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# COMMUNITY PROFILE

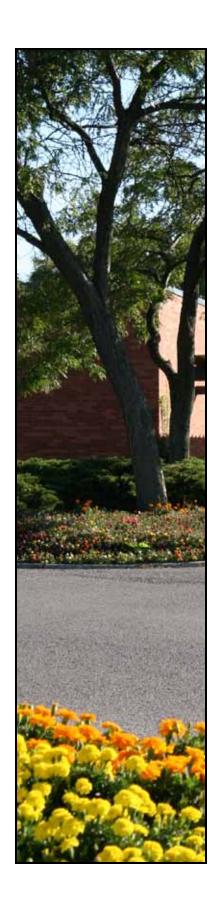
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### COMMUNITY AND MARKETING SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The Town of Whitby is committed to maintaining, enhancing and developing its infrastructure, facilities and services. This strategy will contribute to its competitiveness, and promote sustainable economic growth through the retention and attraction of businesses.

The Community and Marketing Services Department (Economic Development Division) has prepared a number of economic and community profile publications to assist businesses, investors and entrepreneurs to better understand the local economy and investment potential.

**Inventory of Land and Space** – an inventory of land, buildings and space available for sale or lease within the industrial and commercial areas of Whitby.

**Community Profile** – a database of demographics and statistical information on Whitby.

**Economic Profile** – a summary of economic facts.

Industrial Business Directory - a listing of businesses and industries located in the industrial area.

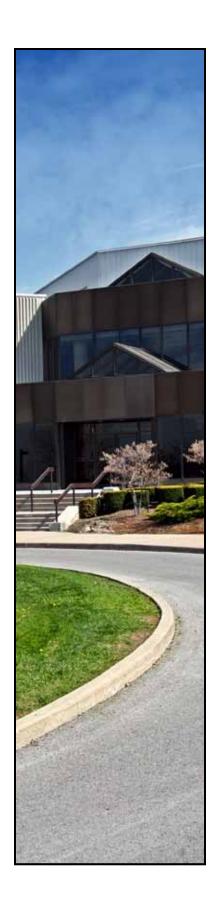
Whitby's Starting A New Business Guide - a booklet containing information on starting your own business.

Street Map & Community Guide – a detailed street map and reference to community amenities and services.

**The Whitby Perspective** – a bi-annual newsletter informing residents and businesses on items of community interest, new programs and general information.

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# QUICK FACTS

Population:123,500\*Land Area:147.3 sq. km (56.87 square miles)Location:48 km (30 miles) east of Toronto on Highway 401

### TRANSPORTATION

Roads:	Highways 401, 2, 12 and 7
Rail:	CN, CP, GO Commuter Rail, Via Rail Oshawa
<b>Bus Service:</b>	GO Transit, Durham Regional Transit
Air:	Oshawa Airport
Water:	Port Whitby Marina (Recreation), Whitby Yacht Club (Recreation),
	Deep Sea Harbour - Oshawa Harbour

### ENERGY

Hydro:Whitby Hydro, Ontario Power GenerationNatural Gas:Enbridge Gas Distribution

### **I**NDUSTRY

**Predominant Types of Industry:** steel, pharmaceuticals, plastics, packaging, telecommunications, paper, automotive, publishing, electronics, defence technology, information technology, consumer products, recycling and environmental management, engineering, warehousing, fabricated metals.

**Industrial Land:** Approximate cost per acre ranges from \$100,000 to \$300,000.

Industrial Rental Rates: Lease cost per sq. ft. net: \$3.65 - \$8.23







\* Source: Durham Region Planning Department

### LIFESTYLE

#### **HOUSING TYPE**

Predominantly detached single-family dwelling units, townhouses, condominiums, executive homes and apartments available.

#### HOUSING PRICE RANGE

\$226,000 - \$800,000 +

#### EDUCATION (FRENCH AND ENGLISH SCHOOLS AVAILABLE)

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- Public Schools
- University of Ontario Institute of Technology
- Catholic Schools
- Durham College Durham College Skills Training Centre
- 9 Montessori Schools Secondary Schools
- Trafalgar Castle School

#### **HEALTH CARE**

Lakeridge Health Whitby, Whitby Mental Health Centre, medical clinics.

#### PROTECTION

5 Town of Whitby Fire Stations, Durham Regional Police Service and Ontario Provincial Police, and **Durham Regional Emergency Medical Services** 

#### **RECREATIONAL/CULTURAL FACILITIES**

- McKinney Centre offers three ice pads, including a figure-skating rink, boardrooms, and a concession stand
- Youth Room in the McKinney Centre offers theme nights, special events, activities and workshops involving youth issues and interests, internet access, homework stations, an entertainment centre, video games, a pool table and foosball for youth 12 to 18 years of age (membership is free of charge)
- Iroquois Park Sports Centre a multi-million dollar major recreational complex with six ice surfaces, two ٠ indoor pools, tennis courts, food court and concession, and playing fields. Canada's largest municipally operated recreation centre.
- Curling club
- Kids family centre
- Fitness clubs
- Whitby Indoor Soccer Dome
- Whitby Civic Recreation Complex
- Whitby Senior's Activity Centre
- **Bowling Green**
- **Brock Street Activity Centre**
- Luther Vipond Memorial Arena

#### **RECREATIONAL/CULTURAL FACILITIES CONTINUED**

- Station Gallery
- 5 community centres Heydenshore Pavilion, Brooklin Community Centre, Ashburn Community Centre, Centennial Building and Spencer Community Centre.
- 8 golf facilities
- 120 parks
- Whitby Public Library 3 Branches
- Port Whitby Marina and boat launch: 420 slip Marina, 566 m<sup>2</sup> first class clubhouse, Winter storage up to 60 feet or 35 tons, Summer land storage, supply store, boat repairs.
- Whitby Yacht Club
- Hunter Farms
- Captain James Rowe House
- Whitby Shores Waterfront Trail
- · Live theatre at Whitby Centennial Building
- Conservation areas Heber Down, Lynde Shores
- Cullen Central Park
- Various other attractions

#### SERVICE CLUBS AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Most community organizations and service clubs are available.

#### SHOPPING

- Thickson Ridge Power Centre
- · Garden and Taunton Power Centre
- Whitby Mall
- Plazas
- Small retail outlets
- Beautiful historic Whitby and Brooklin downtown shopping areas

#### **BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS**

Whitby Chamber of Commerce Telephone: 905-668-4506 Website: www.whitbychamber.org Downtown Brooklin Business Association Website: www.downtownbrooklin.ca

# LOCATION - TOWN OF WHITBY

Whitby, Ontario, Canada is located on the north shore of Lake Ontario and covers 147.3 sq. km (56.87 square miles). Whitby, "Durham's Business Centre", is located in the centre of the region and is 48 km (30 miles) east from the centre core of Toronto (Fig. 1).

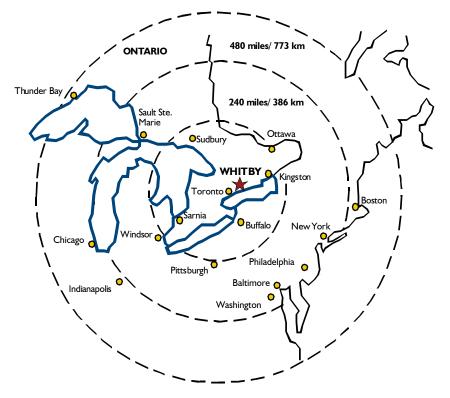


Fig. 1 Town of Whitby – Location

Geographically, Whitby is able to support a large and affluent consumer market. Within a day's trucking of Ontario, two-thirds of the Canadian market and half of the American market are readily accessible.



#### DISTANCE FROM WHITBY TO KEY POINTS

In Canada		
City	Miles	Kilometres
Vancouver	2788	4485
Calgary	2139	3441
Sault Ste. Marie	450	724
Sudbury	253	407
Toronto	30	48
Ottawa	227	365
Montreal	317	510
Halifax	1063	1710

In United States		
City	Miles	Kilometres
Milwaukee	602	968
Chicago	525	840
Cincinnati	517	827
New York	493	793
Boston	528	849
Cleveland	308	495
Washington D.C.	491	790
Philadelphia	476	765

#### BORDER CROSSING POINTS

City	Miles	Kilometres
Cornwall	245	395
Niagara Falls	112	180
Sarnia	205	330
Fort Erie	128	206
Windsor	260	420

#### **CLIMATE STATISTICS**

Latitude:	43° 52" North
Longitude:	78° 55" West
Altitude:	139.59 m (458 ft) above sea level
Wharf:	77.23 m (251 ft) above sea level

Mean Temperature Range		
High (July):	20.3° C	(68.5° F)
Low (January):	-5.6° C	(21.9° F)

Average Yearly Rainfall:	71.68 cm (2.35 ft)
Average Yearly Snowfall:	149.0 cm (4.9 ft)
Frost Depth:	l m (3.25 ft)
Average Hours of Sunshine:	2045.4 (per year)
Annual Relative Humidity:	75%
Sea Level Pressure:	101.6 kpa
Prevailing Wind Direction:	Northwest
Average Wind Speed:	13 km/hour (8.5 miles/hour)

## WHITBY - THE COMMUNITY OF CHOICE

It was more than 150 years ago that the Town of Whitby was chosen as the seat of government for the new County of Ontario. Today, the Town of Whitby, located in the heart of Durham Region, remains the "Community of Choice" for government, industry and families.

Incorporated in 1855, the **downtown business centre** remains steeped in history, incorporating a Victorian atmosphere and architecture of years gone by. A walking tour of the downtown areas guides visitors past heritage homes and business establishments, which have been carefully preserved through the efforts of the Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee (LACAC). Located a short distance from the downtown, one can find the *Station Gallery*, a vintage 1903 Victorian railway station, which houses a collection of exciting art exhibitions by Canadian artists. The *Centennial Building*, which is the former County Courthouse and jail, was built in 1855 and has since been converted into the community theatre.

While possessing a sentimental attachment to the past, the community has been able to develop a vibrant and progressive character, which makes it a great place to live and an exciting place to visit. Well established neighbourhoods offer residents everything they want in a community: from modern schools and churches of all denominations to great shopping, public transit and an extensive variety of recreational facilities. Residents and visitors to Whitby can enjoy more than 120 parks, linked by a series of bicycle paths. *The Whitby Civic Recreation Complex* is a state-of-the-art facility offering the best in cardio and fitness equipment, programming and fitness classes. The facility also features a 25-metre pool, water slide, jet training pool and sauna. On a grander scale, *Iroquois Park Sports Centre*, Canada's largest municipally operated sports centre, is a year-round facility, where the whole family can participate in sports that include swimming, hockey, tennis, soccer, baseball, lacrosse and more. Sport teams and organizations host tournaments, special events, conferences or trade shows. Located adjacent to the Sports Centre offers two ice pads, a figure-skating rink, boardrooms, and a concession stand. Our newest facility, The Indoor Soccer Dome, offers two indoor soccer pitches with associated amenity space.

The Town of Whitby, referred to as **Durham Region's Business Centre**, maintains a strong and diverse industrial base that covers a wide range of industries such as plastics, packaging, automotive, pharmaceuticals, steel and telecommunications. Well served by Whitby Hydro and Ontario Power Generation, companies also have easy access to natural gas. The Town offers many choices of affordable industrial and commercial serviced land ranging in cost from \$100,000 to \$300,000 per acre.

Supporting local business efforts, the *Skills Training Centre of Durham College* provides effective, customized training for business and industry in the areas of business management, apprenticeship, skilled trades and emergency services. The community has also improved its ability to accommodate the increased number of business travellers with Quality Suites, Canadiana Inn, The Heritage House Bed & Breakfast, Lucien Motel, Royal Motel, Travelodge Oshawa-Whitby, Woodycrest Motel, The Ezra Annes House Bed & Breakfast, Motel 6, Holiday Inn Express, and Residence Inn Marriott.

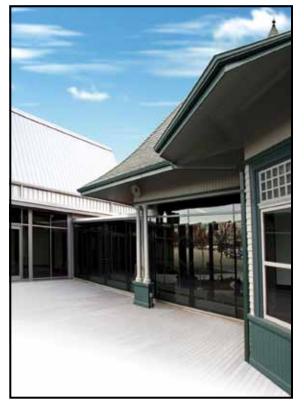
Whitby's status as the Community of Choice is exemplified by many well known companies that have facilities in Whitby; BMW Canada, Sony, Atlantic Packaging, Gerdau Ameristeel, Makita, Liquor Control Board of Ontario, McGraw- Hill Ryerson, to name a few.

The population of the Town is currently projected to be 123,500 and it is expected to increase to 129,900 in the next 3 years. The recent surges in population growth have been accompanied by an increase in retail and entertainment development projects. Of note is the AMC Canada Movie Theatre and Entertainment Centrum, located on Consumers Drive at Highway 401, which anchors a number of entertainment and dining facilities.

Whitby is officially **"twinned"** with Longueuil, Quebec; Feldkirch, Austria and Whitby, England. Whitby's program of exchange visits with Longueuil, Quebec, is the longest running program of its kind in Canada.



The Centennial Building



The Station Gallery

### HISTORY OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

Although settlement dates back to the early 1800s, it was not until 1836 that a downtown business centre was established by one of Whitby's leading entrepreneurs, Peter Perry. From the beginning, Whitby's chief asset was its fine natural harbour on Lake Ontario, from which grain from the farmland to the north was first shipped in 1833. In the 1840s, a road was built from Whitby Harbour to Lake Simcoe and Georgian Bay to bring trade through the harbour to and from the rich hinterland to the north.

The establishment of Whitby as the "County Town" in 1852 initiated a building boom; its population grew from about 1000 to 3500 within five years and the harbour activity became second to the City of Toronto in the amount of business it handled. The Town was the site of the Court House, Jail and Land Registry Office for the County of Ontario, attracting many lawyers, county officials and professional men as residents. The community's growing prominence was further demonstrated in 1870, when it was chosen as the location for the Queen's Plate horse race, attracting a crowd of 10,000. Later in the 1870s a railway was constructed to Port Perry and Lindsay from Whitby Harbour.

Whitby maintained its status as a prominent community in Upper Canada until the 1890s when the U.S. Government passed the McKinley Tariff Act, which placed a tariff/tax on Canadian grain being shipped to the U.S.A. This tariff affected grain shipments from Port Whitby and the last shipments of grain were made in 1913.

Whitby Harbour has enjoyed a new revival after it was designated by the Federal Government as a recreational harbour in 1967. Whitby's harbour is now completely recreational, featuring a yacht club, marina and boat-launching facilities. In 1974, the Iroquois Park Sports Centre was established near the harbour. This complex, since expanded, consists of six arenas, two indoor swimming pools, tennis courts, baseball diamonds, soccer pitches, public hall, and a restaurant. In May 1995, a waterfront trail opened through Whitby as part of a 300 km trail from Burlington to Trenton developed by the Waterfront Regeneration Trust. The development of the Trail and surrounding parkland came about largely through the efforts of the Town of Whitby in partnership with the Lion's and Kiwanis Clubs. The 5.7 km trail follows Victoria Street along the lakeshore from Whitby Harbour to Intrepid Park at the Oshawa border. The asphalt trail is an attraction for walkers and cyclists.

Whitby is also the site of Trafalgar Castle School, a private girls' school founded in 1874. The building, constructed as an Elizabethan-style castle in 1859-62 as a private residence for the Sheriff of Ontario County, is a significant architectural landmark and Whitby's only provincial historic site marked with a plaque. Students from around the world attend Trafalgar Castle School. The school celebrated its 130<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2004.

During the Second World War, Whitby was the location of Camp X, a secret spy training facility on the shore of Lake Ontario established by Sir William Stephenson, the "Man Called Intrepid." A monument was unveiled on the site of Camp X in 1984 by Ontario's Lieutenant-Governor John Black Aird, where the original camp buildings once stood. After the war, Whitby began attracting industry from Toronto and began to grow again, reaching a population of 15,000 in 1957.

In 1958, Whitby gained international recognition when the Whitby Dunlops defeated Russia to win the World Amateur Hockey Championship for Canada. Thus began a tradition of sporting excellence to be continued by athletes such as famed jockey Sandy Hawley; Anne Ottenbrite, who won gold, silver and bronze medals in the 1984 Summer Olympics; and NHL hockey players Joe Nieuwendyk, Adam Foote, Gary Roberts and Keith Primeau, who represented Canada on its 1998 and 2002 Winter Olympic Hockey Teams in Nagano, Japan, and Salt Lake City, U.S.A. Other NHL players from Whitby include Wayne Primeau and Jamie Allison. Mike Keenan, NHL coach, is another Whitby boy. The Brooklin Redmen Senior Lacrosse Team has won the Mann Cup for the Canadian Championship on a number of occasions. In addition, the Whitby Warriors, the junior lacrosse team, has won the Minto Cup for the Canadian championship.

In 1968, the Town of Whitby amalgamated with its northern neighbour - Whitby Township - to form a new town, which combined urban and rural lifestyles and included the hamlets of Ashburn, Brooklin, Myrtle and Myrtle Station. Since 1974, Whitby has been the headquarters for the Region of Durham, which replaced the old County of Ontario.

Many significant buildings of architectural heritage exist today in Whitby and Brooklin, serving new and useful purposes for the citizens for generations to come. The Town has joined over 200 other Ontario cities and towns in taking steps through the Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee (LACAC) to ensure that the fine buildings that give character and individuality to the community are preserved for the future as practical and aesthetic evidence of the past.

For further information on LACAC, contact the Secretary, LACAC, Municipal Building, 575 Rossland Road East, Whitby, Ontario LIN 2M8. Telephone: 905-668-5803

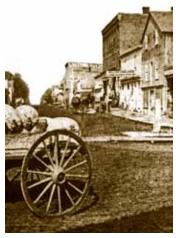
Source: Chronicles of a County Town: Whitby Past and Present by Brian Winter, Town Archivist



Centennial Building



Skating rink on Brock street, 1940



Brock Street looking North, 1863

## TOWN OF WHITBY ARCHIVES

Brian Winter is the Archivist for the Town of Whitby. He collects and maintains historical records of the Town and Township of Whitby, Ashburn, Brooklin, Myrtle and Myrtle Station from 1801 to present. The archives contain genealogical information on more than 2500 families and nearly 5000 photographs from 1860 to present. Mr. Winter has also published a 400-page illustrated history of Whitby entitled *Chronicles of a County Town - Whitby Past and Present*. This book, the first comprehensive history of Whitby published since 1907, is a collection of stories from the Town's history over the past 200 years.

#### WHITBY ARCHIVES

Location: 405 Dundas Street West (in the Whitby Central Library) Telephone: 905-668-6531 Fax: 905-668-7445

### ORIGIN OF THE NAME "WHITBY"

According to Archivist Brian Winter, Whitby Township (now the Town of Whitby) was named after the seaport town of Whitby, Yorkshire, England. When the township was originally surveyed in 1792, the surveyor, from the northern part of England named the townships east of Toronto after towns on England's North-East Coast: York, Scarborough, Pickering, Whitby and Darlington. The name "Whitby" is Danish, dating from about 867 A.D. when the Danes invaded Britain. It is a contraction of "Whitteby," meaning "White Village." The allusion may be to the white lighthouse on the pier at Whitby, Yorkshire, and also at Whitby, Ontario.



Lighthouse at Whitby Harbour c. 1935



Whitby Baseball, c. 1909



Children in front of 207 Dundas St. 1955

# DEMOGRAPHICS

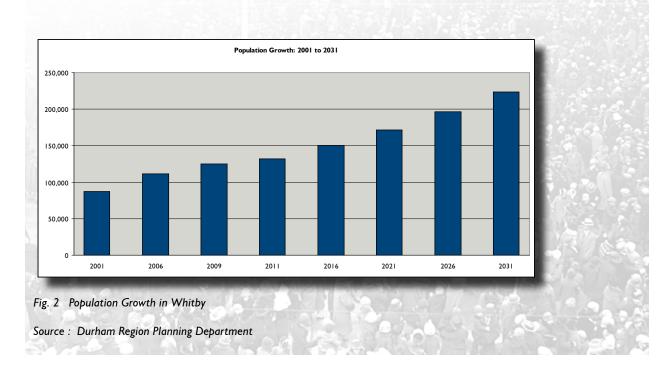
## POPULATION GROWTH

Whitby's population increase over the 1996 to 2001 period was the highest of all Region of Durham municipalities (Statistics Canada) at 27.1%. Whitby's population figures include the Village of Brooklin, hamlets of Myrtle and Ashburn. The population of Brooklin is approximately 15,000 and is expected to increase to 20,000 by the year 2011 and 30,000 by 2016.

Year	Population
2001	93,720
2006	117,275
2009	123,500
2011	127,800
2016	140,600
2021	156,900
2026	179,200
2031	192,900

#### POPULATION GROWTH: 2001 TO 2031

Source : Durham Region Planning Department



# POPULATION BY AGE AND GENDER: 2001 - 2009

	200	1	20	05	20	09
Age	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0-4	3,091	2,944	2,921	2,818	4,811	4,605
5-9	3,550	3,358	3,577	3,481	5,157	4,762
10-14	3,731	3,491	4,086	3,918	5,399	5,095
15-19	3,456	3,292	3,901	3,769	5,825	5,519
20-24	2,956	2,984	3,598	3,498	5,259	4,762
25-29	2,769	2,940	3,020	2,938	4,423	4,594
30-34	3,207	3,489	3,170	3,281	5,368	5,625
35-39	3,786	4,085	3,800	4,091	5,920	6,125
40-44	3,893	4,046	4,750	5,053	6,136	6,249
45-49	3,541	3,614	4,196	4,354	6,323	6,512
50-54	2,865	2,820	3,348	3,419	5,062	5,299
55-59	2,099	2,022	2,731	2,738	4,005	4,091
60-64	I,546	1,541	1,756	1,781	2,987	3,122
65-69	1,195	1,286	1,226	1,355	1,956	2,163
70+	2,043	3,034	2,438	3,571	3,903	5,692

Fig. 3 Population By Age and Gender

Source: Financial Market Reports, 2009





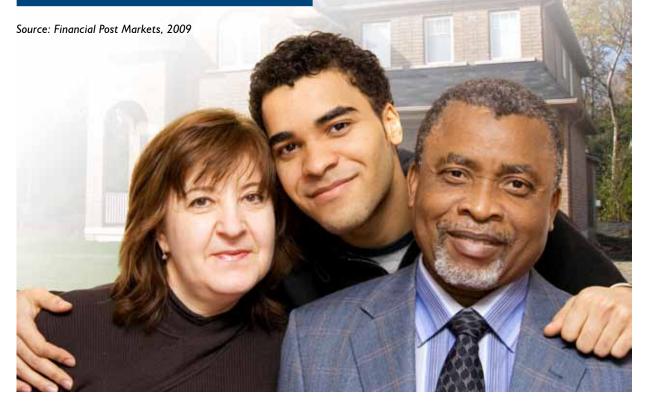


# POPULATION BY MOTHER TONGUE

#### 2009 ESTIMATES

Official Languages	
English	110,654
French	533
Non-Official Languages	
Chinese	394
Italian	273
Punjabi	218
Polish	204
Spanish	171
Vietnamese	115
Hungarian	93
other Languags	831
Multiple Reponses	9,571
French	425
Other Languages	638





### Households

The number of private households in Whitby in 2008 is estimated at 42,672 with 2.8 persons per household.

	Type of Dwelling – Town of Whitby					
Structure Type	1991	1996	2001	2006	2009 (Estimates)	2001-2006
Single detached dwelling	14,645	16,845	20,800	26,366	35,917	27%
Semi detached dwelling	765	720	915	1,303	١,789	42%
Row House	855	1,795	2,435	4,059	5,595	66%
Apartments						
Detached duplex	260	485	365	745	940	104%
Building with 5 or more storeys	1,375	2,420	2,445	2,328	2,903	(5%)
Building with fewer than 5 stories	1,575	١,690	1,590	2,328	3,030	46%
Other Single- detached dwelling	30	35	30	111	41	270%
Moveable dwelling	75	0	75	81	95	
Total	19,580	23,995	28,640	37,240	50,310	30%

Source: Stats Canada, 1991, 1996 and 2006, \*Financial Post Market, 2009

### NCOME

2009 Average Household Income for Whitby is projected to be \$110,269. Also, both the average male and female incomes for Whitby in 2009 are shown to be \$64,472 for male and \$39,260 for female.

	Whitby - Income	Durham Region - Income
Avg Household Income	\$110,269	\$89,570
Avg Family Income	\$116,595	\$94,272
Per Capita Income	\$37,803	\$31,960
Avg Male	\$64,472	\$54,542
Avg Female	\$39,260	\$33,284
Avg Male (full-time)	\$82,43I	\$66,425
Avg Female (full-time)	\$56,737	\$46,094

Source: Financial Post Markets, 2009

# LABOUR FORCE

The Town of Whitby prides itself on having one of the finest diversified labour forces in the industrial marketplace of Ontario. Skilled and semi-skilled trades people have the expertise in steel fabrication, plastics, defence technology, information technology, automotive operations, pharmaceuticals, electronics, telecommunications, packaging and publishing to name a few.

For people in the labour force requiring further education or retraining. **Durham College Skills Training Centre** in Whitby is a world-class training centre. The state-of-the-art technology found in classrooms and shops are second to none. Not only does this advanced technology contribute to the high quality education the students receive, it enhances Durham Region's ability to respond to the training needs of the community.

Human Resources and Social Development Canada (www.hrsdc.gc.ca) extends support information and assists all companies, especially those in transition of relocating firms to the area.

# LABOUR FORCE BY EMPLOYMENT

Total In Labour Force	81,624
Total Employed	81,992
Total Unemployed	4,632
Participation Rate male	79.6%
Participation Rate female	70.4%
Unemployment Rate male	5.7%
Unemployment Rate female	5.0%

## LABOUR FORCE BY OCCUPATION

Management occupations	10,661
Business, finance and administrative occupations	18,332
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	6,936
Health occupations	4,467
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	3,975
Occupations in education	3,751
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	2,478
Sales and service occupations	18,521
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	10,583
Occupations unique to primary industry	1,224
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	3,823

Source: Financial Post Markets, 2009

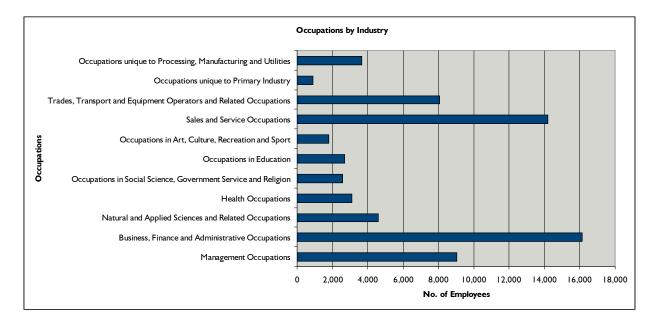


Fig. 4 Labour Force by Occupation

Source: Financial Post Markets, 2009









# INDUSTRIAL PROFILE

# TOP PUBLIC SECTOR EMPLOYERS

#### Name of Employer

#### Description

Education Education Education Hospital Warehousing/ Distribution Government Government Hospital Library



# TOP PRIVATE SECTOR EMPLOYERS

#### Name of Employer

Aecon Atlantic Packaging Ball Packaging Products Canada Inc. **BMW** Canada Incorporated **Exopack Performance Films** Gerdau Ameristeel Corp. Greenwood Mushroom Farm Horn Plastics ( A Division of NS Technologies Inc.) Johnson Controls Lear Corporation Makita McGraw-Hill Ryerson Ltd. McNairn, J.H. Limited Nemato Composites Patheon Inc. Sobey's Whitby Retail Support Centre Woodbridge Foam Corporation

#### Description

**Professional Consulting Services** Packaging Food Packaging Automotive Packaging Primary Steel Food Processing Plastic Products Automotive Sub-assembly Motor Vehicle Seat Systems Design and Manufacture Power Tools Book Publishing Industry Packaging Design and Manufacture Composite Products Pharmaceutical and Medicine Warehouse and Distribution of Groceries Motor Vehicle Foam Seats

## UNION PROFILE

There are a number of organized employees working in industries in the industrial-zoned areas of Whitby and throughout Durham Region.

The following is a list of active unions within Durham Region's industrial community:

- Canadian Auto Workers
- Communications, Energy and Paper Workers
- Energy and Chemical Workers
- International Association of Machinist & Aerospace Workers
- International Brotherhood of Teamsters
- International Moulders & Allied Workers
- International Woodworkers of America
- Labourers & Carpenters Union
- Ontario Liquor Board Employees Union
- Plumbers, Steamfitters & Sheet Metal Union
- Power Workers Union
- Transportation & Communication Workers International
- United Steelworkers of America



Industrial Profile



## INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS

#### INDUSTRIES WITH MORE THAN 50,000 SQ. FT. (PHYSICAL SPACE)

Company	Square Footage
Gerdau Ameristeel Corp.	778,876
Liquor Control Board of Ontario	484,784
Sobey's Whitby Retail Support Centre	474,526
Atlantic Packaging Products Ltd.	299,332
Ball Packaging Products Canada Inc.	206,613
Patheon Inc.	183,998
Lear Corporation	183,589
Makita Canada Inc.	154,236
McGraw-Hill Ryerson Ltd.	122,568
Fisher Scientific Company Limited	112,095
ASC Signal Inc.	89,903
Horn Plastics (A Division of NS Technologies Inc.)	86,950
Hanson Pipe & Products Canada Inc.	83,958
Woodbridge Foam Corporation	77,574
North American Steel Equipment Co. Ltd.	73,097
Novaflex Hose	69,352
M.T.C.	67,392
WEGU Canada Incorporated	65,583
Acumen Machine and Fabrication Ltd.	65,326







### Industrial Land

Whitby has approximately 1,800 acres of existing and designated industrial land. Currently over 250 acres of fully serviced, prime industrial lands are available for sale or lease within Whitby and are located within minutes of Highway 401.

Lakeview Industrial Estates is a well-established industrial park located just south of Highway 401 and east of Thickson Road. Parcels of various sizes are available. Companies such as Sony of Canada, Lear Corporation and Woodbridge Foam are located in this area. The Park is located a few minutes from General Motors and Durham College Skills Training Centre is nearby.

**Thickson Woods Business Park** contains 30 acres of industrial land and parcels from one acre up are available. The Park is situated in the heart of the older industrial area and overlooks Lake Ontario. Fully serviced, the site is also conveniently located near the Durham College Skills Training Centre.

The **Durham Business Centre** offers 80 acres of prime industrial land overlooking the prestigious Whitby Harbour. Conveniently located adjacent to a major highway interchange, the GO Train Station and Iroquois Park Sports Centre, the property is being developed for prestige office purposes for corporate headquarters.

The *Hopkins Business Area* is located just north of Highway 401 and is situated between two major highway interchanges. It is one of Whitby's most developed industrial areas and one can find major international companies.

Industrial parks and privately owned industrial properties in Whitby are competitively priced when compared to land in the Greater Toronto Area. For information on current land or buildings available for lease or purchase, contact the Economic Development Division at 905-430-4303.

## INDUSTRIAL MULTI-TENANT INFORMATION

The following information pertains to existing industrial multi-tenant or condominiums within the industrial zoned area and indicates the total square feet in each building.

Address	Total Square Footage
1001 Burns St.	30,000
1850 Champlain Ave.	13,882
1632 Charles St.	60,000
1710 Charles St.	33,354
600 Euclid St.	24,000
900 Hopkins St.	19,780
1380 Hopkins St.	33,000
1390 Hopkins St.	39,350
1400 Hopkins St.	37,000
1450 Hopkins St.	40,000
1501 Hopkins St.	10,000
105 Industrial Dr.	39,414
III Industrial Dr.	69,852
1610 McEwen Dr.	27,000
1621 McEwen Dr.	60,317
100 Scotia Court	44,000
110 Scotia Court	89,000
202 South Blair St.	300,000
II Stanley Court	18,000
12 Stanley Court	29,386
10 Sunray St.	35,312
95 Sunray St.	47,491
2001 Thickson Rd. S.	48,097
1601 Tricont Ave.	95,688
300 Water St.	160,000
1751 Wentworth St.	38,000
1801 Wentworth St.	38,000
2020 Wentworth St.	34,000
240 South Blair St.	300,000







# BUILDING ACTIVITY

#### CONSTRUCTION VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS

A key measure of economic activity and growth is the level of new investment in the community. From January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 the Town of Whitby issued 1116 building permits with a construction value of \$255 million.

Year	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agri/Institutional	Total
1998	109,700,330	32,968,887	13,627,682	4,911,689	161,208,588
1999	192,456,524	13,358,236	23,038,340	14,579,834	243,432,934
2000	223,789,094	14,887,398	34,412,614	37,259,350	310,348,456
2001	227,572,073	11,933,628	33,954,073	1,572,520	275,032,294
2002	255,788,088	18,820,131	13,930,469	8,027,600	296,566,288
2003	419,801,788	44,756,706	12,277,291	137,091,405	613,927,190
2004	229,284,241	35,102,502	21,139,269	19,290,146	304,816,158
2005	289,747,914	36,160,910	29,290,649	30,315,180	385,514,653
2006	147,917,097	11,086,499	6,256,600	1,368,226	166,628,422
2007	203,503,656	20,093,514	17,536,600	9,429,896	250,563,666
2008	147,607,165	55,723,611	24,247,029	27,891,000	255,468,805

2008 - Source: Whitby Public Works Department

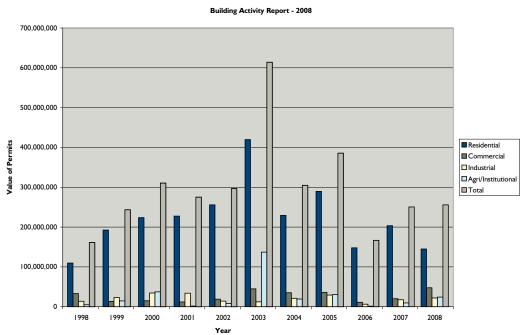


Fig. 8 Construction Value of Building Permits

	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997
Single Family	328	412	420	865	630	1273	7	759	839	991	552	553
Links	82	69	109	134	95	189	80	85	171	102	9	9
Semi-Detached	34	113	84	114	175	413	360	229	140	122	52	123
Apartment Units	0	0	184	0	0	0	0	0	126	I	0	9
Apt. in House	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	4	8	-
Apt. Condo (Units)	0	132	216	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Townhouses (Units)	249	185	163	420	333	423	211	371	412	126	74	114
Townhouses/ Condos (Units)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	97
Group Homes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	2	0
Duplex	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	0	0	0	0	0
Total	693	911	1176	1533	1233	2298	1769	1444	1689	1347	746	905

#### CONSTRUCTION OF RESIDENTIAL DWELLINGS (UNITS)

2008 – Source: Whitby Public Works Department





# TAXES AND DEVELOPMENT CHARGES

### Development Charges

Development charges for the Town of Whitby, the Region of Durham, the Durham District School Board and the Durham Catholic District School Board are imposed against all residential development in the municipality. The development charge amount varies depending on the type of unit being constructed.

The Region of Durham and the Durham District School Board do not currently impose development charges for industrial development. The industrial/commercial development charge rate is as follows:

#### 2009 RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT CHARGES - TOWN OF WHITBY

Single and Semi:	\$10,208
Apartments:	\$3,914
Multiples:	\$8,455

#### 2009 INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT CHARGES

Whitby:	Industrial: \$3.62/sq.ft.	Commercial: \$3.62/sq.ft.
Durham Region:	Industrial: \$2.31/sq.ft.	Commercial: \$8.78/sq.ft.

For information regarding development charges, contact the Durham Region Finance department at 905-668-7711.

### MUNICIPAL FINANCE

Taxes are levied in all municipalities in Ontario to cover the costs of municipal services and education. The amount of property taxes levied is determined by apportioning the net budgetary requirements to the assessed values of properties.

For more information on taxes, please contact: Town of Whitby's Corporate Services department at 905-430-4304.



# TAXES

#### 2009 TAX RATES - URBAN

Tax Class	Town General Municipal	General Municipal	Region Transit	Waste Disposal	Region Subtotal	Education	TOTAL
RT - Residential Full Rate	0.00430586	0.00645530	0.00052866	0.00042888	0.00741284	0.00252000	0.01423870
RI - Farmlands Awaiting Development Phase I	0.00322939	0.00484148	0.00039650	0.00032166	0.00555964	0.00189000	0.01067903
MT - Multi-Res - Full Rate	0.00803688	0.01204882	0.00098675	0.00080050	0.01383607	0.00252000	0.02439295
FT - Farmlands	0.00086117	0.00129106	0.00010573	0.00008578	0.00148257	0.00063000	0.00297374
CT - Commercial Full Rate	0.00624349	0.00936019	0.00076656	0.00062188	0.01074863	0.01388476	0.03087688
CU - Commercial Vacant Units	0.00437044	0.00655213	0.00053659	0.00043531	0.00752403	0.00971933	0.02161380
CX - Commercial Vacant Land	0.00437044	0.00655213	0.00053659	0.00043531	0.00752403	0.00971933	0.02161380
GT - Parking Lots Full Rate	0.00624349	0.00936019	0.00076656	0.00062188	0.01074863	0.01388476	0.03087688
DT - Office Full Rate	0.00624349	0.00936019	0.00076656	0.00062188	0.01074863	0.01388476	0.03087688
ST - Shopping Full Rate	0.00624349	0.00936019	0.00076656	0.00062188	0.01074863	0.01388476	0.03087688
SU - Shopping Vacant Units	0.00437044	0.00655213	0.00053659	0.00043531	0.00752403	0.00971933	0.02161380
IT - Industrial Full Rate	0.00973038	0.01458769	0.00119467	0.00096918	0.01675154	0.01939362	0.04587554
IU - Industrial Vacant Units	0.00632487	0.00948219	0.00077655	0.00062998	0.01088872	0.01260585	0.02981944
IX - Industrial Vacant Land	0.00632487	0.00948219	0.00077655	0.00062998	0.01088872	0.01260585	0.02981944
LT - Large Industrial Full Rate	0.00973038	0.01458769	0.00119467	0.00096918	0.01675154	0.01939362	0.04587554
LU - Large Industrial Vacant Units	0.00632487	0.00948219	0.00077655	0.00062998	0.01088872	0.01260585	0.02981944
PT - Pipeline	0.00529362	0.00793615	0.00064994	0.00052727	0.00911336	0.01520000	0.02960698
TT - Managed Forests	0.00107646	0.00161383	0.00013216	0.00010722	0.00185321	0.00063000	0.00355967

Note: To determine the property tax payable, multiply the property's assessed value by the total tax rate for that property class.

**The Municipal Property Assessment Corporation** (MPAC) at 1-866-296-6722 can provide an estimated assessment for a new building or an addition. An estimate of your annual taxes can be calculated by multiplying this assessment by the annual tax rates. There is a small fee payable to MPAC for this service. If you are purchasing an existing building, contact the current property owner to find out the annual tax liability.

### Assessment

**The Ontario Property Assessment Corporation** delivers a broad range of assessment services to municipalities. For assessment information telephone 905-432-8444 or toll free at 1-800-268-4224. Roll Return information for all properties in Ontario can be viewed on their website (www.opac.on.ca).

# UTILITIES

### WATER SUPPLY & SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE

#### WATER SUPPLY

Source:Lake OntarioContact:The Regional Municipality of Durham<br/>Works DepartmentAddress:105 Consumers Drive<br/>Whitby, Ontario L1N 6A3Telephone:905-668-7721 ext. 5366Toronto Line:1-800-372-1103Fax:905-668-2051Website:www.region.durham.on.ca

#### **REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY**

Whitby is provided with water by a regional water supply system, which includes three separate watersupply plants incorporating the latest in water-treatment technology. The three supply plants together with water-pumping stations and water storage reservoirs are operated by a central computer-based control system. Water storage facilities have been constructed at elevated locations to provide water by gravity for balancing pressures, fire protection, and an emergency reserve. This system will ensure a safe, reliable water supply now and in the future for industrial, commercial and residential customers in the Whitby area.

#### **RAW WATER SUPPLY**

In addition to treated water supply, Durham Region also has a raw water system for supplying industrial users with large volumes of inexpensive processed water.

#### **DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM**

An extensive regional water distribution system links the communities of Whitby, Oshawa, Courtice, Ajax and Pickering. In the Whitby area, including Brooklin, there are currently 480 km of watermain, 2,829 hydrants and 28,130 service connections.

#### **PUMPING CAPACITY**

The combined capacity of the Whitby, Oshawa and Ajax water supply plants is 87 million imperial gallons (395 million litres) per day.

#### **PRESENT USAGE**

With a water supply system capacity of 87 million imperial gallons per day, this regional system has potential capacity for much future growth.

#### WATER TEMPERATURE

Minimum 2°C Maximum 20°C

#### CHEMICAL ANALYSIS (TYPICAL)

Total Hardness as CaC03	135 mg/L
M/O Alkalinity as CaC03	97 mg/L
Chloride as Cl	25 mg/L
рН	7.9
Total Iron as Fe	0.04 mg/L
Silica as SIO2	0.52 mg/L
Conductance (mhos 25C)	340 umho/cm
Magnesium as Mg	8 mg/L
Calcium as Ca	40 mg/L
Colour Units	2 true colour units
Turbidity	0.1 NTU

### SEWAGE TREATMENT

#### **TREATMENT PROCESS**

Whitby is provided with sewage treatment by two water pollution control plants, the Pringle Creek Water Pollution Control Plant and the Corbett Creek Water Pollution Control Plant. The treated effluent from these plants is discharged to Lake Ontario.

#### CAPACITY

The combined treatment capacity of both plants is 19.25 MIGD (Millions Imperial Gallons per Day).

#### SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM

Whitby, including Brooklin, is serviced by approximately 392 km (244 miles) of gravity sewers, which discharge to the two water-pollution control plants.

#### WATER AND SANITARY SEWER RATES

	Monthly Volume	Monthly Water Rate Schedule	Monthly Sanitary Sewer Rate Schedule (Based on Water Meter)	
First Block	0 to 10,000 gal./month	\$2.771/1000 gal.	\$4.657/1000 gal.	
	0 to 1600 cu. ft./month	\$1.726/100 cu. ft.	\$2.901/100 cu. ft.	
	0 to 45 cu. metres/month	\$0.610/cu. metre	\$1.025/cu. metre	
Second Block	10,001 to 1,000,000 gal./month	\$2.356/1000 gal.	\$4.098/1000 gal.	
	1601 to 160,000 cu. ft./month	\$1.468/100 cu. ft.	\$2.553/100 cu. ft.	
	46 to 4500 cu. metres/month	\$0.518/cu. metre	\$0.902/cu. metre	
Third Block	Over 1,000,000 gal./month	\$2.163/1000 gal.	\$3.444/1000 gal.	
	Over 160,000 cu. ft./month	\$1.348/100 cu. ft.	\$2.146/100 cu. ft.	
	Over 4500 cu. metres/month	\$0.476/cu. metre	\$0.758/cu. metre	
Multiple Unit	For multiple units, the consumption block limits are calculated by multiplying the above consumption block limits by the number of units. For example, the first block rate limit for an 8-unit mall is 360 cubic metres per month.			

Source : Works Department Regional Municipality of Durham

Meter or Fire Size Line (inches)	STD	I	1.5	2	2 .5	3	4	5	6	8	10	12
Service Charge	10.25	20.82	44.31	95.69		168.23	334.51		621.69	1,059.86	1,724.68	
Minimum Charge		35.00	66.00	128.00		220.00	433.00		791.00	1,300.00	2,059.00	
Unmetered Sprinkler Service Charge		7.91	10.63	20.58	27.27	36.15	72.32	97.08	33.53	222.50	355.04	500.58
Flat Rate	\$24.11 per month per unit											

#### **BASIC CHARGES (\$/MONTH)**

Source : Works Department Regional Municipality of Durham

#### **OTHER CHARGES**

Flat Rate:	Water \$27.31 per month per unit
On/Off Charge:	\$58.00 during working hours; \$84.00 after working hours
Minimum Charge:	\$27.00 per month (for meters 25mm and larger)

The above rates reflect a discount for prompt payment. The undiscounted rates are 10% higher than the discounted rates. Usage rates can change at anytime. Inquiries should be directed to the Durham Region Public Works Department.

For further information contact:

Contact:	The Regional Municipality of Durham
	Customer Service Department
Telephone:	905-571-6611
Toronto Line:	905-686-6611
Fax:	905-571-0148

### Waste Reduction Programs

Solid Waste Management in the Region of Durham is a modified two-tiered responsibility. Two of the eight local area municipalities provide residents with curbside garbage and leaf and yard waste collection services, including Whitby. The Region of Durham is responsible for the disposal of such wastes as well as the collection and processing of all Blue Box recyclables, the operation of four waste disposal sites, and the education and promotion of waste reduction through the 3 R's: Reduce – Reuse – Recycle.

#### **REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES**

The Region operates a small rural landfill site in the Township of Brock and three Waste Disposal Sites. These facilities offer residents the opportunity to properly dispose of garbage waste, Blue Box recyclables, wood & brush, leaf & yard wastes, scrap metal, household & car batteries, tires, drywall, motor oil, oil filters, propane tanks, fridges & stoves, as well as other household hazardous waste materials.

The Region's waste site closest to Whitby is located at 1640 Ritson Road North, Oshawa, Telephone: 905-433-2050. The hours of operation are Tuesday to Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed Sundays, Mondays and holidays.

The Region's waste disposal fee is \$120 per 1000 Kg and there is a minimum charge of \$5.00 per vehicle per load. Loads of Blue Box materials and household hazardous wastes are received at no charge provided they are delivered separately and not mixed with any other waste materials.

#### **REGIONAL CURBSIDE AND MULTI-RESIDENTIAL BLUE BOX RECYCLING PROGRAM**

The Region is responsible for the curbside collection, processing and marketing of Blue Box recyclables. In addition, Blue Box collection is offered to larger apartment buildings, townhouse complexes, and condominiums provided they receive local municipal garbage collection.

Materials collected include newspapers and inserts, all household papers, magazines, catalogues, telephone books, steel, aluminum and glass food and beverage containers, all plastic bottles with a twist off top, all milk/cream and juice cartons, empty dry metal paint cans, empty aerosol cans, ice cream tubs, margarine and yoghurt containers, aluminum pie plates, boxboard such as cereal and shoe boxes and corrugated cardboard.

For more information, call the Region of Durham, Works Department, 905-579-5264.

## WHITBY HYDRO ENERGY SERVICES

Address:100 Taunton Road East, P.O. Box 59<br/>Whitby, ON LIN 5R8Telephone:905-668-5878Fax:905-668-6598Website:www.whitbyhydro.on.ca

The Whitby Hydro Energy Services has served the residents, businesses and industries of the Town since 1903. Its long reputation of reliable, low cost energy has made Whitby Hydro a leader in electricity industry reform.

Whitby Hydro offers a full range of Electrical Engineering & Consulting Services for the medium and large size industrial customers, including:

- Substation Design and Construction
- Distribution System Design and Construction
- System Analysis and Data Collection
- Project Management
- Sub-metering
- Energy Consultation

Commercial and industrial electricity rates are among the lowest in Durham Region. Rates are available upon request for all application and markets.



#### **ELECTRICITY COMPETITION**

The Government of Ontario opened its electricity market to competition on May I, 2002, and users now have the choice in how they buy electricity. Larger electricity users may wish to have an Ontario Energy Board approved consultant to negotiate a fixed rate contract with a retailer on their behalf. In Durham Region, Whitby Hydro Energy Services is an approved OEB consultant. They can be reached at 905-668-8480.

# NATURAL GAS

Contact: Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. Telephone: 1–877–362–7434 Website: www.cgc.enbridge.com

Enbridge Consumers Gas has a solid reputation for quality and service. The diversification of natural gas is shown by its use in industrial, commercial and residential markets. New equipment technologies offer alternatives to a wide variety of uses in these markets.

Natural gas is a very cost competitive and abundantly available energy source for use in space heating, domestic water, cooking, and industrial process applications.

Utilization advisors for industrial and commercial applications are available to demonstrate how energy savings translate to cost savings. For an on-site appointment please call toll free 1-800-529-8034 or email at energyservice@cgc.enbridge.com. Natural gas rates are available upon request for all applications and markets.







# TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE

Whitby is well served by the quality and variety of transportation available to its residents and businesses.

# MAJOR HIGHWAYS

*Highway 401*, a major multi-lane freeway located in south Whitby, provides access east to the Ontario/ Quebec border and west to Windsor/Detroit, a stretch of over 800 km (500 miles).

**Highway 407 – Express Toll Route**, to be constructed by 2013, will be situated in the north half of Whitby providing an alternate east/west route. www.407etr.com

The industrial and commercial areas are easily accessed by two existing major interchanges (Brock Street/ Highway 12 and Thickson Road).

Whitby's Other Accessible Highways:

- #2 alternative route to Toronto and eastern destinations
- #7 alternative route to Toronto and eastern destinations
- #12 gateway to northern cottage country and many towns and cities



### Air

Toronto's **Lester B. Pearson International Airport** offers excellent connections to North America and overseas. The airport is 72 km (45 miles) west of Whitby and is served by over 75 commercial carriers - passenger and cargo. Ground transportation is available to and from Whitby. The Internet address is www.gtaa.com.

The **Oshawa Municipal Airport** is a regional facility, which provides cargo and charter passenger services to various points in Canada, and the U.S. Customs service is also available. For further information contact the airport at: South Field, P.O. Box 8, 1000 Stevenson Road North, Oshawa, ON LIJ 5P5 or North Field, 1200 Airport Boulevard, Oshawa, ON LIJ 8P5. Telephone: 905-576-8146. The Internet address is www.oshawa-airport.com.

## RAIL

The **Canadian National Railway** mainline traverses the Town of Whitby with an east to west orientation and has spur access to some industrial property's south of Highway 401. Rates are determined according to commodity, destination and weight. CN offers intermodal (container and highway trailer) and railcar transportation services. Whitby rail shippers may obtain rate information for their requirement as well as further information on other rail freight services by contacting the Account Development Group at 1-888-668-4626.

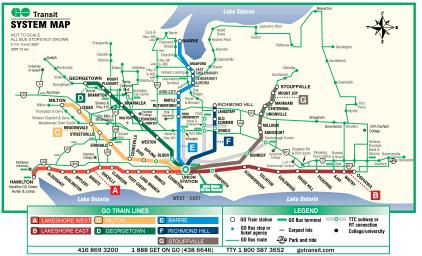
For information on track installations, please call 905-669-3071 or toll free 1-877-663-7245. The CN Internet address is www.cn.ca.

**Canadian Pacific Railway** has rail lines serving the needs of the Town of Whitby. CPR's main line between Windsor and Montreal serves a portion of the industrial area of Whitby. Daily service is available on these lines as is the ability to construct private rail sidings to meet the customer's transportation requirements.

Canadian Pacific Railway also has access through interswitching to Whitby's Thickson Road Industrial Park. For further information on services provided by CPR contact CPR'S Customer Service Team toll free at 1-888-333-8111. The Internet address is www.cpr.ca.

**Via Rail** enjoys a presence in all regions of Canada stretching from Atlantic to Pacific, from the Great Lakes to Hudson Bay. To serve Whitby and surrounding areas, the VIA Rail station is located on Bloor Street West in Oshawa. Telephone toll free 1-888-842-7245 for information on train arrivals and departures. The Internet address is www.viarail.ca.

The *GO commuter train* and bus network provides daily passenger service between Whitby and most communities in the Greater Toronto Area. GO serves an area of 3000 square kilometres and carries over 38 million people annually. Bus routes augment the rail service and serve points the trains do not reach. Durham Region Transit operates buses to the GO station and along routes within the town. For GO bus and train information telephone 416-869-3200 (Toronto) or toll free 1-888-438-6646 (1-888-GET ON GO). The Internet address is www.gotransit.com.



Source: GO Transit

### Sea

### PORT OSHAWA HARBOUR

Port Oshawa Harbour, located 10 km from Whitby, is capable of accommodating large sea-going vessels and provides our local industries with efficient access to the Great Lakes via the Welland Canal and the Atlantic Ocean via the St. Lawrence Seaway. The major cargo handled through the port include calcium chloride, liquid asphalt, potash and steel.

### FACILITIES

- Full seaway depth
- Three berths
- A specially designed RoRo ramp with fully paved fenced and lit compound
- Ice-free port
- · Industrial land for harbour-related industries
- Transit shed
- Bulk and open storage facilities
- Direct access to a six-lane freeway
- Customs point-of-entry serviced by major trucking firms, railway facilities, and crane capable of lifting 326 metric tonnes

For further information contact:

Contact: Oshawa Harbour Commission Address: 1050 Farewell Street South, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada, L1H 6N6 Telephone: 905-576-0400 Fax: 905-576-5701



# Durham Region Transit

The Vision of Durham Region Transit (DRT) is to create a service that is convenient, comfortable, connected and affordable.

The focus of the Regional transit system is "Connecting Communities". This mean providing seamless travel anywhere within Durham Region for a single fare "one fare anywhere in Durham". The goal is to integrate the transit system through new route maps and services that are easily accessible.

The DRT fare structure applies to both the conventional transit and specialized transit services within Durham. It allows customers to use this single fare system on all DRT and GO Transit buses throughout the Region. Transit passengers can transfer easily from all DRT and GO transit buses with a single fare. Frequency along HWY # 2 with connections to GO transit and the HWY # 7 corridor to connect York Region and GO Transit have also been increased.

For information on routes, schedules and fares please contact Durham Transit at 905-668-7711 or GO Transit at 1-888-438-6646.

Source: The Regional Municipality of Durham, Directory



## TRANSPORT COMPANIES

Many trucking and transport companies operate out of Whitby and the area. Custom House Brokers and Canada Customs are located nearby.

# FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Whitby is well serviced by Canadian chartered banks, foreign banks, trust companies and a credit union to meet the financial requirements of the business community. The services offered by these institutions include a full range of regional and commercial banking including deposit and cash management services, corporate banking services, loans, mortgages, foreign exchange and investment services. Bank hours vary among individual banks and branches. Some are open evenings and Saturdays. Account holders can access automated teller machines at any time.

#### **Bank of Montreal**

www.bmo.com 905-665-2740

ScotiaBank www.scotiabank.ca 905-668-9324

Business Development Bank of Canada www.bdc.ca

905-666-6694

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC) www.cibc.com 1-800-465-2422

Duca Community Credit Union 905-728-4658

Durham Employees Credit Union 905-668-5231

HSBC Bank Canada www.hsbc.com 905-666-2300

Meridian Credit Union Ltd. www.meridiancu.ca 905-668-4500

RBC Royal Bank www.royalbank.com 905-665-7200

**TD Canada Trust** (www.canadatrust.com) 905-665-1800







# EDUCATION

Whitby has an excellent highly developed standardized public education system. Public schools and Catholic schools are publicly funded schools. They are paid for through the Ontario Ministry of Education and are operated by Municipal Boards of Education. In addition, private schools in Whitby offer the optimum in education. Durham College provides top quality programming within a modern applied learning environment.

# Education Levels of Whitby Residents

Population	2009	%
Population 25+ Years	94,305	33.0%
No Certificate, Diploma or Degree	10,933	3.8%
Certificate, Diploma or Degree	83,372	29.2%
High School Certificate or Equivalent	23,728	8.2%
Trade Certificate/Diploma	8,131	2.8%
Non-University (no Certificate/Diploma)	25,527	8.9%
University Certificate or Diploma, below Bachelor level	4,398	1.5%
University with Certificate or Degree	21,588	7.5%
University with Bachelor's Degree	14,870	5.1%
		100%

Source: Financial Post Markets, 2009

# Public and Separate Schools

(Elementary and Secondary)

### **Durham District School Board**

400 Taunton Road East Whitby, Ontario LIN 5R5 Telephone: 905-666-5500 Website: www.durham.edu.on.ca

### Durham Catholic District School Board

650 Rossland Road West Oshawa, Ontario LIJ 7C4 Telephone: 905-576-6150 Fax: 905-576-0953 Website: www.durhamrc.edu.on.ca

### Conseil Scolaire de District Catholique Centre-Sud

(Central-South District Catholic School Board) See under École Secondaire Catholique Saint Charles Garnier for telephone number.

## Secondary Schools

Anderson Collegiate & Vocational Institute ......905-668-5809 400 Anderson Street, Whitby LIN 3V6

École Secondaire Catholique Saint Charles Garnier ....905-655-5635 4101 Baldwin St. S., Whitby L1R 2W6;

Father Leo J. Austin Catholic Secondary School ............905-666-2010 1020 Dryden Blvd, Whitby L1R 2A2





TOWN OF WHITBY

# DURHAM DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

Bellwood Public School
Brooklin Village Public School
C.E. Broughton Public School905-665-8229 80 Crawforth St., Whitby LIN 9L6
Captain Michael Vandenbos Public School905-665-2001 3121 Country Lane, Whitby LIP IN3
Col. J.E. Farewell School
Dr. Robert Thornton Public School905-723-9912 101 Hazelwood Drive, Whitby L1N 3L4
E.A. Fairman Public School905-668-2251 620 Walnut Street, Whitby LIN 5G5
Fallingbrook Public School
Florence M. Heard Public School905-668-3251 600 Dundas Street East, Whitby LIN 2J4
Glen Dhu Public School
Jack Miner Public School905-668-3249 144 Whitburn Street, Whitby L1R 2N1
John Dryden Public School
Meadowcrest Public School905-655-3731 20 Vipond Road, Brooklin LIM IB3
Ormiston Public School
Palmerston Avenue Public School905-668-5622





Pringle Creek Public School	905-430-2488
80 Ribblesdale Drive, Whitby LIN 8MI	

R.A. Hutchison Public School......905-668-8601 1001 Hutchison Avenue, Whitby L1N 2A3

## CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD

St. Bernard Catholic School	
1000 Dryden Boulevard, Whitby	y LIR 2A2







St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic School	905-721-2460
95 Waller St., Whitby LTR TZ7	

St. Matthew the Evangelist Catholic School......905-430-8597 60 Willowbrook Dr., Whitby LIR 2A8



# Other Educational Facilities

### **DURHAM COLLEGE**

Durham College is recognized as one of the leading colleges in Canada. It is committed to providing top quality programming in an innovative, applied learning environment. The College offers over fifty post-secondary programs with career-oriented training through one year certificates, and two and three year diploma programs. Post-secondary programs are offered in the areas of arts and administration, business administration, health and human studies and technology, and three new post diploma programs are now being offered. The main campus is located at:

Address:2000 Simcoe St. N., Oshawa, ON LIH 7K4Postal:P.O. Box 385, Oshawa ON LIH 7L7Telephone:905-721-2000Fax:905-721-3113Website:www.durhamcollege.ca

Business and Skills Development Centre offers 12 apprenticeships and 5 technical programs as well as college preparation programs, academic upgrading, Microsoft certified programs and English as a second language courses.

The Continuous Learning Division of Durham College offers a number of specialized certificates through part-time studies for individuals seeking personal and/or career enhancement. Continuous Learning also offers distance education providing the opportunity to learn at home through carefully designed activities, self-tests, and projects with a tutor available by telephone for assistance.

### **DURHAM COLLEGE SKILLS TRAINING CENTRE - WHITBY CAMPUS**

The Skills Training Centre of Durham College, located at 1610 Champlain Avenue, Whitby, is a result of collaborative ventures and provides effective customized training to people and organizations in business management and computers. The Training Centre recently underwent a "student-friendly" \$5 million expansion, which features a tiered lecture theatre with computer hook-ups, a 25-seat learning commons, a 25-seat computer lab, new classroom equipment for computer presentations, and a new student lounge. For more information call 905-721-2000.

#### **Business & Industry Development Services**

Provides customized and generic, management, computer, and technical training to business and industry. For more information call 905-721-3340 or 1-800-816-3615 or email st@mail.durhamc.on.ca.

#### **Skilled Trades Program**

Provides government recognized apprenticeship in-school training and entry-level trade skills training to individuals entering the labour force. For more information call 905-721-3344.

#### **Productivity Improvement Centre**

Provides training in consulting, seminars and service, distance learning, supplier of quality resources. Call 905-721-3371 or toll free 1-800-263-3735.







### UNIVERSITY OF ONTARIO INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (UOIT)

Durham College has been chosen to be the home of Canada's newest university: the University of Ontario Institute of Technology (UOIT) opened in September 2003. UOIT offers undergraduate degree programs in areas of study including: advanced manufacturing, applied arts, applied health science, applied science, business and information technology, nuclear technology and safety, policing and community safety, and teacher education. Masters and Doctoral and Post-Doctoral programs are offered in Bioscience, Automotive Engineering, Criminology, Health Science, IT Security, Materials Science, Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering(PHD), Modelling and Computational Science and Nuclear Engineering.

UOIT has announced the Master's of Information Technology Security program. This graduate level program is the first of its kind in Canada. Utilizing theory and applied learning, students in the Master's of IT Security program will have the opportunity to gain real-world experience, while examining other complex issues such as business and IT ethics in a team environment.

Research is a very important focus at UOIT. The announcement at General Motors of Canada Ltd., Oshawa plant, focused on the creation of the Automotive Centre of Excellence to be built at UOIT. This state-of-theart facility will be the hub of engineering and design innovation for the automotive industry.

2000 Simcoe Street North, Oshawa, L1H 7K4 Telephone: 905-721-8668 Fax 905 721-3178 Website: www.uoit.ca

# Private Schools

### **MONTESSORI SCHOOLS**

Montessori schools are private co-ed schools for students starting from the age of 2½. Academically, they emphasize reading, math, spelling, grammar, and French. Culturally, there is an emphasis on the development of life on earth, lifestyles around the world, geographical land forms, and plant life and development. These programs are accompanied by physical education (elementary only), oral and instrumental music, computers, arts and crafts, drama, and annual concerts. Programs vary from school to school. Some provide extended hours.

AP Montessori School, 508 Byron Street S	905-430-2767
Blaisdale Montessori School, 200 Byron Sreet S	905-665-1516
Brooklin Mill Montessori School, 25 Cassel Street E	905-655-0656
Hatch House Montessori School, 301 Byron Street S	905-665-7793
Kendalwood Montessori School, 104 Consumers Drive	905-665-4766
Marigold Montessori School, 300 Dundas Street W	905-668-4454
Royal Canadian Montessori School, 1121 Dundas Sreet E	905-430-2335
Royal Canadian Montessori School, 900 Bonacord Ave	905-430-8201
Whitby Montessori School, 95 Taunton Road E	905-430-8201

### **TRAFALGAR CASTLE SCHOOL**

Trafalgar Castle School is an independent residential and day school for girls, grades 6 through 12, located on Reynolds Street in Whitby, situated on 10 acres of lovely grounds. The original castle was constructed between 1859 and 1862 as the residence of Nelson Gilbert Reynolds, Sheriff of Ontario County at that time. The impressive stature of the original castle with 73 rooms has retained its elegance through the years. An increased expansion has complemented the gothic architecture, as well as provided the ultimate in added space for educational programs. Girls from all over the world attend this academic independent school, where enrollment is kept to a maximum of 240 students to maintain the optimum teaching environment. The school is located at 401 Reynolds Street, Whitby, Ontario, L1N 3W9. Telephone 905-668-3358. Check their website at www.castle-ed.com, or e-mail: admin@castle-ed.com.





# Education Enrollment Numbers

Type of Institution	Schools Within Municipality	Enrollment Numbers
Elementary Schools - Public	23	,45
Elementary Schools - Catholic	9	4,355
High Schools - Public	4	5,162
High Schools - Catholic English	2	2,661
High Schools - Catholic French	I	550
Private Schools	10	

\*2009 Estimates

Durham College - Oshawa 6,100-	<ul> <li>full-time students</li> </ul>
Durham College - Oshawa 23,500-	- part-time students
University of Ontario Institute of Technology 6,000-	- full-time students
Trent University at the UOIT	<ul> <li>full-time/part-time students*</li> </ul>
Durham College Skills Training Centre 6,800-	full-time/part-time students*

#### \*2009 Estimates

Source: Communications & Marketing, University of Ontario Institute of Technology and Durham College

# HEALTH CARE

Whitby offers a wide variety of high quality health care services. Dental services, home-care programs, school health support services, nursing services, special care centres and nursing homes form part of the extensive programs offered to patients.

## Hospitals

### LAKERIDGE HEALTH WHITBY

300 Gordon Street, Whitby, L1N 5T2Telephone:905-668-6831Fax:905-665-2406Website:www.lakeridgehealth.on.ca

Lakeridge Health Whitby is recognized for its quality patient care and offers a number of services to the residents of Durham Region:

- Geriatrics designed for the needs of older people who require therapy before being discharged from the hospital
- Complex Continuing Care long-term care program that provides support for chronically ill patients in need of professional care for a specific period of time, or an ongoing basis
- Rehabilitation and Outpatient Dialysis 32 stations for dialysis patients
- Positive Care Clinic for people infected and affected by HIV
- Chiropody outpatient clinic
- X-ray routine and gastrointestinal
- Physiotherapy for outpatients

### **ONTARIO SHORES CENTRE FOR MENTAL HEALTH SCIENCES**

700 Gordon Street, Whitby, L1N 5S9Telephone:905-668-5881Fax:905-430-4032Website:www.ontarioshores.ca

Whitby Mental Health Centre, with 325 beds, offers specialized, regional psychiatric in-patient and outpatient services to area residents. Construction of the new 483,000 square-foot facility was completed in September 1996, and established a milestone in the history of mental health care in Canada. This modern structure assists patient's recovery and return to family and community living by emphasizing patient/consumer choice, quality care and community support and treatment. The complex and its programs complement community mental health services and acute care provided by local general hospitals.

### OTHER AREA HOSPITALS

### LAKERIDGE HEALTH OSHAWA

I Hospital Crt. Oshawa, ON LIG 2B9 Accommodations: 500 beds Telephone: 905-576-8711 Website: www.lakeridgehealth.on.ca

### **ROUGE VALLEY AJAX-PICKERING GENERAL HOSPITAL**

580 Harwood Ave. South, Ajax, ON LIS 2J4 Accommodations: 127 beds, 20 psych. beds Telephone: 905-683-2320 Website: www.excellentcarel.com



# MEDICAL CLINICS

North Whitby Medical Centre	905-430-2400
3975 Garden, LIR 3A4	

Whitby Medical Walk In Clinic	905-444-9493
3910 Brock Street. North, LIR 3EI	

Mom and Baby Depot ......905-666-2229 207 Dundas Street West, LIN 2M4



Whitby Medical Arts Centre......905-436-2273 1615 Dundas Street East, LIN 6A3

# SMALL MEDICAL PRACTICES

1533 Dundas Street, East, LIN 2K6	.905-668-6667
1030 Brock Street,. East, L2N 4L8	.905-666-5858
604 Garden Street, LIN 7B3	.905-665-9311
300 Gordon Street, East, LIN 5T2	.905-4309047
1101 Brock Street, South, LIN 2P2	.905-668-1676
106 Mary Street, East, LIN 2P2	.905-430-6795
3920 Brock Street, North, LIN 2P2	.905-668-0416
109 Centre Street, South, LIN 4V6	.905-665-6886





# EMERGENCY: 9-1-1

### AMBULANCE SERVICE

Ambulance service to the Town of Whitby is provided by the Durham Region Ambulance Service. The service works in conjunction with the Police and Fire Departments in the tiered response program. The Whitby station is located on Anderson Street.

Administration: 905-723-5232

#### **NURSING HOMES**

Fairview Lodge	905-668-5851
632 Dundas Street West, Box 300, Whitby, O	Ontario, LIN 5S3

#### SENIORS' HOUSING

Stonehaven Manor	.905-665-6833
737 Anderson Street, LIN 9X9	

Court at Brooklin	905-655-7718
5909 Anderson St., Brooklin, LIM 2HI	

**Providence Place – Durham Christian Homes Inc**. 905-430-1666 100 Glen Hill Drive South, Whitby, L1N 8R8



# Government Services

# REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF DURHAM

The Regional Municipality of Durham, encompassing one-thousand square miles, is comprised of eight area municipalities, each with its own elected Mayor and Council from whom are drawn the 28 members of Regional Council. The eight member municipalities are the Cities of Oshawa and Pickering, Towns of Whitby and Ajax, Municipality of Clarington, and the Townships of Scugog, Uxbridge and Brock. The population of this region is approximately 621,800 (December 2009 Forecast). The Council and Regional administrative staff have responsibility for the provision of overall planning, water and sanitary sewer services, health and social services, major arterial roads and economic development across the Region.

For further information on the Region of Durham contact:

### **REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS**

 605 Rossland Road East, Box 623, Whitby L1N 6A3

 Telephone:
 905-668-7711 or 905-686-2401

 Toronto Line:
 416-364-5832

 Toll Free:
 1-800-372-1102

 Fax:
 905-668-9963

 Website:
 www.region.durham.on.ca

### **REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION**

Regional Headquarters	905-668-7711
605 Rossland Road East, Whitby, ON LIN 6A3	

Economic Development & Tourism Department	905-723-0023
Planning Department	905-728-7731
Finance Department	905-571-3311

Works Department	.905-668-7721
105 Consumers Drive, Whitby, ON L1N 6A3	

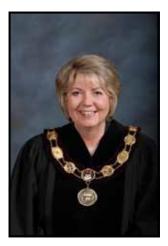
Social Services Department......905-721-0622 850 King Street West, Oshawa, ON LIJ 8N5



## THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

The following is a brief resume of Whitby's governmental structure. It is not intended to be all-inclusive. Further information can be obtained on request from the Clerk's Division of the Corporate Services Department at 905-430-4315.

### **MAYOR PAT PERKINS**



The Mayor is the Head of Council and Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation. The position of Mayor differs from that of other members of Council to the extent that this office has duties placed on it by statute, as well as certain powers of an executive nature not possessed by other members of Council. By virtue of this office, the Mayor is a member of other local boards and is able to exert some influence over their deliberations as well as communicate their views to Council.

It is the duty of the Mayor to cause laws of the Municipality to be executed and obeyed, oversee the conduct of all subordinate officers and recommend to Council measures which improve the finances, health, security, cleanliness, comfort and ornamentation of the Municipality. It is the duty of the Mayor to preside at all meetings of Council and preserve order.

## CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

### **TOWN COUNCIL**

Mayor: P. Perkins Regional Councillors: J.E. Drumm, G.S. Emm, D. Mitchell Ward Councillors: L. Coe, E. Roy, S. Pitchforth, S.A. Scott



### **TOWN COUNCIL**

The Council is composed of eight members. The Mayor and three Regional Councillors are elected at large. The four remaining Councillors are elected by ward.

Decisions of Council require support from a majority of the members present at a meeting, but in certain cases, the consent of two-thirds (2/3) of all members of Council is required. Council must have at least five (5) members of Council present to conduct its business.

### **COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL**

Council also has three standing committees: Planning & Development Committee, Management Committee and the Operations Committee.

### **COUNCIL FUNCTIONS**

Whitby Council has responsibility for the processing of development applications, subdivision plans, zoning by-laws and various studies provided for in the Town's Official Plan. Whitby Council is the authority in charge of local streets and sidewalks, storm drainage, fire protection, animal control, parks and recreation and garbage collection, as well as the granting of business, marriage and lottery licences. Property owners pay their tax bills to the Town. In addition, building and plumbing permits are secured from the Town.

### **CHAIR OF TOWN DEPARTMENTS**

Each of the Councillors is the Chair of a municipal department or division. The Chair and Head of each department or division confer with each other on departmental or divisional matters. However, all Department Heads report to the Administrative Office Council as a whole.

### RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

### **CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE**

• public relations • management and coordination of Town departments • financial control of Town departments • implementation of Town policies • training and development • human resources

### **CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

general inquiries • council/committee secretariat • municipal elections • municipal information systems • animal services • business licences • marriage licences • lottery licences • registration of births and deaths • records by-laws and archives • filming • street banners • street closures • public meeting rooms • town crier • proclamations • Town property: sale, rental, purchase • accounting • budget preparation and control • income investment and control • property tax and other revenue • tenders, quotations • deliveries • municipal insurance • development charges tax

#### FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

• emergency planning procedures (local) • fire suppression • fire prevention • life saving & rescue operations • in-service training • fire safety education programs

#### COMMUNITY AND MARKETING SERVICES DEPARTMENT

parks, arenas, pools, community centres • recreational programs • working with community groups •
 Seniors' Services • athletic fields • Community Connection • Port Whitby Marina • special events • economic development • marketing • commercial and industrial land and building inventory • industrial directory • community profile • business assistance programs • small business resource centre • tourism promotion • sponsorship • facility advertising and sales • corporate communications • parks designing and construction

#### PLANNING DEPARTMENT

• planning and development • zoning • official plans • Committee of Adjustment • site plan agreements • plans of subdivision and condominiums • architectural control • special planning studies • Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee (L.A.C.A.C.) • Lynde Shores Monitoring Committee • Downtown development and promotions • Accessibility Advisory Committee

#### **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

 design, construction and maintenance of roads, storm sewers, sidewalks • engineering approval for subdivisions, site plans • subdivision construction • building and plumbing permits & inspections • municipal law enforcement • traffic and parking regulations • snow clearing • garbage collection • special collections • maintenance of boulevards, trees and parks

### INFORMATION ON THE TOWN OF WHITBY

#### The Corporation of the Town of Whitby

Municipal Building, 575 Rossland Road East, Whitby LIN 2M8

Telephone:	905-668-5803
Toronto Line:	905-686-2621
Fax:	905-686-7005
Website:	www.whitby.ca
E-mail:	ecdev@whitby.ca (Economic Development Division)
	info@whitby.ca (general mailbox)



# AREA MUNICIPAL OFFICES

### Ajax

 65 Harwood Ave. S. (Civic Centre), Ajax ON LIS 2H9

 Telephone:
 905-619-2529 or 905-683-4550

 Fax:
 905-683-8207

 Website:
 www.townofajax.com

### Brock

Box 10, 1 Cameron St. E., Cannington ON LOE 1E0 Telephone: 705-432-2355 Fax: 705-432-3487 Website: http://townshipofbrock.ca

### Clarington

40 Temperance St., Bowmanville ON L1C 3A6 Telephone: 905-623-3379 Fax: 905-623-5717 Website: www.clarington.net

### Oshawa

 50 Centre St. S., Oshawa ON LIH 3Z7

 Telephone:
 905-725-7351

 Fax:
 905-436-5697

 Website:
 www.oshawa.ca

### Pickering

 I The Esplanade, Pickering ON LIV 6K7

 Telephone:
 905-420-2222 or 905-683-2760

 Fax:
 905-420-0515

 Website:
 www.cityofpickering.com

### Scugog

 P.B. Box 780, 181 Perry St., Port Perry ON L9L 1A7

 Telephone:
 905-985-7346 or 905-985-7393

 Fax:
 905-985-9914

 Website:
 www.township.scugog.on.ca

### Uxbridge

51 Toronto St. S., P.O. Box 190, Uxbridge ON L9P 1T1 Telephone: 905-852-9181 Fax: 905-852-9674 Website: www.town.uxbridge.on.ca



### AREA MINISTRY OFFICES

### PROVINCIAL

Ministry of Attorney General 605 Rossland Road East, Whitby, LIN 9G7 *Telephone*: 905-430-5800

Ministry of Government Services 590 Rossland Road East, Whitby, LIN 9G5 Telephone: 905-665-4007 or 1-800-267-8097

Ministry of Community Safety & Correctional Services 1916 Dundas Street East, Unit 1, Whitby, L1N 9J4 Telephone: 905-571-3774

### Ministry of Small Business and Entrepreneurship – Small Business Enterprise Centre

590 Rossland Road East, Whitby, LIN 9G5 Telephone: 1-800-567-2345

### **Ministry of Community & Social Services**

1400 Hopkins Street, Whitby, L1N 2C3 Telephone: 905-665-1030 or 1-800-722-1196

### **Ministry of Finance**

1600 Champlain Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Whitby, L1N 9B2 *Telephone*: 905-432-3332 or 1-800-668-5810

### Ministry of Health

605 Rossland Road East, Whitby, LIN 9G5 Telephone: 1-800-841-2729

### **Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing**

590 Rossland Road East, Whitby, LIN 9J4 Telephone: I-888-332-3234

**Ministry of Natural Resources** *Telephone:* 1-800-387-7011

### **Ministry of Transportation**

102 Brock Street South, Whitby, L1N 4J8 Telephone: 905-668-1515 or 1-800-387-3445



### **FEDERAL**

**Business Development Bank** 400 Dundas Street West, Whitby, LIN 2M7 *Telephone*: 905-666-6694

#### **Canada Customs and Revenue Agency**

Customs Services: 1200 Airport Boulevard, Oshawa, L1H 7K4 Telephone: 1-800-461-9999 Tax/Business Inquiries: 78 Richmond Street West, Oshawa, L1G 1E1 Telephone: 1-800-959-5525

### Citizenship & Immigration Canada

1920 Ellesmere Road, Scarborough, MIP 2YI *Telephone:* 416-973-4444 or 1-888-576-8502

Human Resources and Social Development Canada 78 Richmond Street, West, Whitby, LIG IEI Telephone: 905-725-2001

#### **National Defence**

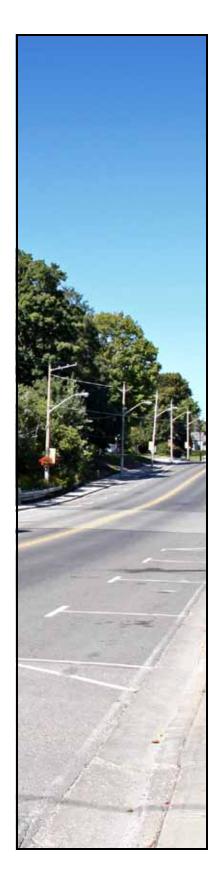
53 Simcoe Street North, West, Oshawa, LIG 4R9 Telephone: 905-721-4000

#### **Transport Canada**

1050 Farewell Street, Oshawa, L1H 6N6 Telephone: 905-576-0400

#### **Passport Office**

1615 Dundas Street, East, Whitby, LIN 2LI Telephone: 1-800-567-6868



# WHITBY FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

Whitby Fire and Emergency Services, operated by The Corporation in the Town of Whitby, has earned a fine reputation within the Region of Durham and the confidence of the residents of the community they serve.

There are five fire stations in Whitby, with headquarters at 111 McKinney Drive, managed by the Fire Chief. The manpower complement consists of an Assistant Fire Chief, responsible for Fire Prevention and Communications, an Assistant Fire Chief responsible for Training and Maintenance.

The Prevention Division conducts fire-code enforcement and inspections, as well as the Learn Not to Burn program, a Junior Fire Department program, and numerous other educational programs that relate to the protection of persons and property.

Whitby may be a great place to live, work and play, but in the words of the Fire Department, it is also a safe place in which to reside.

### Administration:

III McKinney Drive, Whitby, Ontario, LIN 5R5 Telephone: 905-668-3312

Stations are located:

- Hall No. 1 6745 Baldwin Street North, Whitby
- Hall No. 2 1600 Manning Road, Whitby
- Hall No. 3 1501 Brock Street South, Whitby
- Hall No. 4 III McKinney Drive, Whitby
- Hall No. 5 734 Dundas Street West, Whitby



# EMERGENCY: 9-1-1

### **DURHAM REGIONAL POLICE**

The primary responsibility of the Durham Regional Police Service is community safety through adequate and effective policing. They serve the Regional Municipality, which comprises an area of 2489 square kilometres with a population of 621,800 people.

Each municipality within the Region has its own community police office. The Whitby Community Police Office provides all policing needs to the residents of the Town (crime prevention programs, assistance to victims of crime, law enforcement and emergency response).

Every member of the Durham Regional Police Service is committed to providing quality service in partnerships with our communities. They will achieve excellence through pride, respect, understanding and ethical behaviour while learning from each other.

### Durham Regional Police Service (HQ)

605 Rossland Road East Whitby, L1N 0B8 Emergency: 9-1-1 Administration: 905-579-1520 Website: www.police.durham.on.ca

#### Whitby Community Police Office

480 Taunton Road East Whitby, L1N 5R5 Emergency: 9-1-1 Administration: 905-579-1520 ext. 1836 E-mail: whitby@drps.ca

### **ONTARIO PROVINCIAL POLICE**

The Whitby detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police is responsible for patrolling the Kings' Highways in the Region of Durham. These include Highways 401, 7 & 12, 35-115, 7A and 47.

Although Whitby is considered a "traffic detachment", the members have joined with concerned citizens to form a Community Policing Committee. The committee meets regularly and gives Whitby officers valuable input as to how their police service should be delivered.

### Office

1301 Henry Street, Whitby, ON, L1N 5R7
Postal: c/o Detachment Commander, P.O. Box 57, Whitby, ON, L1N 5R7
Telephone: 905-668-3388 or 1-888-310-1122 (headquarters)

# LOCAL MEDIA

Whitby benefits from an extensive communication network system in addition to local media.

## LOCAL NEWSPAPERS

#### WHITBY THIS WEEK

865 Farewell Avenue South Oshawa, ON L1H 7L5 Telephone: 905-579-4400 905-666-8000 Whitby Office Fax: 905-579-1809 Website: www.durhamregion.com

#### **DURHAM BUSINESS TIMES**

130 Commercial AvenueAjax, ON LIS 2H5Telephone:905-683-5110Fax:905-683-7363Website:www.durhamregion.com

### THE OSHAWA CENTRAL

82 Simcoe Street South Oshawa, ON L1H 4G6 Telephone: 905-432-2657 Fax: 905-404-0887 Email: oshawa@mail.durham.net Website: www.ocentral.com

# THE OSHAWA EXPRESS

600 Thornton Road South Oshawa, Ontario LIJ 6W7 Telephone: 905-571-7334 Fax: 905-404-0887 Email: Editor@oshawaexpress.ca Website: www.oshawaexpress.ca

### **SNAP WHITBY**

701 Rossland Road East, Suite 488 Whitby, ON LIN 9K3 Telephone: 905-243-0322 Email: info@snapwhitby.com Website: www.snapwhitby.com



### **BROOKLIN TOWN CRIER**

Brooklin Ontario Whitby, ON LIN 9K3 Telephone: 905-655-7642 Email: editor@brooklintowncrier.ca Website: www.brooklintowncrier.ca

### NATIONAL NEWSPAPERS

### **GLOBE AND MAIL**

 444 Front Street West, Toronto, ON M5V 2S9

 Telephone:
 416-585-5000 or 1-800-387-5400

 Fax:
 416-585-5085

 Website:
 www.globeandmail.ca

### **TORONTO STAR**

I Yonge Street, Toronto, ON M5E IE6 Telephone: 416-367-2000 Fax: 416-869-4439 Circulation: 1-800-268-9213 Website: www.thestar.com

### **TORONTO STAR**

Durham Region News Bureau Telephone: 905-666-2826

### NATIONAL POST

300 - 1450 Don Mills Road,Don Mills, ON M3B 3R5Telephone: 416-383-2300Fax: 416-442-2209Website: www.nationalpost.com

### TORONTO SUN

333 King Street East, Toronto, ON M5A 4N2
Telephone: 416-947-2222
Fax: 416-947-1664
Website: www.canoe.ca/PlanetSun

### **FINANCIAL POST**

333 King Street East, Toronto, ON M5A 3X5
Telephone: 416-383-2300
Fax: 416-383-2443
Website: www.nationalpost.com/financialpost

### Local Radio

### KX 96

339 Westney Road South, Suite 201, Ajax, ON L1S 7J6
Telephone: 905-428-9600
Fax: 905-686-2444
E-mail: kx96@kx96.fm
Website: www.kx96.fm

### CKGE 94.9 FM (MAGIC FM) CKDO 1350 AM AND 107.7 FM

1200 Airport Blvd., Suite 207,
Oshawa, ON LIJ 8P5
Telephone: 905-571-0949 or 905-571-1350
Fax: 905-571-1150 or 905-579-7669

## LOCAL TELEVISION STATIONS

### CHEX

500 Wentworth St. E., Unit 7, Oshawa, ON L1H 3V9 Telephone: 905-434-2421 Fax: 905-432-2315 E- mail: oshawa@chextv.com Website: www.chextv.com

### **ROGERS TELEVISION**

301 Marwood Drive,
Oshawa, ON L1H 1J4
Telephone: 905-436-4141
Fax: 905-579-5559
Website: www.rogerstelevision.com

# TELEPHONE SERVICE

### **BELL CANADA**

55 Athol St. E., Oshawa, ON LIH IJ8 Customer Service: Home and Business Customers *Telephone*: 310-2355 *Fax:* I-800-567-7834 Website: www.bell.ca

### ROGERS

Customer Service: Home and Business Customers Telephone: 1-888-764-3771 Website: www.rogers.com



# MOBILE TELEPHONE SERVICE

Bell Mobility Rogers Telus Advantage Telecommunications System

For other telephone services please see yellow pages of telephone book.

## MAIL AND DELIVERY

### **CANADA POST CORPORATION**

Canada Post Corporation (CPC) offers a full range of Canada Post products and services including Priority Courier, Meter Setting and Postal Box Rentals at four locations in Whitby for both residents and commercial post customers. The Main Post Office is located at 200 Dundas Street East, and in Brooklin at 2 Price Street, Brooklin, Ontario

Website: www.canadapost.ca



### **COURIER COMPANIES**

All major courier services cover the Whitby area.

# LIFESTYLE

Whitby has some of the following characteristics: a high average family income, an above average percentage of the population over the age of 20 with some university education, a high percentage of detached single-family homes.

City	Average Family Income (\$)	University Education	Detached Single Family Homes (occupied private dwellings)
Whitby	\$116,595	28%	50,310
Oshawa	\$91,195	14%	58,702
Hamilton	\$88,455	21%	207,529
Mississauga	\$104,072	38%	240,780
Kitchener	\$99,683	25%	190,311
St. Catharines	\$81,987	20.3%	57,577
Toronto (City)	\$98,954	40%	1,049,578
Markham	\$116,609	42%	103,744

Source: Financial Post Market, 2009

### DWELLING AND HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

Total Number of occupied private dwellings 50,310

#### By tenure

Owned 42,829 Rented 7,481

#### By structural type of dwelling

Single-detached house	35,917
Apartment building (five storeys +)	2,903

Source: Financial Post Market, 2009

# HOUSING PRICES

Whitby offers the best of rural and urban living from Victorian homes to high-rise condominiums. In addition to being conveniently located to playgrounds, parks, schools and shopping, our neighbourhoods are a safe place to live, work or play.

### AVERAGE HOUSING PRICES FOR DURHAM REGION IN 2009

City	Average Selling Price	Single Detached	Semi Detached	Condo/ Townhouse	Condo/ Apt
Whitby	\$269,852	\$304,817	\$210,000	\$183,000	\$199,000
Ajax	\$282,268	\$337,427	\$247,000	\$186,333	\$161,000
Oshawa	\$203,988	\$228,782	\$160,850	\$112,400	\$320,000

Source: Durham Region Real Estate Board, January 2009

# WHITBY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM

The Town of Whitby has three libraries:

#### **Main Branch**

405 Dundas Street West Whitby, Ontario, LIN 6A1 Telephone: 905-668-6531

### Brooklin Branch 150 Winchester Road Brooklin, Ontario, L1M 1B5 Telephone: 905-655-3191

### **Rossland Branch**

701 Rossland Road East, Unit 9-10 Whitby, Ontario, L1N 8Y9 *Telephone:* 905-668-1886

Website: www.whitbylibrary.on.ca



### COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

The following are a variety of organizations located within Whitby and the Region of Durham. For contact information and telephone numbers, please contact:

### **ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION**

Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee (LACAC) For more information contact: Christy Chrus (Secretary of LACAC) Planning Department Town of Whitby 905-430-4300 Ext. 2275

### ART GALLERIES/MUSEUMS/HISTORICAL SOCIETIES

Captain James Rowe House Lynde House Museum Whitby Archives Whitby Arts - The Station Gallery Whitby Historical Society

### GENEALOGY

Whitby-Oshawa Branch #22 - Ontario Genealogy Society

### MUSIC/DANCE/THEATRE

Class Act Dinner Theatre County Town Singers Durham Philharmonic Choir Oshawa-Whitby Old Time Fiddle Club Star Promenaders Square Dance Club Vital Spark Folk Club Whitby Brass Band Whitby Courthouse Theatre and Youth Group

### **SENIORS' CLUBS**

Brooklin Senior Centennial Club Whitby Seniors' Club 141 Whitby Seniors' Activity Centre



Captain James Rowe - Whitby's first Mayor

### **YOUTH GROUPS**

Girl Guides of Canada - Brooklin District Girl Guides of Canada - Whitby Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron - Whitby Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps - Whitby and Brooklin Whitby District Boy Scouts

### SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Benevolent Orders Benevolent Rebekah Lodge #132, Whitby Kinoven Rebekah Lodge #353, Brooklin Order of the Eastern Star, Whitby Chapter #248

### FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

Composite Masonic Lodge #30 Independent Order of Oddfellows - Beethoven Lodge #165 Independent Order of Oddfellows - Eastern Star Lodge #72 Knights of Columbus - Holy Family Parish Knights of Columbus - St. John The Evangelist Council #4895 Knights of Columbus - St. Leo's Council #11528 Loyal Order of Moose - Whitby Lodge #2407 Mount Zion Masonic Lodge #39

### LEGIONS AND LEGION AUXILIARIES

Royal Canadian Legion Branch #112 - Whitby Royal Canadian Legion Branch #112 - Whitby - Ladies' Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Branch #152 - Brooklin

### SERVICE CLUBS

Jaycees - Whitby & District Kinettes - Whitby Kinsmen Club of Whitby Kiwanis Club of Whitby Lioness Club of Whitby Lions Club of Brooklin Lions Club of Whitby Optimist Club of Brooklin Optimist Club of Whitby Rotary Club of Whitby - Sunrise







### **NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUPS AND OTHERS**

Brooklin Spring Fair Association Community Care - Whitby Group 74 Neighbourhood Watch Oshawa-Whitby Newcomers Club Patient Council Office - Whitby Mental Health Centre Volunteer Association of Whitby Mental Health Care West Lynde Community Association Wheels to Meals - Brooklin Whitby/Brooklin Block Parent Program





# Tourism and Recreation

### **RECREATIONAL FACILITIES**

Ashburn Community Centre 780 Myrtle, St. W., Ashburn, 905-655-3565

**Brooklin Community Centre** 45 Cassels Rd. E., Brooklin, 905-668-7765

Iroquois Park Sports Centre 500 Victoria Street West, 905-668-7765

Services: six ice pads, lighted baseball and softball diamonds, Anne Ottenbrite swimming and wading pool, lighted soccer fields, lighted outdoor tennis courts, proshop, Whitney Hall banquet facility, sports bar and restaurant

Kids Zone Family Fun Centre 12 Stanley Court, 905-666-KIDS (5437)

Luther Vipond Memorial Arena 67 Winchester Road, Brooklin, 905-655-4571

Services: arena floor; ice pad in winter

### **McKinney Centre**

333 McKinney Drive, 905-655-2203

Services: three ice pads, figure-skating pad, concessions, meeting rooms.

#### Spencer Community Centre

R.R.I Station Main, Brooklin, 905-655-4060

### Whitby Civic Recreation Complex

555 Rossland Road East, 905-666-1991

Services: fitness centre, leisure pool, sauna.

#### Whitby Curling Club 815 Brock Street North, 905-668-5021

Services: six ice sheets, newly renovated banquet facility

### Whitby Entertainment Centrum

75 Consumers Drive, 905-665-7210 AMC Theatre, 905-430-3206

Services: wide selection of family restaurants



### GOLFING

Country Lane Golf Club 4141 Country Lane Road Whitby, L1N 5S4, 905-655-3263

**Cullen Gardens Golf Driving Range** 300 Taunton Road West Whitby, LIP 2A9, 905-686-1600

Devil's Den Golf 745 Winchester Road West Whitby, LIM IV5, 905-655-6579

Eldorado Golf Club 615 Winchester Road East Whitby, L1M 1X7, 905-655-1080

Lakeridge Links Golf Club and Whispering Ridge Golf Club 1355 Brawley Road, P.O. Box 609 Brooklin, L1M 1B5, 905-428-6321

Lyndebrook Golf Club 5055 Baldwin Street South Brooklin, LIM IT4, 905-655-4653

Masters Driving Range 4295 Thickson Road North Brooklin, LIR 2X3, 905-655-5959

**Royal Ashburn Golf and Country Club** 995 Myrtle Road Ashburn, LOB 1A0, 905-686-1121 Website: www.royalashburngolfclub.com

Winchester Golf and Country Club 750 Winchester East Oshawa, L1H 7K4, 905-655-4757

# Cultural Facilities

### ART GALLERIES

Station Gallery 1450 Henry Street (located on Iroquois Park Sports Centre Site), 905-668-4185 Website: www.whitbystationgallery.com

### MUSICAL/THEATRE

County Town Singers P.O. Box 213, L1N 5S1, 905-666-2822 Website: www.countytownsingers.com

Class Act Dinner Theatre 104 Consumers Drive, Whitby, 905-668-2229 Website: www.class-act.ca

Vital Spark Folk Club 45 Cassels Road, Brooklin, 905-432-3237 Website: www.vitalsparkfolksociety.ca

### Whitby Brass Band P.O. Box 203, Whitby, L1N 5S1, 905-666-2049 416 Centre Street South (Centennial Building) Website: www.durhamcentral.com/whitbybrass

**Brooklin Brass Band** P.O. Box 203, Whitby, L1N 5S1, 905-666-2049 416 Centre Street South (Centennial Building)

Website: www.durhamcentral.com/whitbybrass

Whitby Courthouse Theatre 416 Centre Street South, Whitby, 905-668-1171 Website: www.whitbytheatre.org

### MUSEUMS

Lynde House Museum at Cullen Central Park 300 Taunton Road West, Whitby, 905-668-6606

Captain James Rowe House 301 Front Street West, Whitby, 905-668-7238

Whitby Historical Society 123 Brock Street South, Whitby

# Sports Clubs

### BADMINTON

Whitby Badminton Club Whitby Junior Badminton Club

### BASEBALL

Brooklin Whitby Youth Girls Representative Fastball Association Durham Region Slo-Pitch Association Whitby Youth Girls Softball Association Whitby Youth Minor Baseball Association Whitby Mixed Slo-Pitch League Whitby Men's Slo-Pitch League

### BASKETBALL

Whitby Saints Basketball Association Durham City Basketball Association

### CURLING

Whitby Curling Club

### CYCLING

Touring Concept Cycling Group - Durham Region

FISHING Port Whitby Sport Fishing Association

### **GYMNASTICS**

Gemini Gymnastics Whitby Supernova Gymnastics Ltd.

### HOCKEY

Catholic Youth CPG Iroquois Park Sports Centre Hockey League Whitby Minor Hockey Association Whitby Girls' Hockey Association Whitby Men's Hockey League Whitby and District Sledge Hockey Association Whitby Fury Jr. A Hockey Team Whitby Dunlops Hockey Club

#### HORSEBACK RIDING

Brooklin Pony Club

### LACROSSE

Brooklin Redmen Lacrosse Association Whitby Minor Lacrosse Association Whitby Warriors Junior Lacrosse Club Whitby Masters Lacrosse Club

#### LAWN BOWLING

Whitby Lawn Bowling Club

MOTOCROSS Ontario Federation of Trail Riders

### RINGETTE

Whitby Ringette Association Whitby Women's Ringette Association

### RUNNING

Whitby Road Runners Whitby Tigers Running Club

### SKATING

Whitby Figure Skating Club Whitby Ice Fyre

### SOCCER

Whitby Iroquois Soccer Club Inc.

### SWIMMING

Durham Synchro Club Whitby Dolphins Swim Club Whitby Aquatic programs

# SPORTS CLUBS CONTINUED

### ACCOMMODATIONS

#### **Bon Voyage Motel**

7645 Baldwin Street Brooklin, ON, LIM IY5 905-655-5308 6 Rooms

### Canadiana Inn

732 Dundas Street East Whitby, ON, LIN 2J7 905-668-3686 26 rooms, no meeting room Website: www.canadianamotel.com

#### The Heritage House Bed & Breakfast

9560 Mud Lake Road Myrtle Station, ON, L0B IA0, 905-655-3563 I Guest House

### Holiday Inn – Express

180 Consumers Drive, Whitby, ON, LIN 9S3, 905-665-8400 or 1-800-HOLIDAY 93 rooms Website: www.expresswhitby.com

### Lucien Motel

134 Byron Street North Whitby, ON, L1N 4M9 905-668-6879 9 rooms

### Motel 6

165 Consumers Drive Whitby, ON, LIN IC4 905-665-8883 or 1-800-4MOTEL-6 124 units Website: www.motel6.com

#### TENNIS

Whitby Tennis Club

### **Quality Suites Whitby**

1700 Champlain Avenue Whitby, ON, L1N 6A7 905-432-8800 or 1-800-228-5151 104 units Website: www.choicehotels.ca/cn316

### **Residence Inn Marriott**

60 Consumers Drive Whitby, ON, LIN 9S3 905-444-9756 122 suites, I meeting room 800 sq.m Website: www.marriott.com/yyzwy

### Royal Motel

843 Dundas Street West Whitby, ON, LIN 2N6 905-668-8170

#### **Travelodge Oshawa-Whitby**

940 Champlain Avenue Oshawa, ON, L1J 7A6 905-436-9500 or 1-800-578-7878 120 Rooms Website: www.travelodge.com

#### Woodycrest Motel

3775 Brock Street North Whitby, ON, LIN 5R5 905-668-8422 19 rooms

# **The Ezra Annes House Bed & Breakfast** 239 Wellington Street

Whitby, ON, LIN 5L7 905-430-1653 Website: www.ezraannes.com

### Attractions

### **CAMP X INTREPID PARK**

"Canada's School for Secret Agents 1941-1945" Located at Boundary Road, south of Wentworth Avenue (at Lake Ontario).

Between 1941 and 1946, British Security Co-ordination under the leadership of Sir William Stephenson, known as Intrepid, trained agents who parachuted into Nazi occupied territory to not only lead the resistance movement, but to provide valuable information to invading Allied Armies. Intrepid Park is accessible by Whitby's Waterfront Trail.

### **CENTENNIAL BUILDING**

Address: 416 Centre Street South, Whitby Telephone: 905-668-7765 Meeting and banquet space is available for community booking

The Centennial Building was built in the early 1850s as the Ontario County Courthouse. Designed by prominent architects Frederick Cumberland and Wallace Storm, this building served from 1854 until 1964 as a trial court and a meeting place for County Council.

In 1967, a local Centennial Project turned the building into a community centre. The courthouse presently houses the Whitby Courthouse Theatre, a banquet facility, local archives and is used by community organizations. In 1979, the Centennial Building was designated as a Heritage Structure under the Ontario Heritage Act, and a Heritage Easement was registered with the Ontario Heritage Foundation in 1984, protecting the heritage value of both the property and the building.

During the 2002-2003 season, the Centennial Building was temporarily closed for renovations, which focussed on restoring the facility to its original splendour. Following this extensive renovation project the Centennial Building officially reopened to the public on June 14, 2003.



### **CENTRAL LAKE ONTARIO CONSERVATION AUTHORITY**

Telephone: 905-579-0411 Website: www.cloca.com

With the increasing demand for recreational lands, wherever possible, the authority incorporates compatible recreation facilities in the Conservation areas.

The facilities and activities permitted are for various forms of passive recreation such as picnicking, hiking, fishing, cross-country skiing, tobogganing, ice skating, and wildlife viewing. Some of the facilities are accessible to the physically challenged.

### HEBER DOWN CONSERVATION AREA

Address: Coronation Road, Whitby

The quiet Heber Down Conservation Area is surrounded by 633 acres of forest and valley lands. This large area has many trails to explore as well as fishing opportunities and open recreation space for hiking and cross-country skiing.

### LYNDE SHORES CONSERVATION AREA

Address: Victoria Street West, Whitby

The area is known for its wildlife viewing opportunities. Both Lynde Creek Marsh and Cranberry Marsh provide an excellent habitat for nesting marsh birds and act as an important stopover point for migrating waterfowl and shore birds. Picnicking, fishing, canoeing, and skating make this an excellent area for family outings.

### HISTORIC WHITBY AND BROOKLIN

Telephone: 905-668-5803

Many of Whitby's significant buildings of architectural heritage exist today and are in a remarkably good state of repair, serving new and useful purposes for the citizens of the town and for generations to come. Whitby has joined over 200 other Ontario cities and towns in taking steps through the Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee (LACAC) to ensure that the fine buildings that give character and individuality to the community are preserved for the future as practical and aesthetic evidence of the past. For further information on LACAC contact the Secretary, LACAC, Town of Whitby, Municipal Building, 575 Rossland Road East, Whitby, ON, LIN 2M8 or Telephone: 905-668-5803.



#### **HUNTER FARMS**

Telephone: 905-655-3393

Hunter Farms in Brooklin is the largest emu farm in Ontario. Prearranged guided tours offer an informative and educational learning experience on these unusual exotic birds, as well as a Petting Zoo of uncommon farm animals. Please call regarding tour arrangements.

#### PORT WHITBY MARINA

Address: 301 Watson Street West, Whitby ON LIN 9G3 Telephone: 905-668-1900

Port Whitby Marina is located on one of the finest natural harbours on Lake Ontario. It is easily accessible from Hwy. 401 and Hwy. 12. Port Whitby Marina is a 420 slip full-service marina operated by the Town of Whitby. The marina, with floating steel docks, protected harbour and easy access to Hwy. 401, has a wide range of services including full season dockage and winter storage. Port Whitby is also a customs call-in station.

Facilities for recreational boaters include a 2,000 square foot lounge with bar area, covered patio, private card access, showers, washrooms, laundry facilities, defibrillator unit, general office area with small retail space, vending machines, and courtesy phones. The lounge area is available for community bookings.

Several sport fishing charter boats operate from Port Whitby Marina. Commercial repair facilities are located nearby within walking distance.



### **TRAFALGAR CASTLE SCHOOL**

Address: 401 Reynolds Street, Whitby Telephone: 905-668-3358 Website: www.castle-ed.com

An independent residential and day school for girls grades 6 through 12, located on Reynolds Street in Whitby is situated on 10 acres of lovely grounds. The original castle was constructed between 1859 and 1862 as the residence of Nelson Gilbert Reynolds, Sheriff of Ontario County at that time. The impressive stature of the original castle with 73 rooms has retained its elegance through the years. An increased expansion has complemented the gothic architecture, as well as provided the ultimate in added space for educational programs. Girls from all over the world attend this academic independent school, where enrollment is kept to a maximum of 240 students to maintain the optimum teaching environment.

### WHITBY COURTHOUSE THEATRE

Website: www.whitbytheatre.org Telephone: 905-668-0552

The Theatre, located in the Centennial Building, provides quality community theatre to the public. For information on upcoming productions.

### **IROQUOIS PARK SPORTS CENTRE**

Address: 500 Victoria Street West Telephone: 905-668-7765

Services: six ice pads, lighted baseball and softball diamonds, Anne Ottenbrite swimming and wading, pool, lighted soccer fields, lighted outdoor tennis, courts, Whitney Hall banquet facility sports bar and restaurant.

### WHITBY INDOOR SOCCER DOME

Address: 695 Rossland Road Westt Telephone: 905-668-2009

Services: Two indoor soccer fields, heated lobby, viewing area, snack bar, Whitby Iroquois Soccer office area, three full size outdoor office area (two fields lighted), three outdoor mini fields.

### **ANNUAL EVENTS**

Community and Marketing Services Department of the Town of Whitby, 575 Rossland Road East, Whitby. Events are also listed under the Town of Whitby's web site at www.whitby.ca.

The following list provides an overview of a variety of annual events happening in Whitby.

- Brooklin Spring Fair First Saturday in June
- County Town Carnival Late June
- Heber Down and Lynde Shores Conservation Areas seasonal activities
- Music in the Park Rotary Centennial Park, Brooklin Grass Park
- Santa Claus Parade
- Station Gallery Art exhibitions, special events, workshops
- Theatre productions
- Celebration Square Events
- Movie in the Park
- Harbour Days
- Communities in Bloom
- Christmas in the Village
- Heritage Day
- Harvest Festival
- Whitby Tree Lighting
- New Years Eve family skate
- Doors Open

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# SHOPPING AREAS

- Brock Centre Brock St. S. and Gilbert St.
- Brock Place 1032 Brock St. S.
- BrockTaunton Plaza Brock St. and Taunton Rd.
- Brooklin Towne Centre Baldwin St. and Winchester Rd.
- Downtown Brooklin Baldwin St. and Winchester Rd.
- Downtown Whitby Dundas St. and Brock St.
- Dundas St. and Garrard St.
- Dryden Square Plaza- Thickson Rd. N. and Dryden Blvd.
- FirstPro Baldwin St. S. and Taunton Rd. E.
- Kendalwood Plaza Dundas St. E. and Kendalwood Rd.
- Pringle Creek Plaza Anderson St. and Manning Rd.
- Queen's Common Dundas St. W. at McQuay Blvd.
- Rossland Plaza Rossland Rd. E. and Garden St.
- Thickson Place Thickson Rd. and Dundas St. E.
- Thickson Ridge Power Centre Victoria St. and Thickson Rd.
- Town Plaza Dundas St. W. and Frances St.
- West Lynde Plaza Dundas St. W. and McQuay Blvd.
- Whitby Mall Thickson Rd. S. and Dundas St. E
- Whitby Town Square Garden St. and Rossland Rd. E.
- Whitby Shores shopping centre- Victoria St. and Gordon St.\
- Garden and Taunton Power Centre Garden and Taunton Road

Whitby has something for everyone - indoor shopping, world-class attractions, the finest recreational harbour and nature trails - they are all here in this unique town.





### **Economic Development Division**



Site Selection & Relocation SUPPORT PROGRAM



Business Growth & Expansion SUPPORT PROGRAM



### Entrepreneurship & Small Business SUPPORT PROGRAM



### Invest Whitby support program



Tourism Whitby

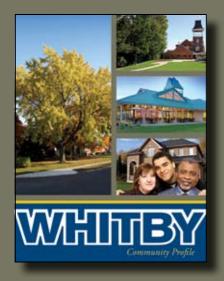


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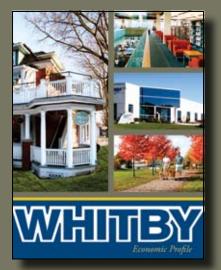
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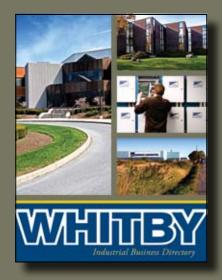
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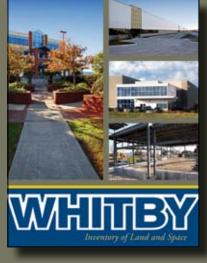
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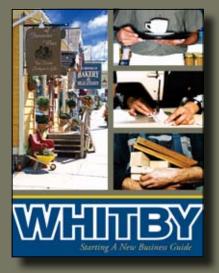
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Industrial Business Directory



Inventory of Land and Space



Starting A New Business Guide





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