



## YHQG Community Quilts Policy

Quilts made from member contributions at the YHQG Community Quilt Workshop meeting will be donated to eligible community support organizations to assist each organization in its operation, with emphasis on its own fund-raising activities.

YHQG members are encouraged to bring their suggestions for donation recipients to the Community Quilts Committee (see below). To be an eligible recipient, the organization must satisfy the following criteria:

- Not-for-profit
- Located in Southern Ontario
- Dedicated to supporting individuals and families in the general areas of health, wellness, recreation and environment.

Eligible organizations may apply for the donation of a quilt by contacting any member of the Committee and giving the following information in writing:

- Name of organization
- Mission statement
- The intended use of the donated quilt ( preference will be given to those using raffle over silent auction)
- Agreement to provide feedback to YHQG about funds raised from the donated quilt.

When applications from eligible organizations exceed the number of available quilts in any given year, preference will be given to new applicants.

At the discretion of the Committee, donations may also be made each year to “THE QUILT” auction for support services for breast cancer patients and their families for purposes other than fundraising, when deemed appropriate, e.g. as a permanent art installation in the recipient organization’s facilities.

Separately, the Committee may organize the production of comfort quilts made from donations of fabric to YHQG. Annually, the comfort quilts will be distributed to an organization that provides emergency shelter or temporary residential facilities, for use by its clients served. Each year the Committee, at its discretion, may select a different recipient organization.

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