



Mike Bossio

MP — Hastings—Lennox and Addington



Stirling-Rawdon Satellite Office Hours



HERE TO SERVE YOU!

My staff and I hold satellite office hours from 12:00pm to 4:00pm on the third Tuesday every-other-month at the Stirling-Rawdon Municipal Building (2529 Stirling-Rawdon Rd). In 2017, that's: January 17, March 21, May 16, July 18, September 19, and November 21. When I am not in Ottawa, I attend these hours personally.

If these times don't work out for you, don't hesitate to call toll free 1-866-471-3800 to set up a new date or a phone meeting. We are here to help on a wide variety of federal case issues (such as EI, CRA, OAS, CPP, Veterans, and more) as well as to hear your ideas and concerns. We also hold satellite office hours in nearby Marmora and Madoc.

It's easy to stay connected!

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Is someone celebrating a milestone occasion? Contact my office for certificates for special birthdays and anniversaries, including for businesses and organizations. If you'd like me to visit your organization, business, or event, let my team know!

Over \$5.9 million is invested every month in families in Hastings—Lennox and Addington through our simplified and tax-free Canada Child Benefit, which is targeted to low and middle income families (the families who need it most).

In regions like ours that have higher-than-average levels of child poverty, this means a lot. In our riding, it helps almost 17,000 children!

More info: <http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/bnfts/ccb/menu-eng.html>



Mike met with Stirling's Taylor Russett, who was named "Prime Minister" at a Youth Forum in Ottawa



FEDERAL INVESTMENTS IN STIRLING-RAWDON

- \$151,347 in federal gas tax money in 2016 to support local infrastructure.
- \$20,000 through the federally-funded CFDC to Woodbeck Auto Parts for equipment that reduces waste and helps the environment.

In Business? Your local Trenval CFDC offers a range of services to support your business including:

- Business financing up to \$250,000
- Eastern Ontario Dev. Program (EODP) grant funding
- Free business advisory services
- Connections to other agencies and partners
- Various additional supports and services

TRENVAL Business Development Corporation

Serving Belleville, Quinte West, Stirling-Rawdon, Tyendinaga Township, and Deseronto
Call: 613-961-7999

Also check out www.canadabusiness.ca

Federal Funding for Home Care

The demand for home care services in Canada, including for seniors, continues to grow. Approximately 15 percent of hospital beds are currently occupied by people who could, and would, receive their care at home or in more community-based settings. Meanwhile, in homes across the country – including here in Stirling-Rawdon – many families caring for loved ones are struggling with stresses and pressures that come from not having enough support. In both cases, these people, these families, need more support.

Home care affects women most. In fact, the majority of Canadians that have taken the responsibility to care for their loved ones at home are still in the workforce, and are mostly women. Investing in home care will allow women who provide home care to make fewer sacrifices in their work, social, and personal lives.

Budget 2017 proposes to invest \$6 billion over 10 years to provide Canadians with improved access to home, community, and palliative care services, as well as more support for informal caregivers. This means that more people will get the care they need in their homes, and that more families will be getting more support.

I mail 4 full-sized seasonal newsletters each year to the whole riding, but also have the option of sending these smaller extra newsletters to specific communities. Are you getting enough information from me already? Please use the survey below to let me know. Please also comment on what kind of information you would like to see from me.

I get enough info from the 4 seasonal newsletters: **Y / N**

I also value the community-specific newsletter: **Y / N**

Comments

Name

Address

City, Province

Postal Code

Telephone

Email

Yes, I would like to be added to Mike's non-partisan M.P. email list for further updates.

To return survey: Cut along the dotted line, place in envelope, and mail to the address below – no postage required.

Send to: Mike Bossio M.P., House of Commons, Justice Building Room 601, Ottawa, ON, K1A 0A6