Missisquoi North Volunteer Centre (CABMN) in Potton receives visit from Gilles Bélanger—Député D’orford

On Monday, April 20, Gilles Bélanger, Député d’Orford visited the office of the Missisquoi North Volunteer Centre (CABMN) in Potton. Mr. Bélanger made the visit in person, always respecting two meters of physical distancing, to present a cheque for $5000.00 to the organization in support of the work done by the CABMN in the MRC Memphremagog west. 

Mr. Bélanger has supported the work of the CABMN Volunteer Centre since being elected to the National Assembly of Quebec in 2018. He and his assistant, Alexandra Roy has also been a big support to the CABMN and other organizations through the Covid-19 crisis providing help with emergency food costs and other expenses as well as through their check-in calls offering positive support and encouraging messages of perseverance.

For Mr. Bélanger who had stopped that day at other groups in both Stanstead and Magog as well, it was important for him to make the initiative to visit these groups providing essential services in person. Extending his pride, support and concern for the citizens and working to assure that needs are being met in whatever way possible.

“Currently, many people, often among the most vulnerable in the community, are turning to emergency food help and other services such as medication delivery. We are therefore proud to provide CABMN Volunteer Centre with financial support of $ 5,000 from our emergency fund. They are doing an amazing job in these difficult times,” explained Gilles Bélanger during his visit in Mansonville.

For the CABMN in Potton the visit was a boost to the morale of many who have been working extra hours and days since the Covid Pandemic hit. The fact that Mr. Bélanger took the time out of his busy schedule to come in and offer his support was greatly appreciated.

THE SCOOP

WEATHER

TODAY: CLOUDY
HIGH OF 6
LOW OF 1

TUESDAY: CLOUDY
HIGH OF 6
LOW OF -3

WEDNESDAY: SUNNY
HIGH OF 15
LOW OF 0

THURSDAY: CLOUDY
HIGH OF 10
LOW OF 7

FRIDAY: PERIODS OF RAIN
HIGH OF 13
LOW OF 7

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