

December 14, 2021

To our valued supporters,

As a dedicated community leader and supporter of Hospice Kingston, I am reaching out to you today to share exciting news about the future of hospice community services in Kingston.

Since 1985, dedicated and compassionate Hospice Kingston volunteers like you have provided comfort, support and companionship to individuals with life-limiting illness, their families and caregivers, and those affected by grief and loss. In those 36 years, there have been a number of challenges, obstacles and opportunities.

Ever resilient, and unwavering in our efforts to provide high quality palliative care and community hospice services, Hospice Kingston is excited to share with you that we are voluntarily integrating with Providence Care in the new year.

With a long-standing tradition of providing high quality, compassionate care to Kingston and area residents, the Hospice Kingston board of directors is confident in the leadership and experience Providence Care brings to the future of hospice community services.

The integration will bring together administrative, organizational, clinical and service elements under the leadership of Providence Care to support patients and families receiving palliative and end-of-life care in the community for years to come. With plentiful experience in large-scale redevelopment projects Providence Care will also lead the way in the hospice residence project.

Together, we are adapting to provide the best possible hospice palliative care for the people of Kingston and area.

Going forward community hospice services, such as client conversations, wellness programs, caregiver support, and grief and bereavement services will continue to be provided by the same staff and dedicated volunteers. There is no change to how Hospice Kingston clients and families access Hospice Kingston services and information.

As we enter the holiday season and look forward to a new year, we wish you and all those close you a joyous holiday season and a new year filled with joy, happiness and hope.

Thank you for your continued support of Hospice Kingston now and in the future.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Donna Dwyre, Manager, Resource Development & Communications at 613-542-5013 ext. 1.

Sincerely,



Allen Prowse
Board of Directors Chair

