



GRAND VALLEY

Town of Grand Valley Operating Budget 2025

Grass Cutting and Groundskeeping

The draft operating budget includes the following:

- Keeping budget at \$125,000, which will cover grass cutting on Town lands (except ball diamonds and cemeteries) and flower bed maintenance
- Adding properties to the contractor role, and decreasing staff time dedicated to grass cutting to offset, giving Public Works staff availability for other tasks (locates, patrol, storm water pond cleanout, etc.)

Town staff take pride in the grass cutting and gardening, and have been made aware of public concerns about the quality of care given. Direction is sought from Council on expectations for gardens to determine if staff are able to accommodate the expectations or if we need to seek outside assistance if required.