

INCLUSION CHARTER

OUR COMMITMENT
TO **WELCOMING** AND
INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES

The **Inclusion Charter for York Region** is a community initiative that brings together businesses, community organizations, municipalities, police services, hospitals, school boards, conservation authorities and agencies with a common commitment to create an inclusive environment with equality for all who work, live and play here. Together our organizations share the vision of York Region as a welcoming and inclusive community where diversity is celebrated and where everyone can develop to their full potential, participate freely in society and live with respect, dignity and freedom from discrimination.

The Charter reflects an evolving approach in support of existing federal and provincial legislation that promotes human rights and accessibility. By endorsing this Charter we affirm our commitment to inclusion, whereby all people feel they belong and have access to the same opportunities.

SOCIAL ENTERPRISE FOR CANADA

Together with other participating organizations, Social Enterprise of Canada is committed to taking action to achieve the vision of the Charter in our organization and in the community. Social Enterprise for Canada envisions a community that exemplifies Canadian values, where all people realize their full potential, and have the opportunity to belong in and contribute to a prosperous and inclusive society.

To this end, Social Enterprise for Canada together with other organizations is committed to the delivery of critical public services to achieve the vision of the Charter and to continue to promote diversity as a source of strength, vitality and economic opportunity.

Endorsed by: _____

Patricia Cousins
CEO

This 26th day of October, 2019.

