



Dear Friends:

It is with pleasure that we bring you exciting news!

Our Board of Directors and Corporate Members have enthusiastically endorsed the integration of Haven Toronto with St. Michael's Homes (SMH).

Like Haven, SMH is a charitable not-for-profit Ontario corporation.

Existing since 1974, SMH provides a continuous-care model of programs and services for men, including seventy-five beds in four residential settings, out-patient counselling, and psychotherapy.

Familiar with the drop-in sector, SMH also operate a drop-in that serves both men and women living in the community, experiencing mental health issues.

In brief, this integration makes perfect sense for both organizations:

- Renewing our dedication to serving complex, underhoused clients;
- Bringing together our complementary strengths in clinical, fundraising, and organizational capacity; and,
- Combining to create an agency with revenues of \$5M/year, making the new organization more attractive to funders and foundations.

This integration will preserve the mission of Haven Toronto to older, homeless men and of St. Michael's Homes to those with mental health and substance use problems for another generation.

This integration is actively supported by Bruno Scorsone, the Executive Director of Haven Toronto and by Robin Griller, Executive Director of St. Michael's Homes, who both hold the interests of our work close to their hearts.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know at info@haventoronto.ca.

We know we can count on you to help us serve so many in need and are grateful for your support, both past and present.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Antonio Bruno Scorsone". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Antonio Bruno Scorsone, PhD, RSW Ret.
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