

# **Committee Report**

To: Councillor Mark Goetz, Chair and

Members of the Human Services Committee

From: Christine MacDonald

**Director of Human Services** 

Date: February 2, 2023

Re: Affordable Housing Development Toolkit - Phase Three

#### **Staff Recommendation:**

The report Affordable Housing Development Toolkit - Phase Three is for information.

### **Background:**

Staff have been working with a consulting firm to develop the Affordable Housing Toolkit. Staff are happy to announce that Phase 3 of the toolkit is ready to be launched to the public on February 2, 2023.

Phase 3 of the web-based toolkit provides pertinent information regarding Additional Residential Units (ARUs).

Link to Phase 3 of the Affordable Housing Toolkit: <u>Additional Residential Units | Bruce</u> County

### Financial/Staffing/Legal/IT Considerations:

There are no financial, staffing, legal or IT considerations associated with this report.

#### Interdepartmental Consultation:

Staff are working in collaboration with the Planning and Economic Development Department and the local municipalities on this initiative.

#### Link to Strategic Goals and Elements:

Goal #1. Develop and implement tactics for improved communications

Goal #3. Find creative ways to engage staff and the public

Goal #4. Eliminate our own red tape

Goal #5. Explore alternate options to improve efficiency and service

Goal #6. Stimulate and reward innovation and economic development

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