## SUPPLIES

## PERENNIAL CHANGING THE WAY

PERENNIAL COLLECTS, ORGANIZES, AND SHARES SUPPLIES THAT MIGHT END UP IN THE LANDFILL BY OPENING UP THE SHOP TO ARTISTS, MAKERS, TEACHERS, AND COMMUNITY GROUPS, PROVIDING ACCESS TO A VARIETY OF SECONDHAND MATERIALS.

E THINK ABOUT STUFF

## SKILLS

POUNDS DIVERTED: 24.625

7.132

PERENNIAL TEACHES SKILL BASED CLASSES IN OUR WORKSHOP AND BEYOND (ACROSS THE REGION) TO EMPOWER FOLKS TO INCORPORATE REUSE IN THEIR OWN HOMES AND COMMUNITIES.



"ONE OF MY
"FAVORITE PLACES TO
"TREASURE HUNT"
"" PERENNIAL SHOPPER

WHERE DO I START? WHEN CREATIVITY + SUSTAINABILITY FEEL NTIMIDATING, PERENNIAL'S SHOP IS AN EASY PLACE TO GET STARTED. AS BIG BOX STORES LIMITED THEIR SELECTION OR CLOSED THEIR DOORS, WE SAW AN INCREASE IN FOLKS LOOKING FOR SECONDHAND SUPPLIES. THIS YEAR SHOPPERS REPORTED SAVING 1000'S OF DOLLARS ON PROJECT SUPPLIES FROM PERENNIAL. FROM MAKING THEIR OWN CLOTHES TO REFINISHING HARDWOOD FLOORS, WE'RE IN AWE!

3,278 POUNDS

DIVERTED

COUNTLESS

SKILLS TAUGHT

FROM USING

RULERS TO

POWER SAWS!

PEOPLE LEARNED A NEW SKILL

"CREATING
SOMETHING FROM
SCRATCH WAS
INCREDIBLY
EXCITING. IT FELT
REALLY GOOD TO
CREATE A REAL LIFE
TANGIBLE THING."
- CLASS PARTICIPANT

## SWAPS

PERENNIAL DEMONSTRATES
SUSTAINABLE SYSTEMS IN ACTION BY
HOSTING QUARTERLY CLOTHING SWAPS
WHERE FOLKS CAN PARTICIPATE IN AN
ALTERNATIVE TO FAST FASHION.

WHAT IF WE HAD THE SYSTEMS TO SHARE OUR ABUNDANCE?

OVER THE PAST TEN YEARS A
DEDICATED TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS,
STYLE ICONS, AND COMMUNITY
PARTNERS HAVE BUILT A MOVEMENT
OF SWAPPING OVER SHOPPING.
REGULAR ATTENDEES REPORT
SPENDING LESS ON FAST FASHION,
EXPERIMENTING WITH MENDING +
ALTERING, AND MEETING NEW
FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS.

"little free \_\_\_\_\_"

Library art gallery tool shop

"I'VE BEEN COMING TO SWAPS FOR YEARS AND AT SOME POINT I REALIZED I JUST STOPPED BUYING NEW CLOTHES." - SWAP PARTICIPANT

POUNDS DIVERTED 557 VOLUNTEER

HOURS

806 SWAPPERS

ATTENDED

324 CLĄSSES WORKSHOPS

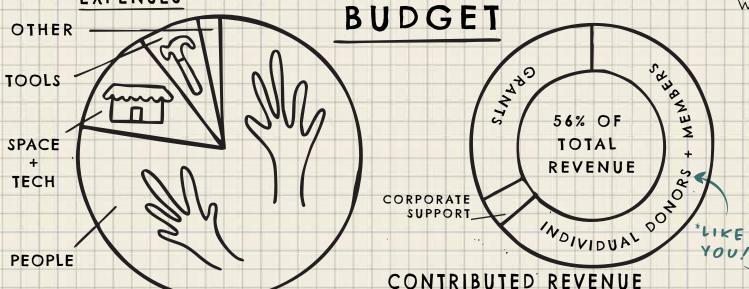
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TOOLS 101

• 6 4 OFF-SITE WORKSHOPS

DO YOU HAVE THE TOOLS TO BUILD THE WORLD YOU **WANT TO SEE?** IN A YEAR THAT FEELS FULL OF DISTRACTIONS UNCERTAINTY, OUR HANDS GROUND OUR WORK. THIS YEAR WAS FULL OF MOMENTS WHERE OUR COMMUNITY PUT THEIR SKILLS INTO ACTION. WHAT'S MORE POWERFUL THAN USING WHAT YOU HAVE TO SOLVE A PROBLEM?

EXPENSES



PERENNIAL: ANNUAL REPORT

DATE: 2025

SCALE: DOES NOT ACCOUNT FOR THE REUSE RIPPLE OF SKILLS SHARED + HABITS CHANGED EXECUTED BY: STAFF + VOLUNTEERS

POWERED BY: MEMBERS
+ MAKERS

SUPPORTED BY: INDIVIDUALS

TWHO BELIEVE IN A MORE
SUSTAINABLE + CREATEIVE STL