



# Staff Report to Council - for Information

**Title:** Housing & Homelessness Plan 2024-2034 Update

**From:** Tina Metcalfe, Director Human Services

**Date:** April 4, 2024

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## Report Purpose:

This report is for information.

## Report Summary:

The Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (MMAH) has requested that Service Managers do not complete review or update their local plans until further communication is received from the ministry.

## Background:

Under the Housing Services Act, 2011, Service Managers are required to review their local housing and homelessness plans at least once every five years and update every 10 years.

MMAH is reviewing the current policy direction that is intended to guide the plans to ensure alignment with current government priorities. Therefore, MMAH is requesting Service Managers wait to review and update the local plans.

Staff initiated the process to begin the review of the local plan in late 2023. Community engagement sessions have been held and the draft plan has been provided for review. Based on the request from the ministry, staff will wait for further instructions before presenting a final plan.

## Financial/Staffing/Legal/IT Considerations:

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

## Interdepartmental Consultation:

There was no interdepartmental consultation associated with this report.

## Link to Strategic Goals and Objectives:

Community and Partnerships - Build a strong and inclusive community

**Link to Departmental Plan Goals and Objectives, if any:**

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