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COBOURG HOME DEPOT RAISES OVER \$19,000 FOR CORNERSTONE

Northumberland County – Cornerstone Family Violence Prevention Centre (Cornerstone) wants to congratulate the Cobourg Home Depot store, staff, and community for the incredible results of the 2021 Orange Door Project Campaign. As part of the annual fundraising campaign held across its 182 stores, the Cobourg Home Depot store’s partnership with Cornerstone will see the organization receive \$19,323.40 in support of its local initiatives to provide vital services to women and children impacted by domestic violence..

These incredible results were made possible by the dedicated staff at the Cobourg store, as well as the generosity of the Northumberland community. In fact, it was this dedication and generosity that placed the **Cobourg Home Depot within the top 6 fundraising stores across the country** qualifying them for a matching gift from The Home Depot Canada Foundation.

“The results of the 2021 Orange Door Project Campaign are life changing for so many women and children impacted by violence in our community,” says Cornerstone Executive Director, Nancy Johnston. “These funds will play an integral role in helping to end homelessness throughout Northumberland County. One door can truly make all the difference and we are so grateful for the outpouring of support from the community and staff at the Cobourg store,” Johnston adds.

“Winning the matching gift campaign is a huge accomplishment for the Cobourg store and their performance is recognized and celebrated across the country,” says Devon Montemurro, Community Investment Specialist, The Home Depot Canada Foundation. “Thank you to our associates and the Cobourg customers for sharing our dedication to giving back and helping vulnerable youth in our communities. Recognizing that together we can make a big difference, really encompasses what The Orange Door Project is all about.”

About Cornerstone

Established in 1983, Cornerstone Family Violence Prevention Centre has been providing vital services to women and children impacted by domestic violence situations. Cornerstone works to break the cycle of family violence by providing immediate shelter, counselling, and prevention services throughout Northumberland County. Together we are a community committed to healthy, respectful relationships free from family violence, dedicated to creating a place where hope grows. Cornerstone offers a variety of services and encourages you to explore them at our website cornerstonenorthumberland.ca.

About The Home Depot Canada Foundation:

The Home Depot Canada Foundation is committed to helping prevent and put an end to youth homelessness in Canada. 1 in 5 Canadian’s experiencing homelessness are youth, making youth homelessness one of the most urgent social issues facing Canadians today. Through The Orange Door Project initiatives, The Foundation has pledged \$50 million by the end of 2022 to improve housing options, support life-skills development programs, and invest in research that ensures funding is directed to the most effective solutions designed to help youth build brighter futures. For more information, please visit: OrangeDoorProject.ca.

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