

## Athieera Paatil

- Athieera Paatil is from India
- In Nova Scotia for my Undergrad in Business - Finance from Acadia University. Will be in my 3rd year Fall 2021.
- Projects undertaken at Village on Main:
  - ◆ Infographics -
    - About the [COVID-19 funds and rebates](#) available to businesses, employers, students, unemployed and tourism from Federal, provincial governments and municipalities.
    - Researched and designed the infographics
    - Very useful for me as a student to understand this aspect of the business world.
  - ◆ Grant Administration-
    - Of 2 grants- Improvement Grant (Village on Main) and Get Ready for Summer Beautification grant (ACOA)
    - Followed up with business, recorded documents being submitted for the grant.
  - ◆ Estimating Levy amount paid by each business in the area
    - Estimated the size of the business shop or location.
  - ◆ Comparing Grant and levy
    - Basically, to understand how much was given back to the businesses of which was being collected from them.
  - ◆ [Tax Reform](#)
    - Understanding the Commercial property tax system in Nova Scotia, the role that HRM plays in the tax system.
    - Using the documents provided and research conducted to analyze and evaluate the tax reform
    - Finally, presenting to the Board of Village on Main
- This is my first co-op work term, and I absolutely loved it! I wouldn't have wanted it in any other way.
- Worked online and a few days in-person at the office, an amazing environment, and always had something new to learn from not only the projects that I was a part of but from what others were doing.