

Invitation

Sustainable Peterborough Partnership Recognition Event & Awards, GPA Climate Change Action Plan Official Launch, and Partners for Climate Protection Awards

Sustainable Peterborough is pleased to invite you to attend the **Sustainable Peterborough Partnership Recognition Event & Awards, GPA Climate Change Action Plan Official Launch, and the Partners for Climate Protection Awards.**

In order to recognize the numerous sustainable achievements that our partner organizations have accomplished in 2015, Sustainable Peterborough is proud to announce the launch of the **Sustainable Peterborough Partnership Recognition Awards.** Winners will be announced during the event.

The event will also serve as the **Official Launch of the Greater Peterborough Area Climate Change Action Plan**, a collaborative project in partnership with the City of Peterborough, the County of Peterborough, the eight member Townships, together with Curve Lake First Nation and Hiawatha First Nation.

The twelve Climate Change Action Plan partners will receive their Partners for Climate Protection **Milestone 1 Award** for completion of their Greenhouse Gas Inventories for both Corporate and Community Sectors.

The event will feature a special **keynote presentation by Don MacIver and Heather Auld.** Don MacIver is a retired Research Director with Environment Canada, currently a farmer, a consultant, the Mayor of Amaranth Township, Dufferin County Councillor, and Vice-Chair of the Credit Valley Conservation Board. Heather Auld, Principal Climate Scientist with Risk Sciences International and formerly with Environment Canada, has 37 years of experience working across Canada as a weather forecaster, climatologist and climate impacts and adaptation expert.

Date: Tuesday, March 1, 2016
Time: 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Location: Market Hall, 140 Charlotte St, Peterborough

Kindly RSVP on our [event registration page](#) by Friday, February 26, 2016. Event admission is free!

Light refreshments will be served and a cash bar will be available.

Program

- 5:00 p.m. Refreshments and networking
- 5:30 p.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks
- Ken Doherty, Sustainable Peterborough Chair
 - Sheridan Graham, Sustainable Peterborough Vice-Chair
- 5:40 p.m. Address by Daryl Bennett, City of Peterborough Mayor
- 5:45 p.m. Keynote Presentation by Don MacIver and Heather Auld, followed by Q & A
- 6:25 p.m. Sustainable Peterborough Partnership Recognition Awards
- 6:55 p.m. Climate Change Action Plan Project Launch
- 7:00 p.m. Address by Ontario Trillium Foundation Representative
- 7:05 p.m. Address by Peterborough Economic Development Representative
- 7:10 p.m. Address by J. Murray Jones, County of Peterborough Warden
- 7:15 p.m. Milestone 1 Partners for Climate Protection Awards
- 7:30 p.m. Closing Remarks

Followed by refreshments and networking