



ASK AN EXPERT WEBINAR SERIES

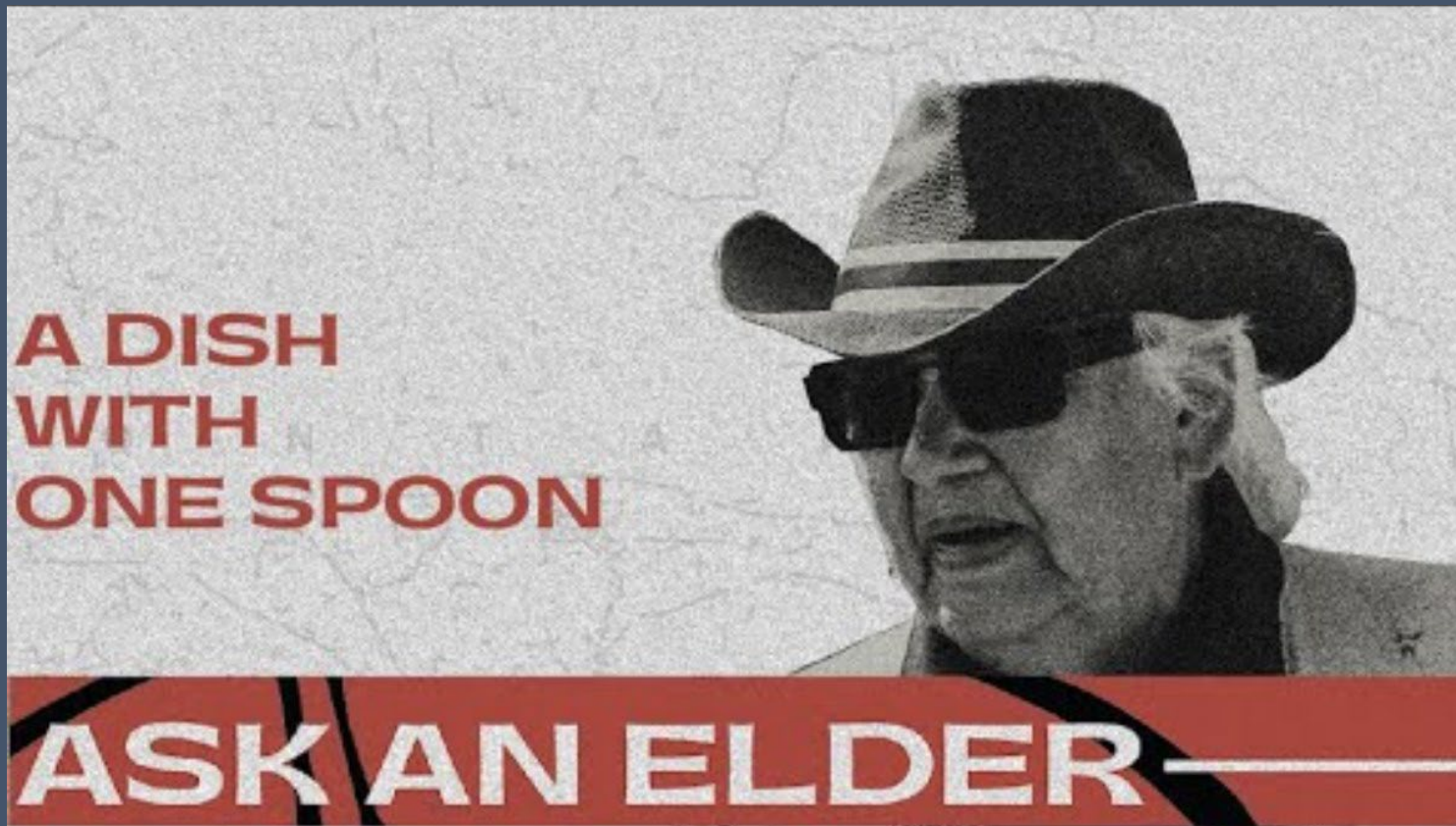
Deep Retrofit in the City of Toronto



Agenda

- Land Acknowledgement
- Introduction to Ask an Expert Webinar Series
- JP Solmes
- Roberto Lopez and Kristine Kischer

Land Acknowledgement



Clean Air Partnership

- Clean Air Partnership (CAP) is an environmental charity that works to transform cities into more sustainable, resilient, and vibrant communities where resources are used efficiently, the air is clean to breathe, and greenhouse gas emissions are minimized
- CAP convenes networks, leads research and knowledge transfer, and catalyzes transformative action.
- <https://www.cleanairpartnership.org/>



City of Toronto

- Homes and buildings that use gas or fossil fuels for heating and hot water are the largest source of emissions in Toronto today. To address the climate emergency, we must switch our homes and buildings to cleaner energy sources and make them much more energy efficient.
- The City of Toronto offers a range of programs, funding, and supports to help Toronto homeowner develop their own net zero pathways.
- www.toronto.ca/livegreen



Abraham Wairisal

- Abraham is an experienced Natural Resources Canada (NRCan) Registered Energy Advisor and Quality Assurance Specialist as well as a CHBA Net Zero Energy Advisor. Abraham is passionate about eradicating energy poverty, educating homeowners on energy efficiency upgrades in their homes and providing clear, detailed retrofit scope of work for builders/renovators.
- Abraham is currently the Senior Energy Consultant with the City of Toronto, providing expert advice on anything single-family residential home energy efficiency related for City of Toronto homeowners.





JP Solmes

JP Solmes is a clean energy executive who is passionate about energy transition solutions. He and his wife have accomplished Net Zero status after completing a home energy retrofit utilizing financing from the City of Toronto's Home Energy Loan Program and subsequently co-founded Net Zero at Home to help other homeowners do the same.

Kristine Kischer and Roberto Lopez



Roberto is a NetZero Building Consultant and Architectural Designer who studied Architecture and Communication Design at OCAD University. He worked in the communication and marketing industry as a Creative Director and Chief Creative Officer for over 25 years.

Kristine Kischer had a successful career in theatre, after which she decided to venture into the entrepreneurial world by launching a pet product of her own creation, Habitat Haven. After 16 years of building Habitat Haven into a successful international brand, the business was sold and Kristine is now enjoying retirement and exploring the industry of Net Zero construction.

Upcoming Webinars

Heat Pumps 101, Wednesday, March 6 | 12:00 PM Eastern Time

- My neighbour just installed a heat pump; what is it, and how does it work? When should I consider purchasing a heat pump? You can also join the City of Toronto at the National Home Show from March 8 - 17 for a closer look at the heat pumps.
- Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/heat-pumps-101-tickets-810271502877?aff=oddtcreator>



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