REGION OF OTTAWA-CARLETON

YEAR 2000 PROGRAM REPORT FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1998



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This document provides a status report to the end of the fourth quarter of 1998 for the Year 2000 Program at the Region of Ottawa-Carleton. It provides a comprehensive overview of the Program from 15 September 1998 to 15 December 1998.

Key highlights of the program discussed in the body of this report are as follows:

YEAR 2000 PROGRAM – AT A GLANCE

- The safety of residents of Ottawa-Carleton, as well as visitors to the Region, along with the safety of staff at the Region, continues to drive the priorities of the Program.
- The 9-1-1 System continues to be the highest priority system for the Region.
- The operation of our water supply, sewage treatment, and traffic control systems, and the continued operation of our Long Term Care facilities remain critical priorities for the Region.
- We are making great progress on Critical and High priority items.
- Contingency planning workshops, which have been held with most Departments, are further defining the real extent of the problem.
- The Emergency Measures Unit proposes to take ownership of the coordination of Year 2000 Emergency Preparedness Planning early in 1999.
- We are getting a clearer picture of how the outside world (utilities, key suppliers, business partners) may affect us. The Region will continue to engage these organizations throughout 1999.

CORPORATE HIGHLIGHTS

- We are doing well resource-wise, but we anticipate further movement of staff as a number of organizations which have not yet begun to address the Year 2000 problem may drain our experienced resources.
- The Standing Offer continues to provide enough resources to the Program, and the Region is sharing this valuable tool with other organizations, such as local area municipalities, and school boards.
- The Program Office has contacted 667 key suppliers of which about one-third have responded. Contingency planning workshops in the Departments are significantly reducing this list to a more manageable number of critical suppliers.

- Year 2000 vendor compliance research has been completed on 1,045 of 1,649 unique products (from 655 unique vendors) used by the Region (business systems, embedded systems, and facilities management systems)—over three times the number closed at the end of Q3-1998, or about sixty-four (64) percent complete to date.
- Over ninety-three (93) percent of personal computers have been tested to date (of 3,188 computers). Of these 2,240 have been found to be compliant, and the remainder require some remediation work (especially laptops).
- Contingency planning workshops were held in Homes for the Aged, Social Services,
 Health, Environment and Transportation and Planning and Development Approvals
 (Property Services) during Q4-1998. These groups will submit their draft plans to
 Emergency Measures Unit for review by 15 January 1999. The remaining contingency
 planning workshops (OC Transpo, OCRPS, Information Systems and the
 Administrative Departments) will take place in Q1-1999.
- Representatives from the Region's auditors met with Year 2000 Program Office staff in November to review the Region's plan for achieving Year 2000 preparedness. They did not identify any areas requiring further discussion.
- The cost of addressing Year 2000 to date has resulted in approximately \$7,650,000 committed, out of a 1998 authority of \$7,900,000. The Program Office received approval from Regional Council for the 1999 authority in November 1998.
- Communications with residents, other municipalities, the federal government, local businesses and the media intensified during the last quarter. The Program Office provided eighteen (18) external presentations on the Year 2000 readiness status of the Region's 9-1-1, water, sewage and traffic control operations during the quarter.
- A special workshop was held in mid-December with a number of local area municipalities to identify common areas of concern such as emergency services, and areas where there is an overlap in service provision. A series of meetings will be held in 1999 to address these issues

MAJOR SERVICE AREA HIGHLIGHTS

- Regional staff met with an assistant vice president of Bell Canada to discuss further Bell Canada's 9-1-1 operations in the context of contingency planning. Bell has confirmed compliance of their portion of the 9-1-1 operation (in October).
- The 9-1-1 Management Board has contacted all area 9-1-1 partners to request information about their Year 2000 plans and current state of readiness, and provided them with the Region's latest update.

- Police Services will be undertaking additional integration testing to confirm the vendor's claim of compliance of the new Computer Aided Dispatch system that was installed during the quarter.
- Leave for all uniformed staff has been suspended from 28 December 1999 to 31 January 2000. All police officers will have a uniform to exhibit maximum patrol presence during the critical period.
- The SCADA upgrade in Water Division is on schedule, with Regional Council to approve the award of the contract in January 1999.
- Remediation work and testing to ensure that the <u>existing SCADA</u> system (PDP-11 based) is Year 2000 ready was successfully completed in November 1998.
- Year 2000 compliance work and tests on the SCADA system used for sewage treatment continues to be on schedule and is expected to be completed by mid-1999.
- Contingency planning within Water Environment Protection Division has primarily
 focussed on the requirement for backup power to supply the entire sewage treatment
 plant.
- Although testing on one of seven traffic control devices is incomplete, staff have
 identified that there are no safety issues in street operations, due to the presence of the
 conflict resolution device that would force a "four-way flash" mode should an
 abnormal condition arise. The tests on the remaining controller are scheduled to be
 completed in early January 1999.
- The remediation work on the maintenance management system used for managing traffic control (EASI) was completed in Q4-1998.
- In this quarter, Homes for the Aged has been able to deal with compliance issues for 13 of its 17 identified products. Of the remaining four issues, three are designated as "High" priorities, and two of these three are scheduled to be addressed in Q1-1999.
- Over the past quarter, Social Services made the decision to consolidate application development activity into one system; therefore, development work that was being done on the Decision Support System (DSS), that evolved out of the Improving Client Services Project, is being transferred to the Record Service and Verify Payments (RSVP) system.
- Written correspondence was received from the Ministry of Community and Social Services confirming their original plan to make their systems compliant by the end of Q1-1999. The schedule for several of these systems has slipped.
- During the quarter, the Health Department also received a revised completion schedule from the Ministry of Health pertaining to the applications that the Health

Department uses in its operations, showing slippage in the Ministry's delivery schedule.

- The relative ranking of a number of Health Department applications, which were initially identified as Critical or High priority, has been re-assessed as a result of the contingency planning process, and 14 items have been moved to medium or low priority categories.
- OC Transpo revisited its supplier risk assessments and has determined the need to send out additional letters requesting Year 2000 compliance information from key suppliers.
- In December 1998, the Community Services Committee of Regional Council passed a Motion to delay the transition of Land Ambulance operations to the Region by one month in order to avoid any potential interference from Year 2000 problems.
- Contingency planning for critical facilities owned and operated by the Region, has
 identified the need to further harden these buildings to ensure continued operation in
 the event of an external Year 2000 failure or other emergency situation. Existing
 provisions for emergency backup power at these locations has been reviewed, and
 some additional generators units will be secured.
- On-going dialogue continues with key utilities (Ontario Hydro, Enbridge/Consumers Gas, Bell Canada), to confirm that the Year 2000 remediation plans at these organizations are well underway. These discussions will continue throughout 1999.

SIGNIFICANT CHALLENGES

- The lack of a champion at the Regional level thus far for coordinating Emergency Preparedness planning.
- The inflexibility of the deadline. Despite this concern, the Task Force has made great progress in this past quarter with Year 2000 remediation as well as contingency planning.
- The on-going inability to identify further the potential for external problems that might affect the Corporation.
- The dependency of the Region on the provision of goods and services from critical external suppliers and business partners.
- The compliance of a number of systems within Regional facilities that are used for direct service to the public that are leased from external landlords.
- The completion of the remainder of the SCADA upgrade in the Water Division by the end of 1999.

- The Year 2000 readiness and contingency plans of external utilities (hydro, natural gas, and telecommunications suppliers).
- The current capacity for storage of stockpiled chemicals at the plants within the Environment and Transportation Department (which will be addressed as part of the contingency planning process).
- The current inability to run the entire sewage treatment plant on backup power (which will be addressed as part of the contingency planning process).

CORPORATE SUMMARY

STATUS OF BUSINESS SYSTEMS — Q4-1998 "OPEN" as at 15 December 1998

Department	CLOSED	Critical	High	Medium	Low
Audit	1/1	0	0	0	0
Clerks	8/10	0	1	0	1
Common	0/37	3	34	0	0
Corporate Fleet	0/2	1	1	0	0
Elected Officials	1/1	0	0	0	0
Environment and Transportation	71/260	12	77	39	61
Finance	14/42	0	23	2	3
Health	10/38	2	5	8	13
Homes for the Aged	13/17	0	3	0	1
Human Resources	11/14	2	1	0	0
Information & Public Affairs	6/10	0	4	0	0
Legal Department	3/8	0	4	1	0
OC Transpo	153/311	30	39	17	72
OCRPS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Planning and Development Approvals	17/59	0	2	12	28
Social Services	9/36	3	13	5	6
Corporate Total	317/846	53	207	84	185

STATUS OF BUSINESS SYSTEMS — Q4-1998 Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY

		19	998 1999					
Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Audit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerks	8	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Common	3	0	0	19	16	1	0	3
Corporate Fleet	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Elected Officials	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Environment and Transportation	43	0	6	32	27	2	0	22
Finance	14	0	1	9	11	0	2	1
Health	1	0	1	6	0	0	0	0
Homes for the Aged	13	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
Human Resources	11	0	2	1	0	2	0	0
Information & Public Affairs	6	0	0	1	3	0	0	0
Legal Department	3	0	1	2	2	0	0	0
OC Transpo	101	0	37	3	22	1	4	2
OCRPS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Planning and Development Approvals	17	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Social Services	0	0	0	6	1	0	5	4
Corporate Total	221	1	50	85	83	7	11	32

STATUS OF EMBEDDED PROCESS CONTROL SYSTEMS – Q4-1998

		"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998						
ETD	CLOSED	Cr	itical	F	High	N.	Iedium	Low
Water	2/59		5		42		1	9
WEPD	9/39	2	25*		0		2	3
	Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY							
		19	998	1999				
ETD	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Water	2	0	0	2	2	2	35	6
WEPD	9	0	0	0	0	25	0	0

STATUS OF FACILITIES MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS — Q4-1998

Department	Total Number of	Total Number of	Total Number of
	Products Identified	Products Assessed as	Products Remaining
	as of Q4	of O4	to Assess as of Q4
Facilities Management Systems	271	197	74

More comprehensive information is contained in the body of this report. The Program Office is scheduled to present the next quarterly report to Corporate Services and Economic Development Committee at the end of April 1999. Additional information on the Region of Ottawa-Carleton, Year 2000 Program is available by calling the Program Office at (613) 560-6065, ext. 5198.

YEAR 2000 PROGRAM REPORT FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1998

PART 1 – INTRODUCTION

11 Overview

This quarterly report is intended to provide an update on the Year 2000 Program at the Region of Ottawa-Carleton for the period 15 September 1998 to 15 December 1998 (herein referred to as Q4-1998). This detailed report reflects the progress and the current status of the Program to approximately 15 December 1998.

This quarterly report is being presented according to the following schedule:

- Corporate Issues Committee —12 January 1999;
- Management Committee 18 January 1999;
- Corporate Services and Economic Development Committee 19 January 1999 (target date); and
- Regional Council 27 January 1999 (target date)

This report follows the same format as the Report for the Third Quarter of 1998, dated 20 October 1998. In this latest version, the information presented provides quarter over quarter progress. Much of the information from Q3-1998 is repeated for easy reference.

Once again this report covers four areas:

- Introduction:
- Status of Corporate initiative associated with the Year 2000 Program;
- Status by Major Service Area; and
- Next Steps.

Detailed appendices have been attached to provide information on the current status of individual Year 2000 initiatives in each service area in relation to the previous quarter.

This report is focussed on incremental changes from Q3-1998; and therefore, does not provide detail on the history and progress of the Region's Year 2000 Program prior to September of 1998. Readers are encouraged to consult the Year 2000 page at the Region's website (www.rmoc.on.ca/2000) for previous quarterly reports should they be interested in further details about the Program.

1.2 Observations

There are four observations that characterize the Year 2000 Program at the end of 1998:

We are making great progress on Critical and High Priority items."

The fourth quarter of 1998 saw some major progress in addressing an additional 50 Critical and High priority Year 2000 issues. This was partly due to the completion of Year 2000 compliance research on an additional 709 products used throughout the Corporation. This research has concluded that many of the products used at the Region are not date sensitive by nature, thereby eliminating the need for potential remediation work on these items.

A significant amount of progress has also been made in remediation efforts associated with business systems. As well, the number of items with completion dates defined as To Be Determined (TBD) has been reduced significantly.

Contingency planning workshops are further defining the feal'extent of the problem."

One of the most critical aspects of the Year 2000 Program has been the contingency planning around potential Year 2000 failure within the Region's systems or as a result of some external Year 2000 failure. This contingency planning is meant to be a supplement to the Year 2000 remediation plans already underway.

Year 2000 remediation plans (Plan As) are intended to address Year 2000 problems within particular IT assets, while the contingency plans (Plan Bs) look at business functions and the continued delivery of essential services. Once again, it is important to stress that the contingency plans are not intended to substitute for remediation plans.

Workshops were held in most Departments over the fall of 1998 and the remaining workshops will take place in January 1999. One aspect of the contingency planning workshops is to identify the IT assets, and the external business partners and suppliers needed to ensure the continued provision of essential services to the residents of Ottawa-Carleton. This process has enabled service areas to reduce significantly the list of key suppliers to a smaller, more manageable number of critical suppliers.

This information, when combined with feedback and discussions with these external agencies and businesses, has further clarified the environment that we can expect around the changeover to Year 2000.

Some organization must take ownership of the coordination of emergency preparedness planning at the Regional level."

Many organizations, like the Region, continue to address Year 2000 risks within their operations. However, what is missing is someone to take ownership of the coordination of Emergency Preparedness Planning around Year 2000 at the region-wide level. The Program Office has been supporting and encouraging the exchange of information with other partners within Ottawa-Carleton (such as the RCMP, the area municipalities, the Department of National Defence, local school boards, etc.). However, there is clearly a need for coordination on a broader base across the Region. To date, no level of government has taken active ownership of this issue.

The Region's Emergency Measures Unit played a key-coordinating role during the Ice Storm, and now proposes to be that coordinating organization within Ottawa-Carleton. The first quarter of 1999 will see the organization of a Symposium on Emergency Preparedness Planning around Year 2000 within Ottawa-Carleton hosted by the Region.

We are getting a clearer picture of how the outside world may affect us."

Continued dialogue with utility providers such as Ontario Hydro, Bell Canada, Enbridge/Consumers Gas, and many of our external business partners and suppliers has revealed current information on the Year 2000 readiness of these organizations. While there has been significant progress made by these organizations, it is clear that it is still too early to determine how ready these organizations will be by 01 January 2000. The dialogue with these organizations will continue throughout 1999.

1.3 Overall Program Status

The Year 2000 Program at the Region is following a standard process for addressing Year 2000 issues that is consistent with most similar sized organizations. The high level process has seven components to it:

- Raise awareness;
- Create an inventory;
- Prioritize problems;
- Analyze compliance, risks, and potential solutions;
- Develop a plan for addressing each problem;
- Develop, test and implement solutions; and
- Monitor and communicate progress.

Most of the work within the Region's Year 2000 Program is currently focussed on the last two steps.

Major program activities within the fourth quarter of 1998 have included the following:

- Continued work to identify and implement solutions to address Critical and High priority issues work on fifty (50) issues completed during the quarter.
- Completion of contingency planning workshops in Health, Social Services, Environment and Transportation, Homes for the Aged, and a number of critical Regional facilities.
- Completion of risk assessment at the Regional Police Service.
- Completion of the remaining inventories of products within the Police Service, and verifying the inventory at some of the remote pumping stations in the embedded systems operations.
- Completion of research for compliance information associated with 1,045 third-party products.
- Analyzing the results of feedback from 222 key suppliers and business partners.
- Completion of Year 2000 testing training for forty-two (42) IT staff.

PART 2 – UPDATE ON CORPORATE INITIATIVES

2.1 Staffing Update

Staffing issues continue to be a concern to all managers in the Corporation who are dealing with this issue. Lower turnover rates in the fourth quarter of 1998 for IT staff (turn-over of two (2) positions and three (3) new positions filled) can be credited to the success of the IT Retention Strategy. However, managers are still cautious and it is anticipated that 1999 will see some movement as a number of organizations that have not addressed the issue to date attempt to deal with their Year 2000 problems and fight for the expertise.

There were two significant staffing actions in the fourth quarter of 1998. In November 1998, a Police Inspector was appointed as the Project Manager for the Year 2000 Project within the Police Service. This person will also serve on the Corporate Year 2000 Task Force.

Also in November, Regional Property Services appointed a full time Year 2000 Coordinator to deal with Year 2000 issues within Regional facilities. This position will play a key role in the "hardening" of key facilities as part of the contingency planning exercises.

2.2 Consulting Services Update

During the fourth quarter of 1998, twenty (20) new consulting contracts were awarded (compared to 21 in Q3-1998) to work on projects associated with the Year 2000 Program. Most of these contracts were awarded under the Standing Offer for Year 2000 Informatics Services that was approved by Regional Council in June 1998.

While the types of contracts have varied, most of the expertise required focussed on analysis and development services, particularly in the case of a development tool called PowerBuilder, which is one of the most widely used development products within the Region. There has been no adjustment to the rates used with the Standing Offer during the fourth quarter of 1998.

The Standing Offer continues to be the most useful tool for engaging consultants for the Program, and the Standing Offer has been used successfully by several other municipalities in the Ottawa-Carleton area and beyond.

Information about the Standing Offer has been posted on the Region's Year 2000 website, for use by other municipalities.

The Region continues to monitor the availability of consultants with MAPPER programming expertise (the language used on the Region's mainframe) through regular contact with local consulting firms. The Region continues to fill current requirements for this type of expertise, and contracts for existing consultants have been extended into 1999 to ensure continued availability of resources to meet the anticipated demand.

2.3 Supply Chain Review

In the summer of 1998, the Year 2000 Program Office began a Year 2000-related risk management review of key suppliers to ensure the continued availability of goods and services supporting the Region's safety and mission critical functions. This involved identifying the vital goods and services, assessing the Year 2000 readiness of the suppliers currently or likely to be supplying these goods and services to the Region, and developing a risk management process to deal with potential threats to the supply chain.

In the fourth quarter of 1998 the major activities related to the Supply Chain Review included:

- Briefing and engaging the remaining operating areas on the process;
- Contacting suppliers by letter and tracking their responses and distributing these responses to the appropriate operating areas for review and action;
- Inviting key utilities Ontario Hydro, Enbridge/Consumers Gas and Bell
 Canada for briefings to the Region and other interested parties (including the
 federal government, area municipalities, area hydro providers and other public
 sector agencies). These briefings provided a forum for utilities to present
 information on their Year 2000 readiness status. This information has been
 used to support the Region's contingency planning process;
- Assisting the Legal Department and Supply Management Division with developing a process to assess and report on requirements to be included in procurement documents for goods and services required to support the Region's safety- and mission-critical functions;
- Briefing departments, through the Year 2000 Task Force members, on the continuous risk management process and the reporting requirements applicable to the Supply Chain Review;
- Providing supplier risk management data for the contingency planning workshops; and
- Contacting local area municipalities supporting the Region's service delivery to assess their status.

The current status of the Supply Chain Review in the various major service areas is shown in the following table. (Note: this table does not reflect the outcome of risk review activities from contingency planning sessions.) These sessions have, for some Departments, resulted in a significant reduction in the number of critical suppliers.

Of the 703 active suppliers in the supplier database, 667 (96%) have been contacted, and of these, 219 (33%) have responded. The quality of the responses received from the suppliers to the Region's assessment letter continues to vary significantly from supplier to supplier.

While the lead responsibility for continuous management of the Supply Chain Review rests with the Departments, the Program Office will continue to support the activities of the review, serving as a point of contact for utilities and area municipalities. The Program Office will also provide support to Departments requiring assistance with supplier assessments; and will assist with coordinating the activities required to deal with unresponsive suppliers.

	Supply Chain Contact	Status as of 15 D	December 1	998	
Department	Department Division		Letters Sent ¹	Replies Received	Response Rate (%)
Corporate Fleet		17	17	6	35
ETD	Engineering	80	80	24	30
	Information Systems	2	2	0	0
	Infrastructure Maintenance	30	27	9	33
	Mobility Services	32	30	9	30
	Solid Waste/ Collection	6	5	4	80
	Solid Waste/ Landfill	5	5	3	60
	Water	95	88	31	35
	WEPD	163	158	56	35
Finance	Financial Services	27	16	11	69
	ISD	20	19	6	32
Health	Adult Health	19	18	3	17
	Child & Adolescent Care	31	31	4	13
	Clinical Services Division/Healthy Sexuality	21	21	9	43

Supply Chain Contact Status as of 15 December 1998								
Department	Division	Suppliers on File	Letters Sent ¹	Replies Received	Response Rate (%)			
	Clinical Services/Dental Treatment	10	10	1	10			
	Clinical Services/HIV Prevention	15	14	6	43			
	E.H./CDC Division	9	8	1	12			
Homes for the Aged		31	30	9	30			
Human Resources		6	6	5	83			
Information and Public Affairs		1	1	0	0			
PDA		30	30	12	40			
Social Services Department		53	51	10	20			
Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service	A preliminary input has been received for those suppliers supporting critical functions. OCRPS is in the process of determining which subset of these suppliers is safety- or mission-critical.							
OC Transpo	OC Transpo have contacted additional key suppliers using the letter prepared by the Year 2000 Program Office.							
In cases where a particular supplier has not been contacted, it implies that: the information has only been recently submitted to the Program Office, that the suppliers are low risk, that the								

only been recently submitted to the Program Office, that the suppliers are low risk, that the suppliers are internal, or that the suppliers have been contacted by means other than letters.

2.4 Vendor Compliance Project

Third party product research continues to be an important aspect of the Region's Year 2000 Program. The Program Office set up a research team early in 1998 to determine the Year 2000 compliance of all products that are used within the Region (business systems, embedded systems, and facilities management systems). The inventories that have been prepared by the operating departments were submitted to this team who are responsible for contacting manufacturers to ascertain the compliance of each product.

To date, over 1,649 unique products from 655 vendors have been identified for research. This is up considerably from the 1,037 products from 323 vendors identified at the end of Q3-1998. These products have been subdivided into Business Systems, Facilities Systems,

Embedded Systems and the Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service (OCRPS) inventories, and are exclusive of OC Transpo.

Over 500 new products have been added to the inventory during the fourth quarter of 1998 which includes products from the Police inventory and a collection of products that have surfaced from other areas of the Corporation.

Research efforts in Q4-1998 were focussed on completing as much research as possible to assist departments in making decisions on whether further Year 2000 remediation effort is required for a product. As a result, Year 2000 compliance research was completed on a total of 709 products during the quarter, more than three times the number completed previously in total. This translates to about sixty-four (64) percent complete, or 1,045 of 1,649 products.

During Q4-1998, the Vendor Compliance Project (VCP) team totaled five researchers and a clerk. Each researcher was given an area of specialty (business systems, etc.) and one of the five VCP researchers was dedicated to gathering the high priority components of the OCRPS inventory, and subsequently to research product compliance status.

Resources from the VCP will be re-assigned to assist with research on products for OCRPS as research work is completed in the other areas. Based on the current rate of progress and personnel availability, the bulk of the vendor compliance research is expected to be completed by the end of February 1999.

Requests for copies of the research data have come from a number of municipalities across Ontario. Copies of the research reports continue to be distributed to the area municipalities, the City of Kingston and Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). In addition, copies of the reports are available on the Region's Year 2000 website.

The Region of Ottawa-Carleton is also a supplier to area businesses, most notably in the area of water supply. As a result, businesses are eager to know about the compliance of our systems as they relate to our ability to continue to provide essential services. In Q4-1998, the Program Office responded to sixty-nine (69) requests from local businesses on the status of the Region's water supply and other systems. This increased considerably from twenty-six (26) requests in Q3-1998.

VENDOR COMPLIANCE PROJECT STATISTICS (Exclusive of OC Transpo)

Type of Product	Number o Products I to D	dentified	Associated of Unique		Number of Products Where the Research is Completed	
	Q3	Q3 Q4		Q4	Q3	Q4

Type of Product	Number of Unique Products Identified to Date		Associated of Unique		Number of Products Where the Research is Completed	
	Q3	Q4	Q3	Q4	Q3	Q4
Business Systems	320	317	118	144	154	268 (85%)
Embedded Systems	561	714	126	221	142	535 (75%)
Facilities Management Systems	156	267	79	83	40	190 (72%)
Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Services	0	~350	0	~200	0	52 (13%)
Total	1,037	1,643	323	655	336	1,045

2.5 Testing of PCs

The Year 2000 Program Office is undertaking tests of all personal computers within the Region to ensure that the internal clock on the PC and the associated hardware recognizes and processes the correct time at startup and on roll-over to the Year 2000. The PC testing project also ensures that the personal computers recognize the leap year in 2000.

The majority of the PCs at the Region will have been tested by the end of the fourth quarter of 1998. The fourth quarter of 1998 saw testing taking place in Environment and Transportation, and some testing taking place at the Police Services. Testing will be completed at the Police Services in Q1-1999, which is the last major area of the Region to be addressed. Some further testing will also take place at OC Transpo to ensure that a consistent set of tests is applied to all of the Region's computers.

Work on the project is expected to be completed by the end of the first quarter of 1999, including remediation work on non-compliant computers, especially laptops.

As of December of 1998, there are in excess of 3,188 computers to test across the Corporation. To date, about 2,240 computers have been tested and found to be compliant. An additional 738 failed their test by either failing to process or display the date correctly during a roll-over to 01 January 2000, or by failing to recognize that the Year 2000 is a leap year. These PCs tend to be older equipment and the problems will be addressed as part of the project in 1999.

In all cases, once a computer is deemed to be compliant, a special sticker with the Program logo and a unique identifying number is placed on the case for easy identification and future reference



Laptop computers have proven to be the most difficult to fix to date, and have the highest rate of failure. It has also proven to be more difficult to get software fixes for these computers.

Results of PC Year 2000 Testing Project								
Support Group	Approx. Number of PCs to Test	mber of PCs Compliant To Fixed		Comments				
ISD	1,140	1,048	92	Initial testing completed				
ETD-Systems	796	640	156	Initial Testing Completed				
OCRPS Systems	750	88	486	Testing to be completed in January				
OC Transpo Systems	468	464	4	Some re-testing to take place in January				
Total	3,188+	2,240	738					

2.6 Contingency Planning (Legal Mitigation Strategy)

One of the most critical activities of the Year 2000 Program is the coordination of the creation of Departmental contingency plans to deal with the uncertainty around the elimination of the millennium bug from critical systems. Contingency plans ensure that the Corporation can continue to operate at an acceptable level and within an acceptable risk envelope in spite of severe business function failures related to the Year 2000.

The driving forces behind the requirement for contingency plans are as follows:

- Year 2000 issues are numerous and complex;
- There is little time remaining;
- There are complex and unusual internal and external dependencies;

- There is very little experience of like problems;
- Skilled resources are getting scarce and costly;
- It is already too late to deal with all of the issues;
- Many plans (Plan As) are still incomplete, and
- It makes good business sense to have a Plan B.

Contingency plans are developed based on business risks to business functions (as opposed to IT systems). The contingency planning strategy centers around examining what are the essential services provided by the Corporation; and therefore, what steps must be taken to ensure that these services remain in place despite potential Year 2000 failure in one or more of the underlying automated systems.

Year 2000 remediation plans (Plan As) are intended to address Year 2000 problems within particular IT assets, while the contingency plans (Plan Bs) look at business functions and the continued delivery of essential services. Contingency plans are not intended to substitute for remediation plans.

In August 1998, the Year 2000 Program Office commenced a project to examine the legal risks that may be faced by the Corporation as a result of potential Year 2000 failure. This project compares the statutory and legislated requirements in the Region's services and identifies where Year 2000 failures could impact these essential services, as well as where it makes good business sense to develop contingency plans for these services.

In cases where an existing contingency or business recovery plan already exists, the goal will be to review these plans and ensure that they are modified or augmented to take into account and accommodate potential Year 2000 failure.

To accomplish this daunting task, the Program Office has engaged several senior consultants, with extensive public sector experience in this area, to work with Departments to review their business priorities and identify specific risks and requirements for contingency plans. These resources also provide guidance on the development of contingency plans.

It is important to note that operating Departments have the responsibility and the accountability for developing, resourcing and testing their contingency plans. The Program Office has established guidelines and a process for contingency planning, and is providing resources to facilitate the development of the plans by the Departments. Department Heads are accountable for the completion of the necessary plans.

In addition, Regional Property Services is coordinating the development of contingency plans for critical Regional facilities.

The Region's Emergency Measure Unit will review the completed plans.

Contingency planning workshops were held in many Departments over the fall of 1998:

- Homes for the Aged;
- Social Services;
- Health:
- Environment and Transportation; and
- Planning and Development Approvals (Property Services).

These groups are currently working to meet a target date of 15 January 1999 to submit their draft plans for review by the Emergency Measures Unit.

Workshops will take place in the Corporate Information Systems Division, at OC Transpo and at the Police Service in January 1999.

Once plans are finalized, the operating areas will develop detailed procedures and human resource plans to support contingency plans with a target of May 1998.

Although it is vital for the Region to develop contingency plans for its internal operations including the 9-1-1 System, the Region recognizes that it is one of many partners in the provision of emergency support services to the residents of Ottawa-Carleton. As organizations like the Region continue to address Year 2000 internally within their operations, it is becoming clearer that Ottawa-Carleton is lacking leadership and coordination of emergency preparedness efforts, and that someone has to take ownership of the emergency preparedness planning around Year 2000 at the region-wide level.

The Program Office has been working to coordinate the exchange of information with other partners within Ottawa-Carleton (such as the RCMP, the area municipalities, the Department of National Defence, local school boards, etc.). However, there is a clear role for someone to coordinate emergency preparedness planning across the Region. To date, no level of government has taken active ownership of this issue.

2.7 Audit of the Program

The Program Office has engaged the services of LGS Group Inc. to provide Year 2000 consulting and project management services. LGS Group is involved in assisting a number of public and private sector agencies, including a number of municipalities, with their Year 2000 programs. The Program Office has relied on their considerable expertise in this area to ensure the completeness of the Year 2000 Program at the Region.

In the third quarter of 1998, the Finance Commissioner asked the Director Year 2000 Program to approach the Region's external auditors as part of the annual review of the organization to ensure that the Year 2000 mitigation process is consistent with the approach they would recommend. Staff from the Program Office met with representatives from the Region's auditors in October 1998 to address this issue.

After review, the auditors did not identify any areas for further discussion.

2.8 Budget Update

In November 1998, the Year 2000 Task Force sought and received pre-approval of the \$8,100,000 authority for 1999 Year 2000 capital budget. This was necessary to ensure that the Program would not be impacted by any delays in the normal budget cycle. Council's acknowledgement and commitment to the urgency of this Program is acknowledged by the Task Force.

The Task Force updated estimates for the balance of 1998 and 1999. The projected expenditures for 1999 are \$10,648,500 which exceeds the current 1999 authority of \$8,100,000 plus the estimated remaining 1998 authority of \$249,500 carried forward to 1999. These estimates include projections for the Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service that were not included in the original budget submitted to Regional Council in February 1998.

It must be emphasized that the full extent of the Year 2000 problem/solution is still very much an unknown; and therefore, it is still too early to put a final price tag on the cost of this exercise. The Task Force will continue to work on the development of more accurate estimates for 1999, which should be ready in the spring.

The Program Office continues to track the breakdown of expenditures to show costs that are strictly related to Year 2000 versus costs that are being incurred because of radically compressed time frames in projects that would normally occur over a much longer period in time, but must be completed to address Year 2000 issues with the existing product(s). To date \$7,650,000 of the \$7,900,000 1998 authority has been committed. Three million, four hundred and seventy thousand dollars (\$3,470,000) of this total commitment is strictly related to dealing with problems related to Year 2000.

The one-page work order, used for all routine approvals associated with the Program that fall under the Chief Administrative Officer's delegated authority limits, continues to be a valuable tool in enabling the Program Office to expedite obtaining resources required.

YEAR 2000 BUDGET CORPORATE SUMMARY

Description	Projected 1998 Balance (\$)	Total 1998/1999 Authority Available (\$)	Estimated Expenditures to 31 Dec 1999 (\$)	Projected Authority Remaining 31 Dec 1999 (\$)	Comments
Embedded Systems Total	1,824,000	5,824,000	3,962,500	1,861,500	Compliance research, hardware and software upgrades, consultants, embedded systems components
Facilities Management Total	1,500	251,500	636,250	-384,750	Compliance research, consulting services
Business Systems Total	-944,000	1,256,000	2,924,750	-1,668,750	Compliance research, software, consultants
Hardware and Networking Total	-172,000	728,000	950,000	-222,000	Compliance research, hardware, consultants
OC Transpo					Not in original budget. Funding to come from existing operating and capital
O-C Regional Police Service	-594,000	-594,000	690,000	-1,284,000	Not in original budget. Compliance research, hardware, software, consultants
Program Office Costs	-116,000	134,000	535,000	-401,000	Staff time, office costs, consultants
Provision for unexpected	250,000	750,000	950,000	-200,000	
1998/1999 PROGRAM TOTAL	249,500	8,349,500	10,648,500	-2,299,000	

2.9 Communications

Communications, both internal and external, continues to be an integral part of the Program. The part-time Communications Manager position was replaced with a full-time position during Q4-1998 in recognition of the need for additional resources in this area.

Overall communications activities increased in Q4-1998. A table of statistics on communications activities during Q4-1998 is shown below.

The most common questions asked about the Year 2000 Program were:

Will the 9-1-1 System be operating?

Will the water supply fail?

Are water meters compliant?

Will sewers back up?

Will traffic lights show green in all directions?

Will we have to move the residents from our long-term care facilities if power fails?

COMMUNICATIONS ACTIVITIES - Q4-1998

ACTIVITY	Q3-1998	Q4-1998
Inquiries by Residents	5	19
Inquires by municipalities	10	32
Media Inquiries	0	11
Presentations Provided by the Program Office	3	18
Average Web Site Hits per Month	108	168

The Region's Year 2000 web page (<u>www.rmoc.on.ca/2000</u>) continues to be a source of information for external businesses and residents.

2.10 The Region working with other levels of Government

Co-operation between the Region and other levels of government on Year 2000 related issues continues to be essential and beneficial to the Program, as it proved to be in the third quarter of 1998. Requests for information from municipalities across Canada continued during Q4-1998 (32 requests in total). In addressing requests for information, the Program Office has observed that a significant number of Canadian municipalities have just begun to address Year 2000 issues within their operations. The Region and the larger area municipalities within Ottawa-Carleton continue to be seen as having leading programs within Ontario, along with the Region of Hamilton-Wentworth and the City of London.

Locally, the Inter-municipal Working Group on Year 2000 continues to meet monthly with regular participation from the Region and the area municipalities of Ottawa, Nepean, Gloucester, Kanata, and Kingston. The meetings are used to stage presentations of common interest and to share information and current status of Year 2000 programs.

The Region of Ottawa-Carleton also continues to participate in bi-monthly meetings with other Regional governments on Year 2000 readiness for water supply utilities.

The Region continues to receive material regarding the progress on Year 2000 within the federal government and staff continues to participate on committees and at workshops sponsored by the Inter-departmental Working Group (IDW).

A special workshop was held in mid-December with a number of local area municipalities to identify common areas of concern such as emergency services, and areas where there is overlap in service provision. The information presented by the various municipalities is available to the public. A series of meetings will be held in 1999 to address these issues.

In November 1998, a letter was sent to engage our municipal partners in discussions around interdependencies in service provision (e.g. sewage collection, 9-1-1 services).

2.11 Region-Wide Year 2000 Emergency Preparedness Planning

Most local emergency agencies within Ottawa-Carleton are in the process of addressing potential Year 2000 problems within their organizations. Some are finding a great need to coordinate emergency plans and share information with other agencies so there is a uniform and comprehensive approach to Year 2000 emergency preparedness planning within Ottawa-Carleton. A coordinated effort can also prevent organizations from duplicating efforts or confusing area residents on how to deal with potential Year 2000 failures

Over the past year, the Director of the Year 2000 Program has been meeting with other agencies in Ottawa-Carleton to discuss Year 2000 process, status, and planning of internal programs, or to inform them of the progress at the Region on Year 2000 remediation of the 9-1-1 System, Water, Sewage Treatment and Traffic Control operations. Over the last several months, it has become increasingly clear that there is a requirement for emergency preparedness planning at the Regional level as most agencies are well into internal contingency planning projects, and there is a concern that internal contingency plans should, where applicable, reflect a more coordinated effort with related agencies.

There are also a number of local citizens' groups that are forming to deal with Year 2000 preparedness. They are looking for a single person to speak on behalf of all emergency preparedness agencies and are frustrated with the lack of a visible plan to address Year 2000 emergency preparedness planning at the Regional level.

This situation forces us to address the question, "who takes the leadership role?" During the Ice Storm of 1998, Regional government, through the Emergency Measures Unit, assumed this coordinating role for the Ottawa-Carleton area, as well as for areas outside of Ottawa-Carleton boundaries.

The Provincial government has the responsibility for Emergency Preparedness Planning; however, it has limited resources to address this formidable task across Ontario. The Region of Ottawa-Carleton sees the value of stepping in and coordinating this region-wide planning project around the millennium changeover. The Region's Year 2000 Program Office and the Emergency Measures Unit will be further exploring this issue with other emergency service providers in Ottawa-Carleton.

The Region's Emergency Measures Unit played a key-coordinating role during the Ice Storm, and has committed to be that coordinating organization within Ottawa-Carleton. The first quarter of 1999 will see the organization of a Symposium on Emergency Preparedness Planning around Year 2000 within Ottawa-Carleton which will be hosted by the Region.

PART 3 – UPDATE BY MAJOR SERVICE AREA

3.1 9-1-1 SYSTEM and the OTTAWA-CARLETON REGIONAL POLICE SERVICE

3.1.1 Critical and High Priority Business Applications – Regional Police Service

In the fourth quarter of 1998, Regional Police Service completed a risk management review of all business functions. This was followed by the development of a detailed inventory, which is expected to be completed by the end of December 1998.

A detailed summary of all of the Critical and High priority business applications is not available for this quarter. However, Police staff has been addressing a number of the Critical and High priority applications falling out of their risk management workshops. The detailed summaries will be available in the first quarter of 1999 report.

3.1.2 Q4-1998 9-1-1 Program Highlights

- Bell Canada provided written confirmation that their portion of the 9-1-1 System became compliant as of the end of October 1998. Regional staff continues to meet with Bell Canada representatives to discuss some of the aspects of Bell Canada's operations around Year 2000 contingency planning.
- The telecommunications system (PBXs) at the 474 Elgin Street headquarters of the Police Service will be upgraded along with the PBXs at three other locations. These upgrades will be completed in 1999. While the 9-1-1 functionality within the existing switches is compliant, some of the value-added features within the existing switch (such as voice mail) are not. The new switches will be Year 2000 compliant.
- The new Computer Aided Dispatch System (CAD) has been implemented at the Police Service. The vendor indicates that the system is compliant and the Police Service is undertaking additional integration testing to confirm the vendor's claim.
- Year 2000 testing will be completed before sign-off of the new Corporate radio system used by the Police Service. This testing is currently underway and is expected to be completed early in 1999.
- The Year 2000 Program Office presented to the 9-1-1 Management Board in September 1998 to outline the Year 2000 compliance status of the 9-1-1 System within the Police Service. Subsequently, the Board sent a letter to all area 9-1-1 partners to request information about their Year 2000 plans and current state of readiness.

- 3.1.3 Q4-1998 Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service Year 2000 Program Highlights
- In November 1998, Police Services appointed a uniformed Inspector as a full-time Project Manager for the Year 2000 Project within the Police Service. The Project Manager will also be the Police champion when working with external organizations around Year 2000 emergency preparedness planning.
- Deputy Chief Bevan is the senior executive within the Police Service accountable for Year 2000, and the Executive Command has established an internal Year 2000 Steering Committee which includes the Deputy Chiefs, the Director General of Corporate Services, the Year 2000 Project Manager, and the Region's Director, Year 2000 Program.
- Business risk assessment workshops were completed with all business units during the summer and early autumn identifying and prioritizing 231 business functions. The results of these risk management workshops were approved by the Steering Committee in October 1998.
- Detailed IT asset inventories have been developed to support each of the business functions with approximately 85% of the inventories completed to date. Remediation plans (Plan As) are being developed for all Critical and High priority systems.
- Leave for all uniformed staff has been suspended from 28 December 1999 to 31 January 2000. This is consistent with other police forces across Canada, and will ensure maximum strength of the Service during this critical period.
- All police officers will each have a uniform to exhibit maximum patrol presence during the critical period.
- A new compliant Record Management System (RMS) will be implemented in the third quarter of 1999. The existing system is being replaced as part of the amalgamation exercise and will address Year 2000 issues with the existing system. The Courts' preparation module will also be addressed as part of this process.
- A replacement Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) will be undertaken in 1999 to replace an existing non-compliant system. The new system is expected to be implemented by the end of the second quarter of 1999.
- The Region's Finance and Human Resources Departments are addressing compliance
 of the financial and human resources systems used within the Police Service. Both of
 these systems are expected to be operational and compliant by the end of the first half
 of 1999.

- 3.1.4 Potential Problems and Issues for the 9-1-1 System and OCRPS
- Complexities resulting from the number of the partners involved in the provision of 9-1-1 services in Ottawa-Carleton.
- The dependency on the operation of Bell Canada equipment to the 9-1-1 service.
- The large number of people anticipated to participate in millennium celebrations in Ottawa-Carleton over the critical period.
- 3.1.5 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector
- Will the 9-1-1 System be affected.
- Will police vehicles start.
- Is there a plan in place for the Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service.

It should be noted that the Regional 9-1-1 System, a responsibility of the Emergency Measures Unit within ETD, continues to be the Region's top priority. This issue is at the forefront of our communications with the media, the public and external organizations.

3.2 WATER

3.2.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary — ETD–Water Supply

Water Division	CLOSED	Critical			High			Medium	Low
As of Q3 - 1998	N/A	N/A			N/A			N/A	N/A
As of Q4 - 1998	2/59	5			42			1	9
			Completion Targets for Critical'and High"Priority Items ONLY						
		19	1998 1999						
Water Division	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN	
Q3-1998 Targets									
Q4-1998 Targets	2			2	2	2	35	6	

3.2.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – ETD—Water Supply

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	
Central Process Control SCADA - VCI & SCADA Upgrade Project"	Critical	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Local Process Control - AB/PLC & SCADA Upgrade Project"	Critical	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Lowlift Pumping	Critical	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Chemicals	Critical	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Diesel Generators & Fuel Systems	Critical	TBD	Q4-1999	
Mixing Chambers & Settling Basins & Clarivac	High	Completed	TBD	
Filters	High	Q2-1999	Q2-1999	
Wash Water System	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Highlift Pumping	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	
Laboratories	High	Q2-1999	Q2-1999	
Service Water System	High	Complete	Complete	
Gas Monitoring & Detection Systems	High	Q3-1999	Q3-1999	
Fleet - Turbines	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Fleet Headworks -gates, etc.	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Electrical sub-stations	High	Q3-1999	Q3-1999	
Electrical switch gear and breakers	High	TBD	Q4-1999	
UPS Systems	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Fleet Electrical System	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Fleet St. UPS	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Heating Systems & Boilers	High	Q1-1999	Q1-1999	
Ventilation & Air Conditioning Systems	High	Q1-1999	Q1-1999	
Carleton Lodge Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Carp Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Hillside Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Hillside #3	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Kings Park #1 Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Kings Park #2 Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Munster Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Vars Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Barrhaven Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Billings Bridge Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	
Brittany Dr. Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999	

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Carlington Heights Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Carlington Heights Reservoir	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
EMR Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Forest Ridge Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Glen Cairn Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Glen Cairn Reservoir	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Montreal Road Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Orleans Pump Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Orleans Reservoir	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Ottawa South Pumping Station	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
South Gloucester Pumping Station & Carlsbad Springs	High	Q4-1999	Q4-1999

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix B – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Issues for the Water Division.

3.2.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998 – ETD-Water Supply

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Water Division	92	57	95	88	31	4

• The increase in the number of letters sent (and received) is primarily due to the timing involved. At the time of the Q3-1998 report, not all the contact information was available to send suppliers letters nor was there enough time for them to respond.

• New contracts assigned for critical supplies (e.g. silicate) account for some of the increase in the number of key suppliers.

3.2.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Water Division

- Inventory and Audit
 - Satisfactory responses have been received from vendors on the compliance status of about 70% of products used within the Division.
 - There will be a need to re-visit and re-assess the inventory based upon interactions between existing equipment, new equipment and new local processes inherent in the SCADA upgrade.

• SCADA Upgrade

- The primary Year 2000 remediation plan (Plan A) for Water Division operations is the acceleration of the previously approved "SCADA Upgrade Project". The accelerated project is still on schedule (consultant proposals were received in mid-December). Planning and Environment Committee and Regional Council approvals are scheduled for January 1999 to award the contract for the implementation phase. Work is expected to begin in February and be completed in December 1999.
- The project schedule for replacement of the existing SCADA system with the new SCADA system includes a number of "Key-Decision" points. These decision points will provide an opportunity to monitor project progress, the remaining scope of work, and the success of replacement, prior to the Department's final commitment to the new system.
- Testing of the Water System at Regional Water Plants
 - In the fourth quarter of 1998, remediation and testing of the existing VCI8100 Central SCADA system (i.e.: PDP-11 Operating System and VCI applications) was completed satisfactorily. The testing went through four stages:
 - 1. Remediated operating system tested alone;
 - 2. Operating system tested with a Remote Terminal Unit (RTU);
 - 3. System integrated completely at Britannia plant;
 - 4. Complete system integrated, and controlling, Britannia, Lemieux, and all remote sites.

- The testing of local process control systems (which components were deemed compliant by the manufacturers) are being scheduled for January 1999. This is to test equipment that will not be replaced by the SCADA Upgrade Project.
- The Region's Year 2000 testing clauses were included in the SCADA upgrade contract to ensure Year 2000 compliance of the new systems.

• Contingency Planning

- Initial contingency planning workshops were completed in Q4-1998. These workshops examined a number of potential points of failure.
- It should be noted that both water treatment plants are regularly operated with generators to accommodate Ottawa Hydro peak periods. We also have the ability to run the water plants manually should it be necessary.
- Water Division diesel crew and high voltage electricians would be available as a
 Corporate resource in the event that generator use was widespread. Once Water
 Division needs and requirements have been met, crews will be re-directed to other
 areas within the Department and across the Corporation.

3.2.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Water Division

- Compressed timeframe for the SCADA upgrade.
- Availability of fuel.
- Uniqueness of products and chemicals used within the Division.
- Limited on-site storage for stock piling chemicals needed for day-to-day water treatment.

3.2.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

- Water supply receives the most attention from the media, local businesses, residents and emergency preparedness organizations.
- Department of National Defence, RCMP, and the federal government have all reviewed the preparedness of the Region's water supply.
- Inquiries include such things as:
 - Whether the Region has a Year 2000 program for water supply;

- Whether water meters are compliant;
- By what date will the system be compliant;
- Should they be concerned with the availability of drinking water in 2000.

3.3 SEWAGE TREATMENT

3.3.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary —ETD –Sewage Treatment

		"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998								
Water Environment Protection Division	CLOSED	Critical		F	High		edium	Low		
As of Q3 –1998	2/37		29		0	2		4		
As of Q4 –1998	9/39	2	25* 0 2		3					
		Completion Targets for Critical'and High"Priority Items ONLY					"Priority Items			
		19	998		19	99				
Water Environment Protection Division	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN		
Q3-1998 Targets						29				
Q4-1998 Targets						25		0		

^{*} A new "Critical" item, called Energy Management System, was established by reorganizing and pulling electrical metering components from several existing listed items. As well, an additional "Critical" item, called Paging, was added to the Water Environment Protection Division embedded inventory list.

3.3.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" —ETD-Sewage Treatment

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Business Systems			
Aeration	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Cogeneration	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Diesel Generation - Plant	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Digesters	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Primary	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Raw Sewage Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Screen & Degrit	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Secondary	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Thickening & Dewatering	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
SCADA	C-01	Q4-1998 (upgrade only)	Q3-1999
Energy Management System	C-01	N/A	Q3-1999
Acres Rd PS	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Carleton Lodge Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1998
Carp Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1998
Hazeldean Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Hemlock Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1999
Lees Ave. Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1998 vendor research only	Q3-1998
Lees Ave. Leachate	C-01	Q3-1998 vendor research only	Q3-1999
March Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1998
Mooneys Bay flume	C-03	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Munster Lagoon	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Munster One Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Munster Two Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1998
RCAF Pumping Station	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
RCMP Pumping Station	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Richmond Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Rideau River Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1998 vendor research only	Q3-1999
Signature Ridge Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Stittsville Pumping Station	C-01	Q3-1999	Q4-1998
Lab	C-02	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
Gas Monitor	C-01	Q3-1998 vendor research only	Q3-1998
Trail Road Landfill	C-03	Q3-1999	Q3-1999

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix C – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Issues for the Water Environment Protection Division.

3.3.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Water Environment Protection Division	121	119	163	158	56	21

- Forty (40) additional suppliers were identified in the fourth quarter of 1998. However, after a detailed analysis of all of the suppliers, only twenty-one (21) have been deemed "Critical" to the operations of Sewage Treatment.
- 3.3.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for Sewage Treatment (Water Environment Protection Division)
- Year 2000 activities in the Water Environment Protection Division (WEPD) continue to be focussed in a number of areas. The Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) System that controls the treatment of raw sewage at the Pickard Centre is the most critical component of the work plan. The current work plan is on schedule to have the SCADA system compliant by the end of July 1999.
- Unlike the water filtration plants, the Pickard facility cannot totally run on back-up power. Although there are back-up generators to power most of the plant and a Co-Gen facility in place that feeds power back into the Gloucester Hydro power grid, the blowers in the secondary treatment units are still an issue, with each one requiring a staggering amount of electricity to start up if they shut down because of a hydro failure. Therefore, this issue continues to be of concern and it is being addressed in the Division's contingency plans.
- Most of the Year 2000 work in the Water Environment Protection Division is dependent on interpretation and decision making around the research results of the Vendor Compliance Program (due to the number of purchased electronic components installed at the site). Compliance research for this group has proceeded quite well and many high priority items have been closed.

• Contingency planning workshops were held in the last quarter of 1998 and divisional staff is currently developing contingency plans for the Division.

3.3.5 Potential Problems and Issues for Sewage Treatment

- Successful testing of the SCADA system due to the relatively high level of automation within the plant.
- Statutory constraints surrounding the discharge of overflow sewage at pumping stations.
- Availability of natural gas, diesel fuel and hydro, will continue to be a potential problem.
- Supply chain issues related to uniqueness of goods and services and some sole source considerations.
- Limited on-site storage for chemicals.
- Dependency on external contractors for removal of waste management bi-products.

3.3.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

- There has been some ongoing interest regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of the sewage treatment system from the media, local businesses and the Federal Government; i.e. Department of National Defence.
- Most public inquiries are about the possibility of Regional Sewage Treatment System failing thereby creating the potential for a back up of raw sewage.

3.4 TRAFFIC CONTROL

3.4.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary —ETD-Traffic Control

Traffic Control	CLOSED	Cr	itical	F	High Medium			Low	
As of Q3 –1998	20/60		7		15 7		7		11
As of Q4 –1998	38/60		2 12 0			8			
		Com	pletion '	Target		Critical s ONL		Hig	gh" Priority
		19	998		19	99			
Traffic Control	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		J	JNKNOWN		
Q3-1998 Targets									
Q4-1998 Targets	15			4	5	0	0		5

• The Division is still on target for compliance of all Critical and High priority systems by July 1999.

3.4.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" —ETD-Traffic Control

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Traffic Control Systems			
EASI (system)	C-01	Q3-1998	Closed
EASI reports	C-01	Q4-1998	Closed
Location Ref	C-01	Q1-1999	Q2-1999
L8Dnld - L8 controller download program	C-02	Q4-1998	Closed
L9 controller download program	C-02	Q4-1998	Closed
STCS - update traffic system data (LOADER)	C-02	Q4-1998	Closed
TCTLC40 (Preheat)	C-02	Q3-1998	TBD
QCL - Qualified Candidates List	H-00	N/A	Closed

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Traffic Control Systems			
Signal Contingency	H-00	Closed	Closed
TMCS - manage traffic movement counts from TSIPS	H-00	Closed	Closed
Bellcust - Bell signal customer invoice system	H-01	Q4-1998	Q2-1999
Graphics Advantage	H-01	Closed	Closed
Hydro (manage hydro)	H-01	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
QNX Loretta 4.23	H-01	Closed	Q1-1999
Work forecast system	H-01	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Drawing Manager (DM) - all signals, wiring, etc.	H-02	Closed	Closed
Lane King	H-02	N/A	TBD
Multipro	H-02	Closed	Q1-1999
Procomm (DOS)	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
225 Link	H-03	N/A	Q1-1999
Crosstalk 16	H-03	N/A	TBD
Adpro-Video Compose s/w	H-04	N/A	Closed
Backup Exec network utility	H-04	N/A	Closed
Cyclon (Line Reader)	H-04	N/A	TBD
DMM-506 Multimeter Software	H-04	N/A	TBD
ISR - traffic ops intersection status report	H-04	Q4-1998	Closed
Power Chute Network Utility	H-04	Closed	Closed
Service Req	H-04	N/A	Closed
Signal Information Database	H-04	Q1-1999	Q2-1999

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for the All Departments.

3.4.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Traffic Control	30	30	32	30	9	TBD

• After review, the Department made the decision to include two new vendors as "High" priority.

3.4.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for ETD-Traffic Control Division

- There are no safety issues in the street operations posed by potential Year 2000 failures of signal controllers (example four-way green condition) due to the presence of a conflict resolution device that continuously monitors the signal controller and forces a four-way flash if an abnormal condition is sensed. This device has no date sensitive electronics. In the absence of safety issues, any Year 2000 failure condition would, therefore, result in a reduced level of service.
- Testing continued in Q4-1998 on the final controller of the seven (7) different controller types used on the streets of Ottawa-Carleton. The other six controllers were tested previously by Regional staff and found to pass Year 2000 testing. Regional staff is currently testing the seventh controller (which is used at 18 of 712 signalized intersections within Ottawa-Carleton), and tests are expected to be complete in late December 1998.
- Year 2000 testing of the Electronic Activity Sheet Input System (EASI), a complex work order system used to manage the material and labour component of traffic signal management, was completed in Q4-1998. Outside of the traffic control system, the EASI system is the most important system used in the Division from an operations perspective.
- Contingency planning workshops, which looked at the continued provision of essential services, took place in Q4-1998.

3.4.5 Potential Problems and Issues for ETD-Traffic Control Division

• Hydro for signal operations throughout Ottawa-Carleton.

• Some supply chain dependencies regarding the unique signal controller parts used within Ottawa-Carleton.

3.4.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

- There has been some ongoing interest regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of Regional Traffic Controls, especially from the media and external organizations in Ottawa-Carleton, i.e. Federal Government.
- Most public inquiries are about the possibility that all traffic lights could show "green" at the same time.

3.5 HOMES FOR THE AGED

3.5.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary — Homes for the Aged

Homes for the Aged Department	CLOSED	Critical		ŀ	High		Medium		Low
As of Q3-1998	9/17				7				1
As of Q4-1998	13/17		0 3			0		1	
		Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" P Items ONLY					gh" Priority		
		19	998		19	99			
Homes for the Aged Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q3 Q4 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4			1	UNKNOWN		
Q3-1998 Targets				6	1				
Q4-1998 Targets	13	0	0	2	0	1	0		0

3.5.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – Homes for the Aged Department

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Applicant Tracking	H-01	N/A	Q3-1998
Campana Goldcare	H-01	N/A	Q3-1998
Resident documentation	H-01	N/A	Q3-1998
Trust Fund Accounting	H-01	N/A	Q3-1998
Compusis 2.23/Staff Scheduler	H-02	N/A	Q3-1999
Arjo North bather/lifters	H-03	N/A	Q4-1999
Digital timers on bathtubs	H-04	N/A	Q4-1998
BELL Vantage NT phone system	H-05	N/A	Q1-1999
Non Prescription Supply	H-06	N/A	Q4-1998
Propharm	H-06	N/A	Q1-1999
TEXLON Machine	H-06	N/A	Q4-1998
Digital thermometers	H-07	N/A	Q4-1998

YEAR 2000	RANKING	Q3 TARGET	Q4 TARGET
CHALLENGE		FOR CLOSURE	FOR CLOSURE
Blood pressure meters	H-08	N/A	Q4-1998

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for All Departments.

3.5.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998 – Homes for the Aged

DEPARTMENT / DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identifie d as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Homes for the Aged Department	29	29	31	30	9	TBD

3.5.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Homes for the Aged Department

- In this quarter, Homes for the Aged has been able to deal with compliance issues for 13 of its 17 identified products. Of the remaining four issues, three are designated as "High" priorities, and two of the three are scheduled to be addressed in Q1-1999.
- All three facilities were involved in a contingency planning exercise to identify and document the necessary steps that would allow each facility to continue to service its residents in spite of potential Year 2000 failures.

3.5.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Homes for the Aged Department

- The fact that the three Homes for the Aged are twenty-four (24) hours-a-day operations continues to be the primary Year 2000 focus for the Department.
- The three Homes can be subject to exposure in light of a number of potential high risk Year 2000 disruptions to their operations. This risk is especially acute in areas of facility infrastructure (e.g. power, heating, lighting access control) and key patient care services (e.g. the provision of food, water, laundry service, etc.)
- 3.5.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

•	There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of the Region's Homes for the Aged systems. However, some local hospitals have expressed an interest in the existing contingency plans for these facilities.	

3.6 SOCIAL SERVICES

3.6.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary – Social Services Department

		"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998						
Social Services Department	CLOSED	Critical		F	High		Iedium	Low
As of Q3-1998	9/36		3		13		5	6
As of Q4-1998	9/36		3		13	3 5		6
	Completion Targets for "Critical" Items ONL						High" Priority	
		19	998		19	99		
Social Services Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Q3-1998 Targets			2	4			6	4
Q4-1998 Targets			0	6	1	-	5	4

3.6.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – Social Services Department

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Record Service and Verify Payments (RSVP)	C-01	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Central Client Index	C-02	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
CIMS Comprehensive Income Maintenance)	C-03	Q4-1998	Q1-1999
CWT - Case Worker Technology	H-01	Q4-1998	Q2-1999
Citrix Data Entry and Remote Communications Application	H-02	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Welfare (print DDS, plus history of CIMS payments)-SNA GATEWAY TO CIMS	H-03	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Front end processor communications link to CIMS	H-04	TBD	TBD
Payment Processing System	H-05	Q4-1999	Q4-1999

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Daycare	H-06	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Special Assistance / Supplementary Aid	H-07	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Dental System	H-08	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
Client Registration (ERC) file retrieval using bar coding via Case ID	H-09	TBD	TBD
Choices Career Assessment - ERC	H-10	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Contact 4 - ERC	H-11	TBD	TBD
Ontario Works Technology (OWT)	H-12	TBD	TBD
Corel Office Suite (French and English for CWT)	H-13	Q1-1999	Q1-1999

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for All Departments.

3.6.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998 – Social Services Department

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q4	Number of responses received to date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Social Services Department	52	51	53	51	10	TBD

3.6.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Social Services Department

- The most significant development over the past quarter in Social Services is the
 decision to consolidate application development activity into one system; development
 work that was being done on the Decision Support System (DSS) that evolved out of
 the Improving Client Services Project is being transferred to the Record Service and
 Verify Payments (RSVP) system.
- The RSVP system, currently under development, also provides a replacement for a number of mainframe systems that run in the now obsolete MAPPER environment. As the mainframe will <u>not</u> be made Year 2000 compliant, it is imperative that the RSVP application is developed, tested and operational prior to the Year 2000.

- During Q4-1998 written correspondence was received from the Ministry of Community and Social Services confirming their original plan to make their systems compliant by the end of Q1-1999. The schedule for several of these systems has slipped as follows:
 - CIMS December 1998, testing to follow;
 - CWT 4.0 Q2-1999;
 - Citrix Data Entry, Communication Link, and Infoshare release date to be determined;
 - Year 2000 upgrades to hardware and networking infrastructure owned and supported by the Ministry will be completed by July 1999.
- The remainder of the systems in the Department that are categorized as High priority in nature are still with the Vendor Compliance Program awaiting input from outside vendors.
- Workshops to examine potential legal implications of Year 2000 failure as it affects the Department (from either internal or external sources), and the requirement for contingency plans to deal with these issues, occurred as planned in Q4-1998. Further detailed planning will occur in Q1-1999. This activity will be aligned with Ministry of Community and Social Services business contingency planning.
- 3.6.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Social Services Department
- Ambitious Ministry of Community and Social Services schedule for addressing applications that are critical to the operation of the Department and the provision of services to clients.
- Number of facilities accessed by the public that must remain operational.
- Dependency on external facilities/business partners (for example, shelters or hostels where the Region's requirements equal as much as 80% of accommodation available at these locations).
- 3.6.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector
- There has been little interest from the outside to date regarding Year 2000 preparedness within Social Services.

3.7 PUBLIC HEALTH

3.7.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary — Health Department

Health Department	"CLOSED"	Crit	tical	ŀ	ligh	N	Iedium		Low
As of Q3-1998*	10/38	2	2		5		8		13
As of Q4 -1998	10/38	2			5		8		13
		Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY							
		199	98		19	99			
Health Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN	
Q3-1998 Targets*	0		6						1
Q4-1998 Targets	1		1	6					0

^{*} Please note that data provided in this report for the third quarter of 1998 has been adjusted from data provided in the Report for the Third Quarter of 1998 to reflect the Health Department's revised and updated data on Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities.

3.7.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – Health Department

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Immunization Record Information System (IRIS)	C-01	N/A	Q1-1999
Bioinventory System (BIOS - Vaccine Inventory and Ordering System)	C-01	N/A	Q1-1999
Sexual Health Clinic Program	C-02	N/A	Q1-1999
Dental System (Mainframe)	H-01	N/A	Q4-1998
CINOT/CAS (Children in Need of Treatment/Childrens Aid Society)	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
CINOT 5	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
Health Info Santé	H-03	N/A	Q1-1999

- For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for All Departments.
- As a result of the contingency planning exercise, the Health Department has reduced the number of applications deemed to be of Critical or High importance from twenty-one (21) items in the Report for the Third Quarter of 1998 to seven (7) items in this report.

3.7.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Health Department	56	56	101	101	21	12*

• The number of suppliers deemed to be "Critical" to departmental operations was significantly reduced as a result of the Contingency Planning Exercise. Alternatives such as advance ordering of supplies and alternative service delivery modes were identified through this process. In addition, the exercise demonstrated that many operations, initially thought to be critical, were not vital to the provision of essential public health services to Ottawa-Carleton residents.

3.7.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Health Department

- The Health Department has successfully completed the remediation work for one of the Critical and High priority systems in the fourth quarter of 1998. It is expected that the remediation work on the remaining two Critical and four High priority systems will be completed in the first quarter of 1999.
- The Report for the Third Quarter of 1998 indicated that the Ministry of Health had stated during a presentation in June 1998 to Regional staff, that all of the systems that are used by Ontario Health Units (including Ottawa-Carleton) would be made compliant by the end of 1998. The Health Department recently received a revised completion schedule from the Ministry pertaining to the applications that the Health Department uses in its operations. That revised schedule is as follows:
 - CINOT, BIOS and Dental Indices tested by the Ministry and ready for use by 31 December 1998 (not received by the Region as of end of Q4-1998);

- IRIS tested and ready for use by 28 February 1999;
- RDIS tested and ready for use by 30 June 1999.
- The relative ranking of a number of Health Department applications, which were initially identified as of Critical or High priority, has been re-assessed as a result of the contingency planning process, and fourteen (14) items have been moved to medium or low priority categories.
- Workshops were conducted in September and October to examine potential legal
 implications of Year 2000 failure as it affects the Health Department (from internal or
 external sources), and the requirement for contingency plans to deal with these issues.
 Contingency plans have been prepared by all divisions and have been submitted to the
 Corporate Year 2000 Program Office and the Emergency Measures Unit for review.
- The Health Department received preliminary correspondence from the Ministry of Health about Land Ambulance operations. However, the information received is incomplete and will require clarification. The Ministry stated that they are currently addressing Year 2000 issues within this operation, but it is still unclear how the forthcoming transition to the Region would affect this work.
- In December 1998, the Community Services Committee of Regional Council passed a Motion put forth by Councillor Alex Munter asking the Ministry of Health to delay the transition of Land Ambulance operations to the Region by one month in order to avoid any potential interference from Year 2000 problems.

3.7.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Health Department

- The Health Department is concerned with the ambitious schedule set by the Ministry of Health for addressing and fixing applications which are critical to the operation of the Department and the provision of services to clients. As indicated above, two of the Critical applications have not been received within the expected timeframe (prior to the end of Q4-1998), and it is still too early to state whether there will be further delays in this latest schedule for the remaining applications.
- The pending transfer of Land Ambulance operations to the Region, and the uncertainty about the Year 2000 readiness of the Provincial systems used as part of this service.

3.7.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

• There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of Public Health systems.

3.8 OC TRANSPO

3.8.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary —OC Transpo

	"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998							
OC Transpo CLOSED		Critical		F	High		Iedium	Low
As of Q3-1998	N/A	N/A			N/A		N/A	N/A
As of Q4 -1998	153/311		30		39		17	72
	Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY							
		1998 1999						
OC Transpo	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Q3-1998 Targets								
Q4-1998 Targets	101		37	3	22	1	4	2

3.8.2 List of "Critical" and "High" – OC Transpo

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE *	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Accounts Payable	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Accounts Payable Interface	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Accounts Receivable	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
AR - Cash Book	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
AR - Pass Consignments	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
AR - Ticket Sales	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Automatic Passenger System	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Baker	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Bourkes	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Bus Stop Inventory	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Caverhill	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Comm. Oper. Bus Assignment	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Cummins	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Customer Contact System	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Day & Ross	С	N/A	Q4-1998

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE *	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
DEC Printers	Н	N/A	Q1-1999
Dell PCs	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Elevator	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Fixed Assets	Н	N/A	Q2-1998
General Bearing	С	N/A	Q4-1998
General Ledger	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
H.A.R.	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Harper Detroit Diesel	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Hosie & Brown	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Human Resources	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Information Display System	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Interworld	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Laidlaw	С	N/A	Q1-1999
Malmberg	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Materials Management System	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
MCI	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Megamotion	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Monitors & communications	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
National Bank	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
National Bearing	С	N./A	Q4-1998
New Flyer	С	N/A	Q4-1998
NovaBus	С	N/A	Q4-1998
O/S Utility	Н	N/A	Q3-1999
Operator Absenteeism	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Operator Timekeeping	С	N/A	Q2-1999
Orion	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Otaco	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Pager System	С	N/A	N/A
Palmar	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Payroll	Н	N/A	Q2-1999

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE *	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Payroll/Personnel Interface	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
PC-Forefront 386dx566	Н	N/A	Q4-1999
Plant Work Order System	Н	N/A	Q4-1999
Proof of Payment	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Purchasing Commitment (MMS)	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Racal	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Route Bus Stop Information	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Royal Trust	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Runcutter	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Scheduling System	С	N/A	Q4-1998
Screen Painter	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Seanix -Building Control	Н	N/A	N/A
Security system	Н	N/A	Q4-1999
Shelter & Bench Evaluation	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Siebe Network 8000 Products	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Starter Sheet System	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Tank Automatic Gas Pumping	Н	N/A	Q4-1998
Tarten	C	N/A	Q4-1998
Timetable Generation	Н	N/A	Q4-1999
Trapeze	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Vehicle Maintenance System	С	N/A	Q2-1999
Vendor/Commodity System	Н	N/A	Q2-1999
Water	C	N/A	Q1-1999

^{*} Please note that over 100 items have already been closed in 1998 by OC Transpo staff.

[•] For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for the All Departments.

3.8.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Supplier s Identifie d to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of response s received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
OC Transpo	N/A	N/A	7	7	7	7

• OC Transpo has contacted a larger group of non-critical Vendors (approximately 47) and has received responses from all of these suppliers. In Q4-1998 OC Transpo recontacted seven (7) of the vendors that are considered key to their operation for more recent information on their Year 2000 readiness status.

3.8.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for OC Transpo

- The Financial Systems Renewal Program (Genesis) as it relates to the Human Resources/Payroll is being delayed until July 1999. Gap analysis found that the new system (SAP) is not capable of handling timekeeping. A timekeeping rewrite project was initiated with a completion scheduled for the first quarter 1999. The rewrite is now being completed as part of the Daily Booking project budget currently under way with internal resources.
- The Countdown/Service project is no longer being handled by the SAP project. The Countdown project is being initiated with a completion date of the first quarter of 1999. This rewrite is also being completed with internal resources.
- The Genesis/SAP project will provide compliant replacements for many existing systems within OC Transpo. The second quarter of 1999 is the expected completion time frame.
- In the last quarter of 1998, supplier risk assessment has been re-visited with assistance from the Year 2000 Program Office, resulting in additional letters of compliance being issued to vendors.
- OC Transpo is reviewing compliance issues with the ParaTranspo provider. Letters have been re-issued.
- To this date, OC Transpo does not anticipate the requirement for additional costs outside of existing capital and operating budgets. The target delivery date for Year 2000 compliance at OC Transpo continues to be March 1999.

- 3.8.5 Potential Problems and Issues for OC Transpo
- Availability of natural gas, hydro and diesel fuel.
- 3.8.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector
- There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of OC Transpo systems.

3.9 FACILITIES

3.9.1 Vendor Compliance Program Facilities Inventories Update for the Fourth Quarter of 1998

DEPARTMENT	Total Number of Products Identified as of Q3	Total Number of Products Assessed as of Q3	Total Number of Products Identified to Date as of Q4	Total Number of Products Assessed to Date as of Q4	Total Number of Products Remaining
Planning and Development Approvals *	160	67	271	197	74
* Homes for the Aged is included					73 % Complete

- For more detailed information please refer to Appendix E Year 2000 Compliance Status of Critical and High Priority Facilities Management Systems at Region Owned Facilities.
- Please note that the Vendor Compliance Program research on facilities products has
 concluded that <u>most</u> of the Region's building related equipment, which are included in
 the various facilities inventories, should not be susceptible to any Year 2000 failures.
 However, systems and buildings that are deemed "Critical", will be tested and "time
 shifted to 2000" during the second quarter of 1999 to ensure that they will be
 operational come 2000.

3.9.2 Q4-1998 Highlights for Regional Facilities

- Property Services has staffed a full-time Year 2000 Project Coordinator position.
 Planning & Development Approvals Department has been identified as having umbrella
 Year 2000 coordinating responsibility for all Regional facilities. The Coordinator will
 play a key role in ensuring appropriate facilities preparedness for all Regional
 Departments, including the Regional Police Service and OC Transpo, with an emphasis
 on contingency planning.
- Contingency planning for Critical facilities, including Regional Headquarters and the
 Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Headquarters, was completed during the last quarter.
 Facility operations vulnerabilities that were identified are being investigated and
 measures will be taken to "harden" these facilities. This will ensure that Critical
 buildings are fully operational to support employees in the event of any Year 2000
 related situations/emergencies.

- In the fourth quarter of 1998, representatives from Ontario Hydro, Enbridge/Consumers Gas and Bell Canada updated the Region as to the status of their Year 2000 readiness programs. Each session involved both an open forum with invited guests from various external agencies (including representatives from the federal government and the area municipalities) and a closed-door session for Regional Year 2000 Task Force members.
- Because of the potential for interruption of service from utilities, the Property Services
 members of the Year 2000 Program have determined stand-by generator requirements
 for key Regional facilities. The Year 2000 Program Director conveyed these
 requirements to Corporate Issues Committee in (November 1998). The Committee
 approved the recommendation to proceed with the procurement of generators to
 sustain key Regional facilities.

3.9.3 Potential Problems and Issues for Regional Facilities

- Regional staff is continuing their on-going dialogue with key utilities (Ontario Hydro, Enbridge/Consumers Gas, Bell Canada, etc.). These discussions have shown that the Year 2000 remediation plans at these organizations are well underway, but it is also too early to determine if these agencies will complete their Year 2000 remediation plans on time. These discussions will continue throughout 1999.
- The Ice Storm of 1998 provided some valuable lessons on the need for some Regional facilities to be fully operational so that the Region can respond in the capacity of an emergency services provider to the residents of Ottawa-Carleton. Regional staff have re-examined which facilities must be operational despite external failure including Year 2000 induced failures. Staff is also reviewing existing emergency plans for these facilities and the necessary equipment to sustain a facility.
- Senior management has approved the "hardening" of a number of Critical and High priority regional facilities in order to ensure that these facilities operate on an independent basis. This "hardening" process will be carried out as determined by the contingency planning process. This planning has, and will continue to include, a review of the requirements for new and existing back-up generators, alternative heating and ventilation systems, lighting systems, security systems, and the requirement for extra fuel on hand, etc. for key Regional facilities. The Region has secured backup generators units through a tender with an award anticipated in Q1-1999.

3.9.4 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

• There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of Regional facilities, except for our three Homes for the Aged, which remain high priorities for the Corporation.

3.10 CORPORATE FLEET

3.10.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary – Corporate Fleet

		"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998								
Fleet CLOSED		Critical		H	High		Medium		Low	
As of Q3 –1998	N/A	ľ	N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A	
As of Q4 –1998	0/2	1			1		0		0	
	Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY									
		19	998	1999						
Fleet	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	J	JNKNOWN	
Q3-1998 Targets	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	_	N/A	
Q4-1998 Targets	0			1	1					

3.10.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – Corporate Fleet

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	
RTA	С	N/A	Q1-1999	
Gasboy	Н	N/A	Q2-1999	

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for All Departments.

3.10.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q4	Number of responses received to date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Corporate Fleet	17	17	17	17	6	TBD

3.10.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for Corporate Fleet

- During the fourth quarter of 1998, Corporate Fleet continued with its efforts to verify that the various vehicles and equipment it provides to other areas within the Region will not encounter Year 2000 compliance difficulties. Responses have been received from fourteen of seventeen (14/17) manufacturers contacted of which eleven (11) are indicating their equipment is compliant. Follow-up letters were sent out in November 1998 to the three manufacturers that have not as yet responded and the three manufacturers that have not provided compliance information will be contacted in January 1999.
- Of the two (2) High priority systems used by Corporate Fleet, one manufacturer has
 indicated that the next version of its fleet management system, scheduled for release in
 early 1999, will be Year 2000 compliant. The other application, Gasboy, is being
 monitored very closely by Corporate Fleet and various approaches are being
 considered should the manufacturer be unable to delivery a compliant product.

3.10.5 Potential Problems and Issues for Corporate Fleet

• During the last quarter of 1998, in order to mitigate against Year 2000 problems adversely affecting their ability to provide certain key services, Corporate Fleet began to develop an appropriate contingency plan. The plan will outline approaches and measures to be implemented should Year 2000 disruptions to service delivery occur.

3.10.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

• There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of the Region's Fleet, except for the Regional Police Service vehicles.

3.11 ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSP ORTATION

3.11.1 Year 2000 Business Systems Priorities Summary for Environment and Transportation Department

			Ç.	OPEN	" as at	15 Dec	ember	199	8	
Environment and Transportation Department	CLOSED	Cr	itical	ŀ	High	N	Medium		Low	
As of Q3-1998	45/201		15		90		42		64	
As of Q4-1998	71/260		12		77		39		61	
		Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY						gh" Priority		
		19	998		19	99				
Environment and Transportation Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN		
Q3-1998 Targets		15	11	2	3				74	
Q4-1998 Targets	43		6	32	27	2			22	

- The reliance on the Year 2000 compliance information provided by the Vendor Compliance Project (VCP) continues to play a large role in ETD's Year 2000 activities, due to the large number of packaged software applications used in the Department. The VCP has completed their research on many of the Department's applications and staff within ETD is now determining if additional testing is required to verify the vendors' claims.
- The criticality of each application to the Department, and its associated risk, are key considerations in making decisions regarding additional testing. The results of the research from the VCP are showing a number of vendors that will be releasing compliant products and/or versions in the last quarter of 1998 and the first quarter of 1999. These products will, therefore, continue to be shown as "open" items in ETD progress reports, until new versions are installed and tested within the Region's computing environment.
- The Environment and Transportation Department has spent considerable time in the fourth quarter of 1998 in developing its contingency plans for potential Year 2000 failures. Workshop sessions have been held in each division and the contingency plans are scheduled for completion in January 1999.

3.11.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" — Environment and Transportation Department

				1	1		
YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	CURRENT RESPON- SIBILITY	STATUS	CHALLENGES RESOLVED	DIVISION/ BRANCH	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Critical Systems			11/23				
EASI (Reports)	ETD	Open	0/1	Infra Maint	Critical	Q1-1999	Q2-1999
EASI System and Reports for Loretta & FOS	LOR	Closed	3/3	Loretta	Critical	End of Q3-1998	Closed
911 System	ETD	Open	0/1	EMU	Critical	Un- determined	Undetermine d
Central Traffic Control System Controllers	LOR	Open	6/7	Loretta	Critical	End of Q4-1998	End of Q4-1998
Central Traffic Control Software	LOR	Open	2/5	Loretta	Critical	End of Q4-1998	End of Q4-1998
LIMS Laboratory Information System and Instrumentation Interfaces	ETD	Open	0/2	WEPD	Critical	Q4-1998 or Q1-1999	Q2-1999
Location Reference	LOR	Open	0/1	Loretta	Critical	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Methane Monitoring System	ETD	Open	0/1	Solid Waste	Critical	Un- determined	Undetermine d
RTA -Fleet Management System	ETD	Open	0/1	Corporate Fleet	Critical	Q4-1998 or Q1-1999	Q4-1998 or Q1-1999
RWIS -Road weather information system	VCP	Open	0/1	Infra Maint	Critical	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
SCADA Upgrade in Water Division	ETD	Open	0/59	Water	Critical	Q4-1999	Q4-1999
Embedded Systems in WEPD	ETD	Open	9/39	WEPD	Critical	Q3-1999	Q3-1999
High Priority Systems			32/116				
<u>Unique</u>							

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	CURRENT RESPON- SIBILITY	STATUS	CHALLENGES RESOLVED	DIVISION/ BRANCH	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Automated Process System	ETD	Open	0/1	Solid Waste	High	Q4-1998 (WEPD Embedded)	Q3-1999
Collision System	ETD	Open	0/1	Mobility	High	Q4-1998 (pending PDA)	Q4-1998
Gas Alarms	VCP	Open	0/1	Solid Waste	High	Vendor compliance	Undetermine d
Gasboy -gas pump system	ETD	Open	0/1	Corporate Fleet	High	Vendor compliance	Q1-1999
ISR 4raffic ops intersection status report program	LOR	Closed	1/1	Loretta	High	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
OSCAR 98	ETD	Open	0/1	Solid Waste	High	Un- determined	Q1 or Q2- 1999
Signal Information Database (Loretta)	LOR	Open	0/1	Loretta	High	Q1 or Q2- 1999	Q1-1999
TSIPS -traffic surveys information processing system	ETD	Open	0/1	Mobility	High	Q4-1998	Q4-1998
Computing and Networking Infrastructure			12/33		High		Vendor compliance 33/33
Mobility Services Division / Loretta			3/6		High		
Solid Waste Division			0/1		High		
Water Division			0/1		High		
Department-wide			9/25		High		
Engineering Tools			6/38		High		Vendor compliance 28/38
Engineering Division			1/18		High		
Infrastructure Maintenance Division			0/2		High		

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	CURRENT RESPON- SIBILITY	STATUS	CHALLENGES RESOLVED	DIVISION/ BRANCH	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Mobility Services Division / Loretta			4/8		High		Not Compliant until Q4-1998
Water Environment Protection Division			0/2		High		
Department-wide			1/8		High		
Common Application Packages			4/14		High		Vendor compliance 12/14
Mobility Services Division / Emergency Measures Unit			.5/1		High		
Mobility Services Division / Loretta			1/2		High		
Solid Waste			0/1		High		
Department-wide			3/10		High		
Administrative Support Systems			8/15		High		Vendor compliance 1/15
Engineering Division			1/1		High		
Infrastructure Maintenance Division			0/1		High		
Mobility Services Division/Loretta			2/4		High		
Solid Waste Division			0/1		High		
Water Environment Protection Division			5/7		High		
Department-wide			0/1		High		

3.11.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998

Environment and Transportation Department	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified to Date as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted to Date as of Q4	Number of responses received to Date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
Solid Waste	10	0	11	10	4	6
Mobility Services	30	30	32	30	9	TBD
Engineering	81	76	80	80	24	TBD
Water Division	92	57	95	88	31	4
Water Environment Protection Division	121	119	163	158	56	21
Infrastructure Maintenance	0	0	30	27	9	35*
Finance and Operational Support	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	334	282	411	393	133	66

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for the All Departments.

General Note

 Suppliers which are critical to the overall corporation (i.e.: communications/Bell, hydro, gas, and diesel fuel suppliers) are assumed to be noted elsewhere within the Quarterly Report.

Water Division

- The increase in the number of letters sent (and received) is primarily due to the timing involved. At the time of the Q3-1998 report not all the contact information was available to send suppliers letters nor was there enough time for them to respond.
- New contracts assigned for critical supplies (e.g. silicate) account for some of the increase in the number of key suppliers.

Infrastructure Maintenance

- It should be noted that as of 15 December 1998.responses have not been received from all critical suppliers.
- (35*) includes critical suppliers identified as providing a tendered/contracted service that may or may not be engaged in future operations with the Region. Not all have been identified on the above list, given the nature of the service provided and scope of service tendered/contracted.

Mobility Services

- After review, the Department made the decision to include two new vendors as "High" priority.
- 3.11.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Environment and Transportation Department

(For a complete review of Highlights within ETD, please also refer to Water, Sewage Treatment and Traffic Control sections).

Infrastructure Maintenance

- In Q3, supply chain assessment initiatives were carried out vis-àvis current and planned divisional goals and objectives. Supplier/contractors identified may change, given the nature of services and tendered contracts. As such, all will be approached to determine Year 2000 compliance.
- 3.11.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Environment and Transportation Department (Exclusive of Water, Sewage Treatment and Traffic Control)
- The ability to address a large number of "High" priority applications in such a limited time frame.
- High degree of interdependency on third party suppliers of software, and the
 associated requirement to verify and further test the information provided by suppliers
 to the Vendor Compliance Program.
- 3.11.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector

•	There has been little interest to date regarding the Environment and Transportation Department Year 2000 preparedness beyond the Water, Sewer and Traffic Control Systems (these systems still generate the greatest number of inquiries from the public and local businesses).

3.12 ADMINISTRATION

3.12.1 Year 2000 Business System Priorities Summary —Corporate Administration

Corporate Administration	CLOSED	Critical	High	Medium	Low
Audit As of Q3–1998	0/1	0	0	1	0
Audit As of Q4-1998	1/1	0	0	0	0
Clerks As of Q3–1998	6/9	0	2	1	0
Clerks As of Q4-1998	8/10	0	1	0	1
Elected Officials As of Q3–1998	1/2	0	0	1	0
Elected Officials As of Q4-1998	1/1	0	0	0	0
Finance As of Q3–1998	7/43	0	24	6	6
Finance As of Q4-1998	14/42	0	23	2	3
Human Resources As of Q3–1998	9/14	2	3	0	0
Human Resources As of Q4-1998	11/14	2	1	0	0
Information & Public Affairs As of Q3–1998	2/9	0	5	2	0
Information & Public Affairs As of Q4-1998	6/10	0	4	0	0
Legal Department As of Q3–1998	0/8	0	5	1	2
Legal As of Q4-1998	3/8	0	4	1	0
Planning and Development Approvals As of Q3–1998	17/58	0	1	12	28

	"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998				
Corporate Administration	CLOSED	Critical	High	Medium	Low
Planning and Development Approvals As of Q4-1998	17/59	0	2	12	28
Common As of Q3–1998	0/37	3	34	0	0
Common As of Q4-1998	0/37	3	34	0	0

		Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY					High" Priority	
		19	998		19	99		
Corporate Administration	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Audit Q3–1998 Target	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Audit Q4-1998 Target	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerks Q3–1998 Target	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Clerks Q4-1998 Target	8	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Elected Officials Q3–1998 Target	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elected Officials Q4-1998 Target	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finance Q3–1998 Target	7	0	0	4	12	0	6	2
Finance Q4-1998 Target	14	0	1	9	11	0	2	1
Human Resources Q3–1998 Target	9	0	3	0	0	2	0	0
Human Resource Q4-1998 Target	11	0	2	1	0	2	0	0
Information & Public Affairs Q3–1998 Target	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	2
Information & Public Affairs Q4-1998 Target	6	0	0	1	3	0	0	0

		Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY						
		19	998		19	99		
Corporate Administration	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Legal Department Q3–1998 Target	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0
Legal Department Q4-1998 Target	3	0	1	2	2	0	0	0
Planning and Development Approvals Q3–1998 Target	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Planning and Development Approvals Q4-1998 Target	17	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Common Q3–1998 Target	3	0	6	12	15	1	1	3
Common Q4-1998 Target	3	0	0	19	16	1	0	3

• Slight changes in totals for each Department reflects new products that have been purchased or found in the Department, or minor changes in priorities at the application level as a result of re-assessment against the risk management criteria.

3.12.2 Ordered list of "Critical" and "High" – Corporate Administration

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE				
INTERNAL AUDIT DEPARTMENT	NONE	N/A	N/A				
REGIONAL CLERK							
Act software (v2.x and 3.x,4.x)	H-01	N/A	Q1-1999				
Voter Notification System	H-02	N/A	Q4-1998				
REGIONAL CLERK - INFORMATION &	REGIONAL CLERK - INFORMATION & PUBLIC AFFAIRS						
24 hour service v. 1	H-01	N/A	Q1-1999				
ITX	H-02	N/A	Q2-1999				
Water service card	H-02	N/A	Q2-1999				
Scopus (Call-tracking) (versions 2.6 and 2) - CHECK VERSIONS	H-03	N/A	Q2-1999				
Sytos Plus v 1.21 (backup)	H-04	N/A	Q4-1998				

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
LEGAL DEPARTMENT	<u> </u>		
Land Registry System	H-01	N/A	Q4-1998
Searchworks	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
dbTextworks	H-03	N/A	Q1-1999
SoftDocs	H-03	N/A	Q2-1999
Word Perfect v. 5.1	H-03	N/A	Q2-1999
CORPORATE-WIDE-COMMON			
HRIS - Crystal Reports	C-01	N/A	N/A
HRIS - PeopleSoft	C-01	Q1/Q2/Q3 1999	Q1/Q2/Q3 1999
SAP	C-01	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
E-Mail (,Internal, External) MS-Exchange	H-01	TBD	TBD
E-Mail (Internal, external)-MS-Mail	H-01	TBD	TBD
Acrobat Browser	H-02	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Adobe Acrobat Reader	H-02	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Internet Explorer (various versions)	H-02	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MAP - Development Tracking	H-02	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
MAP - Property	H-02	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
MAP - Roads and Transit	H-02	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
MAP - Sewer	H-02	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
MAP - Water	H-02	Q4-1999	Q1-1999
MS Excel	H-02	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MS Word	H-02	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MS-Schedule +	H-02	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Netscape Navigator (various versions)	H-02	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Regional Information System (RIS)	H-02	Q4-1998	Q1-1999
FoxPro for Windows	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Maximizer	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MS Access	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MS PowerPoint	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
MS Project	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Office	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Office 95	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
Office 97	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
OmniPage	H-03	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
OmniPage Pro	H-03	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Org Chart Plus for Windows	H-03	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Virus scan/clean software (Dr. Solomon)	H-03	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Word Viewer	H-03	Q2-1999	Q2-1999
First View Cardholder (RBC)	H-04	Q4-1998	Q1-1999
Jetform Filler	H-04	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Lotus Notes	H-04	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Reference Manager (RefMan)	H-04	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Winfax Pro	H-04	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
Corel Draw	H-05	Q1-1999	Q1-1999
REGIONAL CHAIR AND COUNCIL, OFFICE OF THE CAO	NONE	N/A	N/A
FINANCE DEPARTMENT			
FINANCE - Financial Services Division			
Accounts Receivable	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
ASAFIN	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Budget (Capital) - CBMS- Calculations	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Budget (Operating)	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Lien Contracts	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Purchase Orders (Jetform)	H-01	N/A	Q4-1998
Work in Progress	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Child Care	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
PPS	H-02	N/A	Q4-1999
Residential Services	H-02	N/A	Q4-1999
Budget (Capital) - CBMS-Publishing Portion	H-03	N/A	Q1-1999
Montieth and Montieth	H-04	N/A	Q1-1999

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Logbook	H-05	N/A	Q3-1998
Welfare	H-06	N/A	Q1-1999
FINANCE - Supply Management Division			
Inventory System	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Inventory Systems Interface	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Jetform (purchase orders)	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
ADPICS	H-02	N/A	Q4-1998
Contracts /Tenders (Excel)	H-03	N/A	Q4-1998
FINANCE - Treasury and Customer Services			
Water Billing	H-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Debenture System	H-02	N/A	Unknown
Enterprise 5000 v. 3.1.6	H-03	N/A	Q1-1999
PCIM - Royal Bank PC Investment Manager	H-04	N/A	Q1-1999
FMAS - Funds Management Accounting System	H-05	N/A	Q1-1999
Receipts	H-06	N/A	Q2-1999
Royal Bank Electronic Business Banking (RBC cash command)	H-07	N/A	Q1-1999
HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT			
Peoplesoft	C-01	N/A	Q2-1999
Peoplesoft-GL CHANGES	C-01	N/A	Q2-1999
WCB/Accident Database	H-01	N/A	Q4-1998
Payroll (Mapper)If we could archive data - review migration with ISD	H-02	N/A	Q1-1999
Immunization	H-03	N/A	Q4-1999
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT APPR	OVALS		·
PDA - Property Services Division	None	N/A	N/A
PDA - Admin. Finance and Economic Development	None	N/A	N/A
PDA - Development Approvals Division	None	N/A	N/A
PDA - Geomatics Division			

YEAR 2000 CHALLENGE	RANKING	Q3 TARGET FOR CLOSURE	Q4 TARGET FOR CLOSURE
Aerial - base mapping search script	High	TBD	TBD
Map Applications - see Corporate Common	High	Q4-1998	Q1-1998
PDA - Policy and Infrastructure Planning Division	None	N/A	N/A

• For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A – Detailed Summary of Critical and High Priority Business Applications for the All Departments.

- 3.12.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December 1998
- As reported in the Report for the Third Quarter of 1998, there are little or no supply chain issues with the administrative areas at the Region as the products they use (such as office supplies) are readily available and can easily be stockpiled.
- 3.12.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for Corporate Administration
- Of the eighty-three (83) products identified by the various Corporate Administration Groups as requiring research by the Vendor Compliance Program, forty-one (41) are still awaiting confirmation of Year 2000 compliance status. Of these 41 products, 25 are deemed to be "High" priorities.
- The Year 2000 Program Office has designated a resource with responsibility of representing those Departments not currently represented on the Year 2000 Task Force (Office of the CAO, Regional Clerk and Elected Officials, Legal, Internal Audit, Human Resources and Finance-non ISD). This individual will also represent Homes for the Aged, also not currently represented on the Task Force. The Program Office continues to provide assistance to these Departments to address Year 2000 issues.
- The GIS Branch in Planning and Development Approvals Department continue to work with Systemhouse to address issues associated with the Municipal Application Partnership. The upgrade to the Vision software and the MAP applications to Year 2000 compliant versions is scheduled to be completed in late December 1998, with users going live in early January 1999. Staff in the Information Systems Division are continuing to work on the compliance of the hardware and networking infrastructure associated with the Program.
- 3.12.5 Potential Problems and Issues for Corporate Administration
- High dependency on third-party software products.
- 3.12.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector
- There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of the Region's Corporate Administration systems.

3.13 COMPUTING INFRASTRUCTURE

- 3.13.1 Ordered list of "Criticals" and "Highs" Computing Infrastructure
- Please see the detailed summary under <u>Information Systems Division</u> in Appendix D Detailed Summary of Corporate Computing Infrastructure Work Plan.
- 3.13.2 Corporate Work Plan Statistics (for Information Systems Division, Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Services and OC Transpo)

COMPUTING INFRASTRUCTURE WORK PLAN INFORMATION SYSTEMS DIVISION

Description	Number of Items as of Q4- 1998 *	Number of Compliant Items in Q3-1998	Number of Compliant Items in Q4- 1998	Total Percentage as of Q4-1998
Servers				
Hardware	80	11	32	40%
Software	80	37	57	71%
Sub-total	160	48	89	56%
Server Databases				
Software	24	9	13	54%
Hardware	14	0	13	93%
Sub-total	38	9	26	68%
Computer Networks				
Hardware	58	55	57	57%
Software	58	13	39	39%
Sub-total	116	68	96	83%
Telecom				
Hardware	32	20	24	75%
Software	32	16	24	75%
Sub-total	64	36	48	75%
Printer Hardware				

Description	Number of Items as of Q4- 1998 *	Number of Compliant Items in Q3-1998	Number of Compliant Items in Q4- 1998	Total Percentage as of Q4-1998
Hardware	128	0	19	15%
Additional Items **				
	0	0	0	0%
Overall Compliancy	506	185	278	55%

^{*} Total number of items/devices increased from 347 in Q3-1998 to 506 in Q4-1998.

COMPUTING INFRASTRUCTURE WORK PLAN OC TRANSPO

Description	Number of Items	Number of Compliant Items in Q3-1998	Number of Compliant Items in Q4- 1998	Total Percentage as of Q4-1998
Servers				
Hardware	37	31	6	
Software	37	31	6	
Sub-total	74	62	12	100
Servers Databases				
Software	6	5	1	100
Computer Network				
Hardware	53	51	2	
Software	53	51	2	
Sub-total	106	102	4	100
Telecom				
Hardware	126	126		
Software	126	126		

^{**} Additional items have been identified and will be included in the Q1-1999 report.

Description	Number of Items	Number of Compliant Items in Q3-1998	Number of Compliant Items in Q4- 1998	Total Percentage as of Q4-1998
Sub-total	252	252		100
Overall Compliancy	438	421	17	100

COMPUTING INFRASTRUCTURE WORK PLAN OTTAWA-CARLETON REGIONAL POLICE SERVICE

Description	Number of Items	Number of Compliant Items in Q3-1998	Number of Compliant Items in Q4- 1998	Total Percentage as of Q4-1998
Servers				
Hardware	17		8	
Software	17		8	
Sub-total	34		16	47
Servers Databases				
Software	N/A			
Computer Network				
Hardware	47		21	
Software	47		21	
Sub-total	94		42	45
Telecom				
Hardware	5		TBD	
Software	5		TBD	
Sub-total	10		TBD	TBD
Overall Compliancy	138		58	42

3.13.3 Supply Chain Assessment Status as of 15 December, 1998

DEPARTMENT/ DIVISION	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q3	Number of Key Suppliers Identified as of Q4	Number of Key Suppliers Contacted as of Q4	Number of responses received to date as of Q4	Number of Critical Suppliers Identified
ISD	N/A	N/A	15	0	0	N/A

3.13.4 Q4-1998 Highlights for the Computing Infrastructure

INFORMATION SYSTEMS DIVISION

- Year 2000 tests on the Region's telephone system are being performed in mid-December 1998. A report on the results of these tests will be sent to the Program Office in January 1999.
- The overall number of items/devices has increased from 347 to 506 between Q3-1998 and Q4-1998. This is almost a 50% increase. However, the Technology Infrastructure Branch was able to maintain, and slightly increase, the overall percentage of items that were Year 2000 compliant. The number of items/devices is expected to grow as new hardware is added to support new applications that are being implemented as part of the overall Year 2000 Program.
- The goal is to complete compliance research work for infrastructure products in 1998 and complete Year 2000 related fixes/upgrades to the infrastructure by the end of the second quarter of 1999. Work must be performed in evenings and on weekends to avoid interference with daily availability of the network.
- The bulk of the effort will be in the Technology Infrastructure Branch as this group provides support for all Wide Area Networking (including Internet connectivity), the electronic mail backbone, the telecommunications systems (telephones, voice mail, etc.), the corporate database servers, file and print servers for all Departments with the exception of the Environment and Transportation Department. Environment and Transportation Department is responsible for addressing their components of the network infrastructure (essentially file and print servers).
- OC Transpo and the Ottawa-Carleton Regional Police Service have separate computing infrastructures in place and their information systems groups are following similar work plans.

- 3.13.5 Potential Problems and Issues for the Computing Infra structure
- The large number of components that must be checked, and the inter-operability between these components, which in turn forms the foundation that other applications rely on to be compliant.
- 3.13.6 Current Focus of Media, Residents, Public and Private Sector
- There has been little interest to date regarding the Year 2000 preparedness of the Region's Computing Infrastructure.

3.14 CORPORATE SUMMARY

3.14.1 Status of Business Systems — Q4 1998 "OPEN" as at 15 December 1998

Department	CLOSED	Critical	High	Medium	Low
Audit	1/1	0	0	0	0
Clerks	8/10	0	1	0	1
Common	0/37	3	34	0	0
Corporate Fleet	0/2	1	1	0	0
Elected Officials	1/1	0	0	0	0
Environment and Transportation	71/260	12	77	39	61
Finance	14/42	0	23	2	3
Health	10/38	2	5	8	13
Homes for the Aged	13/17	0	3	0	1
Human Resources	11/14	2	1	0	0
Information & Public Affairs	6/10	0	4	0	0
Legal Department	3/8	0	4	1	0
OC Transpo	153/311	30	39	17	72
OCRPS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Planning and Development Approvals	17/59	0	2	12	28
Social Services	9/36	3	13	5	6
Corporate Total	317/846	53	207	84	185

3.14.2 Status of Business Systems—Q4-1998, Completion Targets for "Critical" and

		19	998	1999				
Department	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	UNKNOWN
Audit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerks	8	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Common	3	0	0	19	16	1	0	3
Corporate Fleet	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Elected Officials	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Environment and Transportation	43	0	6	32	27	2	0	22
Finance	14	0	1	9	11	0	2	1
Health	1	0	1	6	0	0	0	0
Homes for the Aged	13	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
Human Resources	11	0	2	1	0	2	0	0
Information & Public Affairs	6	0	0	1	3	0	0	0
Legal Department	3	0	1	2	2	0	0	0
OC Transpo	101	0	37	3	22	1	4	2
OCRPS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Planning and Development Approvals	17	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Social Services	0	0	0	6	1	0	5	4
Corporate Total	221	1	50	85	83	7	11	32

3.14.3 Status of Embedded Process Control Systems–Q4-1998

		"OPEN" as at 15 December 1998					8		
	CLOSED	Critical		F	High N		Medium		Low
Water	2/59		5		42		1		9
WEPD	9/39	2	25*		0		2		3
	Completion Targets for "Critical" and "High" Priority Items ONLY								
		1998		1999					
	CLOSED	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Į	JNKNOWN
Water	2	0	0	2	2	2	35		6
WEPD	9	0	0	0	0	25	0		0

3.14.4 Status of Facilities Management Systems—Q4-1998

DEPARTMENT	Total Number of	Total Number	Total Number of
	Products	of Products	Products
	Identified to	Assessed to	Remaining to
	Date as of Q4	Date as of Q4	Assess as of Q4
Facilities Management Systems	271	197	74

PART 4 – NEXT STEPS

- 4.1 Upcoming Milestones
- Completion of contingency plans 31 January 1999.
- Next quarterly report in March/April 1999.
- Departmental senior management briefings in February 1999 by Task Force members and Program Office staff on the current quarterly results.
- Update for all regional staff on the Year 2000 Program in January 1999.
- Region-wide Year 2000 Emergency Preparedness Planning.

PART 5 – SUMMARY

The Year 2000 Program at the Region of Ottawa-Carleton continues to be a far-reaching and detailed exercise involving hundreds of projects with varying levels of complexity.

Year 2000 Program staff is continuing to address Critical and High priority issues throughout the Corporation. The most problematic issue for the Region continues to be the dependency on the outside world for the provision of the goods, services and packaged software that are required to maintain essential services to the public.

Contingency planning within the Region's operations will be completed early in the New Year. Year 2000 Emergency Preparedness planning at the Regional level involving all the emergency services partners is the next critical step in preparing for the Year 2000.

Once the partnership is organized, the group will be in a better position to communicate in a coherent and consistent fashion to the residents of Ottawa-Carleton on how to prepare themselves better to meet the challenge of the millennium changeover.

The Task Force will continue to provide detailed quarterly reporting to senior management and Regional Council members.

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