

Staff Report

Presented By: Josh Planz, Chief Building Official

Meeting Date: April 28, 2025

Subject: 2024 Building Permit Activity

Attachment(s): 2024 Building Permit Activity Statistics

Recommendation

That Council receive the 2024 Building Numbers report for information.

Report Summary

2024 was a healthy year for Saugeen Shores building numbers. Although the numbers did not meet the record numbers of 2021 and 2023, Saugeen Shores passed building permits with a total construction value of \$144,247,780.00.

Background/Analysis

The chart below shows the past 5 years for comparison of annual Construction Value, Number of Permits and Total Residential Units:

Year	Construction Value	Number of Permits	Total Residential Units
2019	\$120,622,782.00	388	165
2020	\$84,232,730.00	380	153
2021	\$154,803,191.00	526	363
2022	\$129,145,060.00	390	364
2023	\$315,271,137.00	403	621
2024	\$144,247,780.00	320	295

The attachment to this report has a detailed breakdown of the permit numbers for 2023 and 2024

Please note that monthly building numbers are posted on the Town's website. These reports can be found at Building Reports Webpage.

Linkages

- Strategic Plan Alignment: Pillar 1: Meeting the Needs of a Growing Community
- Business Plan Alignment: Development Services Business as Usual

Financial Impacts/Source of Funding

No costs or revenue is associated with this report.

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