



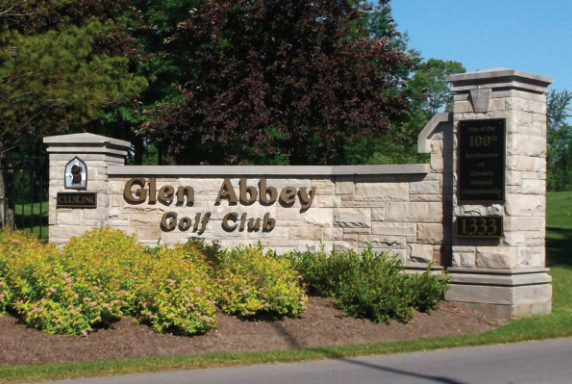
On October 22nd  
Re-Elect Mayor

**Rob  
Burton**

*keep moving forward*

**Rob is the only mayoral candidate actually working to SAVE GLEN ABBEY!**

(Rob's challengers never showed up or even said a word in the entire 3 years to date!)



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your street, too.

For 12 years I have focused on controlling growth, providing community facilities and managing finances at the town and Halton region to deliver in a fair, orderly and efficient manner. I have consulted the community at every turn. And it has worked! Oakville now leads Canada in livability!

**There is a threat hanging over our future, from a huge multi-billion dollar land development corporation.** Your Council and I refused their application to destroy Glen Abbey Golf Course and build 3,222 homes for 9,000 people. We are defending our town against this threat in the courts. **Now, candidates with no track record on these issues are seeking your vote.** The people you elect in October will decide the fate of Oakville's official plan. *If our growth-controlling and neighbourhood-protecting official plan can be broken at Glen Abbey, it can be broken on your street, too.*

Let's keep Oakville on the best path. In this election, please re-elect me and your existing councillors. Let's keep moving forward!



Sincerely,

Rob Burton



Rob and his wife Wendy have lived in Oakville for 24 years and raised three children. Together they enjoy an active lifestyle of charity, cultural, and sports activities.

## **Rob's** team-building leadership gets good things done for you:

- The **Wyecroft Road Extension and Bridge** proposed in 1994 was never built as consensus was never achieved. Mayor Burton succeeded in moving the project to Halton Region Council and then created the consensus needed to approve the project.
- Rob's same consensus-creating leadership made possible our **New Hospital, 7 New Arenas, the Indoor Soccer Field, Queen Elizabeth Park Community and Cultural Centre, Trafalgar Community Centre**, and so much more...

## **Rob** is experienced, educated, and effective:

- "Among the best mayors in the GTA" *The Toronto Star*
- Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal
- Prince of Wales Heritage Conservation Award
- Ontario Nature Conservation Leader Award
- YTV founder, award-winning TV & filmmaker
- Former head of Joshua Creek Residents Association and Clear the Air Coalition, fighting successfully to create the first municipal greenbelt in North Oakville





*"Rob Burton's significant contribution to the Kerr Street Dream Centre has helped to create a legacy of hope for many in our community. He has proven time and again that he cares deeply for those in need in our community."*

**COLLEEN SEMKIW**  
former director, Kerr Street Mission

*"Mayor Burton is a great example of the kind of person who I can work with across political sides and get things people need done."*

**JOHN TORY, Toronto Mayor**

*"In 2008 it was unclear what Canada and the U.S. were going to do in the recession. This Mayor organized the other Auto Mayors in Ontario. They stood up. I know for a fact that that news got to Jim Flaherty and got to the Prime Minister's Office. On behalf of all of us here, Mayor Burton, thank you for your leadership!"*

**JAMES ROWLAND**  
Ford Motor Company of Canada

*"If everyone would be more like you, focusing on making things better, the world would be a better place. What you're doing for the auto industry is absolutely essential."*

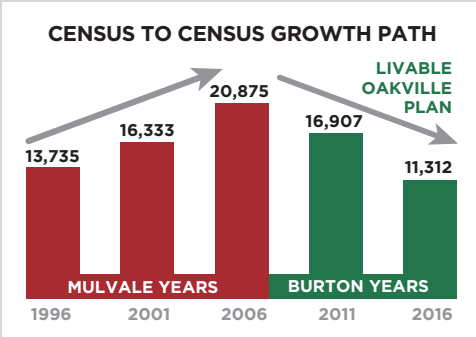
**HAZEL McCALLION**  
Mississauga Mayor, 1978-2014

## Rob is an active leader:

- 12 years as Mayor and Regional Council member working for livability and sustainability
- Oakville Community Leaders Round Table founder and chair
- Halton Police Board chair
- Halton Health & Social Services chair
- Halton Community Housing president
- Halton Healthcare director
- Halton Conservation director
- Oakville Hydro director
- Oakville Enterprises director
- Municipal Development Corp. director
- Downtown BIA director
- Arts, charity, and sports patron
- Halton Poverty Round Table supporter
- Municipal Leaders for the Greenbelt chair
- Auto Mayors founder & chair
- Nuclear Technology Mayors co-chair
- Large Urban Mayors Caucus
- GTAH Mayors and Chairs
- Ontario Big 12 Police Chairs, plus Ontario and Canadian police board associations
- Tree Canada director (2012-2016)



# Rob is a leader who delivers on his promises:



## CONTROL GROWTH

- Controlled growth to slowest rate in 30 years
- Reversed town's 75% loss record at OMB with a 67% win record
- Saved 800 heritage homes

## PROTECT NEIGHBOURHOODS

- Created the Livable Oakville Official Plan to direct growth away from neighbourhoods
- Stopped the power plant
- Steered creation of 1st Regional Community Safety & Well Being Plan
- Designated Lakeshore Road a Scenic Road

- Strengthened Safest Community status for 12 years
- Led Oakville to national recognition as as Canada's "Best Place to Live," "Best Place for Newcomers," 3rd "Best Place to Retire," and Ontario's "Best Place for Families"

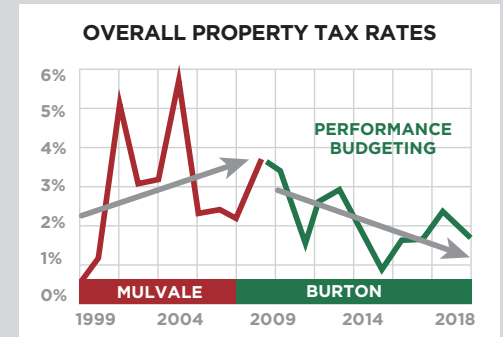
## PROTECT GREEN SPACE

- Created 1st municipal greenbelt
- Saved Deerfield Golf Course
- Refused application to develop Glen Abbey Golf Course, designated it a Cultural Heritage Landscape, and launched legal action to protect these decisions
- Enacted Urban Forestry Plan to take tree canopy to 40%

## CREATE NEW FACILITIES

- Replaced downtown bridges
- Opened 2 new fire halls
- Made new hospital possible
- Secured new courthouse
- Built Clearview & Neyagawa libraries
- Rebuilt White Oaks & Iroquois Ridge & Glen Abbey libraries

- Opened 5 new rec centres: Trafalgar Park, Queen Elizabeth Park, Pine Glen Soccer Centre, 16 Mile Creek and Joshua Creek arenas
- Added 24 soccer fields, 54 playgrounds, and more trails
- Created most bike lanes per capita in GTA
- Ensured that half of all new housing qualified as affordable



## CONTROL FINANCES

- Cut tax rate every year since 2007
- Kept tax increases below inflation for the last 10 years
- Cut tax-paid debt 88% since 2006

# KEEP OAKVILLE ON THE BEST PATH

## Re-Elect Rob Burton to . . .

### KEEP FIGHTING AND WINNING IMPORTANT COURT CASES:

- Club Link proposal that threatens to put 3,222 homes on the historic Glen Abbey Golf Course
- CN train-to-truck hub proposal that threatens to put 1,600 trucks a day on Oakville roads

### KEEP EXPANDING ROAD, TRANSIT AND BIKE INFRASTRUCTURE:

- New downtown streetscape
- New Wycroft bridge (with bike lanes)
- Wider roads & bike lanes for Speers, Bronte, Dundas & Trafalgar roads
- More smart traffic lights

### KEEP CREATING NEEDED PUBLIC FACILITIES:

- Reynolds St. Community Centre
- Renew downtown cultural facilities
- 16 Mile Creek Rec Centre

### KEEP CONTROLLING GROWTH, DEBT, AND TAXES:

- Keep protecting natural areas
- Keep making growth pay its way, to the limits allowed by Ontario

### KEEP FOSTERING ECONOMIC GROWTH:

- Keep defending the auto industry
- Open the Innovation Hub, with dedicated spaces for both businesses and social enterprises




### KEEP PROTECTING OUR FUTURE AS CANADA'S MOST LIVABLE TOWN:

- Keep growing tree canopy to 40%
- Keep extending landfill life with diversion
- Keep maintaining and upgrading roads, sewer and water mains, to help fight the impacts of climate change
- Keep engaging the public and promoting activities that make us Canada's safest community

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Learn more about Rob at:

-  [RobBurton.org](http://RobBurton.org)
-  [@OakvilleMayor](https://twitter.com/OakvilleMayor)
-  [MayorRobBurton](https://www.facebook.com/MayorRobBurton)

If you'd like to take a sign, make a donation or help out, contact Rob's campaign at:

-  **905-338-1200**
-  [robburton18@gmail.com](mailto:robburton18@gmail.com)

#### VOTING BEGINS OCTOBER 6

You can vote October 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15 and 16 at Town Hall and October 6 and 10 at six other locations.

Visit [www.elections.oakville.ca](http://www.elections.oakville.ca) for details.

The final day to vote is **ELECTION DAY, OCTOBER 22** (10 a.m. – 8 p.m.) at your local polling station.