# Building resilience: a community anchor perspective

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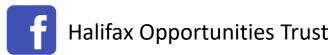
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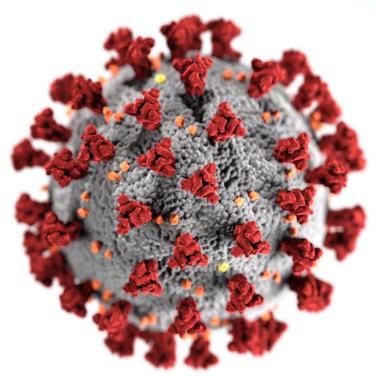


### So that is all.....



## Until.....









foodbank



**Covid:** proved our strong community connections. Now reaping benefits (see adapt/develop below)

Price increases: we reviewed costs, contracts etc

**Utility bills:** we reduced use, replaced expensive equipment & passed on costs

**Funding:** Many different types (earned, contracts, grants)

Adapt/develop: buying houses, acquisition of community centre, long term health conditions......



## To infinity and beyond...