



# 2018 IN REVIEW

## EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

### Protecting Farmland

In spring 2018, 225 people attended 4 workshops on planning to protect farmland and soil health, organized or co-organized by Farms at Work



### Bringing the Agriculture Community Together



Farms at Work partnered with many different agricultural organizations in creating the Peterborough Ag Roundtable, and hosting a December Farmer Event where 65 farmers from all different sectors came together

### Local Food

Almost 100 farmers and food businesses attended two local food networking and learning events organized or co-organized by Farms at Work in 2018 – a Local Food Networking Event in Oshawa and a Scaling Up Sales for the Wholesale Market Workshop



## COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Farms at Work was represented at a wide range of farm shows, made in-person presentations to local organizations, appeared in print media, and on live radio and television interviews in 2018.

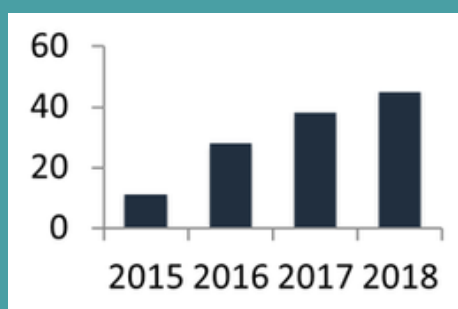


Highlights include a spot on CBC Ontario Morning, and participation in a Future of Farming series on CHEX TV

## PETERBOROUGH LOCAL FOOD

Farms at Work supports farms and food businesses by promoting local food opportunities and events to the general public in Peterborough City and County.

Connect through #localfoodptbo on Facebook, twitter and instagram



45 community events promoted in 2018!

## SUPPORTING ACCESS TO LAND FOR NEW FARMERS: A FEASIBILITY STUDY

Completed in 2018 by Farms at Work



### East Central Farm Stewardship Collaborative

Farms at Work coordinated the ECFSC, which for the last 8 years has been helping farmers achieve environmental improvements on farms.

Regional organizations invested approximately \$250,000 to help farmers in 2017. In 2018, a new grant was received on behalf of ECFSC that will provide additional funding to farmers for 3 years. [ecfarmstewardship.org](http://ecfarmstewardship.org)

### FLINT CORN PROJECT

Partnered with Trent Vegetable Garden

10 volunteers helped to plant and maintain corn

Hosted 40 TRACKS indigenous youth at two events

Shared the project with 25 people at Seasoned Spoon workshop



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