

Township of McKellar

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September 20, 2016

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Township is seeking a local community leader(s) to be appointed to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) Canada 150 Community Leaders network. The network of community leaders from across the country will ensure the voices of municipalities across Canada are showcased as part of Canada150.

Community Leaders will be the community voice of Canada 150 at local events, and when possible, they will share images and stories about their communities to create an insightful mosaic of our nation. These leaders will be a touch point to share information about Canada150.

The role of Community Leaders

Community Leaders will act as official community voices for Canada 150 events in the municipality. In addition to serving as a point of contact for sharing information about Canada 150 — provided by FCM throughout 2017 — Community Leaders may wish to get involved in local events and reach out to other communities to share ideas.

As the municipal designate for Canada 150 celebrations, Community Leaders will form part of a nation-wide network. When national events are held in the community, Community Leader will be invited to participate and bring the municipal voice to the celebrations.

As prominent individuals in the community, Community Leaders will embody the diversity of the country, including the celebration themes and be called upon to encourage interest, inspire dialogue and stimulate engagement. Working with municipal council, Community Leaders will also promote connections with various associations and individuals, as appropriate.

Importantly, the Community Leaders network will serve as a legacy to Canada 150 celebrations with the ability to create nation-wide linkages for years to come.

Community Leaders will be invited to share information about their communities on social media, using #Muni150 alongside the existing #Canada150 hashtag. FCM will also profile this impressive network in our communication channels and national events.

If you are interested in this unique opportunity, please submit a letter of application, outlining your interest and qualifications, by October 14, 2016, to Shawn Boggs, AMCT, Clerk Administrator at the above address.



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His Worship Mayor Peter Hopkins
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Dear Mayor and Members of Council,

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) is creating the official network of Canada 150 Community Leaders which presents a unique opportunity for local leaders across the country to get involved in the 150th anniversary of Confederation.

We are launching the Canada 150 Community Leaders network with an invitation to designate one or more leaders from your municipality. These individuals will serve as your local representatives at Canada 150 events in your community, as a touchpoint to share Canada 150 information and inspiration, and to be members of a legacy network that extends well beyond 2017.

A member of council can become a Community Leader or a prominent community representative can be identified. You can also choose more than one individual, ensuring a strong representation from your municipality.

To help you identify a community leader we have developed the Canada 150 Community Leader web page at www.fcm.ca/Canada150. There you will find additional information and a form to submit your Community Leader's name.

I encourage you to review the information and to submit the name of your Community Leader in one of the following ways:

- Use the online form available at www.fcm.ca/Canada150,
- Complete the form included with this letter and return it by email, fax or mail using the instructions on the form, or
- Send us an email at CommunityLeadersCommunautaires@fcm.ca with the name of your Community Leader and their contact information.

Please send us the name (s) of your Community Leader(s) by October 15 or earlier. We hope you will join us in bringing the municipal voices to the forefront for the year-long celebrations, and for years to come.

Sincerely,

Clark Somerville
FCM President and Regional Councillor, Halton Hills

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