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**Sensory Kits Made Possible Through \$5,000 Donation from  
Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program**

Princeton, ON – The Municipality of Clarington, in partnership with Autism Home Base Durham and Lake Ridge Community Support Services, will be able to make sensory kits available to the public thanks to a \$5,000 donation from the Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program.

The kits will travel to local events and be available for loan to community groups to help support guests and residents who may have sensory challenges. The kits will feature specialized items to help encourage focus, comfort and attention.



In photo from left to right: Viano Ciaglia, Regional Manager, Frank Cowan Company; Mayor Adrian Foster, Municipality of Clarington

**Quotes:**

**Larry Ryan, President, Frank Cowan Company**

“We are pleased to be able to support the Municipality of Clarington and its community groups with sensory kits and hope they help those with sensory needs feel more comfortable at events and in public.”

**Adrian Foster, Mayor of Municipality of Clarington**

“On behalf of the Municipality of Clarington, I want to thank the Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program for the generous donation of \$5,000 that will be used to purchase sensory kits. These assistive tools are available now in many institutions to help community members with sensory issues. It is fabulous that we will now have them available at community events.”

**Mary D’Alton, Executive Director, The Cowan Foundation**

“The Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program has allowed for both numerous and varied grassroots projects and community improvements to be implemented across the county,” says Mary D’Alton, Executive Director, The Cowan Foundation. “We are proud to continue our support of this municipal-focused program for the third consecutive year, which positively impacts the lives of Canadians and the well-being of our communities.”

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**About The Home Town Program**

The Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program gives financial support to municipal-related community focused, grassroots initiatives across Canada that help to improve the safety and quality of life in the communities that the Company insures. This program is made possible through the collaboration of Frank Cowan Company business partners and The Cowan Foundation.

**About Frank Cowan Company**

Frank Cowan Company is a Canadian leader in providing specialized insurance programs, including risk management and claims services for municipalities and public service, healthcare, education, community, children’s and social service organizations across Canada.

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