



The Good Samaritan Corner

The Compassionate Committee for the Homeless in North Bay recognize that the homeless have urgent needs.

Here are some practical ways you can help the homeless:

The homeless are especially impacted by extreme temperatures. During heat waves like those we recently experienced, the homeless struggled with heat exhaustion and dehydration. Please consider donating bottles of water, and liquids with electrolytes to frontline organizations like the North Bay Food Bank or give directly to the homeless you meet on the street.

Are you having a hard time finding a home for your gently used items, especially clothing? Rebuilt Resources, 1356 Regina St., North Bay, 705-497-

7878, accepts clothing and furniture. For hours of operation or for more information visit them on Facebook or online at <https://rebuiltresources.com/>.

When you donate items to Rebuilt Resources, the homeless and near homeless benefit. Donations of used items allow Rebuilt Resources to offer low income and homeless people clothing and furniture at no cost.

Did you know:

2.93 mil people live in Toronto and 7 347 are homeless (2021 Steet Needs Assessment results)

52 662 live in North Bay and 300 are homeless (2021 Point-in-Time Count)

The per capita results are alarming:

.25% of people in Toronto are homeless

.57% of people in North Bay are homeless

Please research each of the Municipal candidate's platforms on homelessness (Municipal elections will be held on October 24, 2022).

For more information about the Compassionate Committee for the Homeless in North Bay visit <https://www.facebook.com/compassionatecommitteeofnorthbay/> or contact Leah Pierce at 705-472-5687 or at pn.thebay@gmail.com