



# Media Release

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**Timmins Chamber Partners with Stats Canada**  
*Chamber website provides detailed demographic info*

**Timmins** – The Timmins Chamber of Commerce is now able to offer its members comprehensive statistical information about the City of Timmins and Ontario. Thanks to Stats Canada’s business outreach program, members are able to access valuable statistical information about Timmins and Ontario with just a few easy clicks of a mouse.

Members and the general public can now access detailed demographic information, labour force activity, occupation and industry statistics about Timmins. The site provides a substantial amount of economical data about our province, including provincial business counts (according to number of employees and according to industry), provincial building permit value, consumer price index and average weekly wage statistics.

According to Chamber President Rob Galloway, this information is useful to business owners: “It’s an easy way to let them know where Timmins sits as a whole, whether that means gaining a better knowing our customers and municipal demographics or gaining more insight into the provincial economic landscape.”

Information is easily accessed through the Chamber’s website: [www.timminschamber.on.ca](http://www.timminschamber.on.ca).

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**About the Timmins Chamber of Commerce**

*With over 750 members, the Timmins Chamber of Commerce is the largest accredited chamber of commerce with distinction in northeastern Ontario. As the “Voice of Business in Timmins” since 1949, our advocacy and policy initiatives focus on ensuring a positive business climate in the City of Timmins.*