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## Humanity First Fundraising Dinner For Toronto's First Shelter Bus for Homeless

**Vaughan, Ontario, Canada** – Around 35,000 Canadians are homeless on any given night, and overall at least 235,000 Canadians experience homelessness in a year. Homeless shelters are typically at capacity, especially in the winter months making homeless individuals extremely susceptible and at risk to the severe cold weather.

**Humanity First Shelter Bus** is an initiative of Humanity First Canada to provide temporary relief to homeless individuals by providing a safe and warm place to sleep overnight.

Humanity First is undertaking this project by converting a coach bus into a temporary mobile shelter for homeless. The interior of the coaches will be renovated to include living spaces, washroom, and 20 beds for sleeping in a bunk bed format.

To raise funds for first re-purposed coach bus Humanity First Canada is holding its Annual Charity Fundraising Dinner on:

**Date:** Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Registration at 6:00pm  
**Venue:** Toronto Grand Convention Centre  
**Address:** 30 Baywood Rd, Etobicoke, ON M9V 3Y8  
**Ticket:** \$70 per person | Corporate table of 10 for \$1000

Commenting on this project, Dr. Aslam Daud, Chairman Humanity First Canada said:  
*“Over the years Humanity First has been actively working in assisting homeless in various parts of Canada by providing hot meals and warm clothing. With homeless shelters in Toronto at their capacity, this bus will provide temporary relief in the coldest days of the year.”*

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### About Humanity First:

Humanity First is an International Non-Profit Charitable Organization established to promote and safeguard the preservation of human life and dignity. Humanity First is a non-political, non-sectarian international relief and development agency that works with communities around the globe to improve the quality of life for some of the world's poorest and most vulnerable people. Directors, Officers and Aid Workers of Humanity First are unpaid volunteers. Humanity First has been granted a special consultative status with the United Nation's Economic and Social Council ([ECOSOC](http://www.un.org/ecosoc)).

In the past, Humanity First has responded to various natural disasters in Haiti, Nepal, Bangladesh, Philippines, Caribbean and Indonesia, Ebola relief in Africa, Hurricane Sandy Relief efforts in USA East coast, famine in north east Africa, Japan tsunami, Haiti earthquake and Pakistan floods. Locally in GTA Humanity First runs a large Foodbank.

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