



NEW TENANTS?



Are you co-habiting with bats?

They need your help! Be kind to them!

*Bats sometimes seek shelter in buildings for a few days or a few months.
If you can offer them shelter, it will contribute to their survival.*

- Make sure they are excluded from your living areas.
- Register your bat colony at **batwatch.ca**.

Unfounded fears about bats?

Contrary to popular belief, bats:

- are not rodents, pests, or vermin.
- do not cause structural damage to buildings.
- do not burrow into building materials.

Bats use existing, often unused spaces,
on a temporary basis;

They help naturally and effectively to fight against
nuisance insects and other pests.



Building structures that could
provide shelter for bats
(credit: P. Fortin and J. Michaud)

Are you unsure about having bats in your house?

There are effective ways of getting bats to leave your home without causing them any harm.

- Before taking any action against them, visit the website: **batwatch.ca**
- Avoid any direct contact with the bats.
- Avoid excluding them between May and the end of September.

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For more information or to register a colony,
visit the website **batwatch.ca**



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