

Is the complexion of Council determined by the citizens who vote or the citizens who do not vote?

No doubt you look out for your own and your city's interests by voting.

The man who can vote and doesn't has no right to complain against

men who vote in what he considers the wrong way—they at least perform one duty;

the Mayor on whom he didn't pass judgment;

the Controller who was elected without his vote;

the Alderman who pays no attention to his opinion on non-election days because he hasn't a working opinion on election day.

In 1915

- About 1 elector in 3 voted for Mayor
" 2 electors in 9 voted for Controller
" 1 elector in 4 voted for Alderman
" 1 elector in 5 voted for Board of Education.

Under present conditions, is it possible that a little over one-sixth of the total potential voting strength of the city could control the city government?

EFFECTIVE CITIZEN CO-OPERATION

WHAT IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS SHOULD
BE EACH BODY'S BUSINESS

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**Are you an average citizen?
Is your family an average family?**

If so

it takes you (and other wage earners in your family, if any) over **41 days** to "work out" your taxes, rates, fees, fares, etc., payable to the city.

**In return for your work
you get certain services.**

Are you interested in selecting the men and women who will decide for 1916

How many day's work you will contribute to the city;

How much and what kind of service you will get in return



Total Estimated Expenditure for 1915, \$16,757,282.00

Number of Families, 100,000

Cost per Family in Dollars*	CITY SERVICE	Cost per Family in Days' Work at \$4 per day
\$37.45	Debt	9 ¹ / ₃ Days
33.50	Schools	8 ¹ / ₃ "
14.40	Fire	3 ³ / ₅ "
10.40	Deficit†	2 ³ / ₅ "
10.10	Street Cleaning	2 ¹ / ₂ "
8.90	Police	2 ¹ / ₅ "
7.40	Public Works	1 ⁴ / ₅ "
6.85	Water	1 ³ / ₄ "
5.65	War Tax	1 ² / ₅ "
5.40	Hospitals	1 ¹ / ₃ "
4.85	Property Dept.§	1 ¹ / ₅ "
3.80	Parks	1 "
3.10	Health	3 ³ / ₄ "
2.45	Civic Car Lines§	3 ³ / ₅ "
1.95	Treasury	1 ¹ / ₂ "
1.90	Charity	1 ¹ / ₂ "
1.70	Justice	2 ² / ₅ "
1.55	Library	2 ² / ₅ "
1.25	Assessment	1 ¹ / ₃ "
.95	Architect's Dept.	1 ¹ / ₄ "
.90	City Clerk	1 ¹ / ₅ "
.60	Jail	1 ¹ / ₇ "
.45	Law	1 ¹ / ₉ "
.15	Auditor's Dept.	1 ¹ / ₂₅ "
.10	Distinguished Guests	1 ¹ / ₄₀ "
1.80	Miscellaneous	2 ² / ₅ "

\$167.55

*There are about 160,000 taxpayers in Toronto. The average payment per taxpayer is about \$100, representing 25 days' work at \$4 per day.

†This is not a service, only a bad habit at length, we hope, abolished.

§These services are paid for only partly out of rates or taxes.

41 ³/₄ Days