

## **SSCA Community Centre Revitalization Campaign**



## **US Donor Donations**

The SSCA and the Township of the Archipelago (TOA) have partnered with an organization in the US called CAF America.

CAF America is a global grant making organization assisting corporations, foundations, and individuals. They streamline the grant making process to eliminate risk and administrative burden.

US donors cannot give directly to foreign charitable organizations and obtain a tax deduction. As a US public charity, CAF America can accept funds from US donors who can then recommend that CAF America use those funds to support foreign charitable organizations or projects. They enable donors to support the causes they care about by assisting them in making strategic, effective, and tax-advantaged grants internationally and domestically. CAF America conducted a Equivalency Determination of the TOA which involved CAF America making a good faith determination that the **entire grantee organization** is governed in a way that would otherwise be considered as *equivalent* to a US Public Charity under Sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a) of the Tax Code.

The Township of the Archipelago on behalf of the SSCA Community Centre Revitalization campaign, is eligible to receive donations from CAF America via their Canadian organization CAF Canada.

These funds will be received and held by the TOA then dispensed on request of the SSCA for the sole purpose of renovation and new building construction on the SSCA Community Centre property.

## How to donate via CAF America

Please complete the SSCA Contribution Form so we can track your pledge through the CAF process. This online form is **here**. Once you have completed this form, depending on your donation method (i.e. Cash, Shares, Donor Advised Funds), we will send back to you instructions on how you can make your donation.

If you have any questions about this process, feel free to reach out to Eric Armour – sscacampaign@ssca.info.