

## House of Commons Chambre des communes CANADA

Detailed Hospitality Expenditures Report From April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018 The *Members' Expenditures Report* for fiscal year 2017-2018 outlines Members' expenditures processed by the House Administration between April 1, 2017 and March 31, 2018. The expenditures incurred by Members in the discharge of their parliamentary functions are published within three months of the end of each quarter. These expenditures are subject to the policies of the Board of Internal Economy that are in effect when the expenses are incurred. The current policies are explained in the *Members' Allowances and Services Manual* available on ourcommons.ca.

The expenses reported in the *Members' Expenditures Report* are, to some extent, reflective of the characteristics of the constituency that each Member represents. Constituency size, population and location are factors that influence Members' expenditures.

The *Members' Expenditures Report* presents year-to-date expenditures by budget and expense category.

Each budget is presented in a separate **column**, as follows:

- Member's Budgets: This column presents two budgets to which Members may charge expenses.
  - Member's Office Budget: Members are provided with an annual office budget to pay for employee salaries, service
    contracts, hospitality and advertising expenses, other printing services, constituency office leases, office operating
    costs, transportation expenses (when no travel points are used), as well as other travel-related expenses. For more
    information, see the Member's Office Budget by Constituency appendix in the Budgets chapter of the Members'
    Allowances and Services Manual.
  - Travel Status Expenses Account: Members are provided with an annual allocation to pay for the per diem and
    accommodation expenses that they personally incur while in travel status, as well as expenses related to a declared
    secondary residence.
- Resources Provided by the House: This column presents the costs incurred by the House Administration to support
  Members in the discharge of their parliamentary functions, as well as the costs related to travel points and booked tickets
  for which a claim has not yet been processed by the House Administration.
- Travel Points: This column presents travel points used by Members and their authorized travellers in support of Members' parliamentary functions. Members are provided with travel points at the beginning of each fiscal year, regardless of where their constituency is located in Canada. A travel point is equivalent to one round trip and a trip means a direct trip, by any means, to one destination for a particular purpose.
  - **Regular:** The number of points used by Members and their authorized travellers when travelling between the constituency and Ottawa.
  - **Special:** The number of points used by Members and their authorized travellers when travelling within Canada, other than for trips between the Member's constituency and Ottawa.
  - U.S.A.: The number of points used by Members when travelling to Washington D.C. or New York City.

The *Detailed Travel Points Report* provides information about Members' and authorized travellers' trips processed between April 1, 2017 and March 31, 2018, for which travel points were used.

Members' expenditures are divided into eight categories, as follows:

- 1 **Employees' salaries:** This category includes the salaries of Members' employees.
- 2 Service contracts: This category includes the costs for professional, technical or administrative services provided to Members.
- 3 **Travel:** This category includes the travel costs of Members and their authorized travellers, and is sub-divided as follows:
  - **Member:** This sub-category includes Members' transportation expenses when travelling in support of their parliamentary functions.

- Designated traveller: This sub-category includes transportation expenses incurred by Members' designated travellers who, under specific conditions, may also be reimbursed per diem and accommodation expenses when representing a Member at an event. Each Member may designate one person, other than the Member's employees or another Member who is not the Member's spouse, as a designated traveller. For the list of current designated travellers, see the *Public Registry of Designated Travellers*.
- **Dependants:** This sub-category includes transportation expenses incurred by Members' dependants who, under specific conditions, may also be reimbursed per diem and accommodation expenses when representing a Member at an event. Dependants refer to the Members' children who are one of the following:
  - under the age of 21;
  - between the ages of 21 and 25 and in full-time attendance at a recognized educational institution; or
  - regardless of age, wholly dependent upon the Member by reason of physical or mental disability.
- **Employees:** This sub-category includes transportation, accommodation and per diem expenses incurred by Members' eligible employees when travelling in support of a Member's parliamentary functions.
- **Member's accommodation expenses:** This sub-category includes accommodation expenses incurred by Members when travelling in support of their parliamentary functions.
- **Member's per diem expenses:** This sub-category includes per diem expenses incurred by Members when travelling in support of their parliamentary functions.
- Member's secondary residence expenses: This sub-category includes:
  - rental and basic utility fees if the secondary residence is rented by the Member, or the accommodation rate for
    each day the residence is available for the Member's occupancy and is not rented to any other person if the
    Member owns the residence;
  - related relocation expenses;
  - costs associated with the Member's stay in a hotel or private accommodation if the Member does not own or rent a secondary residence.
- 4 **Hospitality:** This category includes the cost of food, beverages, catering services, equipment rentals and/or live entertainment for meetings, non-partisan events and other functions hosted by Members, as well as tickets for meals at community activities or events attended by Members.
  - The *Detailed Hospitality Expenditures Report* provides information about Members' hospitality expenditures processed between April 1, 2017 and March 31, 2018.
- 5 **Gifts:** This category includes the following:
  - cost of gifts given as a matter of protocol to recognize the value and importance of a person, an event or an organization from a Member's constituency; and
  - cost of gifts given to a civic leader or dignitary, as well as small token items given in the discharge of a Member's parliamentary functions.
- Advertising: This category includes the cost of print and other media sent to a Member's constituents to advertise the Member's name and contact information, assistance and services provided, as well as constituency meetings, and to share congratulatory messages, seasonal greetings, partisan opinions or advocacy statements.
- 7 **Printing:** This category includes the cost of printing and photocopying services, and is sub-divided as follows:
  - **Householders:** This sub-category includes the production costs of printed materials sent by Members to households located in their constituency to inform constituents about parliamentary activities and issues.

- Ten percenters: This sub-category includes the production costs of printed or photocopied materials used to
  communicate with constituents and reproduced in quantities not exceeding 10% of the total number of households in a
  Member's constituency.
- Other printing-related expenses: This sub-category includes the cost of all other printing services.
- 8 **Offices:** This category is sub-divided as follows:
  - Constituency office leases, insurance and utilities: This sub-category includes the cost of office leases and liability insurance, as well as utility fees (e.g. hydro and gas) and relocation expenses for Members' constituency offices.
  - **Furniture, furnishing and equipment purchases:** This sub-category includes the cost of furniture and office equipment purchased by Members for their constituency offices.
  - Equipment rentals: This sub-category includes the cost of rental agreements for equipment, such as photocopiers.
  - **Informatics and telecommunication equipment purchases:** This sub-category includes the cost of computers, laptops, tablet devices, printers and other related equipment, as well as smartphones and related devices.
  - **Telecommunication services:** This sub-category includes the cost of voice and data plans for various mobile devices, as well as the cost of Internet services in constituency offices.
  - **Repairs and maintenance:** This sub-category includes the maintenance and repair costs of Members' offices and assets such as equipment maintenance and office renovations.
  - Postage and courier services: This sub-category includes the cost of postage and courier services.
  - Materials and supplies: This sub-category includes the cost of materials, paper and office supplies.
  - Training: This sub-category includes training costs incurred by Members, their spouse and their employees, subject to certain conditions.

For more information about the *Members' Expenditures Report*, please refer to the Frequently Asked Questions. Any further inquiries about this report should be directed to the Board of Internal Economy spokespersons or to the Member in question.

## Detailed Hospitality Expenditures Report From April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018

	Member	Status	Constituenc	y name	Constitu	ency size	Number o	f electors	
Еус	olfson, Doug	Active	Charleswood—S Assiniboia—H		207	07 km² 64,0		081	
Date of event	Type of event	Purpose of event	Location	Guests	Claim ID	Sup	Supplier		
2017-04-01	Hosting a meeting	To meet visitors of Member's	Winnipeg	0	M0127420	Superstore		\$38.6	
		office			M0132232	Sunstone Coffee Roastery Sunstone Coffee Roastery		\$135.35	
					M0143295			\$145.50	
					M0153932	Walmart		\$29.59	
						Subtotal		\$349.09	
2017-04-20	Meal at a community activity or event	To discuss constituency issues with stakeholders	Winnipeg	1	M0120302	Assiniboine Chamber of Commerce		\$35.00	
							Subtotal	\$35.00	
2017-04-25	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	20	M0120302	Tim Horton's		\$7.98	
							Subtotal	\$7.98	
2017-04-26	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	20	M0121738	Tim Horton	n's	\$7.98	
					I		Subtotal	\$7.98	
2017-04-27	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	1	M0120302	Headingley of Comme		\$100.00	
		1		1	ı	1	Subtotal	\$100.00	
2017-05-13	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	8	M0119359	Superstore		\$28.31	
					M0121738	Superstore		\$40.55	
		I				Subtotal		\$68.86	
2017-05-22	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	10	M0124462	BulkBarn		\$12.28	
		I					Subtotal	\$12.28	
2017-05-27	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	9	M0124462	Headingley Grill		\$24.76	
							Subtotal	\$24.76	
2017-05-29	Hosting a meeting	To discuss business of the House, caucus and committee	Ottawa s	10	M0132244	Food Services - House of Commons		\$94.50	
		I					Subtotal	\$94.50	
2017-05-30	Meal at a community activity or event	To attend staff events including training	g Winnipeg	0	M0124462	CPHR Manitoba		\$125.00	
		I			I	1	Subtotal	\$125.00	
2017-06-17	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	200	M0129899	Silver Heights Foodfare		\$422.40	
					Ì	Subtotal		\$422.40	
2017-07-13	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To celebrate a significant even	t Winnipeg	0	M0129905	Habitat for	Humanity	\$125.00	
							Subtotal	\$125.00	
2017-07-13	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	300	M0141620	Silver Heights Food Fare		\$686.86	
					ı		Subtotal	\$686.86	
2017-08-15	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Winnipeg	30	M0132276	Safeway		\$39.99	
							Subtotal	\$39.99	
2017-08-22	Hosting a town hall or	To discuss business of the	Winnipeg	100	M0133265	Superstore ST. JAMES- ASSINIBOIA 55+ CENTRE		\$90.86	
	community event	House, caucus and committee	S		M0133952			\$120.00	
		I			·		\$210.86		

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	Number of		Constitu		Constituency		Status	Member	
)81	64,0	km²	207		Charleswood—S Assiniboia—He		Active	olfson, Doug	Еус
Total	pplier	Sup	Claim ID	Guests	Location	nt	Purpose of event	Type of event	Date of event
\$116.7	Capital Grill		M0133371	5	Winnipeg	es and	To plan Member's priorities activities	Hosting a staff event	2017-08-25
\$116.7	Subtotal								
\$89.4	Spark Rentals Inc		M0133925	150	Winnipeg	ne	To discuss business of the	Hosting a town hall or	2017-08-29
\$82.3	Superstore					mittees	House, caucus and commi	community event	
\$252.4	City of Winnipeg								
\$424.1	Subtotal								
\$35.0	Assiniboia Chamber of Commerce		M0137778	0	Winnipeg	issues	To discuss constituency iss with stakeholders	Meal at a community activity or event	2017-09-19
\$35.0	Subtotal								
\$125.0	Assiniboine Park Online Ticket Store		M0137778	1	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Meal at a community activity or event	2017-09-22
\$125.0	Subtotal	Subtotal							
\$35.9	A&W		M0138248	3	Winnipeg	es and	To plan Member's priorities activities	Hosting a staff event	2017-10-11
\$35.9	Subtotal								
\$20.0	PSP Online		M0138631	0	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Meal at a community activity or event	2017-10-13
\$20.0	Subtotal				,		_		
\$30.0	St. James Assiniboia 55+ Centre		M0138631	1	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Meal at a community activity or event	2017-10-13
\$30.0	Subtotal								
\$92.1	Safeway		M0139192	50	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Hosting a town hall or community event	2017-10-21
\$92.1	Subtotal				1				
\$7.9			M0143317	20	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Hosting a meeting	2017-11-15
\$7.9	Subtotal				1				
\$35.0	Assiniboia Chamber of Commerce		M0143317	0	Winnipeg	issues	To discuss constituency iss with stakeholders	Meal at a community activity or event	2017-11-16
\$35.0	Subtotal								
\$95.4	е	M0143313 Superstore		150	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Hosting a town hall or	2017-11-18
\$300.0	,	Cravings Backering						community event	
\$300.0	ency Breeze	NuFrequen Trio							
\$300.0	ency Breeze	NuFrequen Trio							
\$1,207.5	Bakery and	Cravings Backering	M0145409						
\$2,202.9	Subtotal								
\$31.7	e	Superstore	M0143317	20	Winnipeg		To meet constituents	Hosting a town hall or community event	2017-12-01
\$31.7	Subtotal								
\$5,467.1	Total								

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