

House of Commons Chambre des communes CANADA

The *Members' Expenditures Report* for 2016-2017 outlines Members' expenditures processed by the House Administration between April 1, 2016 and March 31, 2017. The expenditures incurred by Members to carry out 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 in effect when the expenses are incurred. For current policies, refer to the *Members' Allowances and Services Manual* on the Parliament of Canada Web site.

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

Each budget is presented in a separate column, explained below:

- 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. View the
 Member's office Budget by Constituency.
 - 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 the 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 return 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, 2016 and March 31, 2017 for which travel points were used.

Members' expenditures are presented in eight categories explained below:

- 1 **Employees' salaries:** This category includes the salaries of Members' employees.
- 2 **Service contracts:** This category includes the cost of professional, technical or administrative services or expertise 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 the transportation expenses incurred by Members' designated
 travellers who, under specific conditions, may also be reimbursed per diem and accommodation expenses when
 representing the Member at an event. A designated traveller is a person designated by the Member, other than the
 Member's employees or another Member who is not their spouse. For the list of current designated travellers, see the
 Public Registry of Designated Travellers.

- **Dependants:** This sub-category includes the transportation expenses incurred by Members' dependants who, under specific conditions, may also be reimbursed per diem and accommodation expenses when representing the Member at an event. Dependants refer to the Member's children who are one of the following:
 - under the age of 21;
 - between the age 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 the 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 the rental cost 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 along with any related relocation expenses. In addition, it includes the 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 ticket costs 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, 2016 and March 31, 2017.

- 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 the Member's constituency; and
 - cost of gifts given to a civic leader or dignitary, as well as small token items in the discharge of the Member's parliamentary functions.
- 6 **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 the cost of utilities (e.g. hydro and gas) and relocation 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.
- **Repairs and maintenance:** This sub-category includes the maintenance and repair costs of Members' offices or 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*, refer to Frequently Asked Questions. Questions about this report should be directed to the Board of Internal Economy spokespersons or to the particular Member.

Member Poissant, Jean-Claude		Status Active		Constituency name La Prairie		ency size km²		of electors 472
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ate of event	Type of event	Purpose of event	Location	Guests	Claim ID	Sup	plier	Total
2016-04-01	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	nd Delson	0	M0085869	ÎGA		\$2.
		activities				IGA		\$1
					M0103877	IGA		\$4
					M0107373	IGA		\$4
					M0400074	IGA		\$5
					M0108274 M0112615	IGA IGA		\$3 \$3
					101112013	IGA		\$8
					M0114488	IGA		\$14
					WOTTHOO	IGA		\$4
						1.07.	Subtotal	\$55
2016-04-06	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To celebrate a significant ever	nt Brossard	1	M0085628	Fédération de la Mont	de l'UPA	\$130.
	,						Subtotal	\$130
2016-04-09	Meal at a community activity or event	To celebrate a significant ever	nt Candiac	1	M0085659	Événemen	ts Victoire	\$220.
	,		'			-	Subtotal	\$220
2016-04-23	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To celebrate a significant ever	Saint-Jean- sur-Richelieu	0	M0085834	L'Évêque o Romain de Jean-Long	Saint-	\$125
							Subtotal	\$125
2016-04-25	Meal at a community activity or event	To celebrate a significant ever	nt Léry	0	M0088717	Vents d'es Vallée du S Laurent		\$80.
							Subtotal	\$80.
2016-04-27	Hosting a meeting	To discuss constituency issue with stakeholders	s Delson	8	M0085869	IGA		\$8
			ı				Subtotal	\$8
2016-04-30	Meal at a community activity or event	To celebrate a significant ever	nt Candiac	1	M0085869	Paroisse L de la Saint		\$40
				I	I		Subtotal	\$40
2016-05-06	Meal at a community activity or event	To discuss constituency issue with stakeholders	Sainte- Catherine (Roussillon)	0	M0088375	CHAMBRE COMMER D'INDUST ROUSSILL	CE ET RIE ROYAL	\$71.
							Subtotal	\$71.
2016-05-21	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	Saint- Constant	1	M0103870	Paroisse S Constant	aint-	\$250.
					1		Subtotal	\$250.
2016-05-24	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities ar activities	nd Saint-Jean- sur-Richelieu	25	M0090792	Corporatio St-Jean	n du Fort	\$75.
						Corporatio St-Jean	n du Fort	\$47.
					1		Subtotal	\$123.
2016-05-25	Hosting a meeting	To discuss constituency issue with stakeholders	s Delson	6	M0088717	IGA		\$9.
							Subtotal	\$9.
2016-06-02	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To celebrate a significant ever	t La Prairie	0	M0090813	Chambre of commerce d'INdustrie Roussillon	et	\$125.

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Member Poissant, Jean-Claude		Status	Constituency name			ency size	Number of	
		Active	La Prai	rie	295	km²	82,4	72
Date of event	Type of event	Purpose of event	Location	Guests	Claim ID	Sup	plier	Total
							Subtotal	\$125.0
2016-06-25	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To celebrate a significant event	La Prairie				\$100.0	
							Subtotal	\$100.0
2016-06-27	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	La Prairie	1	M0106314	FONDATION ANNA- LABERGE		\$100.0
							Subtotal	\$100.0
2016-08-09	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and	Delson	5	M0098340	Como Pizz	eria	\$28.3
		activities				Thai expre	SS	\$12.8
						Sushi shor)	\$9.4
					M0098362	St-Hubert		\$40.4
						Mikes		\$75.4
							Subtotal	\$166.4
2016-08-26	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	La Prairie	1	M0110397	Société Hu Québec	ıntington du	\$150.00
							Subtotal	\$150.0
2016-09-15	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	Sainte- Catherine	0	M0098520	CCI Royal Roussillon		\$95.0
							Subtotal	\$95.00
2016-09-20	Hosting a staff event	To attend staff events including	Delson	5	M0098340	IGA		\$39.9
		training				IGA		\$3.6
					M0099428	IGA		\$23.2
						Costco		\$38.9
						IGA		\$4.5
					M0100577	IGA		\$4.6
						Costco		\$84.4
					M0102708	Costco		\$79.9
							Subtotal	\$279.49
2016-09-22	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and	Ottawa	6	M0099023	Bier Markt		\$66.7
		activities			M0099414	Mikes Dels	son	\$81.10
							Subtotal	\$147.9
2016-10-22	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	La Prairie	1	M0098520	Maison d'héberger L'égide (26		\$110.0
		I					Subtotal	\$110.00
2016-10-24	Meal at a community activity or event	To attend staff events including training	Delson	1	M0100573	CCI Royal	Roussillon	\$38.4
					ı		Subtotal	\$38.4
2016-11-08	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Delson	4	M0102402	Mikes		\$73.8
							Subtotal	\$73.8
2016-11-08	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Delson	12	M0102405	IGA		\$28.5
							Subtotal	\$28.5
2016-11-08	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Delson	12	M0102405	IGA		\$39.7
					I		Subtotal	\$39.7
2016-11-16	Meal at a community activity or event	To meet constituents	La Prairie	1	M0110397	FONDATION DE LA ME		\$120.0

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Date of event	Type of event	Purpose of event	Location	Guests	Claim ID	Sup	plier	Total	
2016-11-18	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Saint- Constant	30	M0099957	Ass. canad		\$95.00	
							Subtotal	\$95.00	
2016-11-18	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	Delson	70	M0102708	Francis Beauvais traiteur		\$330.00	
					M0102976	Francis Beauvais Traiteur		\$60.49	
					M0103877	Tim Horton		\$93.48	
							Subtotal	\$483.97	
2016-12-08	Meal at a gala, reception or ceremony	To meet constituents	Sainte- Catherine	2	M0105959	CHAMBRE COMMERO D'INDUSTI ROUSSILL	CE ET RIE ROYAL	\$76.98	
							Subtotal	\$76.98	
2016-12-10	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents	Napierville	3	M0107379	Tim Horton		\$7.08	
							Subtotal	\$7.08	
2016-12-16	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Sainte- Catherine	4	M0107379	Le M resto	bar	\$82.24	
							Subtotal	\$82.24	
2016-12-20	Hosting a town hall or community event	To meet constituents	La Prairie	1	M0107366	Société d'h La Prairie	istoire de	\$40.00	
							Subtotal	\$40.00	
2016-12-20	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Delson	4	M0107379	Como pizz	eria	\$33.98	
							Subtotal	\$33.98	
2016-12-21	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Saint-Philippe- de-La Prairie	4	M0107366	Mario's		\$50.53	
							Subtotal	\$50.53	
2016-12-22	Hosting a staff event	To attend staff events including training	Delson	4	M0107366	Rouge Boe	uf	\$82.81	
							Subtotal	\$82.81	
2017-01-09	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Delson	4	M0108274	Mikes Dels	on	\$72.84	
							Subtotal	\$72.84	
2017-01-18	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Ste-Marthe- Rocanville	6	M0103872	Auberge G	allant	\$362.72	
					1		Subtotal	\$362.72	
2017-01-28	Hosting a reception or open house	To meet constituents	Delson	40	M0107889	Costco		\$156.78	
					M0110399	Tim Horton	S	\$58.89	
						Tim Horton	S	\$15.68	
						Dollarama		\$9.35	
					M0110402	Ballons Ca	roboum	\$131.42	
					M0110405	IGA		\$167.12	
							Subtotal	\$539.24	
2017-02-10	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Delson	4	M0112615	Como pizze	eria	\$42.78	
					I		Subtotal	\$42.78	
2017-02-20	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities and activities	Delson	4	M0112625	Mikes Dels		\$54.04	
STATUS:	Active - Member throu						Subtotal	\$54.04	

Member		Status	Constituency name		Constituency size		Number of electors			
Poissa	nt, Jean-Claude	Active		La Prair	rie	295	95 km² 82,4		472	
Date of event	Type of event	Purpose of event		Location	Guests	Claim ID	Supplier		Total	
2017-02-27	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities a activities	and	Delson	4	M0112640	St-Hubert		\$49.93	
	Subtotal									
2017-02-28	Hosting a meeting	To meet constituents		Delson	3	M0114484	Oeuf Xceptionnel		\$45.36	
	Subtotal									
2017-03-03	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities a activities	and	Sainte- Catherine	4	M0114484	Le M resto-bar		\$84.44	
	Subtotal									
2017-03-09	Hosting a reception or open house	To celebrate a significant even	ent	Ottawa	30	M0115728	Food Servi	ces	\$246.00	
	Subtotal							\$246.00		
2017-03-13	Hosting a meeting	To plan Member's priorities a activities	and	Delson	3	M0114488	Rotisserie de L'As		\$34.04	
	Subtotal									
								Total	\$5,172.06	
STATUS:		ughout fiscal year; DE - Decea ly elected in by-election	ased;	NR - Not re-elec	cted; NE - Ne	ewly elected; NS	SR - Not see	king re-election	on; RS -	