

MOUNTAINS OF OPPORTUNITY

# Cranbrook

# 2024-2028 Five Year Financial Plan

You can find the full 2024-2028 Five-Year Financial Plan Budget Package on our website at <a href="https://cranbrook.ca/budget2024">https://cranbrook.ca/budget2024</a>.

Your input into this process is important. We want and need to hear from you. Please submit comments in writing by 4pm MT, Friday, December 1, 2023.

You can email your comments to us at info@cranbrook.ca, or mail or drop off to us

City of Cranbrook

Attention: Charlotte Osborne

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# Tax Levy Increase

8.63% = Average Household \$18 per month (Includes the 1% Road Tax)

This does not include the New Asks

**Increased Costs** 

## What is Causing the Tax Levy Increase?

Road Dedicated Tax Increase

- Policing
- ↑ Wages
- ↑ Benefits (CPP, WCB, STD, LTD)
- Other Costs (Contracts, Transit, Insurance, Memberships)
- Building Permit Revenue
- ↓ Arena Revenue
- ↓ New Development Tax Revenue
- Interest Revenue



Total Impact on 2024 Tax Levy: 1.57% Increase	<i>† )</i> \$ Amount	Tax Levy Increase
Library	\$31,549	.10%
Community Engagement Coordinator (with operating \$)	\$103,750	.32%
Bylaw Enforcement Officer (with operating \$)	\$112,150	.34%
Memorial Arena Roof Repairs	\$168,000 (2024 interest only)	.51%
Winter Blitzville	\$50,000	.15%
Revitalization/Beautification	\$50,000	.15%
Records Supervisor (50% funded from existing budget)	\$52,000	.06% (over 3 years starting in 2025)
RCMP Building Renovation	\$9,975,000 Total \$2,450,000 RCMP Contribution \$7,525,000 City Contribution (borrowing over 20 years)	1.86% Tax Levy Increase starting in 2026

Council will be Considering 3 Options for the RCMP Building Renovation

- 1. Minimum Upgrades \$2.6 million
- 2. Upgrades, Renovations and 219 m<sup>2</sup> of Additional Floor Space with Option for Future 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor \$9.9 million
- 3. Upgrades, Renovations and 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Completed with an Additional 423 m<sup>2</sup> Floor Space \$12 million

## Water

Water (per month)

2023 Rate \$26.50 2024 Rate \$26.50 2028 Projected Rate \$28.00

Last Rate increase was in 2022

Water Frontage (per taxable meter)

2023 Rate \$9.00 2024 Rate \$11.00 2028 Projected Rate \$22.00

Last Rate increase was in 2018

### Rate increases affected by:

Gold Creek Dam \$14 million

Phillips Reservoir Bypass Pipeline & Intake Valve \$9 million Desludging Lagoons, 10 year cycle \$7.5 million

# Sanitary Sewer

Sanitary Sewer (per month)

2023 Rate \$20.00 2024 Rate \$23.00 2028 Projected Rate \$24.00

Last Rate increase was in 2015

Sewer Frontage (per taxable meter) 2023 Rate \$5.00 2024 Rate \$10.00 2028 Projected Rate \$12.00

Last Rate increase was in 2012

Rate increases affected by:

## Solid Waste

Collection (per month) 2023 Rate \$7.00

\$8.50 2024 Rate \$10.00 2028 Projected Rate

Last Rate increase was in 2009

Landfill (per month)

2023 Rate \$10.00 2024 Rate \$10.00

