ROAD MAP FOR HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

Keep your members, community and local government informed and engaged all along the way!

Gather your board to:

- Share your learnings
- Discuss next steps





- Overwhelmed?
- Curious?
- Nervous?
- Motivated to get going?



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- **Engage** your members and community
- Develop a vision, establish guiding principles and form a project concept that aligns with your org's mission
- Key activities include:
 - Assess org's capacity, including staff, board and finances
 - Identify org's motivations for development
 - Review real estate strategy and portfolio
 - Learn how to articulate project vision
 - Explore options for delivering project vision

Who you are building housing for will drive the financials of your project!

Engage a consultant to further advance the project vision and concept work into a feasibility study

Seek **project development grant**from Vancity or
CMHC **seed grant**

If project looks feasible, meet with local government planner to discuss land use policy, housing policy requirements and supports available

Do you need:

- An Official Community Plan (OCP) Amendment or Rezoning?
- A Development Permit (**DP**)?

CHF* or IHF** proposal call

If DP required:

Prepare for next

If OCP/rezoning required:

• For **CHF*** **or IHF**** seek Project Development Fund (**PDF**) in next proposal call

*CHF = Community Housing Fund at BC Housing
**IHF = Indigenous Housing Fund at BC Housing

If DP required:

 Consider posting to BC Builds Housing Development Opportunities page to find developer/ builder (and owner/ operator, if desired)

If OCP/rezoning required:

Seek Project
 Development
 Funding (PDF) loan



MIDDLE-INCOME



