

House of Commons Chambre des communes CANADA

The *Members' Expenditures Report* for the third quarter of 2018-2019 outlines Members' expenditures processed by the House Administration between April 1 and December 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. 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, within the constituency, and from Ottawa or the constituency to the provincial/territorial capital.
 - Special: The number of points used by Members and their authorized travellers when travelling within Canada, other than for regular trips.
 - 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 and December 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 and December 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 in the discharge of a Member's parliamentary functions.
- 6 Advertising: This category includes the cost of print and other media sent to a Member's constituents, as well as promotional items given 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, liability insurance, 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.

	Meml	ber	State	JS	Const	ituency name	Cons	stituency s	ize	Number of electors 63,926			
	Sopuck,	Robert	Activ	/e	Dauphin—Sv	van River—Neepa	awa 5	6,820 km²					
Claim ID /	Traveller	Purpose of travel	Date	Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodation	Per diem	Reg.	Points Spec.	U.S.A.	Total	
Ticket # Member													
T0154751	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
				-	Claim subtotal	\$1,961.20	\$147.82	\$294.29	1.00	-	-	\$2,403.3 ⁻	
T0155267	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$1,934.21	-	\$371.79	1.00	-	-	\$2,306.0	
T0155818	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$1,955.71	-	\$371.79	1.00	-	-	\$2,327.5	
T0156903	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$1,944.99	-	\$389.15	1.00	-	-	\$2,334.14	
T0156906	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$947.44	-	-	0.50	-	-	\$947.4	
T0156910	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings with stakeholders about business of the House	2018-05-21	Ottawa	Red Bank					0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings with stakeholders about business of the House	2018-05-24	Red Bank	Winnipeg					0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,367.49	\$458.97	\$371.79	_	1.00	_	\$2,198.2	

	Mem	ber				ituency name	Co	Constituency size			Number of electors			
	Sopuck,	Robert	Activ	/e	Dauphin—Sv	van River—Neepa	awa	63,926						
Claim ID / Ticket #	Traveller	Purpose of trave	I Date	Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodatio	n Per diem	Reg.	Points Spec.	s U.S.A.	Total		
Г0156923	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings w stakeholders about business of the House		Ottawa	Toronto					0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings w stakeholders about business of the House		Toronto	Ottawa					0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$661.55		- \$92.95	-	1.00	-	\$754.5		
T0157459	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50					
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50					
					Claim subtotal	\$1,981.03		- \$371.79	1.00	-	-	\$2,352.82		
T0158265	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50					
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50					
					Claim subtotal	\$1,673.20		- \$278.84	1.00	-	-	\$1,952.04		
T0158781	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50					
					Claim subtotal	\$916.76		- \$278.84	0.50	-	-	\$1,195.60		
T0158783	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings w stakeholders about business of the House		Ottawa	Lacombe					0.50				
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings w stakeholders about business of the House		Lacombe	Ottawa					0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$2,057.38		- \$153.89	-	1.00	-	\$2,211.27		
T0159505	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	iwa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50					
					Claim subtotal	\$1,144.81		- \$49.96	0.50	-	-	\$1,194.77		
T0160441	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings at constituency issues	oout 2018-07-07	Lake Audy	Churchill					0.50				

	Sopuck, F	Robert	Activ							Number of e		
ID / Ticket #	Traveller			/e	Dauphin—Sv	van River—Neepa	awa	56,820 km²			26	
		Purpose of travel	Date	Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodation	Per diem	Reg.	Points Spec.	U.S.A.	Total
F	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings abo constituency issues	ut 2018-07-12	Churchill	Lake Audy					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$2,577.06	\$991.02	\$700.68	-	1.00	-	\$4,268.76
T0162445 S R	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend a national caucus meeting	2018-08-23	Ottawa	Halifax					0.50		
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend a national caucus meeting	2018-08-26	Halifax	Lake Audy					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$2,720.37	\$430.11	\$182.63	0.50	1.00	-	\$3,333.11
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings with stakeholders about business of the House	2018-09-26	Ottawa	Owen Sound					0.50		
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings with stakeholders about business of the House	2018-09-30	Owen Sound	Ottawa					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$683.93		\$261.70	-	1.00	-	\$945.63
T0166229 S	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$2,062.08		\$566.52	1.00	-	-	\$2,628.60
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,936.04		- \$347.77	1.00	-	-	\$2,283.81
T0166993 S R	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Ottaw	a	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
		ber throughout fiscal yea			Claim subtotal			\$254.51		-	-	\$2,177.29

	Memb	er	Stat	us	Const	ituency name	Coi	nstituency s	ize	1	Number of	electors
	Sopuck, F	Robert	Activ	ve	Dauphin—Sv	an River—Neepawa 5		56,820 km²			26	
Claim ID /	Traveller Purpose	Purpose of travel	Date	e Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodation	Per diem		Points		Total
Ticket #									Reg.	Spec.	U.S.A.	
T0167617	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,921.00		- \$287.68	1.00	-	-	\$2,208.68
T0169177	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,989.33		- \$191.79	1.00	-	-	\$2,181.12
T0169183	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings wi stakeholders about business of the House		Lake Audy	Lethbridge					0.50		
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings wi stakeholders about business of the House		Lethbridge	Lake Audy					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$1,274.41	\$109.1	5 \$36.11	-	1.00	-	\$1,419.68
T0170818	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
	Sopuck, Robert	To travel to/from constituency and Otta	wa	Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,923.69			1.00	-	-	\$1,923.69
T0170830	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings wi stakeholders about business of the House		Lake Audy	Whitehorse					0.50		
	Sopuck, Robert	To attend meetings wi stakeholders about business of the House		Whitehorse	Lake Audy					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$2,015.15	\$1,106.7	8 \$566.59	-	1.00	-	\$3,688.52
				Sub	ototal for Member	\$39,571.61	\$3,243.8	6 \$6,421.06	14.00	8.00	-	\$49,236.53
					Claims pending	-			-	-	-	
					Total for Member	\$39,571.61	\$3,243.8	6 \$6,421.06	14.00	8.00	-	\$49,236.53

	Memb	er	Statu	JS	Const	ituency name	-			Number of electors			
	Sopuck, R	lobert	Activ	ActiveDauphin—Swan River—Neepawa56,820 km²6					63,9	26			
Claim ID / Ticket #	Traveller	Purpose of travel	Date	Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodati	on Per diem	Reg.	Points Spec.	s U.S.A.	Total	
	d traveller		1										
	Sopuck, Mary 'Caroline'	To unite the family with the Member		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50				
	Sopuck, Mary 'Caroline'	To unite the family with the Member		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$1,500.45			1.00	-	-	\$1,500.4	
				Subtotal for des	ignated traveller	\$1,500.45			1.00	-	-	\$1,500.4	
					Claims pending	-			-	-	-		
				Total for des	ignated traveller	\$1,500.45			1.00	-	-	\$1,500.4	
Dependan	its												
				Subtota	I for dependants	-			-	-	-		
					Claims pending	-			-	-	-		
				Tota	I for dependants	-			-	-	-		
Employee	S												
Г0156913	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-05-21	Ottawa	Red Bank					0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-05-24	Red Bank	Ottawa					0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$719.41	\$458	97 \$371.79	- 1	1.00	-	\$1,550.1	
Г0156927	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-05-28	Ottawa	Toronto					0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-05-28	Toronto	Ottawa					0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$561.76		- \$92.95	-	1.00	-	\$654.7	
Г0158278	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Dauphin (City)				0.50				
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Dauphin (City)	Ottawa				0.50				
					Claim subtotal	\$1,138.12		- \$200.19	1.00	-	-	\$1,338.3	
Г0158786	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Dauphin (City)	Ottawa				0.50				

	Memb	ber	Statu	IS	Const	ituency name	Cor	stituency s	ize	N	lumber of	electors
	Sopuck, I	Robert	Activ	/e	Dauphin—Sv	van River—Neepa	awa	56,820 km²			63,9	26
Claim	Traveller	Purpose of travel	Date	Departure	Destination	Transportation	Accommodation	Per diem		Points		Total
ID / Ticket #									Reg.	Spec.	U.S.A.	
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Dauphin (City)				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,165.67		\$100.10	1.00	-	-	\$1,265.77
T0160442	Snitynsky, Judy	Attending event with Member	2018-07-08	Russell (R.M.)	Churchill					0.50		
	Snitynsky, Judy	Attending event with Member	2018-07-12	Churchill	Russell (R.M.)					0.50		
					Claim subtotal	\$1,931.79	\$701.90	\$537.64	-	1.00	-	\$3,171.33
T0162031	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Dauphin (City)	Ottawa				0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Dauphin (City)				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,116.33		\$300.29	1.00	-	-	\$1,416.62
T0163641	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Dauphin (City)				0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Dauphin (City)	Ottawa				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,257.12		\$263.13	1.00	-	-	\$1,520.25
T0166232	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Dauphin (City)				0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Dauphin (City)	Ottawa				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,234.16		\$413.08	1.00	-	-	\$1,647.24
T0170816	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Ottawa	Lake Audy				0.50			
	Leslie, Branden	To travel to/from constituency and Ottawa		Lake Audy	Ottawa				0.50			
					Claim subtotal	\$1,253.53			1.00	-	-	\$1,253.53
T0170822	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-12-02	Lake Audy	Whitehorse					0.50		
	Leslie, Branden	Attending event with Member	2018-12-07	Whitehorse	Lake Audy					0.50		
STATUS:	Active - Memelection	nber throughout fiscal year;	DE - Decease	ed; NR - Not re-e	elected; NE - Newl	y elected; NSR -	Not seeking re-ele	ction; RS - F	lesigne	d; NEB	- Newly el	ected in by-

Detailed Travel Points Report From April 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018 **Constituency name** Member Status **Constituency size** Number of electors Sopuck, Robert Active Dauphin—Swan River—Neepawa 56,820 km² 63,926 Departure Claim Traveller **Purpose of travel** Date Destination Transportation Accommodation Per diem **Points** Total ID/ Reg. Spec. U.S.A. Ticket # \$3,300.11 **Claim subtotal** \$566.59 1.00 \$1,626.74 \$1,106.78 --Subtotal for employees \$12,004.63 \$2,267.65 \$2,845.76 6.00 \$17,118.04 4.00 -**Claims pending** ---1 ---**Total for employees** \$12,004.63 \$2,267.65 \$2,845.76 6.00 4.00 \$17,118.04 -TOTAL \$53,076.69 \$5,511.51 \$9,266.82 21.00 12.00 \$67,855.02 -Active - Member throughout fiscal year; DE - Deceased; NR - Not re-elected; NE - Newly elected; NSR - Not seeking re-election; RS - Resigned; NEB - Newly elected in by-STATUS: election