



MEMO

To: Economic Development Standing Committee

From: Manager of Economic Development

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Subject: Recently released Census data

On April 27th, the Government of Canada released a new block of Census data. This focused on Canada's shifting demographic profile. The attached spreadsheet outlines the current data vs the 2016 Census data. Some highlights:

- Elliot Lake's population is up 5.9% to 11,372
- Our residents are broken down to the following demographic groups:
 - 10.3% 0-14 Years – no % increase, up 65 People
 - 49.7 % 15-64 Years – down 2%, up 95 People
 - 39.9% 65 Years and over – up 2%, up 470 People
 - Of those, 3.8% are 85 Years and over
- Average age of the population is 53.4 Years - up 0.7 years
- Median age of the population is 60.4 Years – up 1.6 Years
- 2,330 households are occupied by 1 person up 205 from 2016

On July 13th, a new block of data will be released breaking down the portrait of Canada's families and households, Canadian military experience and the income profile of Canadians. Staff will present this to the committee once available.

Respectfully submitted,

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