

## GFSI ED Report March 2023

### **Non-profit Data Collaboration Project and Building the Community Prosperity Hub**

Lead - Kate Walsh

- We will be presenting the project overview and demoing the Community Prosperity Hub on March 23 at noon to the City's Livable Communities Committee.
- We will be opening the HUB to the public the last week of March and are preparing a media launch plan with our RC & STU teams.
- Our funders have agreed to extend the project for another year.
- We have submitted an application for the Recovery Fund in hopes to do some specific work on measuring trends over the past six years.

### **Wolastoqey Learning & Cultural Centre website**

Lead – Michael Fellows – Designer Olga Strelkina

- Our project partners are very pleased with the work being done
- They have made a \$6000 donation to support civic tech and the supplies for the Gathering Place
- Our deadline is March 31.
- The Project team will continue to engage with Michael and Olga as freelancers.

### **Building a community Framework for Digital & Social Innovation**

- Bukola Abiola last day is March 31.
- Tim Hogan has completed his work with us.
- We are wrapping up with the Miramichi and have begun our engagement with Bilijk.
- We will be hosting our kick-off workshop with them on March 16. We are working with our funders on next steps.

### **Point-in-time Count project coordinator for NB**

Lead - Annick Betancourt

- Scheduled for April 14 – 18.
- It is only for those who are connected with a shelter and also those who are unsheltered.
- The Communities are Fredericton, Moncton, Saint John, Bathurst, Edmonston, St. Stephen, Miramichi.
- HDC will pay GFSI \$15000.00 for this work

### **Atlantic Region Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Symposium & Population of the Canadian Atlas for Social Inclusion (CASI)**

- RC & STU Team
- Symposium scheduled for March 30 at Maqiyahimok Conference Centre.
- Focus is "inclusion in action"

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/2023-atlantic-region-diversity-equity-inclusion-symposium-tickets-546063098427>

- STU Mid-term evaluations are on Wednesday.

### **What's Your Legacy – Matching professionals with Non-profits' Board**

UNB Business Management Students

- 20 people/orgs have signed up so far.
- runs until March 20

### **Basic Income NB**

- April 6, Chamber scheduled meeting with Chamber board and the BI team
- Edmonston has agreed to send a letter to government officials. Miramichi working on it.



### **Fredericton Affordable Housing Committee**

Working to coordinate a co-op housing information session. Date has not been decided. GFSI will take the lead on organizing.