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The Social Services Department is pleased to announce a Homeless Drop-In Centre called G.R.O.W., which stands for Gaining Residential Opportunities With Us.

The G.R.O.W. Committee responsible for this undertaking consists of the homeless and is facilitated by the City of Peterborough Hostel Liaison Caseworkers. The focus of the group is to assist the homeless and those in the process of being evicted to secure and retain housing.

G.R.O.W. provides housing resource material, information sharing, a telephone service, computer and Internet service, peer support and community information.

The Drop-In will run every Wednesday afternoon with the Grand Opening being held October 19th from 1:00 until 4:00 at the main floor of the Social Services Department located at 178 Charlotte St. (Charlotte Mews).

This information is also available on our City of Peterborough website at www.city.peterborough.on.ca

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