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Official reopening of the Bytown Lumber store in Carleton Place under the Patrick Morin banner: a new era for DIYers and professionals

Carleton Place, October 6, 2025 – Patrick Morin Renovation Centres is proud to announce the official reopening of the Bytown Lumber store in Carleton Place, taking place on October 15, 2025. Since its acquisition, the store has benefited from the expertise and knowhow of the Patrick Morin banner, well known in the renovation and hardware industry.

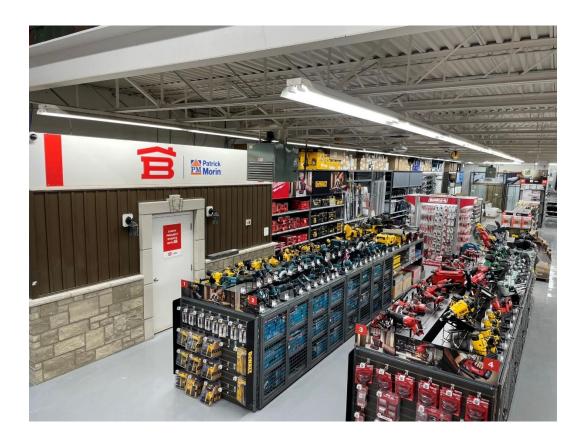
This reopening marks an important milestone for the region: **the product offering has been expanded**, **store hours have been extended**, and the store is now **fully open to the general public**, while continuing to serve contractors and building professionals.

"With this reopening, our goal is to offer an enhanced, accessible, and customer-friendly shopping experience for everyone. We want all our customers, from weekend DIYers to seasoned professionals, to find what they need, quickly and at a fair price," said Daniel Lampron, Vice-President and Chief Operating Officer of Patrick Morin Renovation Centres.

A new shopping experience that includes:

- A wide selection of products across all categories: hardware, building materials, paint, tools, plumbing, electrical, and more.
- Extended opening hours, including Saturdays starting October 18, to better meet customers' needs. Saturday hours will be 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Improved customer service built on Patrick Morin's values of proximity, expertise, and reliability.

• **Open to everyone**: the store no longer exclusively serves professionals. All residents of Carleton Place and the surrounding area are now welcome to shop here.



About Patrick Morin Renovation Centres

Founded in 1960, **Patrick Morin** is a Québec-based company operating 26 stores across the province. Known for its quality service, diverse product offering, and people-first approach, Patrick Morin stands as a leader in the home improvement industry.

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