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CITY OF WELLAND SEEKING PARTNERSHIPS TO DISTRIBUTE NON-MEDICAL GRADE MASKS

Welland, ON - Niagara Region received five million non-medical grade masks thanks to a generous donation from MedSup Canada on Dec. 10, 2020. The masks were divided amongst Niagara's 12 municipalities for distribution to local agencies and Niagara's communities. The City of Welland received several cases of masks, which are available in adult and child sizes.

The city is partnering with Welland's service agencies to ensure the masks are distributed to various demographics. The Welland Library branches are now distribution hubs where people can access the free non-medical grade face masks. Library visitors are welcome to pick-up a package at any of the three branches while supplies last. Library locations and times of service can be found at wellandlibrary.ca.

The City of Welland is seeking more partnership opportunities with Welland's organizations and agencies to act as distribution hubs for the non-medical masks. To learn more about becoming a distribution hub, call the City of Welland's Manager of Fleet, Equipment & Purchasing at 905-735-1700 Ext. 3017

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