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Share your 2023 Age-Friendly Hamilton Success Story

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WE ARE EXCITED TO PROVIDE A PLATFORM WHERE YOU CAN SHARE HOW YOU ARE HELPING TO CREATE *OUR* AGE-FRIENDLY HAMILTON!

Since 2007, our community has been working to make Hamilton a 'city for all ages.' An Age-Friendly City adapts its services and environment to be more inclusive and receptive to the needs of people of all ages, abilities, backgrounds and circumstances.

Hamilton's Plan for an Age-Friendly Community (2021-2026) was launched in April 2021 and is a guide for all of us to address the current needs and priorities of older adults and seniors living in Hamilton. Creating *OUR* Age-Friendly Hamilton means making improvements to key goals, including Housing, Transportation, Information Systems, Health and Community Services, Social Participation, Civic Engagement & Outdoor Spaces. Our goal is to make Hamilton a city where ALL older adults feel valued, respected, and included and have access to tools, resources and opportunities to participate in community life as they choose!

CREATING *OUR* AGE-FRIENDLY HAMILTON TAKES THE WHOLE COMMUNITY!

In 2023 we made significant strides to make Hamilton Age-Friendly. We implemented new policies, launched innovative programs, and strengthened our collaboration with various stakeholders. But what truly made the past year a success were the countless projects and innovations that YOU made to create positive change for older adults in our community!

Perhaps you're a faith community who installed an elevator to improve accessibility for parishioners. Maybe you're a community organization who launched a culturally meaningful social program or a business who has made accommodations to be friendly to older customers? Or perhaps you're a decision-maker at a large corporation who implemented a training program that has improved customer service for older adults. We want to know what you did in 2023 to improve life for older adults in Hamilton!

BIG OR SMALL - ALL OF YOUR WORK HAS AND CONTINUES TO MAKE A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE IN CREATING *OUR* AGE-FRIENDLY HAMILTON.

SHARE YOUR AGE-FRIENDLY HAMILTON SUCCESS STORY!

Please take 5-10 minutes to fill out our ONLINE SURVEY (www.coahamilton.ca) or PHONE US at 905-777-3837 ext. 12238 to share what you did in 2023 to create *OUR* Age-Friendly Hamilton!

Success Stories will be shared in our 2023 Age-Friendly Hamilton Progress Report and help us to learn, grow and work together, and ultimately make *OUR* Hamilton a city for all ages!

TO LEARN MORE, PLEASE CONTACT US

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