



## **KCCU DONATES \$5,000 TO KINGSTON COMMUNITY CLIMATE ACTION FUND**

**For immediate release – Kingston Community Credit Union Donates \$5,000 to help support Martha’s Table and Habitat for Humanity Kingston Limestone Region with green projects via the City of Kingston’s Climate Action Fund.**

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Kingston Community Credit Union partnered with the City of Kingston last year with a commitment to support the KCCAF and local registered charities and non-profits as they work to reduce community greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. KCCU has supported promotion and fundraising of the fund and agreed to match donations made at their branches up to \$5,000, which they did today with a cheque presented to the City of Kingston.

Mayor Bryan Paterson said today, “On behalf of the City, a big thank you to the Kingston Community Credit Union and its members for their enthusiastic support of the Kingston Community Climate Action Fund. Your generosity will not only benefit great causes in our community today, but will have a lasting impact on our city by helping lower GHG emissions.”

Martha’s Table is seeking support through the KCCAF to purchase an electric vehicle that their team will use to deliver warm, prepared meals to people in the community who need them. Habitat for Humanity is hoping to fund the purchase of four air source heat-pumps to install in new homes being built on Rose Abbey Drive.

“As Kingston’s local credit union, we place community first, and are proud to support a fund that benefits our residents and our city’s sustainability.” said Jon Dessau, CEO of KCCU.

**The window to donate to these initiatives closes on March 31, 2021.**

To learn more about the KCCAF and projects, or to donate visit: [Kingston Community Climate Action Fund - Donate - City of Kingston](#) . You may also drop of your donations at any of the three branches of KCCU. Gifts of \$20 and more made at a Kingston Community Credit Union will be eligible to receive a tax receipt, issued by the City of Kingston.

### **About Kingston Community Credit Union**

Kingston Community Credit Union was founded in 1957 and has grown to become one of Ontario’s most successful local credit unions. It is owned and operated by its members and has shared over \$1 Million in donations in cash and in-kind with the community as well as profit sharing with its members. KCCU has grown to over \$225 Million in assets under administration, serving more than ten thousand members with its branch locations 18 Market Street (Downtown), 795 Gardiners Road (Kingston West) and in the Kinglake Plaza at 1201 Division Street. To find out more about KCCU visit us at [www.kccu.ca](http://www.kccu.ca).

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