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## POSTAL STRIKE AND GST/HST BREAK - IMPACT SURVEY

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey. Your input will help us understand how recent events, including the postal strike and the Canada HST/GST Break, have impacted businesses in Central & North Hastings County. This survey should take no more than 5 minutes to complete.

1. Did the postal strike in December impact your business operations?     Yes     No
  
2. If yes, what aspects of your business were affected? (Check all that apply)
  - Receiving supplies or inventory
  - Delivering products to customers
  - Customer communications
  - Sending Invoices/Receiving payments
  - Other (please specify)
  
3. What measures, if any, did you take to mitigate the impact of the postal strike on your business?
  
  
4. Please share how significant the impact of the postal strike has been on your business.
  - No Impact     Minor Impact     Severe Impact
  
5. Is your business affected by the Canada HST/GST Break initiative?     Yes     No
  
6. If yes, please describe how this HST/GST break has affected your business operations.
  
  
7. Please describe, if any, the benefits the HST/GST break has brought to your business or customers.

Your Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for taking time to complete the Impact Survey, we will let you know of the results once they have been compiled. We are looking to share to our local MP and MPP, this is your chamber advocating for the business community regardless if you are a member or not. If you could please return by Feb 24<sup>th</sup> that would be greatly appreciated. Return by mail, email or in person.

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