

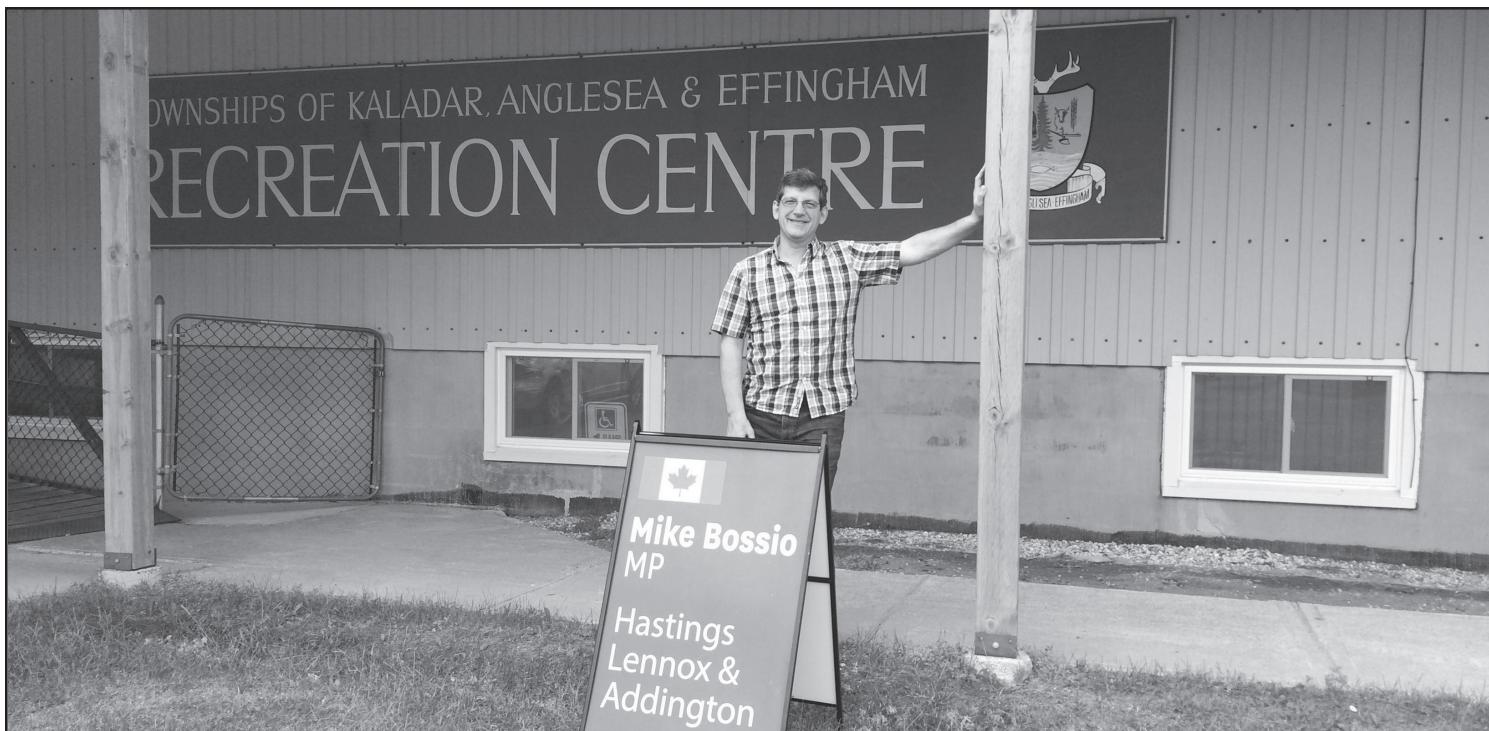


# Mike Bossio

MP — Hastings—Lennox and Addington



## Addington Highlands Satellite Office Hours



My team and I regularly come to **Clinton** to hold satellite office hours. We'd love it if you came to see us! We are here to serve.

**Where:** 72 Edward Street, Clinton

**Time:** 12:00pm to 4:00pm

**When:** Fourth Tuesday, every other month. For the rest of 2017, that's: April 25, June 27, August 22, and October 24.

If these times don't work for you, please call toll free 1-866-471-3800 to set up a new time or a phone meeting.

My team and I also hold satellite office hours in **Bancroft**, if that's more convenient for you.

**Where:** 8 Hastings Heritage Way, Bancroft

**Time:** 12:00pm to 4:00pm

**When:** Second Tuesday of every month. For the rest of 2017, that's: May 9, June 13, July 11, August 8, September 12, October 10, November 14, and December 12.

And of course there is also our full-time office 9:00am to 4:00pm, Monday to Friday, in **Napanee** at 20-B Richmond Boulevard.

# Canada Caregiver Credit

#Budget2017 brings clarity to ensure that Canada's Caregivers are recognized by our government. The current caregiver credit system is confusing and does not serve Canadians who are caring for their loved ones well. The existing Caregiver Credit, Infirm Dependant Credit, and Family Caregiver Tax Credit is a tangled web of confusing eligibility rules.

That is why #Budget2017 will simplify and improve the existing system by combining these three separate tax credits related to caregivers into a single Canada Caregiver Credit (CCC).

## This new CCC will provide better support to those who need it the most:

- apply to caregivers whether or not they live with their family member,
- will help families with caregiving responsibilities; and
- raise the income threshold for eligibility

That means more hard working Canadians can take some time to take care of loved ones. The Canada Caregiver Credit contributes to the generous Canadian spirit we are all so proud of.

# Expanding Employment Insurance Benefits for Caregivers

Balancing work and family caregiving responsibilities can be a real challenge.

Things can be especially difficult when a family member is suffering from a serious illness.

To help give eligible caregivers a well-deserved break, #Budget2017 proposes to create a new Employment Insurance (EI) caregiving benefit, which will give eligible caregivers up to 15 weeks of EI benefits while they are temporarily away from work to support or care for a critically ill or injured family member. To support this new benefit, Budget 2017 provides \$691.3 million over five years.

Everyone knows someone who is caring for a loved one, and knows why we've made this a priority. #Budget2017 recognizes that people make enormous sacrifices to care for loved ones, and helps to ease that burden by investing in caregiving.

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Yes, I would like to be added to Mike's non-partisan MP email list for future updates.

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**Send to:** Mike Bossio MP, House of Commons, Justice Building Room 601, Ottawa, ON, K1A 0A6