



# Brief History of Our Development

## Milestones

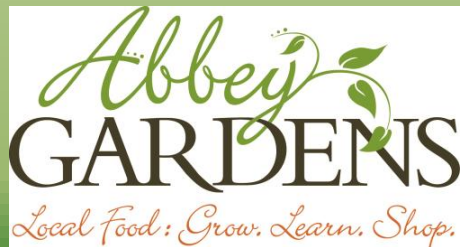
- 2009/2010: Incorporated as a not for profit & Acquired Property
- 2013: Food Hub constructed
- 2016: Construction of 2 new buildings heated with a BioMass Boiler (Haliburton Highlands Brewing & Haliburton Solar + Wind)
- 2018: Abbey Retreat Centre & Closure of the active pits
- 2020: Focus on trail development. Research on Experimental Greenhouse.



# Biomass Boiler Demo with Biothermic

## *Why did we choose a biomass boiler?*

- Vision for local fuel
- Supporting local business
- Demonstration element for sustainable heating
- Efficient, low operating costs
- Ease of maintenance





# Equipment @Abbey Gardens



Froling P4 38 kW wood pellet boiler



750L buffer tank (Buffmax)



*Abbey*  
GARDENS  
*Local Food: Grow. Learn. Shop.*

# BENEFITS

Low maintenance requirements

Low operating costs

Pellet delivery

Support from Biothermic

Addition of a demonstration on the property

Ability to talk about local fuel as part of our tours



# Questions?

