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### **Fire Safety in the Township of Augusta Promoted Through \$5,500 Donation from the Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program**

Princeton, ON – The Frank Cowan Company and Irving H. Miller Insurance Brokers are supporting fire safety training in the Township of Augusta with a combined \$5,500 donation.

The money will be used for a new fire extinguisher tutor that will assist with training residents on the proper use and care of extinguishers. Education will boost confidence and help if and when an extinguisher needs to be used. The tutor is portable and will be available at local events, during fire prevention week and at local clubs and associations.



In photo from left to right: Greg Kinney, Sales Manager, Irving H. Miller Insurance; Tracey Young, Managing Partner, Irving H. Miller Insurance; Mayor Doug Malanka, Township of Augusta; Deputy Mayor, Jeff Shaver, Township of Augusta; Debra Murphy, Regional Manager, Frank Cowan Company

#### **Quotes:**

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

“Fire safety is an important issue for residents and organizations in our communities. We are pleased the Frank Cowan Home Town Program can assist with the purchase of a fire extinguisher tutor that will help promote comfort and confidence with using fire extinguishers.”

##### **Mayor Doug Malanka, Township of Augusta**

We are always trying to improve the services we give to our community, and our Fire Prevention Committee felt purchasing a Fire Extinguishing Tutor could take us to the next level. We will be teaching residents the proper use of extinguishers in the very near future. I would like to thank the Frank Cowan Company Home Town Program and Irving H. Miller Insurance Brokers for their generous funding donation towards our Fire Extinguishing Tutor. You are definitely playing a large part in keeping Augusta residents safe from the ravages of fire. Thank you so very much.”

##### **Greg Kenney, Sales Manager and Tracey Young, Managing Partner, Irving H. Miller Insurance Brokers**

“Irving H Miller Ltd has had a long relationship with the Township of Augusta. We recognize that the Augusta Fire Department is a dedicated and interactive community member. Giving back to the community is important to Irving Miller therefore we are pleased to support the purchase of the new fire extinguisher tutor. This initiative will provide invaluable fire prevention training and education for many Township residents.”

**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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