levels may have changed. <u>Click here to view a permanent on-line exhibit, The Changing Shape of Ontario: A Guide to Boundaries, Names, and Regional Government.</u>
- Many small Ontario communities were never incorporated as municipalities but included a post office or railway station. These places often are known by locally-recognized names.

The Archives has resources to help you to confirm the name of the municipality that you want to research:

- The detailed administrative histories for many of the municipalities in the Archives' collection include information on successor and predecessor municipalities.
- Series RG 19-20, Ontario Municipality Incorporation History files include historical background on all existing municipalities up to the early 1980s.
- Municipal Records in Ontario: History and Guide by Fraser Dunford (Ontario Genealogical Society, 2005) has information on municipal records and how to research them, and a list of townships, including any change in borders, amalgamations and changes of county.
- The annual Municipal Directory, produced by the Association of Municipal Managers, Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario (AMCTO), includes an excellent historical overview of amalgamations and name changes. The directory is available in the Archives' Reading Room. It can also be ordered from AMCTO. Click here to access the AMCTO web-site for ordering information.
- There are numerous reference books on Ontario place names in the Archives'
  Library, including *Places in Ontario* by Nick and Helma Mika and *Place Names of Ontario* by Alan Rayburn. Both are available in the Archives' Reading Room.
- The Gazetteer of Ontario (in the Archives' Reading Room) can help you locate a
  hamlet, dispersed rural community or other small centre. Its information is
  arranged alphabetically by geographic and settlement names. This will provide
  you with the township and county where these small communities are located.
  With that information, it should be possible to find out if there are relevant
  records.

## **Levels of Municipalities**

There are several levels of municipalities: districts, counties, cities, towns, villages, police villages, townships, improvement districts. Here are descriptions of the different levels:

Districts, 1793-1849

Districts were the original unit for municipal and judicial administration in Ontario. From 1793 to 1838 officials of the districts were responsible for the assessment of real and personal property to undertake taxation for local improvements and district expenses. From 1793 to 1842, local assessors reported to the magistrates of the Courts of Quarter Sessions of the Peace. The magistrates were responsible for the municipal and judicial administration of the district. Beginning in 1842, District Councils were established to administer the collection of local taxes and to manage expenditures on local projects. The districts were abolished under *Ontario Statutes 1849*, chap. 78.

Districts, 1867-present

As the Province of Ontario expanded beyond the original boundaries of Upper Canada, it established basic units of government for the thinly populated areas north of the settled areas. In the north, these districts provide a basic administrative framework for municipal government similar to counties. Districts have less autonomy and are much larger in size than counties.

#### Counties

Counties were originally the basis for ridings in the Legislative Assembly. After the passage of the Baldwin Act (*Canada Statutes 1849*, chap. 81) they assumed the role of upper tier municipality. Administratively townships, villages, and most towns and cities form a part of the county. Counties are governed by councils. The councils are composed of the reeves and deputy reeves of the townships, villages, and non-separated towns and cities that form a part of the county.

## Regional Municipalities

Regional Municipalities play the role of upper tier municipality for certain urban areas. Composition of the council may vary depending on the statute that created each Regional Municipality. The first Regional Municipality, Metropolitan Toronto, was created in 1954 while the other ones were created in the late 1960's and the 1970's.

#### Cities

As a unit of municipal government, cities pre-date both counties and townships (in 1834, Toronto was the first incorporated city). Traditionally, classification as a city has depended upon the size and density of a population. Cities are governed by elected councils consisting of a mayor and a number of councillors based on the population of the municipality. A number of cities in Ontario are classed as "separated", in that they no longer form a part of the county administration.

#### Towns

Like cities, a number of towns were incorporated before the passage of the Baldwin Act, reflecting significant urban concentrations within a geographic township. Towns are governed by elected councils consisting of a mayor and a number of councillors based on the population of the municipality. A number of towns in Ontario are classed as "separated" in that they no longer form a part of the County administration.

## Villages

Like cities and towns, villages are incorporated when a community within a township reaches a certain population density that justifies the creation of a separate administrative structure. Villages are governed by elected councils consisting of a reeve, deputy reeves and a number of councillors based on the population of the village. A village is part of the county administration but not part of the surrounding township.

## **Townships**

Townships are incorporated to provide local municipal government for rural communities. Townships have a council consisting of an elected Reeve, Deputy Reeves, and councillors, the number of which depends on the population of the township. Townships have always formed a lower tier of government within the county.

## Improvement Districts

Improvement Districts are a form of local government established in unorganised territory when a rural community reaches an established size. Although they have similar powers to a township, the Improvement Districts are administered by an appointed Board of Trustees which is responsible to the Ontario Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

#### Police Villages

Police Villages were established under county by-law which provided for the appointment of a Board of Police, for a specific area within the county, with limited powers to pass by-laws and regulations for public order and maintenance. They formed a part of the surrounding township for all other purposes. Police Villages had no elected council and no taxation powers.

## **Words and Terms Used in Ontario Municipal Records**

#### Assessment Rolls

Assessment rolls are used to record information about a resident's property in order to determine the amount of taxes payable on real property. The following information is recorded: land and building value; status as residence or business, religion (for school taxation purposes), age, and occupation of head of household and number of people living on the property. Other information is collected from time to time reflecting local or provincial requirements.

#### Board of Health

The Municipal Act requires local governments to establish Boards of Health to monitor and make recommendations to the municipal council regarding public health issues, including water quality and sanitation.

## By-laws

By-laws are a form of legislation passed at the local level on matters under the jurisdiction of the municipality. They mainly relate to land use, public order, road closings, some expenditures and similar issues. They are enforceable by the District Court although many classes of by-law have been subject to approval by the provincial government (e.g., road-closings, capital expenditures and zoning by-laws).

#### Cash Books

Cash Books record municipalities' general incoming and outgoing cash transactions on day to day business.

## Clerk-Treasurer's Records

This is a generic term that describes records like journals, ledgers, day books, and cash books which record the day to day financial and administrative management of the municipality.

#### Collectors Rolls

These volumes record much of the same information that is in assessment rolls plus additional information on payments and tax arrears.

#### Combined Rolls

Combined Rolls were introduced in many municipalities around the 1920s to replace the separate assessment and collectors rolls.

## Committee of Adjustment

A Committee of Adjustment is a planning committee established at the level of a township, town, village, city or county/region. The committees examine requests to make changes to properties or buildings in partial violation of existing planning by-laws and to negotiate agreements between neighbours over conflicts in these matters. Decisions by Committees of Adjustment may be appealed to the Ontario Municipal Board.

#### Council Minutes

Council Minutes record the decisions, sometimes with supporting documentation, reached by the Municipal Council.

#### Councillor

A councillor is a municipal representative elected either at large or by ward.

#### Court of Revision

The hearings of this court relate to appeals against property tax assessments. Usually, the Court of Revision consists of the mayor or reeve and several councillors.

#### Debentures

Debentures are issued to raise money, generally for specific capital projects such as municipal roads or other types of infrastructure. Purchasers of debentures are paid back their initial investment plus a specified rate of interest over a period of years.

#### Journals

Journals record a municipality's day-to-day receipts and disbursements from all sources and in all forms.

#### Ledgers

Ledgers record credit and debit balances for the municipality. They are used to maintain general control over the financial situation of the local government.

## Legislative Franchise

Property/income qualifications for municipal elections remained in place in Ontario well into the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The Legislative Franchise rolls list individuals who qualified for the municipal franchise, with details taken from the assessment rolls. The voters' lists are a less detailed version of the same type of document.

## Mayor

The mayor is the elected head of a town or city.

#### Mother's Allowance Board

Provincial legislation allowed municipalities to establish local committees to assess applications for support made by widowed or abandoned parents.

## Municipality

Municipalities are incorporated organizations with broad powers to administer local affairs and to raise money for these purposes through direct taxation on property and through debentures. The Archives of Ontario has records relating to districts, counties, cities, towns, villages, townships and local improvement districts.

#### Old Age Pension Board

Provincial legislation allowed municipalities to establish local committees to assess applications for support made by elderly persons (i.e., 65 year or older).

#### Reeve

A reeve is the elected head of a village or township.

## Statute Labour

Before there was a comprehensive system of property taxes, repair work on bridges and roads was the responsibility of the fronting property owners. This work was described as statute labour. Instead of doing the physical work, a property owner could make a cash payment. Over time, the cash payments became the norm and contract labour did the work.

## Ward

A ward is an electoral district within a municipality.

## **MAKING CONTACT**

## **Ready and Willing**

Although unable to do your municipal records research for you, our reference archivists are waiting to assist you. You may telephone or write to them by mail or email or — best of all — visit the Archives of Ontario.

## Contact us

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Fax: 416-327-1999

Email: Click here to email the Archives of Ontario.

Address: Archives of Ontario, 134 Ian Macdonald Blvd., Toronto, ON M7A 2C5

#### Website

For information about the Archives' holdings, as well as access to research guides and other customer service materials available through the Archives of Ontario, <u>click here to visit the Archives of Ontario's website.</u>

## **Customer Service and Research Guides**

The Archives of Ontario has published a series of in-depth research guides on a variety of specific topics. For more information, please see "Research Guides and Tools" under "Accessing Our Collection" on the home page of the Archives website.

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## Table 1: List of Municipalities with Records at the Archives of Ontario

To consult the description of the records and instructions for viewing the records, search the Archives Descriptive Database using the Archival Reference Code or name of municipality in *Option 3: Advanced Search, Search Groups of Archival Records*. Click here to access the search the Archives Descriptive Database.

## **Explanation of Reference Codes**

**F** (eg. F 1565 Township of Brunel fonds) - indicates original records and/or microfilm created by the Archives of Ontario.

**D** (eg. D 115 Village of Ayr diffusion material) – indicates diffusion microfilm created by FamilySearch of records for which the Archives of Ontario does not hold the originals. **RG 21** – formerly all municipal records had an RG 21 reference code. Some older microfilm and published material will use this old reference; however this listing uses current codes and titles.

*Note:* For some municipalities, there are both F and D reference codes, meaning two separate sets of records

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Acton Town	D 97
Adelaide Township	D 98
Admaston Township	D 99
Ailsa Craig Village	D 100
Albemarle Township	D 102
Albion Township	D 103
Aldborough Township	D 104
Alfred Township	F 1510
Alice & Fraser Township	D 101
Alvinston Village	D 105
Amabel Township	D 106
Amaranth Township	F 1513
	D 478
Ameliasburgh Township	F 1514
Amherst Island Township	F 1515
Amherstburg Town of	D 107
Ancaster Township	D 108
Anderdon Township	D 109
Arran Township	D 110
Artemesia Township	F 1520
	D 404
Arthur Township	D 111
Arva-London Township	D 405
Athol Township	F 1522

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Augusta Township	F 1523
Aurora Town	D 113
Aylmer Town	D 114
Ayr Village	D 115
Bagot and Blythfield Township	F 1527
Bathurst District	F 1528
Bathurst Township (Lanark County)	D 406
Bathurst Township (Lennox and Addington	F 1529
County)	D 406
Bayham Township	D 117
Beamsville Town	D 118
Beaverton Village	F 1532
Belle River Town	D 120
Belleville City	F 1535
Bentinck Township	D 121
Bertie Township	F 1537
	D 407
Beverly Township	D 123
Biddulph Township	D 124
Blanshard Township	D 127
Blenheim Town	D 128
Blenheim Township	D 481
Bolton Village	F 1545
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Bonfield Township	F 1546
Bosanquet Township	D 130
Bothwell Town	D 131
Bowmanville Town	F 1549
Brampton City	D 132
Brant County	F 1551
Brant Township	F 1552
	D 409
Brantford City	D 133
Brantford Township	F 1554
	D 410
Bridgeburg Town	F 1555
	D 411
Brock Township	F 1557
Brockton Village	D 412
Brockville Town	F 1558
Bromley Township	F 1559
Brooke Township	D 134
Brougham Township (Dufferin County)	D 479
Brougham Township (Durham County)	D 484

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Bruce County	F 1562
Bruce Township	D 136
Brudenell and Lyndoch Township	F 1564
Brunel Township	F 1565
Burford Township	F 1566
Burleigh and Anstruther Township	F 1567
Burlington Town	D 137
Caistor Township	F 1569
Caistor Township	D 138
Caledonia Town	D 413
Caledonia Village	F 1572
Cameron Improvement District	F 1573
Campbellford Town	F 1574
Canborough	F 1575
Township	D 414
Cannington Village	F 1576
Caradoc Township	D 141
Carleton County	D 140
Carrick Township	D 142
Cartwright Township	F 1580
Cayuga Village	F 1581
Chaffey Township	F 1582
Charlottenburgh Township	F 1583
Charlotteville Township	D 143
Chatham Township	D 144
Chinguacousy Township	D 145
Chippewa Village	D 146
Chatham City	F 1585
	D 416
Clarke Township	F 1589
Clifton Town	D 417
Clinton Township	D 147
Cobalt Town	F 1592
Cobourg Town	F 1593
Colborne Village	F 1594
Colchester Township	D 150
Collingwood Township	D 151
Conmee Township	F 1597
Cornwall Township	F 1599
Courtright Village	F 1601
Cramahe Township	F 1602
Crowland Township	F 1603
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Crystal Beach Village	F 1604
Culross Township	D 154

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Dalhousie & Sherbrooke Townships.	D 155
Darlington Township	F 1608
Dawn Township	D 156
Delaware Township	D 157
Delhi Town	D 158
Derby Township	D 159
Dereham Township	F 1613
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Dover Township	F 1614
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Drayton Village	D 160
Dresden Town	D 161
Drummond Township	F 1617
Dundalk Village	F 1618
Dundas Town	D 162
Dunn Township	F 1620
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Dunnville Town	F 1621
	D 421
Dunwich Township	D 164
Durham Town	D 165
Dutton Village	D 166
East Camden Township	F 1625
East Flamborough Township	D 167
East Garafraxa Township	F 1627
East Gwillimbury Township	F 1628
East Hawkesbury Township	F 1629
East London Village	D 168
East Luther Township	F 1631
East Nissouri Township	F 1632
East Oxford Township	F 1633
East Sandwich Township	D 169
East Toronto Village	D 122
East Whitby Township	F 1635
East Williams Township	F 1636
	D 423
East Zorra Township	D 170
Eastern District	F 1638
Eastnor Township	D 171
Egremont Township	D 172
Ekfrid Township	D 173
Elderslie Township	D 174
Elgin County	F 1643
Elizabethtown Township	F 1644
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Guelph Township	D 435
Hagersville Village	F 1692
Transport and Transport	D 427
Haldimand County	F 1693
Halton County	F 1695
Hamilton City	D 206
Hamilton Township	F 1697
Harriston Town	F 1698
Harwich Township	F 1699
Hastings County	F 1700
Hespeler Town	F 1701
Hibbert Township	D 208
Hillier Township	F 1703
Hilton Township	F 1704
Holland Landing Village	F 1706
Holland Township	D 209
Home District	D 210
Houghton Township	D 436
Houghton Township	F 1709
Howard Township	F 1710
Howard Township	D 428
Hullett Township	F 1711
Humberstone Township	D 212
Humphrey Township	F 1713
Huntley Township	D 213
Huntsville Town	F 1715
Huron County	F 1716
Huron District	D 480
Huron District	F 1718
Ingersoll Town	D 437
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Ingersoll Town	F 1719
Jarvis Village Johnstown District	F 1720
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Kennebec Township	F 1723
Kent County	D 429
Keppel Township	D 215
Kincardine Township	D 217
King Township	D 218
Kingsville Town	D 219
Kinloss Township	D 220
Kitchener City	D 221
Kitley Township	F 1732
Lanark County	F 1734
Lanark Village	D 223
Lancaster Township	F 1737

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Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Montague Township	F 1786
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Moore Township	D 487
Mornington Township	D 248
Morrison Township	F 1789
Moulton & Sherbrooke United Townships	D 250
Moulton Township	F 1791
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Mount Forest Town	D 251
Mulmur Township	D 252
Muskoka Township	F 1795
Nassagaweya Township	F 1796
	D 439
Newboro Village	D 253
Newboro Village	F 1799
Newbury Village	D 454
Newcastle District	F 1800
Newcastle Village	F 1801
Newmarket Town	F 1803
Niagara District	F 1804
Niagara Falls City	D 256
Niagara Town	F 1805
Niagora Township	F 1806
Niagara Township	D 441
Niagara-on-the-lake Town	D 440
Nichol Township	D 257
Norfolk County	F 1811
Normanby Township	D 258
North Cayuga Township	F 1813
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North Colchester Township	D 259
North Dorchester Township	D 261
North Dumfries Township	D 262
North Easthope Township	D 263
North Fredericksburgh Township	F 1819
North Gosfield Township	D 264
North Gower Township	D 265
North Grimsby Township	F 1822
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North Gwillimbury Township	D 426
North Marysburgh Township	F 1824
North Monaghan Township	F 1825
North Norwich Township	F 1826
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North Oxford Township	F 1827

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North Tilbury Township	D 266
North Toronto Village	D 255
North Walsingham Township	F 1830
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Northumberland and Durham Counties	F 1831
Norwich Township	D 456
Norwich Village	F 1833
Oakland Township	D 267
Oakville Town	F 1835
	D 443
Oil Springs Village	D 268
Oneida Township	F 1837
Onondaga Township	D 269
Ontario County	F 1839
Ontario, York and Peel United Counties	D 459
Orangeville Town	F 1840
Orford Township	D 271
Orillia Town	F 1842
Osgoode Township	D 457
Oshawa City	F 1844
Osnabruck Township	F 1845
Osprey Township	D 444
Otonabee Township	F 1847
Ottawa City	D 274
Ottawa District	F 1849
Oxford County	F 1850
Pakenham Township	F 1851
Paris Town	D 275
Parkdale Village	D 270
Parkhill Town	D 276
Peel Township	D 277
Pelee Township	F 1855
Pelham Township	F 1856
Pembroke Town	F 1857
Percy Township	F 1858
Perry Township	F 1859
Perth Town	F 1861
Petrolia Town	F 1863
Pickering Township	F 1864
Pickering Village	D 63
Picton Town	F 1865
Pilkington Township	D 280

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Pittsburgh Township	F 1867
Plympton Township	D 281
Point Edward Village	F 1869
Port Colborne Town	D 282
Port Dalhousie Town	D 283
Port Dover Town	F 1872
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Port Elgin Town	D 461
Port Hope Town	F 1874
Port Perry Village	F 1875
Port Rowan Village	F 1876
Port Stanley Village	D 285
Port Sydney Village	F 1878
Prescott and Russell County	F 1879
Preston Town	F 1880
Prince Edward County	F 1881
Proton Township	F 1883
Puslinch Township	D 286
Rainham Township	F 1885
Trainiani Township	D 462
Raleigh Township	F 1886
Ramsay Township	F 1887
Reach Township	F 1888
Rear of Leeds and Lansdowne Township.	F 1889
Renabie Improvement District	F 1890
Richmond Hill Town	D 287
Rochester Township	F 1893
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Romney Township	D 288
Roxborough Township	D 289
Russell Township	F 1896
Ryde Township	F 1897
St. Catharines City	D 290
St. Edmunds Township	D 464
St. Mary's Town	D 291
St. Thomas City	D 292
St. Vincent Township	D 293
Saltfleet Township	F 1902
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Sandwich South Town	D 466
Sandwich Town	D 465
Sarnia City	F 1904
Sarnia Township	D 294
Scarborough Township	D 296
Scott Township	F 1908
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Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Scugog Township	F 1909
Seneca Township	F 1910
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Seymour Township	F 1911
Sherbrooke Township	F 1912
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Sherbrooke South Township	D 469
Shuniah Township	F 1913
Simcoe Town	D 447
Snowdon Township	F 1916
Sombra Township	D 298
Sophiasburgh Township	F 1919
South Cayuga Township	F 1920
South Colchester Township	D 301
South Dorchester Township	D 302
South Dumfries Township	F 1923
South Easthope Township	D 304
South Gosfield Township	F 1925
Country Common P	D 424
South Grimsby Township	F 1926
South Marysburgh Township	F 1927
South Monaghan Township	F 1928
South Norwich Township	F 1929
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South Plantagenet Township	F 1930
South Sandwich Township	F 1931
South Sherbrooke Township	F 1932
South Walsingham Township	F 1933
Southampton Town	D 306
Southwold Township	D 307
Stafford Township	F 1936
Stamford Township	D 308
Stephen Township	D 486
Stephenson Township	F 1938
Stisted Township	F 1939
Stoney Creek Village	F 1940
Stormont Dundas and Glengarry County	F 1941
Storrington Township	F 1942
Stouffville Village	F 1943
Stratford City	D 309
Strathroy Town	D 310
Streetsville Town	F 1946
Sturgeon Point Village	F 1947
Sudbury Town	F 1948
Sullivan Township	F 1949

Municipality Name	Archival Reference Code
Talbot District	F 1951
Teeswater Village	D 313
Thamesville Village	D 314
Thorah Township	F 1954
Thornbury Town	D 315
Thorold Town	D 316
Thorold Township	D 317
Timmins Town	F 1958
Tisdale Township	F 1959
Toronto City	F 1961
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Toronto Gore Township	D 319
Toronto Township	F 1962
Townsend Town	D 448
Townsend Township	F 1964
Trafalgar Township	F 1965
Trenton Town	F 1966
Tuckersmith Township	D 320
Tyendinaga Township	F 1968
Usborne Township	D 321
Uxbridge Town	F 1970
Uxbridge Township	F 1971
Vaughan Township	D 322
Vespra Township	F 1974
Victoria County	F 1975
Vienna Village	D 324
Wainfleet Township	F 1978
	D 449
Walkerton Town	F 1979
Walkerville Town	D 325
Wallace Township	D 471
Wallaceburg Town	D 326
Walpole Township	F 1982
Walsingham Township	F 1983
Warwick Township	D 323
Waterdown Village	D 327
Waterford Town	F 1986
Waterford Village	D 473
Waterloo City	F 1987
Waterloo County	F 1988
Waterloo Township	D 450
Waterloo Township	F 1989
Watford Village	D 330
Welland County	F 1991
Welland Town	F 1992

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Wellesley Town	D 332
Wellington County	F 1994
Wentworth County	F 1995
West Flamborough Township	D 334
West Garafraxa Township	D 335
West Gwillimbury Township	F 1998
West Hawkesbury Township	F 1999
,	D 483
West London Township	D 482
West Luther Township	D 430
West Nissouri Township	D 337
West Oxford Township	F 2002
West Sandwich Township	F 2003
West Tilbury Township	D 338
West Toronto Junction Township	D 470
West Zorra Township	F 2006
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Western District	F 2007
Westmeath Township	F 2088
Westminster Township	D 340
Weston Town	D 341
Westport Village	F 2010
Whitby Town	F 2011
Whitby Township	F 2012
Whitchurch Township	F 2013
Williams Township	F 2015
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Williamsburgh Township	F 2016
Wilmot Township	D 342
Windham Township	D 343
Windsor City	D 344
Wolfe Island Township	F 2020
Wolford Township	F 2021
Woodbridge Village	D 345
Woodhouse Township	F 2023
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Woodstock City	F 2024
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Woolwich Township	D 346
Worthington Township	F 2026
Wyoming Village	D 347
Yarmouth Township	D 348
York County	F 2074
York Township	D 349
Yorkville Village	D 476