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Volunteer Posting

Volunteer Position: Community Fridge Volunteer
Posting End Date: March 31, 2022
Name of Program: CNH Community Fridge

Program Description: It's almost here! The Collingwood Neighbourhood House Community Fridge is launching the week of January 24th, 2022, and we are looking for volunteers to keep this new neighbourhood food asset stocked, clean, and welcoming!

We are looking for drivers and fridge monitors who are able to either a) deliver food from our community partner near Slocan and Broadway, or b) check in on the fridge once a week and remove any spoiled items.

For the food pickups, you would need access to their own vehicle, and would be picking up a car's-worth of fresh produce and non-perishable items on Tuesdays between 2pm and 6pm, and/or on Thursdays between 2pm and 4pm. Mileage will be reimbursed.

The Community Fridge is a mutual-aid project idea brought to Collingwood Neighbourhood House by members of our Food Justice Advisory Committee who noticed the need for a free, outdoor food asset available 24/7 for all residents of the neighbourhood. And that's what the Community Fridge is! The Fridge will provide low barrier access to vegetables and fruits, protein foods, and grain products for Renfrew Collingwood residents, and will be located on the West Facing side of the CNH main house, adjacent to the gym entrance.

If you are interested in volunteering as a driver or fridge monitor, or if you have any questions, please email CommunityDevelopment@cnh.bc.ca.

Day and Time: Beginning the week of January 24, 2022, drivers would pick up food on Tuesdays between 2pm and 6pm, and/or on Thursdays between 2pm and 4pm. Fridge monitors can check the fridge weekly at times that work best for them.

Location: On the West Facing side of the CNH main house, adjacent to the gym entrance.

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Benefits: You will gain a connection to a wonderful community of volunteers, shape the long-term vision of the fridge during a volunteer roundtable gathering in February, and celebrate with us at our Fridge Celebration Party in March, depending on current COVID-19 provincial restrictions. Drivers will be reimbursed for mileage.

If you are interested in volunteering, please submit your completed registration form to Yndira Arteaga, Volunteer Coordinator (email: volunteering@cnh.bc.ca, tel: 604-435-0323 ext 232).