



MEDIA ADVISORY

GreenUP to launch the new SUN program and announce two local neighbourhoods that have been selected to participate

Peterborough, ON (October 20, 2017) GreenUP is thrilled to announce the commencement of a new community program, Sustainable Urban Neighbourhoods (SUN). The two Peterborough neighbourhoods that have been selected to participate in SUN will be announced.

SUN is modelled after the Toronto Region Conservation Authority's SNAP program (Sustainable Neighbourhood Retrofit Action Plan) and is funded by the Ontario Trillium Foundation. The SUN program enables community members to share their interests and priorities for community enhancement projects within each of the selected neighbourhoods. SUN guides residents in setting priorities and participating in action plans to address neighbourhood improvements in green infrastructure, climate change mitigation, rainwater management, flood prevention, greening spaces, and improving health and well-being.

- WHO** Greetings and remarks from Jeff Leal, MPP Peterborough; Councillors Henry Clarke, Keith Riel, and Gary Baldwin, City of Peterborough; Roy Wood, Ontario Trillium Foundation; Brianna Salmon, Executive Director, GreenUP; residents from selected SUN neighbourhoods
- WHAT** Announcement of the two selected SUN Neighbourhoods; Photo opportunities with stakeholders
- WHEN** Friday, October 27, 2017 | 1:00 – 1:45 pm
- WHERE** Artspace, 378 Aylmer Street North | Limited parking available on site. Supplementary parking available nearby at Simcoe Street Parking Garage
- WHY** Discover which neighbourhoods have been selected for participation in the SUN program; learn more about projects happening in each neighbourhood and what you can expect to see through the scope of the program.
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