

Welcome,

It is my pleasure to be able to report another successful year for Harvest Share community Food Programs. Due to the hard work of our staff and volunteers, Harvest Share has been able to serve more people than ever before. We are operating out of two locations to accommodate this demand and the community has continually stepped up to contribute.

The demands on our organization have been significant, but we have still been able to put time into ensuring policies are in place to support our growth. Harvest Share is going through its first accreditation process and, as such, the board and staff have been busy reviewing and updating our policies. This has been a very positive experience as new board members have brought a wealth of insight to the table in the pursuit of good governance.

As we look forward, Harvest Share has added a fractal fundraiser to the team. As Covid funding has decreased, the need in our community has not. We have contracted this service to level up our organization in order to meet the needs of Parry Sound District. As this project continues, Harvest Share will be continually strengthening its core, moving into adjacent spaces and trying new transformative practices. I am very proud of the progress at Harvest Share Community Food Programs over the last year and I am looking forward to another great year.

-George Ashford