

In 2026, City Council passed a 4.94 per cent tax levy increase. Revenue collected through the levy will sustain current City of Prince George service levels and operational needs. An average residential property (also known as the Representative Home value as calculated by the Province) in Prince George will see an increase of approximately \$144 this year (or \$12 per month) from last year's bill.

Where your tax dollars are shared

Only about 70 per cent of taxes billed to property owners are for services provided by the City. The City collects the remaining 30 per cent on behalf of other authorities including:

- The Province of BC (for school taxes)
- BC Assessment
- The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George
- Regional 9-1-1 service
- The Fraser-Fort George Regional Hospital
- The Municipal Finance Authority

General Local Election

Vote in the City of Prince George General Local Election on Saturday, October 17, 2026

Elect City Council

On October 17, 2026, eligible voters in Prince George will elect one Mayor and eight Councillors.

Who can vote?

You may vote as a **resident elector** if you live within the City of Prince George, or as a **non-resident property elector** if you live outside the city, own property within the City of Prince George, and have consent from the majority of registered owners. The City uses same-day voter registration, so eligible voters can register when they vote.

Bring Your ID

Identification is required to vote. ID must prove identity and residence, and one piece must include the elector's signature.

Voting opportunities

Voting opportunities will include General Voting Day, advance voting opportunities, and mail ballot voting. Additional details, including dates, locations, and mail ballot information, will be shared in the coming months.

Stay informed

For election information, including voter eligibility, registration, voting locations, and important dates, visit:

www.princegeorge.ca/elections

Key Dates

Nomination Packages Available: August 4 to September 11

Nomination Period: September 1 (9:00 am) to 11 (4:00 pm)

Submit a Mail Ballot Package Request Form: September 1 to October 15 (4:30 pm)

Required Advance Voting Days (Other Advanced Voting Days to be determined): October 7 (8:00 am to 8:00 pm) at the Prince George Conference and Civic Centre

General Voting Day: October 17 (8:00 am to 8:00 pm) – Various Locations

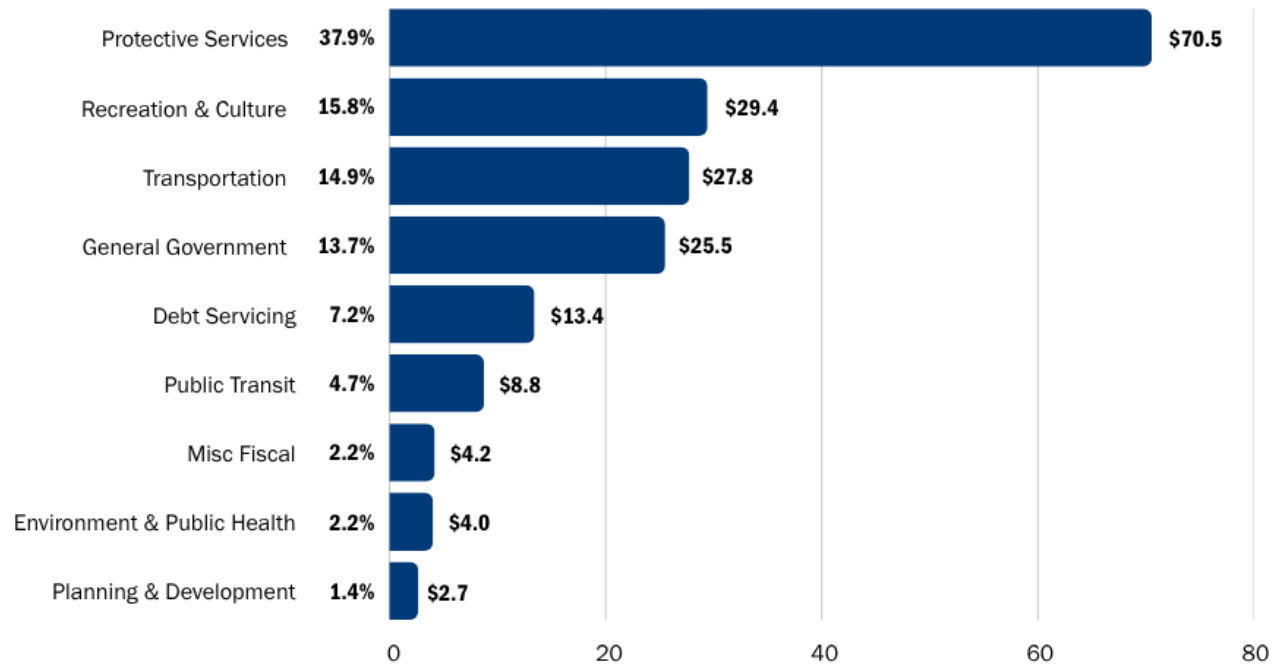
July 3

Tax payments are due July 3, 2026

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How your tax dollars are spent

General Operating Expenses (in millions)



Services including water, sanitary sewer, and residential garbage collection are billed separately from property taxes. User fees (collected through City utility bills) support the operating costs of these services as well as the replacement of aging infrastructure.

Claiming the home owner grant

The provincial home owner grant program reduces the amount of residential property taxes you pay each year on your principal residence. Applications must be made through the Government of B.C. To claim the home owner grant, visit gov.bc.ca/homeownergrant or visit the link on the City website: princegeorge.ca/taxes. Note that taxes do not need to be paid before claiming the grant.

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