

Bruce Grey Poverty Task Force: Membership List January 2021

Due to COVID19 we have seen a change in levels of partnership by members. For some, the transition to virtual meetings has enabled more partnerships involved in COVID19 rapid response and engagement. However, we don't keep attendance at virtual meetings like we did in 2020.

The PTF as a whole meets bi-monthly, the Food Security AG meets bi-weekly and the Housing AG meets weekly. The Health Equity team was meeting monthly until members were diverted to COVID19 response and could not attend. We merged the Health Equity AG with the Income and Employment AG that meets monthly. The Bridges AG met in the beginning of 2020 but did not meet after March 2020 and Getting Ahead was canceled. However, a subgroup has met to discuss the program for 2021 and it is expected to resume. The Community Voices have recently resumed their meetings. The Transportation AG remains an Ad Hoc group and did not meet in 2020.

Our outreach through social media has increased and we now have a much larger mailing list to receive our Community Updates. We have also seen an increase in subscription to our blog posts.

	Organization	Contact	Email Address	Action Group Members	Attends PTF meetings
A	Adult Learning Centre	Tim Nicholls-Harrison		Bridges	✓
		Sandra Holyer		Bridges, Community Voices	✓
		Maria Bertrand			✓
B	Beaver Valley Outreach	Carolyn Letourneau		Food Security	✓
	Brockton & Area Family Health Team	Pam Rantz		Food Security	
	Bruce County – Human Services	Christine MacDonald		Steering Committee	✓
		Tania Dickson		Steering Committee, Housing	✓
		Carla Meile		Bridges, Income/Employment	✓
		Kathy Hopkins		PTF M&E	✓
	Bruce County – Warden	Janice Jackson		Newly added in 2021	
	Bruce Botanical Gardens	Nan Grant		Food Security	

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C	Canadian Mental Health Association - Housing	Matt Shute		Housing	✓
		Shawna Cox		Bridges, Housing	✓
	CMHA - Grey Roots	Teresa Pearson		Food Security	✓
	CMHA - Community Drug & Alcohol Strategy	Alison Govier		Housing	✓
	CMHA - Peer Support Program	Cheryl McMillan		Housing	✓
	Chesley Baptist Church	Maxine Bender		Food Security	✓
	Community Foundation GB	Stuart Reid			✓
	Community Living – Owen Sound & District	Rick Hill			✓
	Community Living - Kincardine	Andy Sawm			
	Community Living – Bruce Peninsula	Amy Petersen		Food Security	
	Community Safety & Well-Being Plan	Sara Cowley			✓
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E					
F	Flesherton Food Bank	Dimitri Haritun		Food Security	✓
	Four County Labour Planning Board	Gemma Mendez-Smith		Income/Employment,	✓
G	Georgian Bluffs (Township of)	Dwight Burley			✓
	Georgian College	Jill Robinson		Income/Employment, Bridges	
		Megan Braithwaite		Employment	
	Grey Bruce Community Legal Clinic	Seana Moorhead		Housing, Health Equity	✓
	Grey Bruce Health Unit	Laura Needham		Food Security	✓

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		Lisa Alguire		Health Equity	✓
		Lee Fawcett		ON HOLD – COVID19	
		Paige Haverkamp		Housing, M&E	✓
		Ian Reich		Housing	
		Andrea Riley		Housing	
	Grey Bruce Health Services	Josh Richardson		Health Equity	✓
		Blythe Ridgeway		Housing	
		Joanna Thornley		Housing	
	Grey Bruce Sustainability Network	Barry Randall		Food Security	✓
		Simona Freiberg		Food Security	
	Grey County – Economic Development	Philly Markowitz		Food Security	
	Grey County – Housing	Anne Marie Shaw		Housing	✓
		Josh Gibson		Housing	✓
		Cheryl Luckhardt		Food Security	
		Meghan Kerry		Food Security	
		Renee Schlonies		Housing, Bridges, Community Voices	✓
	Grey County – Social Services	Barb Fedy		Steering Committee	✓
		Melissa Hill		ON HOLD	
		Melissa McCulloch		Health Equity	
		Waleed Aslam		Income, Employment	
		Elizabeth Brims		Bridges	✓
		Andrea Brendel		Bridges, Food Security	✓
	Grey County – Long Term Care	Jennifer Cornell		Health Equity	
	Grey County – Warden	Selwyn Hicks			✓

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	Hanover (Deputy Mayor)				
	Grey County – Warden Grey Highlands Mayor	Paul McQueen			✓
	Grey Bruce Labour Council	Hazil Pratt-Paige		PTF, Employment	✓
	Grey Bruce Pride/PFLAG	Joan Beecroft		PTF	✓
	GTO – Community Gardens & Second Harvest	Simona Freiburg		Food Security	✓
H	Habit for Humanity	Deborah Haswell		Housing	✓
		Greg Fryer		Housing	✓
		John McLachlan		Housing, Food Security	✓
	Home & Community Support Services Grey Bruce	Andy Underwood		Transportation	✓
	HCSS - MOVIN'GB	Marg Johnson		Transportation	
	Hanover Family Health Team	Amy Dow		Food Security	
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J					
K					
L	Leads Services	Danielle Pillon		Employment	
		Tracey Leroux			✓
	Life Directions	Cristin O'Sullivan		Employment	
	Local Immigration Partnership Project (LIP)	Melissa Avedesian		Newcomers	✓
	Lutheran Social Services – Owen Sound	Sylvia Stratham		Housing	
M	Meaford Community Gardens	Simona Freiberg		Food Security	
	Meaford Food Bank & Outreach	Julie Brown		Food Security	
		Nellie Greb		Food Security	

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	Meeting Place (The)	Noreen Steinacher		Food Security	✓
		Michelle Watson		Food Security	
		Karla Trudgen		Housing	
	Member of Parliament	Alex Ruff			✓
	M'Wikwedong Indigenous Friendship Centre	Renee Abrams			✓
		Margaret Yawney		Food Security	✓
		Diane Giroux		Housing	✓
		Rachel Paterson		Housing, Food Security	✓
N	North Bruce Council	Megan Myles			✓
	NDP/Labour	David McLaren		Income/Employment	✓
O	Ontario Disability Support Program	Vince Willan		Income/Employment	✓
		Melissa Tomlin		Income/Employment	
	Ontario Health Team	Jennifer Kehoe		Health Equity	✓
	Ontario Student Nutrition Program GB	Bev Gateman		Food Security	
	Ontario (government) – rural development	Cheryl Brine		Food Security	
	Ontario (government) – Youth Justice	Rosanne Roy		Housing	✓
	OShaRE	Colleen Trask Seaman		Food Security	✓
		Thom McDonough		Food Security	✓
	Owen Sound (City of)	Carol Merton		Housing	✓
	Owen Sound Family Health Team	Rona Cobean		Health Equity	
		Nichol Cruise		Health Equity	
P	Owen Sound Police	Chief Ambrose		Housing	
		Dave Bishop		Housing	

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		Jason Cranny		Housing	✓
	Poverty 2 Prosperity Huron	Pam Hanington		Food Security	✓
Q					✓
R	Rogers TV	David Shearman		Media TV	✓
		Mary Jane Murray		Media TV	✓
S	Safe N' Sound	Toni McGregor		Housing, Food Security	✓
	St. Aidan SGB	Thomas Twose		Food Security	✓
	St. George's Presbyterian	Graham Bland			✓
	St. John's United Church - Wiarton	Heidi Arnold		Food Security	
	Salvation Army - Hanover	Wendy Crabb		Food Security	
	Salvation Army – Owen Sound	Alice Wannon		Food Security	✓
	Salvation Army – Wiarton	Mary Millar		Food Security	
	Salvation Army - Nawash	Kim Cheghano		Food Security	
	Saugeen First Nation Food Bank	Erin Kewaquom		Food Security	
	Southampton Rotary Club	Stewart Nutt			
	South Bruce Peninsula - Council	Terry Bell		Food Security	✓
	South East Grey Community Health Centre	Crystal Ferguson		Income, Health Equity, Housing	✓
		Geoff Van Geem		Health Equity, Income/Employment	✓
		Tanya Shute		Seniors	✓
		Samantha Morgan		Food Security	
	Southern Ontario Aboriginal Health Access Centre	Elaine Watts		Food Security	
		Alex Jamieson		Housing	
	Southwest LHIN	Laura Deyell		Health Equity, Housing	
		Samantha Colwell		Health Equity	
T	Tara & Area Food Bank	Anne Cocker		Food Security	

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		Mary Louise Wiley		Food Security	✓
	Thornbury Community Garden	Kimberly Edwards		Food Security	
	Tobermory Food Bank	Linda Godhue		Food Security	
U	United Way of Bruce Grey	Francesca Dobbyn		Income, Employment	✓
		May Ip		Income, Employment	
		Olga Gura		Income, Employment	
		Caroline Araujo-Abbots		PTF M&E, Housing, Income/Employment, Food Security	✓
		Paul Wagenaar		Food Security	✓
V	Violence Prevention Committee	Jon Farmer		Housing	✓
	VPI Employment Services	Tina Rupert		Employment	
W	Walkerton Food Bank	Dianne Waram		Food Security	
	Welcoming Communities Grey Bruce	May Ip		Newcomers	✓
	West Grey Council	Beth Hamilton		Food Security	✓
	Warton Agricultural Society & Farmer Market	Caleb Hull		Food Security	
	Women's Centre GB	Paula Carnakie		Housing	
	Women's House serving GB	Lisa Owen		Housing	
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Y	YMCA Employment Services	Kym Wagner		Employment	
	YMCA Housing & Community Services	Joan Chamney		Housing	✓
	YMCA Settlement Services	Claudia Carleton			
Z					
	Community Members	Bob Hope		Income, Employment,	✓
	Community Voices	Sarah Morrison		Community Voices	✓

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		Tanya Butt	[REDACTED]	Community Voices	✓
		Jacob Morris-Wheeler	[REDACTED]	Community Voices	✓
		Candra Beggs	[REDACTED]	Community Voices	✓