

Budget 2019 Consultations





Overview

- Community Statistics
- 2018 Expenditures and Highlights
- 2018 Budget Recap
- 2019 Priorities Discussion
- Open Floor



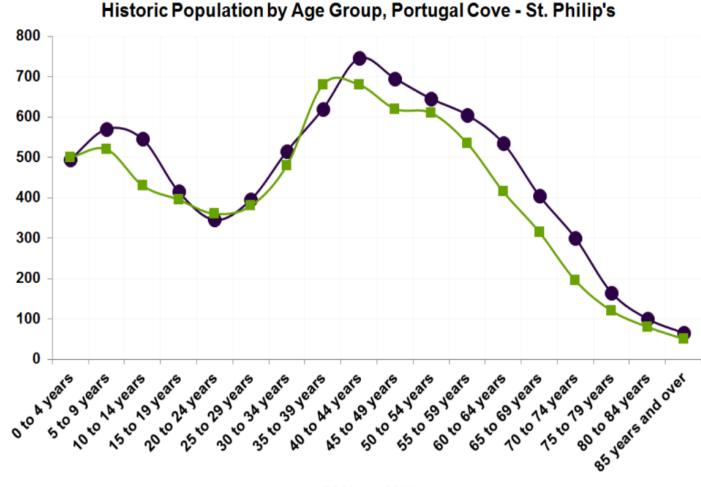
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Population Count, 2001-2016



■ Portugal Cove-St.Philip's ■ St.John's CMA ■ Newfoundland and Labrador ■ Canada



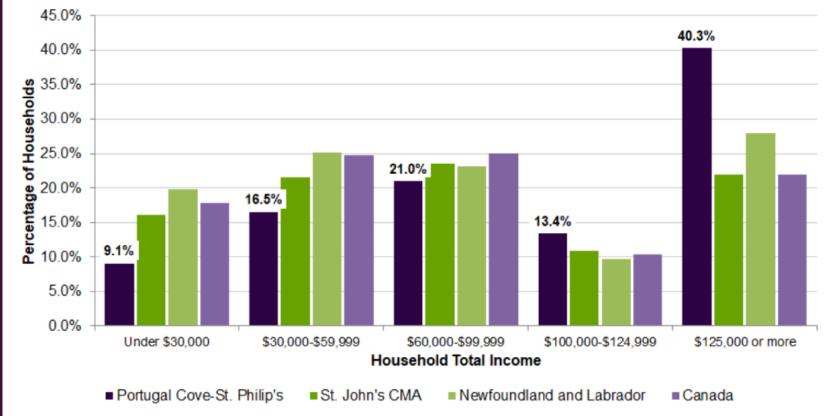


Average Age

	2006	2011	2016
Portugal Cove-St. Philip's	38.7	39.5	39.2
Newfoundland and Labrador	41.7	44	43.7
Canada	39.5	40.6	41



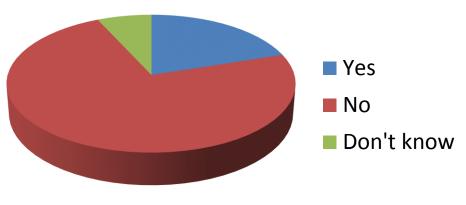
Distribution of Households by Household Total Income, Portugal Cove-St. Philip's and Higher Level Geographies, 2015



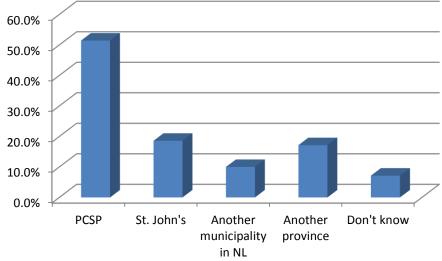


Demographics and Perceptions Survey

A16. Are you considering moving in the next five years?



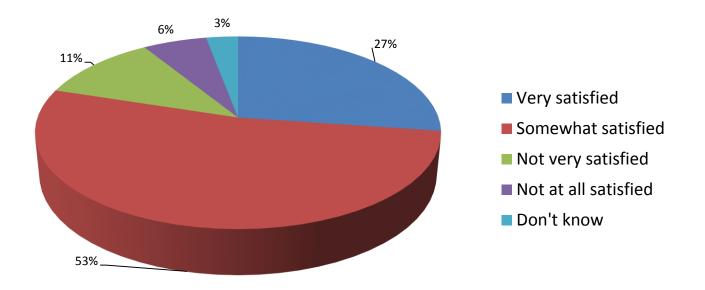
A17. Where would you move? SELECT MAXIMUM OF THREE





Demographics and Perceptions Survey

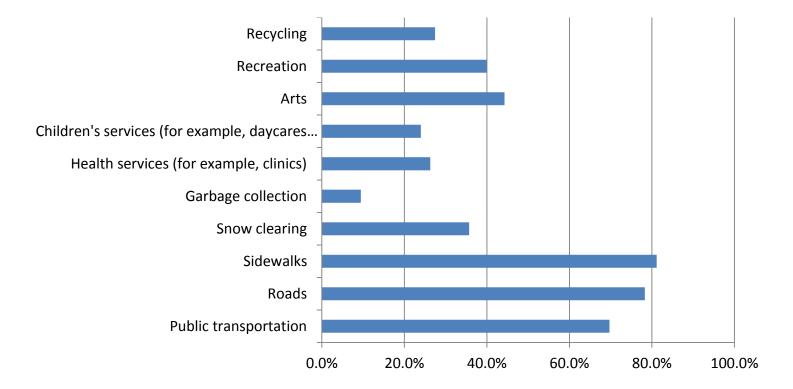
D2. Overall, how satisfied are you with your town's municipal programs and services? SELECT ONE RESPONSE ONLY





Demographics and Perceptions Survey

E3. Which service(s) in your municipality, if any, do you feel are lacking and/or could be improved? SELECT ALL THAT APPLY





2018 SUMMARY

Portugal Gove St. Philip's

Setting the first budget for a Council is a difficult process. It represents much more than a plan for a year, it represents the philosophy and vision for your newly elected Council for the next four years. We are committed to governing in a collaborative manner with fairness for all of our residents and businesses. The vision for our community cannot be achieved without the input and voice of the people and a Council and Town Hall that is willing to sincerely listen and lead based on that advice. We heard a great deal over the course of the campaign and during the public budget consultation process. We sincerely thank all those who have contributed and we are truly excited to present our first budget.

WHAT WE HEARD Public Input Considerations

REDUCE tax burden on residents

SMART budgeting and community planning

2018 EXPENDITURES BREAKDOWN

	Total Cost	Percentage
Administration	\$2,631,668	19%
Fire and Emergency Services	\$667,500	5%
Transportation	\$2,108,506	15%
Waste Management, Water and Sewer	\$1,347,473	10%
Recreation	\$1,087,533	8%
Debt Servicing	\$2,563,879	18%
Non-Financed Capital	\$2,912,881	21%
Reserve Fund	\$320,000	2%
Other Fiscal Services	\$424,000	3%
Total Expenditures	\$14,063,440	

HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2018 BUDGET

Property Tax will be reduced from 6.9 mils to 6.5 mils
 Water and Sewer

- Residential water fee to be reduced to \$450 and water and sewer fee to be reduced to \$625
- Commercial water fee to be reduced to \$480 and the water and sewer fee is reduced to \$715
- The mandatory residential water metering project has been cancelled
 Investments will be made in zone water meters and water loss program
- Local Business Support
- General business tax will be reduced from 8.5 mils to 8.1 mils (and all specific business types will be reduced by 0.4 mils)
- Farm tax rate reduced from 2.5 mils to 1.5 mils
- Financial support to the PCSP Chamber of Commerce
- **Environmental Protection**

- Reduction in Mil Rate from 6.9 to 6.5
- Water and Sewer Fee Reduction
- General Business Mil Rate reduced from 8.5 to 8.1
- Farm Mil Rate reduced from 2.5 to 1
- \$1,316,113 reduction in expenditures



- Recreation Infrastructure
 - Voisey's Brook Phase II Walking Trails
 - Voisey's Brook Mini-Diamond and Batting Cages
 - New Dory Boats for Regatta
 - Summerwood Playground and Inclusion Swing







- Recreation Programming
 - Increased number of events and participation
 - National Interest in Fields
 - New Senior Fitness Programs
 - Library has 350 members
 - Best of PCSP Community Awards





- Service Level Review
 - General Customer Service
 - Roads
 - Recreation
 - Strategic Planning
 - Garbage and Recycling
 - Issuing Permits and Licences





- Town Infrastructure
 - Meadow Heights
 - Tolt Road
 - Drover Heights
 - Water Metering
 - Road Maintenance



- Other Public Works Initiatives
 - Animal Control Project (Pilot)
 - Injured Domestic Animal Policy
 - Feeding Wildlife Policy
 - Updated Water and Sewer Regulations
 - School Rainbow Crosswalks



- Environment and Heritage
 - Heritage Displays
 - Fanny Goff
 Memorial
 - Digital Storytelling
 - Green Team
 - Climate Change
 Projects
 - Environmental
 Fair





- Pedestrian Safety
 - SafePCSPCampaigns
 - Traffic Calming
 Studies
 - Pedestrian
 Activated
 Crosswalk Signals
 - Speed Zone Policy





- Business Support
 - Chamber of Commerce
 Support
 - Business Directory
 - New Sponsorship
 Opportunities
 - Tourism Plan
 - Collaboration
- Other Initiatives
 - Regional and Local Signage
 - Regional Statistics Project









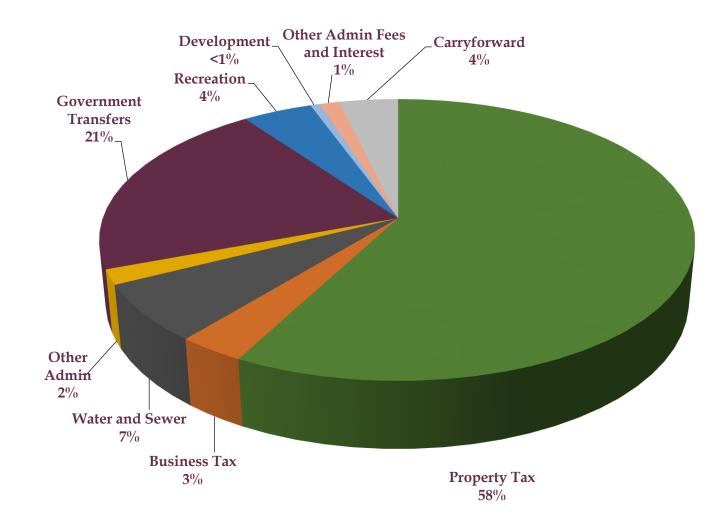


Property Tax Revenue	8,118,479
Business Tax Revenue	448,871
Water and Sewer Revenue	932,540
Municipal Operating Grant	242,596
Government Transfers	2,927,576
Recreation	616,358
Development	82,220
Other Admin Fees and Interest	175,000
Carryforward	519,800
Total Budget Revenue	14,063,440

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Revenue



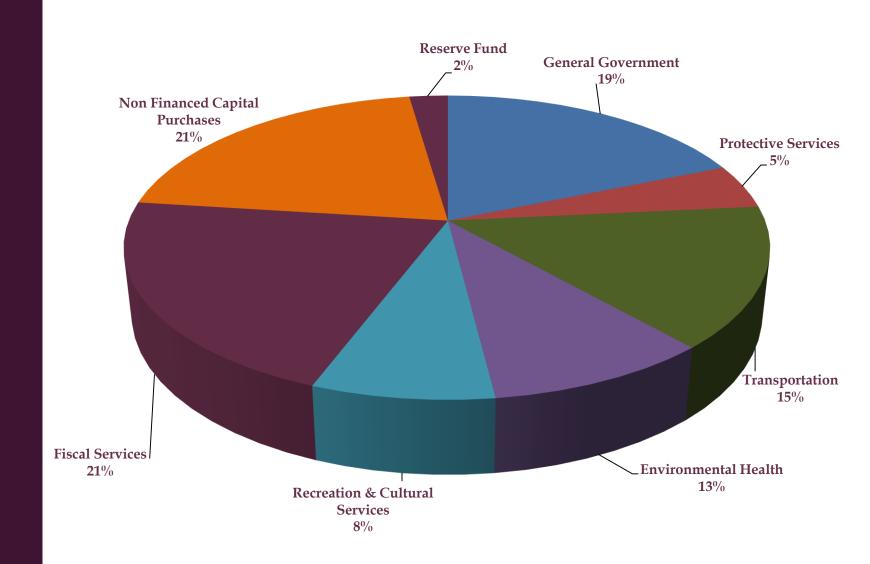


Expenditures

General Government	\$2,631,669
Protective Services	\$667,500
Transportation	\$2,108,506
Environmental Health	\$1,347,473
Recreation & Cultural Services	\$1,087,532
Fiscal Services	\$2,987,879
Non Financed Capital Purchases	\$2,912,881
Infrastructure Reserve Fund	\$320,000
Total Expenditures	\$14,063,440

Expenditures

Portugal Gove St. Philip's





Recreation





Town Services





Taxes and Finances





Environmental and Heritage





Business Development and Tourism



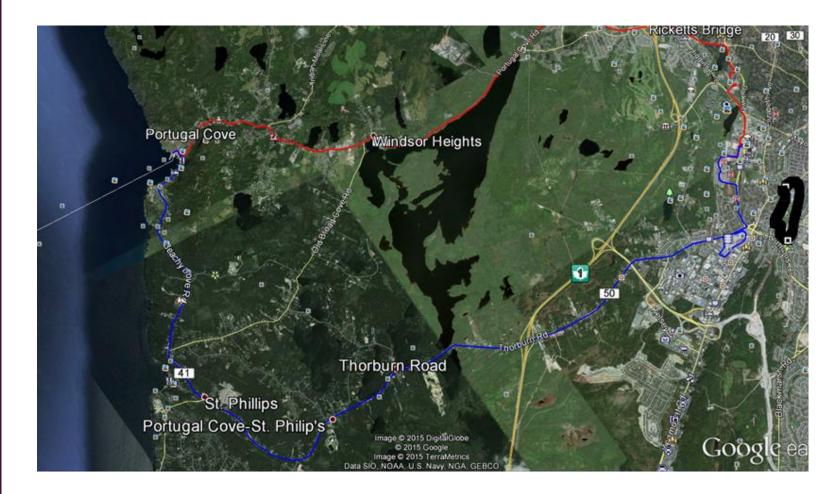


Pedestrian Safety



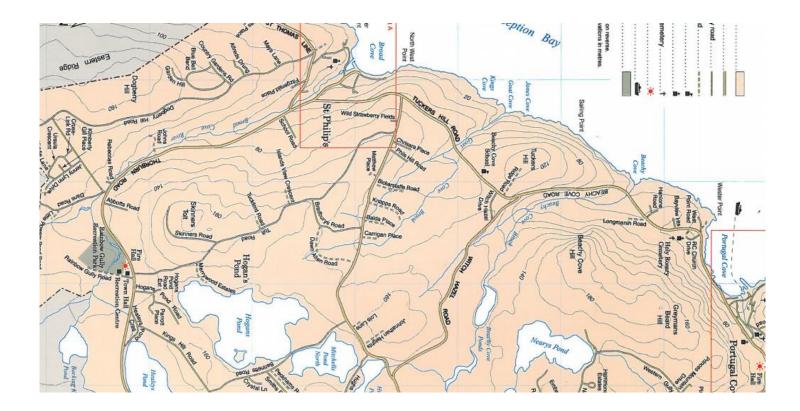


Transportation



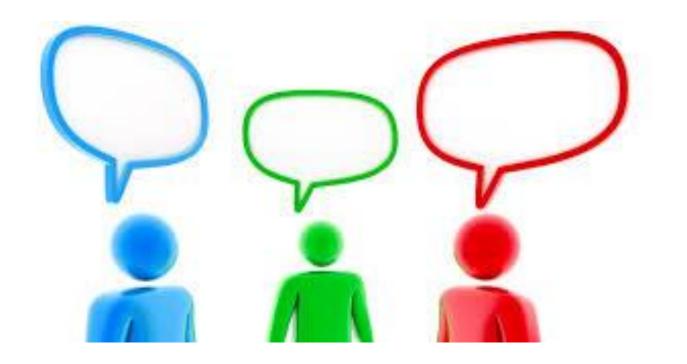


Infrastructure





Open Floor





Conclusion