

# Community Profile



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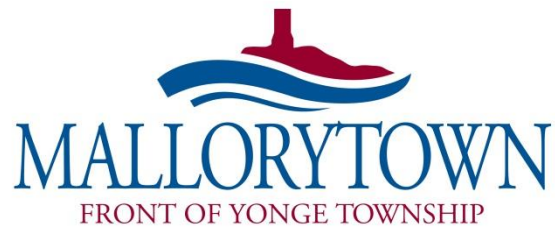


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## Discover What Makes Us Yonge

Front of Yonge is a community focused on creating the ideal life for its residents while supporting businesses within the Township. Located on the banks of the St. Lawrence River in the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, it is the home of the Thousand Islands National Park, Brown's Bay Provincial Park, as well as a number of private campgrounds, the Jones Creek walking trail system, and the 1000 Islands Waterfront Trail's walking/bike path which from just beyond the Township's eastern boundary to neighbouring towns. The predominance of the Canadian Shield produces a scenic beauty and diverse landscape which includes exposed rock formations and heavy tree cover, as well as wide fields and beaches.



The heritage and culture of Front of Yonge holds great importance to its residents of the Township which hosts a number of events highlighting 19<sup>th</sup> century life. The Mallory Coach House offers visitors a look at our local history through the strong support of local volunteers, and provides information about Canada's first Glassworks factory that was established here. Our peaceful way of life harmonizes with the natural beauty the area has to offer.

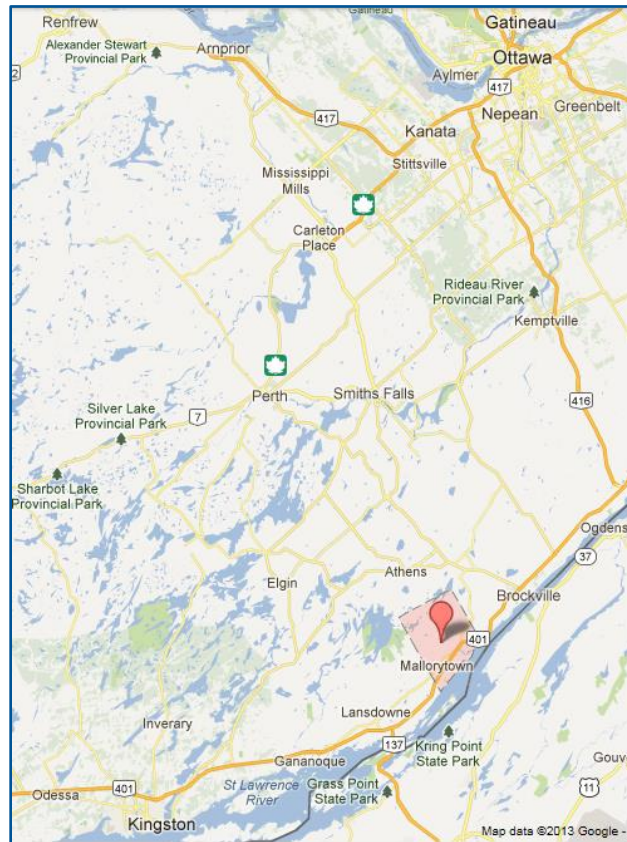
With many amenities nearby, and access to the 401 Highway and two international bridges, Front of Yonge provides the benefits of rural living with the convenience of neighbouring urban facilities. The municipality is home to a wide variety of businesses to meet the needs of locals and visitors. A number of community groups and annual events allow for artists, hobbyists, crafters, and gardeners to showcase their creations.

## Location

Front of Yonge Township is located in beautiful Eastern Ontario, along the St. Lawrence River. With its central location, many key cities and roadways are easily accessible, including two international bridges.

The municipality is bordered by Elizabethtown-Kitley to the east, Leeds and the Thousand Islands to the west, and Athens to the north, with the St. Lawrence River serving as its southern border. Front of Yonge is a member municipality of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, and is found in the appropriately named, Great Waterway region of Ontario.

Part of the world famous 1000 Islands with 46 islands within its borders, the area is home to natural waterfronts and multiple recreational trails, providing striking scenery. The area also lies within the Frontenac Arch Biosphere Reserve, a designated UNESCO site for its diverse ecosystem.



Our location is perfect for residents and businesses for a number of reasons. Residents receive the benefit of residing in a quiet and friendly community, while allowing easy mobility to other cities and their amenities. Our municipality is committed to maintaining our safe environment and preserving the ecosystem while providing sustainable methods for it to be enjoyed. Businesses benefit from operating near major economic hubs and along the 401 Highway, while avoiding many of the issues faced by urban locations with higher overhead costs.

Destination	Kilometres	Miles
Bridge to USA (Ivy Lea)	19	12
Bridge to USA (Johnstown)	50	31
Kingston	63	39
Ottawa	135	84
Montreal	230	143
Toronto	323	201
Brockville	25	15
Gananoque	34	21

## History

### Front of Yonge

Front of Yonge Township is located in the Leeds and Grenville County along the St. Lawrence River with a rich history dating back centuries. Its name was created to honour the Right Honorable Sir George Yonge, a British Secretary during the War of 1812. Officially designated as Front of Yonge in 1859, the Township, along with the nearby Front of Escott and Front of Lansdowne, were the only three municipalities in Ontario with “Front” before the name due to having a border along the river. Years later, both Escott and Lansdowne assimilated into another municipality, leaving Front of Yonge as the only township with “Front” in its name.

The area was settled by a strong core of United Empire Loyalists after the American Revolutionary War and participated in the War of 1812. Mallorytown Landing was a port for ships moving supplies and a blockhouse was constructed on Chimney Island to protect the vessels. The chimney remains standing today as a National Historical site.

### Mallorytown

The largest settlement area in Front of Yonge is the Village of Mallorytown, located on County Road 2 and 4. Mallorytown was founded by United Empire Loyalist Nathaniel Mallory who came ashore at Mallorytown Landing in 1784, and later moved inland in search of better farmland. The Mallory Family remained to be a prominent family in the area, winning international competitions for produce, and the creation of the first glassworks in Canada in 1839. The glasswork factory was owned by Amasa Mallory and operated from 1839 to 1840, creating glass with a green tint that was unique during this period. Pieces from the business can still be viewed at museums, with replicas on display at the local Mallory Coach House.

### Other Communities

Yonge Mills was once home to a number of mills due to its proximity to the nearby Jones Creek. A church built in 1837 remains standing and opens once a year for an anniversary service. Caintown, located in the northern end of the Township, was named after the Loyalist Cain Family who purchased land there in 1802. Over 200 years ago, what is currently known as Ballycanoe and Trevelyan experienced a large migration of Irish immigrants due to the religious conflict occurring in Ireland at the time. McIntosh Mills and Junetown were named after the families who lived in the area during early settlement.

A more detailed history is available at the Front of Yonge Township Office and online at [www.Mallorytown.ca](http://www.Mallorytown.ca)

## Climate

Front of Yonge experiences a wide temperature range between winter and summer. The following information is provided by the National Climate Data and Information Archive and illustrates the average for a thirty (30) year span.

### Temperature

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Daily Average (°C)	-8.2	-6.7	-1.3	6.1	13.0	18.0	20.8	19.9	15.4	9.1	2.9	-4.4
Daily High (°C)	-3.9	-2.3	3.1	10.7	18.1	22.8	25.6	24.5	19.8	13.1	6.3	-0.6
Daily Low (°C)	-12.5	-11.0	-5.6	1.5	7.9	13.1	16.0	15.3	11.0	5.1	-0.5	-8.2

**Source:** National Climate Data and Information Archive, Brockville PCC 1971-2000.

Note: Temperature data within the Front of Yonge Township was not available. The numbers above represent the Brockville PCC weather station, the closest station to meet the United Nation's World Meteorological Organization standards to the Township.

### Precipitation

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Rainfall (mm)	24.4	27.9	43.7	59.0	72.5	62.6	70.9	83.2	94.1	75.3	68.9	41.0
Snowfall (mm)	26.6	23.6	26.2	7.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	12.6	34.8

**Source:** National Climate Data and Information Archive, Mallorytown Graham Lake 1971-2000.



## Demographics

The information presented within the demographics section has been primarily provided by Statistics Canada for the Front of Yonge Township Census Profile. While the numbers change annually, the overall growth trend remains the same. Additional information was provided through municipal records.

### Population Size

Front of Yonge Township is home to 2,752 residents, with approximately 300 people living in the village of Mallorytown. The municipality experiences moderate population growth with a net increase of six to seven new dwellings per year, with the growth projected to continue. Currently, the population density for the municipality is one per 21.4 km<sup>2</sup> spanning over 125 kilometres.

### Age

Age Group (Years)	Township Population	Township Percentage (%)	Provincial Population	Provincial Percentage (%)
Total Population	2,752		12,851,820	
0 to 4	115	4.18	704,260	5.48
5 to 9	145	5.27	712,755	5.55
10 to 14	170	6.18	763,755	5.94
15 to 19	165	6.00	863,635	6.72
20 to 24	120	4.36	852,910	6.64
25 to 29	95	3.45	815,120	6.34
30 to 34	130	4.72	800,365	6.23
35 to 39	160	5.81	844,335	6.57
40 to 44	195	7.09	924,075	7.19
45 to 49	220	7.99	1,055,880	8.22
50 to 54	260	9.48	1,006,140	7.83
55 to 59	235	8.54	864,620	6.73
60 to 64	260	9.48	765,655	5.96
65 to 69	195	7.09	563,485	4.38
70 to 74	95	3.45	440,780	3.43
75 to 79	55	2.00	356,150	2.77
80 to 84	35	1.27	271,510	2.11
85 +	25	0.91	246,400	1.92
Median Age	46.0		40.4	
% over 15	84.0		83.0	

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2011 Census of Population.

### By Gender

Age Group	Total Population	Male Numbers	Male Percentage (%)	Female Numbers	Female Percentage (%)
Total Population	2,752	1,330		1,350	
0 to 4	115	55	4.14	60	4.44
5 to 9	145	75	5.64	70	5.19
10 to 14	170	95	7.14	80	5.93
15 to 19	165	75	5.64	100	7.41
20 to 24	120	60	4.51	60	4.44
25 to 29	95	50	3.76	50	3.70
30 to 34	130	70	5.26	60	4.44
35 to 39	160	80	6.02	80	5.93
40 to 44	195	95	7.14	105	7.78
45 to 49	220	90	6.77	130	9.63
50 to 54	260	130	9.77	130	9.63
55 to 59	235	115	8.65	120	8.89
60 to 64	260	140	10.53	120	8.89
65 to 69	195	105	7.89	90	6.67
70 to 74	95	50	3.76	45	3.33
75 to 79	55	30	2.26	25	1.85
80 to 84	35	20	1.50	20	1.48
85 +	25	5	0.38	15	1.11
Median Age	46.0	46.2		45.9	

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2011 Census of Population.

## Household Structure

According to the age statistics, approximately 24% of the population is sixty years old and over. Typically at this age, the children of these individuals would no longer reside in the same household, thus accounting for the higher number of two person families in a dwelling.

	Front of Yonge Township	Province
Total Number of Families	850	3,612,200
2 Person Family	485	1,686,655
3 Person Family	170	812,960
4 Person Family	140	783,500
5+ Person Family	55	329,085
Married	625	2,612,895
With Children	270	1,522,150
Without Children	360	1,090,740
Common-Law	140	394,670
With Children	70	158,660
Without Children	70	236,010
Single Parent	80	604,645
Total Children in Census Families	740	4,083,925
Average Number of Children per Census Family	0.9	1.1

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2011 Census of Population.



## Mobility and Immigration

Due to the reformat of the 2011 Census, recent numbers are not available through Statistics Canada. The information presented was provided by the 2006 Census and has been generalized.

Of the relocation documented within the municipality, a small percentage moved within the Township lines. The majority of newcomers arrived from within the province of Ontario, followed by out of province and then international migration. The trend has remained relatively unchanged in the five years prior to the 2006 Census.

## Language

Mother Tongue	Total (2,660)	Spoken at Home	Total (2,665)
English	2,525	English	2,645
French	45	French	15
Other	85	Other	5

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2011 Census of Population.

## Education

	Front of Yonge Township	Front of Yonge Percentage (%)	Province
Total Population Over 15 Years Old	2,330		9,819,420
No Certificate, Diploma, or Degree	515	22.10	2,183,625
High School Certificate	635	27.25	2,628,575
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate	250	10.73	785,115
College, CEGEP or Equivalent	700	30.04	1,804,775
University Certificate Below Bachelor Level	75	3.22	405,270
University Certificate Degree	150	6.44	2,012,060

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

## Income

	Front of Yonge Township	Province
Persons over 15 with income	2,260	9,340,020
Median Income (\$)	24,821	27,258
Median Income After Tax (\$)	22,149	24,604
Earnings – As a % of Total Income	77.5	77.4
Government Transfers – As a % of Total Income	11.1	9.8
Other – As a % of Total Income	11.3	12.9
Income Status of all Persons in Private Households	2,765	11,926,140
% in Low Income Before Tax	6.7	14.7
% in Low Income After Tax	3.3	11.1

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

## Housing Characteristics

	Front of Yonge Township	Province
Total Occupied Private Households	1,035	4,887,505
Single-detached House	990	2,718,880
Semi-detached House	5	279,470
Row House	0	415,225
Apartment/Duplex	5	160,460
Apartment less than 5 Storeys	15	498,160
Apartment more than 5 Storeys	0	789,970
Movable Dwelling	5	15,800
Other	0	9,540

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2011 Census of Population.



## Municipal Services

### Building Permits and Inspections

The minimum cost for a building permit is \$75. Additional fees are dependent on the value of the proposed construction/renovation. Violation of not obtaining a permit is to double the entire fee. Costs can be found on the Township's website.

Time from Submitting a Permit to its Approval		
Category	Median Number of Working Days	Provincial Standard in Working Days
Houses (not exceeding 3 storeys/600 square metres)	3	10
Small Buildings (small commercial/industrial not exceeding 3 storeys/600 square metres)	2	15
Large Buildings (large residential/commercial/industrial)	4	20
Complex Building (post disaster buildings)	8	30

**Source:** Front of Yonge Township Performance Measures: Effectiveness for the year ended December 31, 2011



## Municipal Services Costs

Municipal Performance Measurement Publication for Taxpayers for 2009		
Department	Service	Amount
General Government	Operating costs for governance and corporate management as a percentage of total municipal operating costs	22.5%
	Total costs for governance and corporate management as a percentage of total municipal operating costs	22.2%
Fire Protection	Operating costs for fire services per \$1000 of assessment	\$0.56
	Total costs for fire services per \$1000 of assessment	\$0.75
	Number of residential structural fires per 1,000 households	13
	Number of residential fire related civilian injuries and/or fatalities per 1,000 persons	0
	Number of residential fire related civilian injuries and/or fatalities averaged over 5 years per 1,000 persons	0
Roadways	Operating costs for paved (hard top) roads per lane km	\$1559.66
	Total costs for paved (hard top) roads per lane km	\$2285.19
	Operating costs for unpaved (loose top) roads per lane km	\$2603.97
	Total costs for unpaved (loose top) roads per lane km	\$3053.90
	Operating costs for winter maintenance for roads per lane km	\$1312.69
	Percentage of paved lane km where the condition is rated as good to very good	81.4%
	Percentage of winter events where the response met or exceeded locally determined road maintenance standards	100%
Solid Waste	Total operating costs for garbage disposal per household	\$97.11
	Total operating costs for solid waste diversion per household	\$7.63
	Total number of solid waste management sites owned by the municipality	1
Police Services	Operating costs for police services per household	\$78.68
	Total number of actual incidents for violent crime (7.8), property crime (24.3) and other Criminal Code offences (2.1), excluding traffic per 1,000 persons	34
Parks and Recreation	Operating costs for Parks, Recreation Programs and Recreation Facilities per person	\$14.78
Library	Operating costs per person	\$17.39
	Operating costs per library use	\$9.64
	Library use per person	2
	Percentage of electronics uses	6%
	Percentage of non-electronic uses	94%
Land Use Planning	Percentage of new residential units located within settlement areas	11%

## Waste Disposal

Permanent and seasonal residents are required to purchase bag tags to reduce the volume of waste being deposited in the Township's Waste Disposal Site and to encourage recycling. Recycling has extended past the typical glass, plastics, and metals, to now include most electronics, tires, and Styrofoam products. Curbside collection is offered to residents in Mallorytown and is available through private contract throughout the Township. Hazardous waste, including pharmaceuticals, paints, and batteries, are accepted during designated times and locations, as a service by the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville at no charge.

## Water and Electricity Rates

Front of Yonge Township does not have a municipal water system and therefore residents and businesses rely on private wells to provide drinking water.

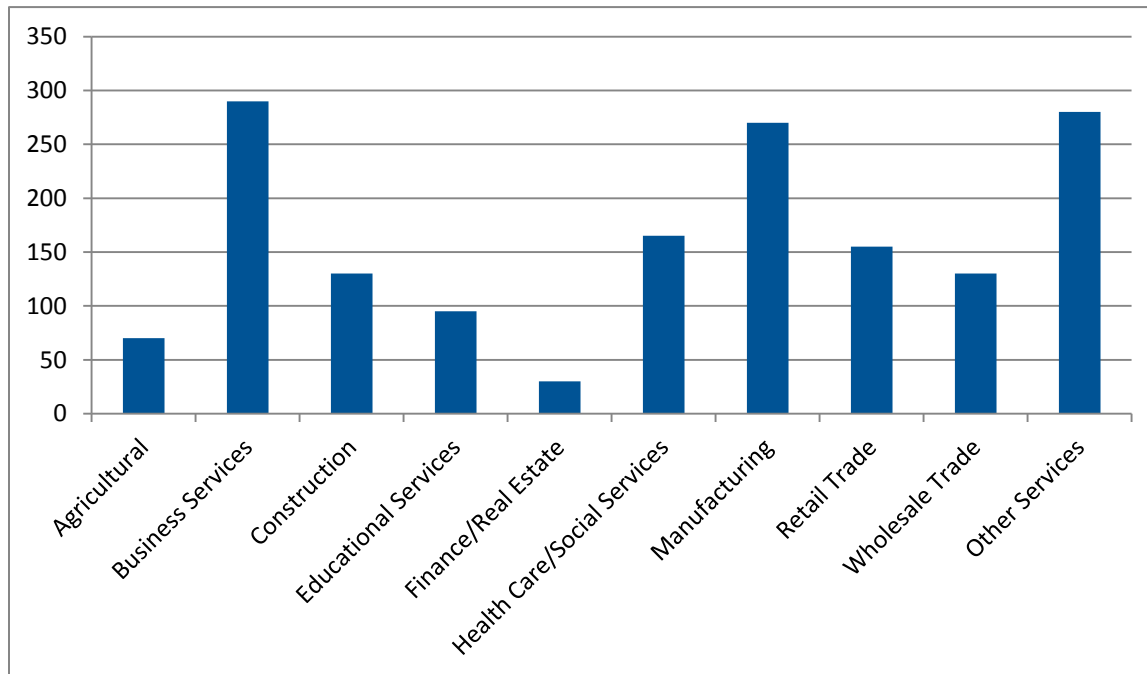
Hydro One provides electricity services to the municipality. The rates are controlled by Hydro One's Time of Use Pricing and change depending on the time of day, with peak hours costing more. Different seasons also affect the amount of power permitted, with the colder months having a larger threshold to accommodate the additional usage of heat and lighting.

Demand Periods	RPP Time-of-Use Price	Times
On-Peak Winter	11.8 cents/kWh	Weekdays: 7 am to 11 am & 5 pm to 7 pm
Mid-Peak Winter	9.9 cents/kWh	Weekdays: 11 am to 5 pm
Off-Peak Winter	6.3 cents/kWh	Weekdays: 7pm to 7 am Weekends & Holidays: All Day
On-Peak Summer	12.4 cents/kWh	Weekdays: 11 am to 5 pm
Mid-Peak Summer	10.4/ cents/kWh	Weekdays: 7 am to 11 am & 5 pm to 7 pm
Off-Peak Summer	6.7 cents/kWh	Weekdays: 7 pm to 7 am Weekends & Holidays: All Day

**Source:** Hydro One Electricity Prices for 2013

## Key Industries

### Jobs by Sector



**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.



## Tourism

Front of Yonge is a popular summer destination located along the 401 Highway within driving distance of Ottawa, Toronto, and the United States. It hosts many waterfront campgrounds and RV parks for both seasonal and short term uses, as well as other accommodation options, such as Bed and Breakfasts and cabins. The municipality lies within the Frontenac Arch Biosphere, which gained worldwide recognition by becoming an UNESCO designated Biosphere Reserve, one of the fifteen located in Canada, providing breathtaking views.



Located at Mallorytown Landing, the Thousand Islands National Park is one of Canada's oldest national parks, being the first Canadian national park east of the Rocky Mountains. It has a visitor centre, playground, boat launch, picnic area, natural vegetation, and walking trails. Spanning over twenty islands in the 1000 Islands region, the park is popular with boaters, kayakers, and water lovers of all ages. As the only Canadian National Park found along the St. Lawrence River, the site hosts a recognized federal heritage building, as well as a number of summer events for the whole family.

The provincially owned Brown's Bay day use park is located on the 1000 Islands Parkway, east of Mallorytown Landing, and is the oldest park of the St. Lawrence Parks Commission. A playground, several picnic areas, a beach volleyball court, canteen, and boat launch are available for use. Singer Castle can be seen from the park's sandy beach and swimming area. Brown's Bay operates between May and September and hosts a number of events for the public to enjoy.



The Jones Creek trail system spans twelve kilometres for both the novice and experienced hikers to enjoy. The trails are owned by the Thousand Islands National Park, and have a number of access points. The trails will lead you through towering trees, over bridges, and past sweeping fields. The scenic waterfront 1000 Islands Parkway stretches over thirty kilometres, connecting cities and towns together. The Waterfront Trail is a paved route for cyclists, runners, and walkers, used by thousands each year.



A land of 'firsts', the area possesses a rich history that is still celebrated at the Mallory Coach House, an 1850s stone house that is run by a volunteer community group. In the building there are displays showcasing the heritage and lifestyle of the 1800s with a room showing examples of Mallorytown Glass from the first glassworks in Canada. The Mallory Coach House offers tours, school visits, and special events in the house and gardens throughout the year.



## Labour Force

Front of Yonge Township is ideally located in the middle of multiple large economic centres. This provides a greater number and variety of job opportunities within easy driving distance. The municipality supporting the largest number of Front of Yonge employees is Brockville. The labour force is diversified across a number of sectors demonstrating the Township's abilities to fulfill any position.

The Township has a large labour force with 84% of the population being over the age of fifteen, higher than the provincial percentage. Also compared to Ontario, the municipality experiences a lower unemployment rate average. The labour force has a diverse skill-set as demonstrated by the number of different business sectors our residents work in.

## Workforce

	Front of Yonge Township	Percentage (%)	Province	Percentage (%)
Total Population Over 15	2,330		9,819,420	
In the Labour Force	1,650	70.82	6,587,580	67.09
Employed	1,590	68.24	6,164,245	62.78
Unemployed	65	2.79	423,335	4.31
Not in the Labour Force	680	29.18	3,231,840	32.91

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

## Place of Work

	Total	Male	Female
Total Employed Labour Force over 15	1,585	825	760
Worked at Home	135	75	60
No fixed Workplace Address	140	110	30
Worked at Usual Place	1,305	640	665
Worked within Municipality	80	25	50
Worked within County	1,075	540	540

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

## Sectors

### By Occupation

	Front of Yonge Township	Percentage (%)	Province	Percentage (%)
Total Labour Force	1,615		6,473,735	
Management	150	9.29	66,485	1.03
Business, Finance & Administration	285	17.65	1,204,490	18.61
Natural & Applied Science	60	3.72	451,930	6.98
Health	75	4.64	340,690	5.26
Social Science, Education & Government	100	6.19	546,385	8.44
Art, Culture, Recreation & Sport	40	2.48	200,980	3.10
Sales and Service	330	20.43	1,522,820	23.52
Trades, Transport, Equipment Operator	310	19.20	911,250	14.08
Primary Industry	80	4.95	165,085	2.55
Processing, Manufacturing & Utilities	180	11.15	463,610	7.16

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

### By Industry

	Front of Yonge Township	Percentage (%)	Province	Percentage (%)
Total Labour Force	1,615		6,473,730	
Agriculture	70	4.33	190,000	2.93
Construction	130	8.05	384,775	5.94
Manufacturing	270	16.72	899,670	13.90
Wholesale Trade	130	8.05	307,465	4.75
Retail Trade	155	9.60	720,235	11.13
Finance and Real Estate	30	1.86	442,610	6.84
Health Care and Social Services	165	10.22	611,740	9.45
Educational Services	95	5.88	433,485	6.70
Business Services	290	17.96	1,274,345	19.68
Other Services	280	17.34	1,209,390	18.68

**Source:** Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.

## Transportation

### Highway

Front of Yonge Township is connected to other cities via the 401 Highway that travels south of the village of Mallorytown. This key roadway connects to two nearby international bridges, Kingston and Toronto to the west, as well as Ottawa and Montreal to the east. With two exits for drivers to access the Township (Exit 675 and the Thousand Islands Parkway), and two ONroute service centres, thousands of cars pass through the municipality daily.

### Railway

A CN Rail main line runs across the municipality supporting both passenger and freight trains. VIA Rail stations can be found in the neighbouring towns of Brockville and Gananoque.



### Airports

The municipality is approximately an hour and a half away from the Ottawa's Macdonald-Cartier International Airport and two hours from the Pierre Elliott Trudeau International Airport east of Montreal. Three hours to the west is Toronto's Pearson International Airport. The Kingston Airport provides domestic flights to Toronto. The 1000 Islands Tackaberry Regional Airport for personal crafts in Brockville is thirty minutes away.

### Waterway

Front of Yonge is located along the St. Lawrence River and has one private marina, TJ Guild Marine for personal pleasure crafts. Port of Prescott is approximately forty-five minutes away and allows for loading and offloading of goods from larger vessels. Public boat ramps can be found at Brown's Bay, Thousand Islands National Park, as well as one to access Graham Lake.

## Communication

### Wireless Technology

The majority of residents in the Township enjoy access to both high speed Internet Access and 4G cell coverage from a number of different providers. Due to the terrain and abundance of trees throughout the Township, there are limited areas that experience dropped calls with coverage constantly improving.

### Local Print Media

Several newspapers are available in Front of Yonge, which cover local, provincial, national, and international news. The Township Office distributes a newsletter seasonally with important dates and information about projects, news, and events in the area. The Recorder & Times and Gananoque Reporter are available to subscribers. St. Lawrence EMC is a free weekly publication and Brockville This Week is a collection of key Recorder & Times stories from the week. The Athens Mural is a free monthly paper focused on events in the Athens/Front of Yonge area.

### Radio

Many radio stations are accessible within the Township to suit your musical tastes with stations from the surrounding municipalities and cities, as well as northern New York. Popular genres include news, rock, country, easy listening, and more. The nearby stations will often broadcast important local news and upcoming events to inform the public on a regular basis.

### Local TV

Several channels cover news from the surrounding area and local TV is available both over-the-air and via satellite. On the internet, the Eastern Ontario Network (formally Brock News TV), concentrates primarily on the Leeds Grenville area by covering local events, sports, as well as additional topics of interests.



## Education

### Local Elementary School

Front of Yonge has one elementary school for students between kindergarten and grade six operating under the direction of the Upper Canada District School Board.

Students at Front of Yonge Elementary School benefit from smaller class sizes which allow more one-on-one time between teachers and students to enhance the quality of education pupils receive. The school also has special education services to meet the needs of all attending students. The Ministry of Education statistics show the local school has a higher percentage of students achieving the provincial standard in both reading and writing, than the provincial average in both the Grade 3 and Grade 6 provincial tests.

### Surrounding Institutions

Students can attend French programs from other nearby schools if they wish to enhance their reading, writing, and oral French abilities. Busing is often available to these schools which are represented by the same school board.

There are several secondary schools local students can attend with different areas of focus. Athens District High School, north of Front of Yonge, has been voted one of Canada's top schools by Maclean's magazine. In Brockville, Thousand Islands Secondary School is well known for its athletics and technology courses, while Brockville Collegiate Institute is recognized for their academics and art programs. St. Mary's Catholic High School, part of the Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario, is also an option.

Numerous post-secondary education institutions are located a short drive from Front of Yonge. St. Lawrence College has locations in nearby Brockville, Kingston, and Cornwall offering a wide range of full and part time courses. University of Guelph has a location in Kemptville, Queens University and the Royal Military College are in Kingston, and a number of institutions are located in Ottawa.

## Quality of Life

### Emergency Services

The law enforcement for the Front of Yonge Township is the responsibility of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP). The Township is a safe community as nearly seventy five percent of all violations in the East Regions are related to the Highway Traffic Act. The municipality's annual evaluation shows the total crime rate per 1,000 persons was 29.6 in 2011. Ontario's rate was 44.6 per 1,000 according to Statistics Canada Police-reported crime rate, by province and territory, in 2010.

The Front of Yonge Fire Department consists of a part time Fire Chief and 25 volunteers who are trained first responders in emergency situations as well as extinguishing fires. Our station, located in Mallorytown, houses multiple trucks and equipment. The department is a part of a mutual aid system with neighbouring communities, assisting other stations when needed.

Emergency Medical Services are provided by United Counties of Leeds and Grenville as part of a system consisting of a number of ambulances. These services include pre-hospital care, emergency vehicles, and paramedics with extensive training.



### Arts & Culture

Front of Yonge has a rich culture and history that is embraced and celebrated to this day. Within the municipality is Chimney Island, a National Historic Site of Canada which is incorporated as part of the Township's logo. Other notable structures include a number of churches and homes, many of which participate in the annual Doors Open Ontario event. The Mallory Coach House is a community effort to share local heritage and lifestyle of the 1800s, offering tours and hosting events throughout the year.

Front of Yonge hosts a number of annual events where local artisans can showcase and sell their work to the public. Businesses occasionally arrange special events designed for both children and adults, and at the local Community Centre, groups provide regular gatherings as well.



## Community Organizations

Front of Yonge Township has a number of organizations for the public to join with a wide range of interests for any age. For the active, there are soccer teams and a walking/exercise group. Green thumbs enjoy the Communities in Bloom and the Mallorytown Country Market. Women participate in the Junetown Women's Institution and Ladies Auxiliary Club. The Township is proud to host its own Royal Canadian Legion branch. Additional community organizations include the Recreation Committee, which organizes local activities and oversees the quality of resources found at Recreation Park, such as its soccer fields, baseball diamond, and play structures. The Mallory Coach House Committee focuses on maintaining the heritage of the region by offering tours and events highlighting life of the 1800s. The Library Board offers new innovations for the local library, to remain current with technology, while still offering the traditional experience with dozens of new books becoming available every month. The Community Centre located in Mallorytown hosts additional groups and events for the public.

## Government Organizations

Within the municipality, there are several provincial and federal services available to serve the public. The local government has a number of different boards to better serve the area beyond Council, which is made up of elected officials. The Community Development Committee focuses on promoting the quality of life and tourism in the Township, while the Environmental Advisory Committee is committed to maintaining a sustainable environment.



## Contacts and Resources

### Municipal Government

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### Local Services

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Front of Yonge Fire Department 613-923-5216	1491 County Road 2 Mallorytown ON, K0E 1R0
Front of Yonge Public Library 613-923-1790	76 County Road 5 South Mallorytown ON, K0E 1R0
Front of Yonge Elementary School 613-923-5284	1504 County Road 2 Mallorytown ON, K0E 1R0
Purcell's Freshmart 613-923-2167	4 Quabbin Road Mallorytown ON, K0E 1R0

### Other Services

	Address
Hydro One Networks Inc. 1-888-664-9376	P.O. Box 5700 Markham ON, L3R 1C8
United Counties of Leeds & Grenville 1-800-770-2170	25 Central Avenue West, Suite 100 Brockville ON, K6V 4N6
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