

# Ready to weather any storm

OakvilleReady for extreme weather



As a community, we have the responsibility to honour, care for and respect all the Creation gives to provide us with life. This includes the land, water, air, fire, animals, plants and our ancestors.

The Anishinabek Peoples have utilized this land for millennia and we would like to acknowledge their direct descendants, the Mississauga's of the Credit First Nation, as the rightful caretakers and titleholders of this land upon which we live, work and conduct ourselves. We acknowledge our treaty relationship and responsibilities to both the land and these original peoples We also recognize that this land is rich in pre-contact history and customs, which includes the Anishinabek and Haudenosaunee and since European contact, has and continues to become home for Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples. And it is in the spirit and intent of the Dish With One Spoon, wampum agreement whereby we will collectively care for and respect the land, water, animals and each other in the interests of peace and friendship and for the benefit of not only ourselves but of our future descendants.

# What is Oakville Ready?

Funded by the Oakville Community Foundation to establish 6 faith based organizations to act as neighbourhood hubs in instances of extreme weather – flooding, high winds, power outage and fires.

Neighbours helping Neighbours

- engage diverse community stakeholders to increase their personal resiliency,
- Increase community capacity and resiliency
- to understand how community can work together during extreme weather events.







## Why do we need OakvilleReady?









Rise in the frequency of emergencies including extreme weather, fires, floods, power outages, freezing rain, etc.

After an event, the first 1 - 4 hours are an important time to help the community

Community resilience through building strong connections with FBOs and residents



### In light of physical distancing..

The OakvilleReady team has worked to:

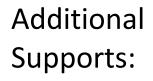
- provide technical support for FBOs
- -provide resources for wellness checks
- -Resources on oakvilleready.ca and @oakvilleready

-www.halton.ca or dial 311



### **Program Deliverables**













#### Upcycled Products Green Living Consulting



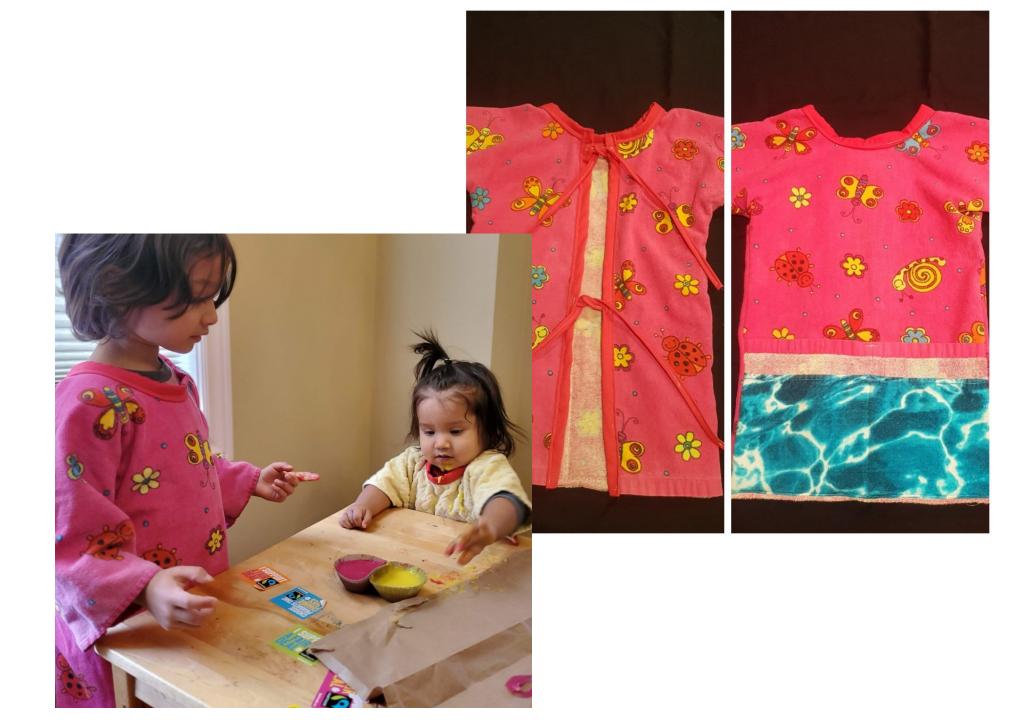
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# Green Living Consulting Services

Idividuals, families, businesses, & events

Waste not. 4





#### Zero Waste Kitchen Demos



#### OakvilleReady! Website



For Neighbours

**General Resources** 

Hub Locations

Who We Are

Get Involved

# Building on community to create resilience.

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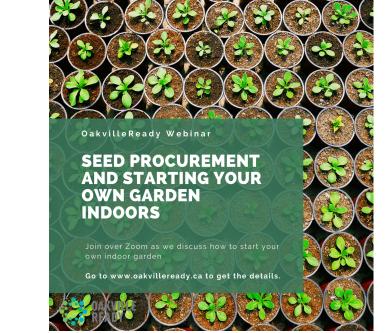


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#### Upcoming Calls







Do you have an idea for a community? Please reach out to us.





# Thank You!

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