



THRIFT STORE



The Salvation Army Thrift Store Canada

Boundary-Spanning Tools to Facilitate a Circular Economy for Textiles

WHAT WE DO

The Salvation Army Thrift Store National Recycling Operations (NRO) is part of one of the largest national charities in Canada that gives hope and support to over 2.1 million people.





We Make Your Donation Count



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WITH THE SUPPORT OF OUR GUESTS AND DONORS WE HAVE:

Diverted
70,820,221 lbs
from local landfills

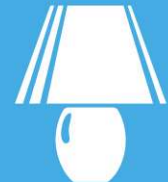


That includes:



27,912,817 lbs
of clothing and textiles

28,256,587 lbs
of household items



8,625,431 lbs
of electronics and metal

6,025,386 lbs
of books, paper, and pulp



The equivalent of **1,400** full recycling trucks!

*Statistics reflect FY 2020-2021

UNDERSTANDING TEXTILE SUPPLY CHAIN



OPPORTUNITY



In North America it's estimated 85% of textiles are going to landfill or incineration while most can be reused or recycled in current streams (estimated 95% in Canada)



DEFINING LANGUAGE

Post
Consumer
Textiles (PCT)

Residential vs
Non-
Residential

Reuse,
Recycling, End
of Life



For more
information
visit NACTR.ca

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR CHARITABLE TEXTILE RECYCLING



MOVING TOWARDS CIRCULARITY



Define and understand your place in the textile life chain



We have yet to tackle valuable textiles moving to landfill



Share common language, understanding, Industry tools and definitions are critical



Contribute to the larger conversation towards circular solutions

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To Learn more...

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too much on the slide? I tried to make my pic smaller but Ted was watching me from behind :P lol

Tonny Colyn, 9/16/2021

LR8

If you are speaking on behalf of SA then I would remove the NACTR logo since you speak to it in an earlier and dedicated slide. I also think this is a perfect place for that quote or "call to action/ask" as a finale.

Lindsay Robinson, 9/16/2021